

GCSMP MONTHLY NEWS

The official publication of the Guadalupe Sheriff's Mounted Posse & Drill Team



The Voting in of the New Board

In December of 2023, the Posse members voted in the new Officers and Board of Directors. The resulting election resulted in Alice Campbell as the new President, Chris Clark as the new Vice President, Cindy Tripoli remained as Treasurer, Rosemary Williams as the new Secretary, and Jody Kotski as Public Relations. Barb Welsh, Tom Ayers, Jimmie Callaway, Mike Hallmark, and Tasha McCurdy are the elected Board of Directors.

What's in this newsletter:

- *NEW BOARD RESULTS
- *DRILL TEAM UPDATES
- *PARADE DATES
- *PLAYDAY INFO
- *TRAIL RIDES
- *MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Drill Team Highlights



UPCOMING EVENTS:

TOAST TEXAS SEGUIN 3/2
MARCH VIRTUAL DRILL FILM DEADLINE
3/17
MARCH PLAYDAY 3/23
LA VERNIA BLUEBONNET PARADE 4/6
APRIL PLAYDAY 4/13
APRIL VIRTUAL DRILL FILM DEADLINE
4/14

This year is showing some very promising things for the GSCMP Drill Team. New uniforms are being agreed on and discussed, tack options are being analyzed and members are excited about the new Facebook (listed as GCSMP Drill Team on Facebook) page. The social media outlet promises to highlight the fun being had as routines are finalized for virtual drills and live performances. Barb Welsh has been working hard to bring the new group of riders together and promote a cohesive team of new and experienced riders.

Practices are Monday nights at 7:30 pm, with additional practices scheduled as needed.

THE DRILL TEAM WOULD LIKE TO THANK THEIR SPONSERS:
EMPOWER WELLNESS PLUS & ON THE EDGE SALON



Playday Updates

Dates are:

23 March

13 April

11 May

22 June

27 July

Rain date 3 August

Please note these dates as we will need volunteers for the events.

Assignments were discussed at the January BOD meeting and will be finalized soon.

Wicked Brisket has confirmed they will be in attendance for all playday events.

Hitting the Trails...

- Trail ride groups posting events are currently finishing up their rides for the San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo.
- Trail riding opportunities will be posted on Facebook as found.
- Spring Trail Ride to the Winery April 19-21, 2024 - hosted by the Colorado River Trail Riders Association.

THERE IS
NOTHING LIKE A
RATTLING RIDE
FOR CURING
MELANCHOLY!
-PARED



Parade Opportunities

- Toast Texas Seguin - 2 March
- La Vernia Bluebonnet Parade - 6 April
- Armed Forces Day Parade in Live Oak - 18 May
- Stockdale Watermelon Parade - 21 June
- Seguin 4th of July Parade
- Comal County Parade - 27 September
- Guadalupe County Rodeo - 13 October

**“IF YOU’RE NOT
IN THE PARADE,
YOU WATCH THE
PARADE. THAT’S
LIFE.”
— MIKE DITKA**

Up For Discussion:

- Electrical work in arena needs addressed.
- Arena needs maintenance to improve its curb appeal and functionality.
- Website is still under construction, but certain items are available for display - www.gcsmp.org