

# VISTA PALOMAR RIDERS NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY 2021



We have a **Knox Lock** from the Fire Marshall, so the Fire Department may gain access without cutting our chain. Please make sure you keep that lock in the loop.



## IMPORTANT DATES

### Board Meetings (on Zoom)

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month

March 2<sup>nd</sup> 6pm

April 6<sup>th</sup> 6pm

### Potluck

(not yet)

### Members Only Cattle Game

March 12-14

### Trail clearing work party

March 13

### Richard Winters Clinic

April 17-18

### SCHC Horse shows @ VPR

Feb 27-28

April 24-25

*Members Only*



**NEW CATTLE GAME IN TOWN!!  
MARCH 12 - 14, 2021**

**Friday Arena  
Sorting \$40  
4-7 PM**

**Sat Mini Penning  
Clinic \$100/day  
9-12 & 1:30-3:30**

**Sun Mini Penning  
Clinic \$100/day  
9-12 & 1:30-3:30**

**Only 10 riders per day!**

**\$25 deposit with checks  
made out to Vista Palomar  
Riders**

**Bring your own lunch/drinks**

**Contact Gail Cantrell at  
760-519-0628 or  
gailgallops@gmail.com**





# Richard Winters

## Cow Working Clinic - Two Full Days!

**\$600 Horse & Rider**  
**\$125 Cattle**  
**\$725 Total Clinic Fee**

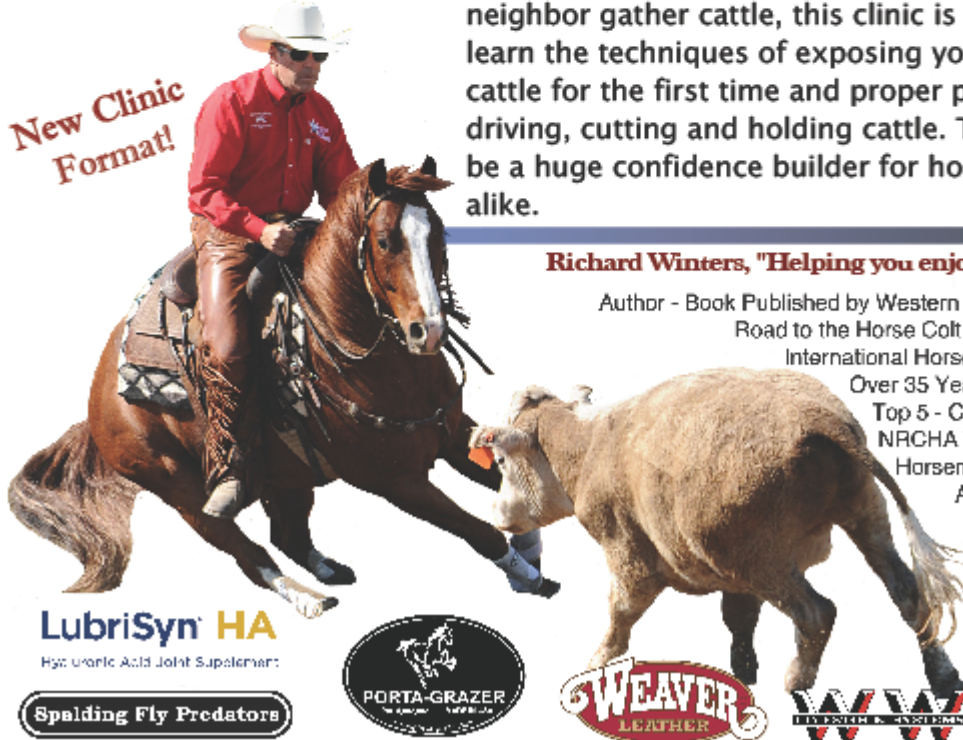
**Spectators \$25 daily**  
**Welcome \$40 2 days**

**Date:** April 17-18, 2021  
**Time:** 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
**Contact:** Cindy Rota 760-518-8536  
 csrota@gmail.com  
**Location:** Vista Palomar Riders  
 973 Little Gopher Canyon Road  
 Vista, CA

**Personalized Instruction**  
**Limited to 10 Riders**

Whether your goal is competitive team sorting and penning or being more prepared to help a neighbor gather cattle, this clinic is for you. You'll learn the techniques of exposing your horses to cattle for the first time and proper position for driving, cutting and holding cattle. This clinic will be a huge confidence builder for horses and riders alike.

**New Clinic Format!**



**Richard Winters, "Helping you enjoy the journey!"**

Author - Book Published by Western Horseman Magazine  
 Road to the Horse Colt Starting Champion  
 International Horsemanship Clinician  
 Over 35 Years of Experience  
 Top 5 - Cowboy Dressage  
 NRCHA World Champion  
 Horsemanship Clinician  
 AA Rated Judge

*A special thank you to our clinic hosts and Richard Winters Horsemanship sponsors!*



**Register now to save your spot.**



## VISTA PALOMAR RIDERS 2021 DUES RENEWAL NOTICE

It's that time of year to renew your VPR Membership –  
Your VPR Annual Membership Dues are due January 1, 2021 –

If you pay after January 31st - add a \$10.00 Late Fee

Failure to pay dues within 2 months of dues date (March 1st) shall result in termination of your membership. Ex-members (dues paid after March 1st) must reapply for membership by submitting a new member application which is subject to Board approval. Dues will not be prorated, and you will owe for the full year. There is no access to the club or facility while a non-member except for Public Events.

Eligibility for Director/Officer Position: Members shall have been a member in good standing for the previous 12 full months in order to run for a board position. (By-Laws pg.5) Please don't let this happen.

If you want to pay your dues by Credit Card through Pay Pal, you can go to our web site Vista PalomarRiders.com and then sign in under the Member's Only section.

This will be available starting 1/1/2021 and ending 3/1/2021.

If you want to pay by check mail your dues to:

Vista Palomar Riders  
PO Box 1145  
Bonsall, CA 92003



### Dues Amounts (late fee included)

	<b>Check</b>	<b>PayPal</b>
<b>Family</b>	\$ 215.00	\$ 223.00
<b>Individual</b>	\$ 145.00	\$ 150.00
<b>Social</b>	\$ 85.00	\$ 88.00

Extended Family (adding a child) \$50.00 by check only. If you would like to add a grandchild, niece or nephew you may do so by adding \$50.00 to your annual dues.

Here are pictures of our recent stormwater management work party, addressing stormwater run-off issues identified during a recent county inspection. **Thank you to work party participants!** Jody Fast, Craig Crandall, Ron Halliburton, Laurie Luitwieler, Diane Rachels, Vincent Knakal, & Jessie Keenan. And big thanks to our board team members Ron Halliburton, Gail Cantrell, & Jesse Lora who met with the county inspector and got us organized to address the required projects for the VPR property.





# Vista Palomar Riders Trail Clearing Project



RSVP:  
Michele Denys 760.518.5383  
or  
Mario Denys 760.583.2927



- \* 2-3 Machete Swingers or Loppers to Clear the Path
  - \* 1-2 Chainsaw Operators
  - \* 1-2 Weed Eaters & Operators
  - \* 1-3 Brush Pullers
- Please Bring Work Tools if you have them!

**Minimum of 10 Volunteers Needed**  
**Saturday, March 13, 2021**  
**9:00 AM**

## Clubhouse Renovations

Hello VPR Members,

Welcome to 2021! I hope this New Year finds you healthy and prospering! Your Clubhouse Committee created a renovation plan, in 2019, that addressed all aspects of the clubhouse from new paint, new windows, mural preservation, updating lighting fixtures and new flooring.

Then 2020 shut down our club events and campouts. In November 2020, Cindy Rota approached the board with an incremental plan to renovate areas with minimal expense. The board approved \$500 for paint and texture to remove the popcorn ceiling in the fireplace room, hallway and foyer.

In early January, the clubhouse committee met, and we revised our clubhouse renovation plan to take advantage of the lack of use in the clubhouse right now. The plan was streamlined to popcorn removal, paint and possibly install the flooring throughout the main clubhouse area. The flooring was purchased in late 2019 when the kitchen remodel happened and is currently stored in the room with the tables and chairs.

The clubhouse committee started with the fireplace room and stripped the popcorn off the ceiling, removed the wood paneling and chair rail, retextured the ceiling and walls and painted both.

Before Furniture moved out.



After Furniture moved out



Popcorn scraped off the ceiling



Paneling removed



Texture applied





Primer painted on ceiling and walls



Painting completed, blinds and windows cleaned, and furniture moved back in



Hallway popcorn scraped off ceiling, texture applied, painted and new light.

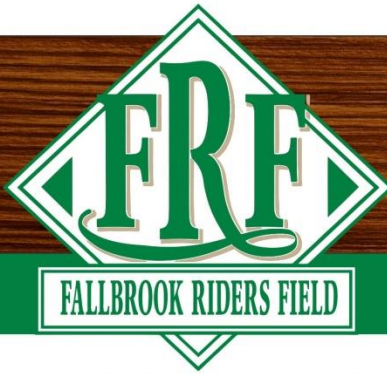


Foyer popcorn scraped, textured and painted and new light installed.



Who is this masked worker?





**FALLBROOK RIDERS, INC.**  
A Community Equestrian Club

## **Tack Sale!**

**Help support the legacy of Fallbrook Riders Field by participating in our Tack Sale & Craft Fair. Whether you are looking to purchase or sell, we welcome you!**



**Win a  
Raffle  
Basket!**

**Sunday, March 28th 10:00-3:00**

**We highly encourage vendors of all types to rent Spaces at \$20.00 each.**

**We also gladly welcome tack donations for the benefit of  
Fallbrook Riders Field.**

**For more information regarding space rentals or donations please contact :  
Jini Moeller 760 468-9851 [jmoeller@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jmoeller@sbcglobal.net) or Monica Williams 760  
468-0986 [mwilrobinson@gmail.com](mailto:mwilrobinson@gmail.com)**

**BEFORE 3/21**

**If you just want to come and shop please feel free, the public  
is welcome!**

**Please consult [Fallbrookriders.com](http://Fallbrookriders.com) prior to event due to possible covid related  
restrictions or weather delays.**



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**Southern California Horsemen's Council 2021 Shows at VPR**

February 27-28

April 24-25

May 22-23

August 28-29

October 23-24

November 20-21



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