



Trails & Tales Newsletter
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Meeting Feb. 8th, 6:30 PM
49'rs Saddle Club
6601 Tammany Creek RD
Lewiston ID

Comin' round the Mountain

TRBCH Chapter Meetings

We have reserved the 49'rs Saddle Club for all meetings in 2022, to be held the second Tuesday every month at 6:30 PM. **February Meeting is the 8th.**

2022 Membership Applications

Please send in your renewal applications if you have not already, as we want to have a new membership list sent to all of you by March. You can get a new application at a meeting or on our website, www.twinriversbch.com **There's a new option for long time members, TRBCH Honorary Membership** (Member for 30+ years & 80+ years of age) have an option to no longer pay dues but you still need to fill out a membership application.

Monthly Chapter Ride Feb. 13th

Hellsgate State Park will be the first ride of the year. Be "Ready to Ride" (RDR) by 10:30 am. Steve Cooper is scheduling the rides for this year. Let's see a good turnout!

Trail Signs

The Chapter purchased a new kit for routing signs in wood. Bob Hough and Carl Paulson are in charge of making the signs. They have signs made for WDFW lands in the Cougar Creek Area. Members need to bring a list to February meeting for other places that they would like to see signs installed.

Chainsaw and Crosscut Saw Training

Certifications and re-certifications need to be scheduled so we are ready for projects next year. The Forest Service requires all sawyers to be certified. The extension to use old cards expired October 2021.

First Aid -CPR Training

Everyone that operates a chainsaw and/or crosscut saws has to have current first aid-cpr training. It is very important for others working in the field to also be trained. This winter is a good time to hold the training.

2022 WDFW and IDFG Possible Events and Projects

Events: Chili Ride, Fund Raiser Ride, Chapter Overnight Campout, Gate Closing Ride.

Work Projects: Fordyce and Cabin Gulch Trail Clearing, Cummings Creek Trail Clearing.

Last meeting the chapter decided that Redbird Trail and North Fork of Asotin Creek did not need clearing this year.

Forest Service Volunteer Projects

The chapter has already approved Clearing John's Creek Loop and Corral Creek Area Loop. We just need a trail boss and set dates.

2022 Idaho State Convention

Hosted by Cache Peak BCHI March 18 & 19
“Open Trails, Our Future, Our Legacy” State BOD
& Foundation Meeting-Friday BCHI Convention-
Saturday Best Western Plus Burley Inn &
Convention Center 800 N Overland Ave., Burley,
ID 83318

Each chapter is entitled to eight voting delegates at
the convention. This will be our first BCHI
Convention in three years so let’s have some good
participation from our chapter. Check out the below
link to their website. It has a registration form,

Photo Contest Rules, Chapter Display Guidelines,
hotel information.

<https://cachepeak.weebly.com/> or
<https://bchi.org/> Early Registration deadline is
Feb.15th.

Chapter Display

We need members to volunteer to make a display
for the Chapter Display Competition at the BCHI
Convention in March. There are three choices of
themes. History of Chapter \$250, Memorials to
Members Passed \$125, New Trails/Projects \$125.

Certified Weed Seed Free Forage is required in all national forests and state lands.

Washington State Suppliers

http://www.nwcb.wa.gov/nwcb_hay.htm

Idaho State Suppliers

<http://www.idahoweedawareness.net/netcenter/library/weedfreeforage.html>

Oregon State Suppliers

<http://www.oregon.gov/ODA/PLANT/WEEDS/weedfreeforageprogram.shtml>

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Calendar of Events 2022

TRBCH Chapter Meeting	Feb. 8th, 6:30 pm	49’rs Saddle Club 6601 Tammany Creek RD Lewiston ID
Monthly Chapter Ride	Feb. 13th 10:30 am	Hellsgate State Park
TRBCH Chapter Meeting	Mar. 8th, 6:30 pm	49’rs Saddle Club 6601 Tammany Creek RD Lewiston ID
BCHI Director’s Meeting	Mar. 18, 2022	Hosted By Cache Peak Chapter Burley ID
BCHI Annual Convention	Mar. 19, 2022 https://cachepeak.weebly.com/	Hosted By Cache Peak Chapter Burley Convention Center Burley, ID
John’s CR Project	2022	NezPerce-Clearwater N F
Corral Creek Project	2022	NezPerce-Clearwater N F