

Foundation News

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2018 HORSE COUNTRY HOEDOWN

On Saturday, April 21, guests gathered at the Lyell's Meadow implement shed for a Hoedown to celebrate the 40th anniversary The Walthour-Moss Foundation. The Hoedown, the Foundation's major annual fundraising event, was the most successful to date, netting over \$25,000 for Foundation operations. Yee Haw!

Many, many thank to our Horse Country Hoedown Hosts who gave generously to underwrite the event: Jo Ann Williams and Joe Agresta, Jackie and Rick Allenbaugh, Arrowwood Farm, Blue Moon Farm, Amy Bresky, Lin and John Burgess, Carol and Dan Butler, Cathy and David Carter, Dick Cavedo and Mary Schwab, Marianne and Jeff Chulay, Steven Cochran and Dan Clivner, Rhonda and Alan Dretel, Martha and Clay Dunnagan, Susan Gaines and Katie Gaines Frost, Shirley and John Gaither, Alice and Marshall Glass, Sharon and Jim Granito, Mary Griffith and Alex Martini, Martha and Tom Hart, Jean Rae and Hugh Hinton, James Creek Cider House, Kendyl and Eric Janis, Rod Lynch and Knowlbrook Farms Inc., Stephen Later, Susan and Kris Lindamood, Monica and Mike Lipomi, Corine and Peter Longanbach, Fred McCashin, Lynn and Buck McGugan, Galen Miller and Cranes Creek Ranch, Parker and Ed Minchin, Norman and Babette Minery, Carol Minker, Andrea and Dick Moore, Cindy and Dennis Paules, Rosa and Ralph Ronalter, Kim and Bryan Rosenberg, Irene and Mike Russell, Cameron and Lincoln Sadler, Neil Schwartzberg and Leigh Allen, Ginny and Keith Thomasson, Donna and Dick Verrilli, Kathy and Chris Virtue, Jane and John Wagstaff, Anne and Dick Webb, Caroline and Wade Young, and Elaine Zelch.

The skies were clear and the temperature perfect for the outside gathering. Guests enjoyed deviled eggs, shrimp cocktail, fruit, cheese, and crackers on the backside of the shed overlooking Lyell's Meadow and the newly installed brick tribute patio. Dinner included pork tenderloin, grilled vegetables, baked apples, green salad, and delicious chicken, fried on site by White Rabbit Catering. To quench their thirst, guests chose from a selection of ciders from James Creek Cider House, Italian wines from Bacco Selections and locally brewed beer from the Southern Pines Brewing Company. For the more adventurous, moonshine-based cocktails were available. Special thanks to Jim Alley, who has served as a volunteer bartender each year for the Hoedown. After dinner, the Southern Pride Band rocked the pasture with country and rock classics and party-goers filled the dance floor to kick up their heels.

Thank you to Leigh Allen and Kendyl Janis for leading the decorating team. Thank you to Katie Cochran for lending her vine wreaths. Luscious green ferns, nestled within the vine wreaths were accented with colorful bandannas and placed on each

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ANN MARIE AND DAVID THORNTON



ANNE TATE, MADISON ELLIOTT, DANIELLE VEASY,
DIANA FARR, AND JEANNE PAINE

Photos by Diane McKay

THANK YOU TO NEIL SCHWARTZBERG FOR MANY YEARS OF SERVICE



LEIGH ALLEN AND NEIL SCHWARTZBERG

Neil Schwartzberg, who has served as president of The Walthour-Moss Foundation since 2014, recently announced his retirement from the board. Neil has been splitting his time for years between his architectural practice in New York and Walthour-Moss Foundation work in Southern Pines. His retirement will allow him to spend time on his farm and a chance to ride his horses. Neil has been a tireless volunteer and enthusiastic board member for thirteen years. He managed the renovation of the Lyell's Meadow implement shed, which has been a wonderful focal point for Walthour-Moss Foundation events, and he co-chaired the Land Management Committee, organized Bushwhacker Club outings, and organized numerous jump and fence repair teams. We are all grateful for Neil's efforts on behalf of The Walthour-Moss Foundation and thank him for his dedication and his lasting contributions to the betterment of our community.

HOEDOWN CONTINUED FROM COVER

table. Elaeagnus from Mapleshade Farm hung over the inside doors and around the stacked hay bale bars. A sea of candles placed above the dessert table provided a warm and friendly light during dinner. Longleaf pine accents throughout the shed were the perfect decoration for the Hoedown.

Thank you to our amazing Hoedown volunteers for making the 2018 Hoedown the best yet: Leigh Allen, Jim Alley, Cathy and David Carter, Kendyl Janis, Susan and Kris Lindamood, Antonio Martinez, Norman Minery, Dennis Paules, Kyley Paules, Irene and Mike Russell, Neil Schwartzberg, Blair Spencer, and Elaine Zelch.

Funds raised at the 2018 Horse Country Hoedown will be used to preserve the forest and maintain the trails for our community.

SPRING TRAIL RIDE AND CARRIAGE DRIVE

The rain came down in sheets during the WMF Spring Trail Ride and Carriage drive held on Saturday, May 19. Fourteen riders and six carriages braved the elements to follow two separately marked trails covering a total of eleven miles of Walthour-Moss Foundation trails.

The five-mile carriage trail took drivers down Sheldon Road, through Box Crossing, Firelane 1 and then on to Old Mail road before heading home via Firelane 2. The six-mile trail ride headed northeast out of Lyell's Meadow towards Carter's Crossing, crossed Firelane 1 and Old Mail Road, wound down through Gray Fox Crossing, over to Edmisten Crossing and then up to Firelane 3, Firelane 1 ext, crossed Beaver Dam Head, through Airport and Arrowhead Crossings before ending up back at Lyell's Meadow.

Thank you to the trail marking team of Joan and Ron Baldwin, Ramsey Fisher, Page Nesser, and Irene Russell. The trails were well marked and the course had varied terrain with hills, shade, and water crossings. Thank you to the Moore County Driving Club and to the Moore County Hounds for lending the arrows to mark the trails.

The entry fee for the Spring Trail Ride and Carriage Ride included a picnic lunch served on the back-side of the implement shed. John Gaither served as grill-master and delivered perfectly grilled hamburgers, bratwurst, veggie burgers and hot dogs to the drenched participants.

Thank you to our volunteers for turning out in the rain to make the day run smoothly. Sue Buckley and Margaret Coombe organized the registration table, John Gaither manned the grill, and Ron Baldwin, Stephen Later, Dennis Paules, and Neil Schwartzberg organized the set up and clean up.

PLEASE REPORT NEEDED TRAIL REPAIRS

After weeks of heavy rains, we have had reports of trees down and some washouts. Please be on the lookout for and report needed repairs to The Walthour-Moss Foundation office at 910-695-7811.



THANK YOU TO JOCK TATE FOR CLEARING THE TREE AT SNUG'S CROSSING.

Photo by Diane McKay

Photos by Jock Tate

2018 HORSE COUNTRY HOEDOWN



DONNA AND DICK VERRILLI, MARI SECRIST



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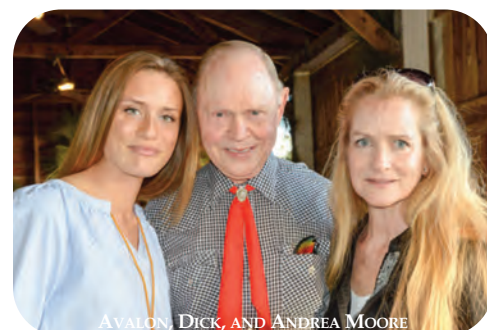
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SHELLY AND JOHN TALK



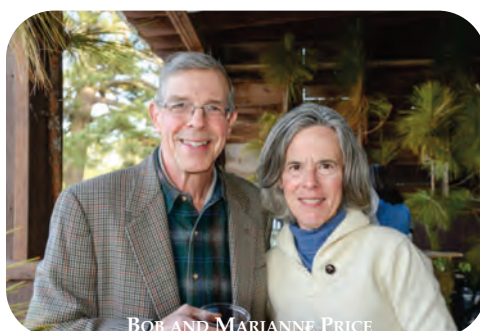
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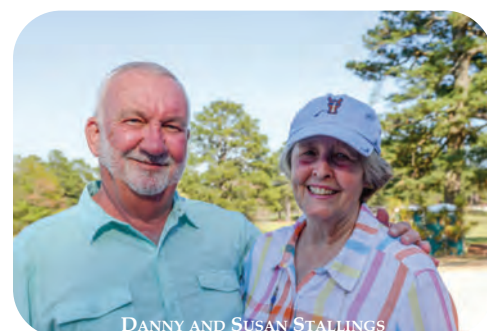
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SUSAN GAINES, KATE AND IMOGEN FROST



BOB AND MARIANNE PRICE



DANNY AND SUSAN STALLINGS



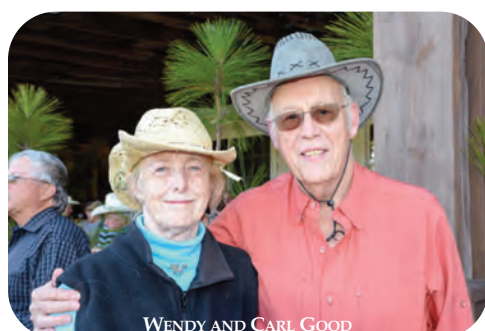
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MARIANNE AND JEFF CHULAY



KEITH THOMASSON, DAN AND CAROL BUTLER



WENDY AND CARL GOOD



ED AND PARKER MINCHIN, JACKIE ALLENBAUGH



SASSY RILEY AND BABETTE MINERY

2018 SPRING TRAIL RIDE



BRENDA STABE



KAREN NOTESTINE



HOLLY ROCHEROLLE



ABBY SHULTIS AND ROBERT MARTIN



SHELLY TALK, AMARA BAKER
AND CAMERON SADLER



CINDY AND IMOGEN VOORSPUY



CATHERINE OLDENBURG



JOAN HARPER



GIGI SCHOFIELD AND LESLIE YARBOROUGH



DRY AT THE START!



DANA BOROWICK AND NANCY NICHOLSON



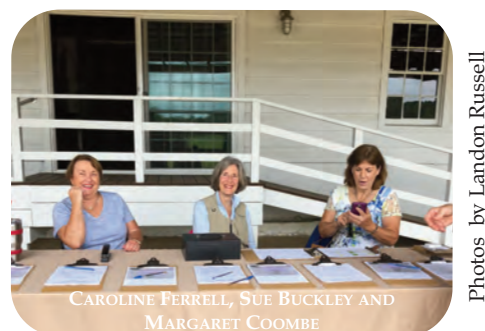
JENNY SEALS AND AMIE PELAUM



SOAKED COMING IN!



JOHN GAITHER AND STEPHEN LATER



CAROLINE FERRELL, SUE BUCKLEY AND
MARGARET COOMBE



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FUN DOG SHOW

PRIZES AND RIBBONS
FOR EACH CLASS!

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

CLASSES

- Senior Dog (open to dogs 10 yrs+)
- Jr. Handler
- Best Coiffed
- Best Trick
- Look Alike (dog and owner)
- Cutest
- Waggiest Tail
- Best Rescue
- Best '6' Legs (dog and owner)
- Best in Show



Photo by Amy Miller

ADOPT A DOG!

CARING HEARTS FOR CANINES
WILL BE ON SITE WITH DOGS
LOOKING FOR FOREVER HOMES

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS AND PRIZE DONORS

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ENTER ONLINE AT WWW.WALTHOUR-MOSS.ORG

Day of Show Registration opens at 8:00 am

Fun Dog Show begins at 9:00 am

\$5 per class

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Lyell's Meadow, 225 Mile Away Lane, Southern Pines

For More Information

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www.walthour-moss.org.

Save the Dates!

October 7: Horse Country Social

October 28: Trick and Treat Trail Ride

December 9: Save Our Forest Golf Tournament

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