



PASS IN REVIEW

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ALUMNI

Dear Alumni
and Friends,

We bring you this very abridged, postcard-version of our Pass in Review newsletter. Rest assured, our next issue will resume with our normal format of more details, pictures, and information. We hope to see you all at Alumni Week and other summer events!

Alumni Week is Upon Us!

August 6th—11th

Come out and visit, catch-up, tour the new Fort facilities, and see if your fellow alumni can still ride!

Alumni Week schedule:

Steppes*
Dressage
Liberty
Crimson Rangers
Chariots*
Precisionettes
Cavalry
Royal Rangers
Red Team

Saturday, Aug. 4th 8:00 AM
Monday, Aug. 6th 6:30 PM
Monday, Aug. 6th 7:30 PM
Tuesday, Aug. 7th 6:30 PM
Tuesday, Aug. 7th 6:30 PM
Tuesday, Aug. 7th 7:30 PM
Wednesday, Aug. 8th 6:00 PM
Wednesday, Aug. 8th 6:30 PM
Wednesday, Aug. 8th 7:00 PM

**With permission of instructor*

Please ride in the base team from which you graduated. E.g., riders who graduated from Red Team may not ride in the Precisionettes alumni ride.

The Westnair entrance to the fairgrounds is off of Indiana Street about 3 blocks South of 6th Avenue.

Coming in from out of town for Alumni Week? We have special room rates at nearby hotels. Contact the Alumni Association for more information.

Westernaires Alumni Association
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HELP WITH HAY!

Although the price of hay has been steadily rising for years, several factors collided this year to create an even bigger challenge for Westernaires to feed hay to its tremendously talented and hard-working rental string horses, ponies, and drafts.

The drought in the south has made hay even more scarce, and a strained economy made it difficult for many farmers to continue to grow and deliver their hay.

Westernaires has been having a tough time finding affordably-priced hay for the upcoming year. They have been quoted a price of \$400 per ton for their grass hay — **a 70% increase over the price they paid for this year's hay!**

Can you imagine your grocery bill increasing by 70% in one year's time? It's truly damaging to a non-profit organization that operates on a break-even philosophy. Westernaires uses over 850 tons of hay per year.

We're asking our alumni community to mobilize — we're asking everyone to help us to locate quality hay that Westernaires can purchase in the upcoming year. If you have any connections in the hay community, we kindly ask you to contact us, or contact Westernaires.

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