



## August – 2010

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### News

Nationals – Washington had 70 riders attend Nationals in Kalispell, Montana. It was a tremendous turn-out for our state as well as the others resulting in a show of over 400 riders! It was a wonderful, exhausting, dusty and hot time. We represented our state well by judging and working in the arena on our designated times. A big thank you goes to those in WWGA and SCWGA who organized entries, work schedules, judging, etc. Congratulations to the MANY participants who placed.

If you would like to submit a general interest or informational article, please contact Suzanne Damon at [suzannedamon@hotmail.com](mailto:suzannedamon@hotmail.com).

SCWGA strongly encourages riders to use proper riding boots and wear helmets.

### Fair

**BIG CHANGE** this year - we will be riding all day 8:00-5:00 (no split between age groups).

There is a **mandatory** riders meeting at 8:00am on Saturday with the show starting immediately following the meeting. Sunday's start time will be between 8:00 and 8:30. An announcement will be made Sunday morning letting you know the exact start time. Show will run until 5:00pm both days. Time permitting we will have a team event on Saturday.

All horses must pass a vet check on Friday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> from 5:00 – 8:00pm. After vet check you will be assigned your stalls. **REMEMBER** we are exhibitors at fair and must keep stalls clean and waters full. Stalls must be cleaned twice a day. Please refer to the fair mailing for more details.

**Questions** – contact a board member if you have questions or need assistance.

### PNW O-Mok-See

Get ready for some stellar competition at the PNW O-Mok-See on September 24<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>. Postmark your entries by September 3<sup>rd</sup> to avoid a late fee. Come and compete with the best in the west!

## Board Meeting

Board meetings occur on the second Wednesday of each month. The next board meeting will be on September 8, 2010 at 7:00pm at the New Country Grill in Snohomish. All members are welcome to attend.

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Board members - Suzanne Damon, Chad Ruble, Laurie McKittrick, Nathalie Simeon, Gogo Smith, Lynlee Kane, Ashley Palm and Kristin Kelley