DEC Fights for Safe Riding on Sundays During Deer Season

DEC has a very active role in opposing House Bill 289 which proposes Sunday hunting on private land.

In this article, you will find copies of DEC’s letter to the Natural Resources Committee and all co-sponsors of the Bill, indicating DEC’s opposition of the Bill, including email addresses for committee members and co-sponsors.

House Bill 289 regarding Sunday hunting on private land, which was previously assigned to the Natural Resources Committee, was reassigned to the Agricultural Committee on Tuesday, April 12, 2016. They included this Bill on their agenda for discussion on Wednesday April 13 at 2:30 p.m. and, once again, removed it from their agenda the day before.

Delaware Equine Council Foundation Awards Five $1000 Scholarships

The Delaware Equine Council Foundation, Inc. had a very successful Scholarship Awards Dinner and Fundraiser. Thanks to our amazing sponsors and many donors, we were able to award five $1000 scholarships on March 5, 2016. (See more on pages 6 & 7)

PayPal Has Arrived

Would you like to join DEC but find sending a check a little tedious? Head on over to our website and click on the PayPal link to submit your membership fees. You do not need a Paypal account, just a credit card. It is a secure and guaranteed method of payment. You also receive a receipt for your payment.

A link for payment for the Poker Ride fundraiser on April 17th has also been added. Sign up now for a day of fun and relaxation with our beloved horses.
President’s Message

Thanks to everyone that supported the Scholarship Dinner. Due to the outstanding contributions of the sponsors and donors, the attendees participated in the best event we have ever hosted. Congratulations to all scholarship winners!

DEC has been very busy in our effort to ensure the Sunday deer hunting bill is not passed. We need your help with this important issue. Please contact the State Representatives and Senators that are sponsoring House Bill 289 and express your opposition. Hopefully, we can protect our right to safely enjoy our equine passion on Sundays!

Join us for the first ever TEC/DEC Poker Run. It will be a great opportunity to get out and enjoy our horses and our friends at a low key fun event!

Stan Vonacek, DEC President

Notes from Your Editor

Spring is finally here! The calendar of events on page 5 has plenty of activities for you and your horse this spring. The Delaware Equine Council Foundation’s Scholarship Awards Dinner and Fundraiser went very well with record attendance! We enjoyed delicious food prepared by the Women of the Moose, music provided by Dancin’ with Jen, bid on awesome auction items, and awarded some well-deserved scholarships. Thank you to everyone who sponsored, donated, and attended the dinner. We had a great time.

Wendy Lippincott, Editor

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NEW THIS YEAR!!!

TACK SWAP!

Have things you want to sell? Looking for bargains? Bring your own table and set up at your trailer from 9:00 AM till 1:00 PM. No charge for people entered in the Poker Run and $5.00 if not entered.

Date: Sunday, April 17, 2016

Time: Registration 9:00 AM

First Rider out 9:30 and last rider out 11:00 AM.

Location: Tuckahoe Equestrian Center, 619 Crouse Mill Road, Queen Anne, MD 21657

(For directions see the TEC website http://www.tuckahoeestlistriancenter.com)

What is a Poker Run? It’s an event where riders go to checkpoints which have an obstacle and receive cards when completing the obstacle. The object is to have the best poker hand at the end of the run. (Don’t worry if you don’t know how to play poker…we’ll provide “instructions.”) Participants are not timed—winning is purely a matter of chance. $30, $20, $10, and $5 cash prizes will be awarded to the best four poker hands.

NEW: You can register and pay with PayPal at www.delawareequinecouncil.org or make checks payable to TEC and mail to Joyce Bell, 6682 J Oren Rd., Easton, MD 21601

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REGISTRATION FORM (Prices Include Lunch)

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Receive a pre-registration bonus! Registrations postmarked before April 10 deduct $5 from the above fees.

NEGATIVE COGGINS REQUIRED! HELMETS REQUIRED FOR YOUTH 18 AND UNDER!

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Questions? Contact Joyce 410-820-6002 or Julie at warrington_girls@yahoo.com
~ DEC Letter in Opposition to Sunday Deer Hunting ~

Senator Bruce Ennis, Senator Brian Pettyjohn, Representative William J. Carson, Jr., Representative Jeffrey N. Spiegelman

Delaware State Legislature
411 Legislative Avenue, Dover, DE 19901

The mission of the Delaware Equine Council (DEC) is to promote, protect and enhance the keeping of equines in the State of Delaware. We are a nonprofit organization representing all breeds, equine owners, trail riders, driving enthusiasts, equine related organizations and commercial businesses.

DEC strongly opposes Sunday deer hunting for the reasons provided below.

Prime time to ride with trail horses coincides with deer hunting season. Cool weather is ideal for horses whereby there are neither insects nor issues with horses overheating. It is more enjoyable for the riders, too.

Horse owners must work to support their equine businesses and hobbies, as do hunters for their hobbies. Most horseback riders do not have the opportunity to ride during weekdays, leaving the weekends their only choice. DEC shares the deer hunting season on social media and in their newsletters and encourages all riders to stay out of the woods during those seasons. We also view this as a courtesy to the hunters. It is a known fact in the horse community that Sunday is a valuable, safe day to ride the beautiful trails of Delaware, and riders take advantage of that opportunity.

Sunday deer hunting on private land is not and will not be safe for the users of public land. All public land is surrounded by private land. Many of the trails used by horseback riders, hikers, bikers, bird watchers and families out for an enjoyable Sunday stroll are very close to private land that could be used for deer hunting. A deer that has been shot and injured on private land but enters the adjacent public land will be tracked and shot on the public land, making the area a danger to the general public.

The deer hunters need to be very concerned for the danger they will pose for anyone on adjacent land. Private land owners that allow Sunday hunting will increase their liability for the safety of anyone on adjacent land. Sunday hunting will prohibit horse owners from riding on their own private land because of the safety issues of hunters on adjacent land. Bullets and arrows travel... and the possibility of one reaching private land is not to be ignored.

The DELAWARE DEER MANAGEMENT PLAN 2010 – 2019, in which the Delaware Equine Council was a stakeholder, reflects that, “All respondents, not just hunters, were asked if they would support Sunday hunting. While support (43%) and opposition (45%) were about even in the general population sample, most of the opposition was strong opposition.” Also, “farmers were the opposite of hunters in that farmers gave more opposition (59%) than support (38%) with most opposition being strong opposition.”

In summary, hundreds of horseback riders in Delaware, of all ages, want the courtesy of being able to continue to enjoy the only safe day of hunting season. Which is Sunday. There is no win-win situation for Sunday hunting. It completely eliminates the safety of horseback riding on the only safe day that is presently available.

Sincerely, Stan Vonasek, President, Delaware Equine Council

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
148th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

HOUSE BILL NO. 289

AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 7 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO HUNTING BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

Section 1. Amend § 712, Title 7 of the Delaware Code by making deletions as shown by strike through and insertions as shown by underline as follows”

§ 712 Prohibition against Sunday hunting.

(a) On Sundays, no person shall hunt or pursue any game birds or game animals with any dog or any kind of implement which is capable of killing said game birds or game animals, except s provided in subsection (b) of this section.

(b) This section shall be applicable to trapping, training dogs, hunting red foxes with dogs, hunting deer on private land, or participating in commercial game preserve operations in accordance with the provisions of § 572 of this title.

(c) Any person who shoots a deer on private land on Sunday in compliance with this title may track, follow and recover such deer on public land.

SYNOPSIS

This bill allows for the hunting of deer on private land on Sundays.

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Calendar of Events

April 2016:

**Tuesday, April 12:** EAAHSC (Eastern Amateur Arabian Horse Show Circuit) Meeting, 2nd Tuesdays of each month. Contact: Laura 302-424-1828

**Saturday, April 16:** Karen’s Shows at Annett Farms, 10116 Shawnee Road, Greenwood, DE. Call Julie at 423-7393 or e-mail: Warrington_girls@yahoo.com

**Monday, April 18:** Delaware Equine Council meets the 3rd Monday of each month at 7:00 pm except June and December. Harrington Fire Department Conference Room. Contact Stan 302-684-3966.

**Friday, April 22-Sunday, April 24:** Tuckahoe Equestrian Center Annual Spring Fling Trail Ride. Contact Denise 302-249-5804.

**Monday, April 25:** American Mustang/Burro Association-Delmarva Chapter meet at 6 pm the 4th Monday of each month, except December. Contact: Debbie at 302-653-7005

**Saturday, April 30:** Gambler’s Choice Equestrian Center Schooling Show & Hunter Derby. Contact Kimberly 302-632-9777.

**Saturday, April 30:** Changing Fates Equine Rescue of Delaware Adoption Fair celebrating ASPCA Save A Horse day. 11 pm - 3 pm. Contact: 302-339-5065

**Saturday, April 30 – Sunday May 1:** Stuart Rybak Clinic 9am - 4pm, Tuckahoe Equestrian Center, 619 Crouse Mill Road, Queen Anne, MD. Contact: Debbie Oxnard 410-490-2269

May 2016:

**Monday, May 2:** Delaware Appaloosa Horse Association Meeting 8:00pm. Monthly meetings are held the first Monday of every month weather permitting. Please contact a member of the board if in doubt. Youth meet at 7 pm. Youth group is all-breed. Meeting location 9194 Legion Rd. Denton, MD.

**Thursday, May 5:** Arabian Horse Association of Delmarva Meeting First Thursday of each month Contact: Resi Wolfe 302-856-6048

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**~ Welcome New Members ~**

**Individual** - Keith Fleming, David Hobday, Gwen Hobday, Leslie Persans, Charlie Purnell, Joan Siler

**Commercial** - Apex Arabians

**Saturday, May 7:** 1st State Shooters May Day, 6 pm. Levers Arena. Double points. Contact Tom 443-510-2447

**Saturday, May 7:** Arabian Horse Association of Delmarva All-breed Horse Show. Hidden Meadow Farm, Hazletville, DE. Contact: Resi Wolfe 302-856-6048

**Saturday, May 7:** Karen’s Shows at Annett Farms, 10116 Shawnee Road, Greenwood, DE. Contact Elrita Annett 302-422-7571

**Saturday, May 7 – Sunday May 8:** Delaware Appaloosa Horse Association Spring Fling. Delaware State Fairgrounds. Contact: 302-526-6944

**Tuesday, May 10:** EAAHSC (Eastern Amateur Arabian Horse Show Circuit) Meeting, 2nd Tuesdays of each month. Contact: Laura 302-424-1828

**Saturday, May 14:** Delmarva Driving Club Spring Please Show PLUS. Denton, MD. Information at www.DelmarvaDrivingClub.com.

**Monday, May 16:** Delaware Equine Council meets the 3rd Monday of each month at 7:00 pm except June and December. Harrington Fire Department Conference Room. Contact: Stan 302-684-3966.

**Wednesday, May 18:** Tuckahoe Equestrian Center meets the 3rd Wednesday of the following months: Jan., Mar., May, July, Sept., Nov. and Dec, at 7:00 pm. Contact Joan Coble at 443-786-4944 for location.

**Saturday, May 21:** Delaware Park race meet begins. www.Delawarepark.com

**Saturday, May 21:** Tuckahoe Equestrian Center Hoof Picks Camp at obstacle course. www.tuckahoequestriancenter.com

**Monday, May 23:** American Mustang/Burro Association-Delmarva Chapter meet at 6 pm the 4th Monday of each month, except December. Contact: Debbie at 302-653-7005

June 2016:

**Thursday, June 2:** Arabian Horse Association of Delmarva Meeting First Thursday of each month Contact: Resi Wolfe 302-856-6048

**Saturday, June 4:** Karen’s Shows at Annett Farms, 10116 Shawnee Road, Greenwood, DE. Contact Elrita Annett 302-422-7571

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**★ Next DEC Meetings ★**

**Monday, April 18 • Monday, May 16**

7 p.m. - Harrington Fire Company Conference Room

20 Clark Street • Harrington, DE 19952

Join us and bring a friend!

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**REPORT**

Lost, loose, neglected, or abused horses to Delaware Department of Agriculture

302-698-4500 or 302-698-4561

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**DEC Committees: Do you support the mission of the Delaware Equine Council? If so, become involved with a committee. The committee chairs are as follows:**

- **Stan Vonacek - Scholarships**
- **Ken Horeis - Industry Directory**
- **Mary Everhart - Trails**
- **Wayne Nebel - Public Relations**
- **Pam Nebel - Membership**
- **Wendy Lippincott - Newsletter Editor**

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The Delaware 4-H program held its annual State 4-H Horse Bowl on Saturday, March 28 with 28 teams entered. Youth ages 8-19 participated in the equine knowledge-based quiz bowl competition held at Lake Forest North Elementary in Felton. The Delaware 4-H Horse Advisory Committee, a group composed of 4-H volunteers from all three Delaware counties that are dedicated to providing quality 4-H horse programs to members, sponsors the event.

4-H members competed on teams of up to four individuals, and teams were divided into two brackets based on age for the double elimination event. 4-H volunteer adult leaders using specified resource materials coached young people to prepare them in the months leading up to the competition. 45 Delaware 4-H volunteers assisted with the Horse Bowl event.

University of Delaware Animal Science Extension Agent Susan Garey said, “It’s really exciting to see so many young people who are interested in learning about equine science. We sincerely appreciate the many volunteers who donated their time to help our youth learn in a positive, supportive environment.” Volunteer officials for the competition included Ms. Nina Lee; Dr. Emily Gallaway, D.V.M.; and Dr. Annie Renzetti, V.M.D.

The top three teams in each age division were:

**BEGINNER (8-10 year olds)**
1st Place: Magic Mares - Sussex County
   *Team Members:* Dakota Carmona, Anna Lopez, Tori Smith
   *Coaches:* Jodie Gravenor, Heather Smith
2nd Place: Tales and Trails and Heavenly Hooves - New Castle County
   *Team Members:* Clara Gulick, Angela Minner, Samantha Minner, Mimi Roddick
   *Coach:* Kathy Heverin
3rd Place: Hearts 4-Horses Fillies - Kent County
   *Team Members:* Lexi Johnson, Caressa Lockwood, Stephanie Strachar
   *Coaches:* Stacey Johnson, Carrie Strachar

**JUNIOR (11-13 year olds)**
1st Place: Hearts 4-Horses
   *Team Members:* Ashley Bullock, Danielle Urian, Donna Urian, Arienneonla Walbert
   *Coaches:* Betty Bullock, Connie Urian
2nd Place: Equinatores 3.0 - Sussex County
   *Team Members:* Janner Anger, Cheyanne Bowman, Alexia Carroll, Paige Taylor
   *Coaches:* Brittany Blacksten, Laura Pomatto
3rd Place: Westville Trot-Tastics - Kent County
   *Team Members:* Hayden Jackson, Olivia Gaines, Carter Sylvester, Regan Williams
   *Coaches:* Brittany Blacksten, Laura Palmetto

**SENIOR (14-19 year olds)**
1st Place: Holler-N-Hooves - Kent County
   *Team Members:* Christie Little, Nicole Cannavo, Sara Deason, Courtney Sarlouis
   *Coach:* Dr. Sharon Little, D.V.M.
2nd Place: Dream Team - Kent County
   *Team Members:* Ashley Hood, Lauren Ide, Peyton Ridgely
   *Coach:* Jennifer Ridgely
3rd Place: Heavenly Hooves Scramble - New Castle County
   *Team Members:* Sarah Brown, Taylor Heverin, Briana Mason
   *Coach:* Anne Blackmore

4-H is a community of young people across Delaware learning leadership, citizenship and life skills. For more information on becoming a 4-H member or volunteer in Delaware, please contact your local county extension office:
- New Castle County: 302-831-8965 • Kent County 302-730-4000
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Day camps are a great way to get kids out of the house and active during breaks from school. Many large and small farms in the region that offer riding lessons also offer day camps.

The benefits of horse camps are numerous for the participants. The campers are introduced to horses and ponies in a controlled and safe environment. They each get riding lessons to start their riding experience or to add onto their current skill set. All of the campers are horse or animal lovers and that trait alone helps foster the relationship between participants. Horse camp is a time for children to be active. Although breaks are frequent, the activity level with barn chores and games keeps everyone active. Spending time outdoors is encouraged and riding is generally a fun outdoor activity. Frequently campers come to camp so they can “escape” from spending a lot of time with their siblings. Siblings are welcome at most camps and frequently do attend ours. Those siblings that do come to camp together, generally stick together. Horse care education is always part of our camps. Yes, that includes cleaning the stalls. As parents snicker that their kids must do some hard work, most of the campers are more than willing to at least try cleaning the stalls. Cleaning stalls gives them an appreciation of the hard work that comes with horse ownership. Crafts are always a good way of occupying time and giving the kids an opportunity to show off their skills. Most crafts are horse oriented. Kids of all ages love making crafts, even the teenagers. It’s something they can take home and show their families and keep as memories of a fun experience. There are always games to play at camp. Playing games keeps the kids active and creative. Believe it or not, the teenagers often seem to have more fun as they can be even more childish and goofy while playing. Most of all, each camp offers the kids new and positive experiences.

Choosing a Horse Camp  
*By Wendy Lippincott – Dusty Chaps Farm*

When researching facilities offering camps, your top priority should be safety. Feel free to ask if the campers are kept in small groups, wear helmets, are supervised by adults or experienced camp helpers and what the camp rules are. Which camp you send your child to can also depend on cost. Clearly a single-day camp is less expensive than a week-long camp. The camp should also offer activities that clearly make the cost worth it. Riding lessons are expensive, so you should expect to pay that amount plus more for the additional activities, time, etc. The time of the camp may or may not be convenient for you. You may choose one facility over another because it works better into your schedule. Never assume that before/after care is available. If you need it, ask the farm manager in advance. Another parent may be able to help you or the facility may have someone available to provide it for a fee. Last, but not least is location. You may need to travel a bit to get to a facility that you like. If you are lucky, there is one right around the corner from you.

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**Rescue Horse of the Month: Daysee**

Daysee is a 13 year old Saddlebred mare. She has a large FATTY tumor on her neck. We have been told by our vet that it cannot be safely removed. She has had the tumor for over 10 years. It is not painful and doesn’t seem to bother her at all.

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