

# Aiken Driving Club

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*Driving Tradition Into The Future*

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RECOGNIZED CHAPTER

## ***From The Top***

I thought with this newsletter we would happily be enjoying cooler weather and putting on horse sheets and vests. Oh well, another month of warm weather will be OK. We will start into the next months with lots of driving activities. Be sure your health papers are up to date for the equines and your equipment is in good shape.

Thank you to everyone who is helping with Windsor Trace. Looks like a fun time. We will keep you updated with driving activities in the newsletter and with e-blasts. Thank you to all who have renewed their membership and if you haven't please do as we will miss you.

Over the last year we have welcomed many new members. We all look forward to meeting you and seeing you at some of our events.

stay well and be safe,

*Cheers, Peggy*

## Membership Renewals

are due by October 1st

**2022/23 Membership Fees: Single: \$40 Family: \$55**

*add \$20 to either membership for a mailed newsletter*

It's shaping up to be another full year of great events to look forward to. Send in your renewal now so that you don't miss a minute of the great fun with have!

Membership forms can be found at: [AikenDrivingClub.com](http://AikenDrivingClub.com)

*Please mail a membership form in with your renewal.*

You can also renew on line !!!

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

*highlighted items are ADC events*

DATE	EVENT	CONTACT / RSVP	WHERE
OCT 6-9	GARDEN STATE CDE USEF PRELIM CHAMPIONSHIPS	USEF	ALLENTOWN, NJ
OCT 17-19	KOOS DE RONDE CLINIC @ CHATEAU LOG FARM	LISA SINGER	WINDSOR, SC
OCT 21-23	PINE TREE CDE & CT @ BIG SKY FARM	ADS	So. PINES, NC
<b>OCT 26</b>	<b>ADC EDU-AFTERNOON [SEE PAGE 4]</b>	<b>ADC WEBSITE</b>	<b>WINDSOR, SC</b>
OCT 29	AIKEN FALL STEEPLECHASE [*LAST MONTHS NEWSLETTER]	TRACEY HIGGINS	AIKEN, SC
NOV 3-6	WINDSOR TRACE CDE & CT	ADS / LISA SINGER	WINDSOR, SC
<b>NOV 12</b>	<b>ADC FALL WEEKEND, COCKTAIL PARTY &amp; ANNUAL MTG</b>	<b>ADC WEBSITE</b>	<b>TBD</b>
<b>NOV 13</b>	<b>ADC FALL WEEKEND ~ AUDUBON DRIVE</b>	<b>ADC WEBSITE</b>	<b>JACKSON, SC</b>
NOV 16-17	BLACK PRONG CT 1 & DD 1	ADS	BRONSON, FL
<b>NOV 19</b>	<b>ADC TACK SALE @ GASTON LIVERY [SEE PAGE 5]</b>	<b>SUE DOUGHERTY</b>	<b>AIKEN, SC</b>
DEC 2-4	ADS ANNUAL MEETING	ADS	SEATTLE, WA
DEC 7-8	BLACK PRONG CT 2 & DD 2	ADS	BRONSON, FL
<b>DEC 10</b>	<b>ADC XMAS DRIVE &amp; LUNCHEON</b>	<b>ADC WEBSITE</b>	<b>TBD</b>
DEC 28-29	BLACK PRONG CT 3 & DD 3	ADS	BRONSON, FL
<b>2023</b>			
JAN 12-15	NATURE COAST CDE & CT @ BLACK PRONG	ADS	BRONSON, FL
JAN 18	CONES DAY @ WINDSOR TRACE	LISA SINGER	WINDSOR, SC
JAN 25-29	GRAND OAKS CDE	USEF/ EVENT WEBSITE	WEIRSDALE, FL
FEB 1	BLACK PRONG DD 4	ADS	BRONSON, FL
FEB 3-5	GRAND OAKS CLASSIC, CT & DERBY	ADS	WEIRSDALE, FL
FEB 10	BLACK PRONG DRESSAGE FESTIVAL	ADS	BRONSON, FL
FEB 22	CONTINUOUS DRIVE @ WINDSOR TRACE	LISA SINGER	WINDSOR, SC
FEB 23-26	SPRING FLING CDE CAI 1,2,3*, CPEAI-PARA	USEF/ EVENT WEBSITE	OCALA, FL
MAR 15-19	LIVE OAK INT CAI 2,3*, & CPEAI-PARA	USEF/ EVENT WEBSITE	OCALA, FL
<b>APR 14-16</b>	<b>AIKEN CARRIAGE CLASSIC @ HIGHFIELDS</b>	<b>ADS / ADC</b>	<b>AIKEN, SC</b>
APR 19-23	KATYDID CDE @ TIEC CAI 1,2,3*, CPEAI-PARA	USEF/ EVENT WEBSITE	MILL SPRING, NC
MAY 5-7	CARRIAGE CLASSIC IN THE PINES @ BIG SKY FARM	ADS	So PINES, NC
JUN 2-4	ELK CREEK HDT & CT	ADS	ELKTON, MD
JUN 17-18	KENTUCKY CLASSIC @ HILLCROFT CAI 1,2,3*	USEF/ EVENT WEBSITE	PARIS, KY



Mark you calendars . . . For the Annual Meeting

on November 12th

Election of Club Officers will take place at the Annual Meeting.

As well as presentation of the Gerde Award.

## Board Meeting Minutes

In attendance: Peggy Dils, Ann Mitchell, Sue Dougherty, Carol Funderburgh, on phone Karen Marlin. Absent: Tim Novak

Minutes accepted and approved  
Treasurer's report accepted and approved.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

Gaston Livery Stable roof repair is 3/4 finished.  
Sue is organizing Tack Sale for November 19th 10am to 3 pm, talked about parking and set up. \$15.00 per table and proceeds will go to Gaston.

Gerde Museum still needs bookcases.  
Any thoughts of who should receive Gerde Award, let a Board Member know.

BBQ's have ALL been very successful. Thank you to all the hosts. Vista Drive was well attended.

ADC calendar of events will be discussed next meeting.

Plans continue to be made for Fall Weekend which will include our Annual Meeting. Revision of By Laws will be available.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Christmas Drive and luncheon will be in December 10th. Location to be announced.

Sue suggested the Club should have quarterly meetings for all members. Board members all in favor. Location and dates will be announced.

Fix a Test will be rescheduled at Dan Rosenthal's.

Meeting adjourned 7:10pm

Submitted by Jane Hostetter

## Treasurers Report

September 2022

The beginning checking account balance for the month of August 2022 was \$14,679.45. The ending checking account statement balance is \$18,509.94.

Deposits for the month totaled \$4829.95. There were debits totaling \$998.95

There were no outstanding checks. This gave the club an actual checkbook balance of \$ 18,509.94. Expenses for the month were for printing, BBQ's and the pleasure drive.

Respectively submitted,

Karen Marlin

## NEW ADC MEMBERS

*Welcome to Aiken Driving Club*

**Kate Jones of Richmond Hill, GA**

**Carrie Lukach of Okatie, SC**

**Julie Rinaldini of Aiken, SC**

**Linda Mae Buivid of Aiken, SC**

*If you want/need contact info for a new member not in the club roster please get in touch with Ray Mansur.*



## Classified Ads

**FOR SALE** Frey Sprint Medium Pony Cart - \$3500. Like new and only used twice before I sold my pony. Comes with marathon and presentation shafts, "extreme" pneumatic tire upgrade with quick change hubs and nerf dash. Shaft width is variable between 20 and 34 inches. Text 912 675 0583 for more info. Will need to pick up in Bluffton, SC 3/3

**FREE** Meadowbrook free to good home. Contact Ben Cox 703-675-1344 3/1





## ***From The Nominating Committee***

**Election of our club Board of Directors will be held at the Annual Meeting on November 12th.**

If you are interested in serving on the board and weren't contacted please step up and get in touch with one of the Nominating Committee Members ASAP!

The Nominating Committee presents this proposed line-up of candidates. The final List will be available in the November Newsletter and on Nov 12th at the Annual Meeting. Plus, Write-Ins on election day are permitted as long as you have the persons permission.

- ⇒ **President:**             Peggy Dils  
⇒                                 \_\_\_\_\_
- ⇒ **Vice President:**     Tracey Turner  
⇒                                 \_\_\_\_\_
- ⇒ **Secretary:**             Susan Gregorio  
⇒                                 \_\_\_\_\_
- ⇒ *Treasure:*                *Term Has Not Expired*
- ⇒ **Members at Large:**  Jane Hostetter  
*Vote for 3*                     Sue Dougherty  
                                   Ted Lange  
                                   Mick Burke  
                                   Cheryl Pratt Rivers  
                                   \_\_\_\_\_

*Respectfully,  
Your Nominating Committee*

*Janelle Marshall, Carl Zimmerman & Renie Gillis*



## From the Education Committee



Mark your calendar for the first fall

Education Afternoon, Wednesday, October 26th

Come play a game to learn about volunteering at club events and other driving activities. Lets celebrate all the volunteers who have and keep helping out and encourage some new people to be involved.

Snacks and beverages will be provided. Bring your own chair.

# FALL TACK SALE

## All Disciplines Welcome!

## Saturday, November 19, 2022

### Gaston Livery Stable, 1315 Richland Ave E, Aiken, SC

### 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM *(set up starts at 8:00 AM)*

### Sponsored by – Aiken Driving Club

Sellers fees – ADC members price is \$15/space. \* *(bring your own tables, etc.)*

This is the perfect time to sell items you no longer use and make some holiday cash.

For more information and to reserve your space, contact: Sue Dougherty  
803-522-6914 *(call or text)*

**\*All fees collected will be donated to  
the Gaston Livery Stable.**



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## Club Membership

Membership applications are available on the website, [www.AikenDrivingClub.com](http://www.AikenDrivingClub.com) When you print yours out for renewal make a few extra copies. They are great to have on hand so you can invite old and new friends to join us.

**Newsletter Deadlines** *Deadline for articles, photos and classified ads is the 20th of each month. Photos must be sent by email in ".JPG" format with name/s of persons and if possible the name of the horse/s. Include photo releases when required.*

**Classified Ads** *Classified ads for ADC members are free and will run for 3 months unless otherwise noted. Business Card ads are \$100 Yr. Non-members may place ads for \$25 (will run for 3 months). Check can be mailed to Aiken Driving Club, PO Box 271, Aiken, SC 29802*

**Submissions** Send all submissions to: Renie Gillis [ponylady2017@gmail.com](mailto:ponylady2017@gmail.com) 803-646-1175

Past issues of our Newsletter can be found online at [www.AikenDrivingClub.com](http://www.AikenDrivingClub.com)



## 2022-2023 Aiken Driving Club Membership Application

The membership year runs from October 1, 2022  
until September 30, 2023.  
Please renew your membership by October 1, 2022

New  Renew

### Please send this form with your payment. Thank You

(Please Print Clearly)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone#1 \_\_\_\_\_ Phone#2 \_\_\_\_\_

Email#1 \_\_\_\_\_ Email#2 \_\_\_\_\_

American Driving Society member #(s) \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ (Please include if member(s))

Family members \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

#### Select one of the following membership options

Single Membership [ ] Email newsletter (\$40) [ ] Newsletter sent by US mail (\$40 add \$20\*\* = \$60)

Family Membership\* [ ] Email newsletter (\$55) [ ] Newsletter sent by US mail (\$55 add \$20\*\* = \$75)

\*Family membership is 2 or more family members living in the same household.

\*\* Additional \$20 to cover increased printing and mailing costs

Would you like your name included in member directory? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

### Participation Survey

Would you be interested in helping with club activities?

Please circle all that interest you

1-Board of Directors    2-Public Relations    3- Website    4- Club historian

5- Recreational drives.    6-Pleasure Shows.    7- CDEs.    8- Club Photography

9- Setup at events.    10-Dinners/BBQs    11-Annual Meeting    12-Club Library

13-Docent at driving museum

FOR CLUB USE ONLY Payment received Date: _____ Amount: _____ Check _____ Cash _____ Credit Card from website _____
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