



ALRC Newsletter

ALTA LOMA RIDING CLUB

◆
June 2026



HEATHER MCGEE DECAUWER, PRESIDENT

A message from Heather, President of ALRC

We had a great time at the May 2nd poker ride / membership meeting. At the meeting, the following individuals were voted in as the 2026-2028 Board:

- President**
John Recla
- 1st Vice President**
Martha Cowan
- 2nd Vice President**
Kara Haulman-Recla
- Treasurer**
Charlene Ariza
- Secretary**
Lisa Harrington
- Youth Director**
Alana Quinn
- Membership Director**
Heather Decauwer
- Trailer Out Director**
Lori Krasch
- Local Trail Director**
Julie Bradley
- Food Services Director**
Position is open!
- City Liaison**
Joe Cowan
- Newsletter Editor**
Sara Rubio
- Publicity**
Natalie Blecher

As I step away from the role of President, I look back on the last two years with appreciation for my fellow board members. As I step into my new role of Membership Director, I look forward to welcoming new and returning members. Membership forms were mailed out the end of May. You'll be happy to see we have a QR code with the option to renew online.

Heather



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2026-27 ALRC Membership

Now that the bridge to Heritage Park is open the ALRC is planning to hold more events for you and your horse. Renew your annual membership for \$30 per household (July 2026 -June 2027) by June 30th. You will be mailed a membership renewal card in May or you can renew online at altalomaridingclub.org.

What do you get for your membership?

- Monthly newsletter via email
- Local trail and trailer out rides
- Participation in play days, horse shows, parades, clinics, special events & more
- Quarterly membership meetings to keep you informed
- Opportunity to meet other local horse enthusiasts



If you know of anyone who should be a member of the Alta Loma Riding Club, reach out to any Board member or email us at altalomaridingclub@gmail.com and we'll contact them to sign up.

ALRC Vintage Belt Buckles have arrived!

These gorgeous buckles will be available for purchase while supplies last at the upcoming Equines & Wine event... Be part of history and proudly wear an ALRC buckle



May 2026 Large Animal Emergency Evacuation Training

The ALRC recently hosted a large animal emergency evacuation training exercise, bringing together the Alta Loma Riding Club, Rancho Cucamonga Animal Control, Rancho Cucamonga Equestrian Patrol, Rancho Cucamonga Fire Department, and Rancho Cucamonga Police Department.

The training provided an opportunity for emergency responders and volunteers to practice coordination and rescue procedures that may be needed during a catastrophic wildfire or other emergency requiring the evacuation of horses and other large animals. Through hands-on scenarios and collaborative planning, participants strengthened their preparedness and response capabilities.



A sincere thank you to all the agencies, volunteers, horse owners, and community members who contributed to the success of this important event. Your dedication helps ensure that our equestrian community is better prepared for emergencies.

Upcoming Events



★ **ALRC** ★
CRAFT NIGHT

FRIDAY, JUNE 26
5PM – 9PM

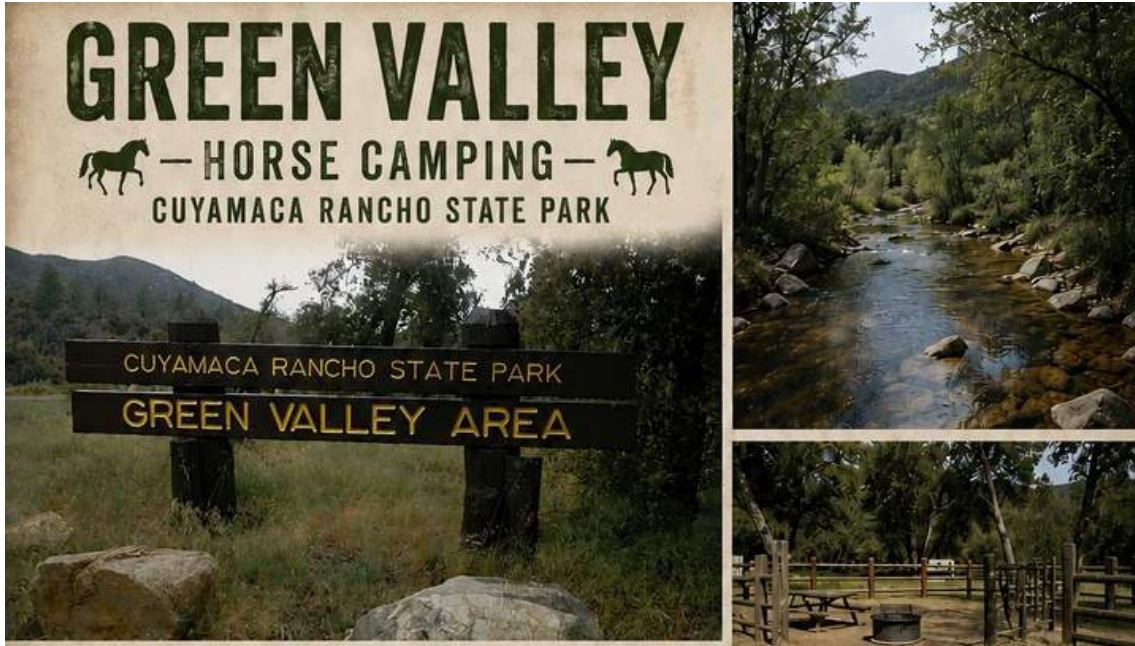
Where?
**THE CLUBHOUSE AT
HERITAGE PARK
EQUESTRIAN CENTER**

**TURN YOUR OLD FEED BAGS
INTO SHOPPING BAGS!**
Recycle your grain, chicken scratch
or other feed bags.

- ★ **BEFORE JUNE 26** – open both ends of your feed bags and wash them inside and out. Cutting the end is fine if pulling the string doesn't work. Bring them to class. Black webbing for handles will be provided.
- ★ **OPTIONAL:** Bring your sewing machine, denim needles, and polyester or heavy-duty thread

★ **WE HAVE EXTRA BAGS AVAILABLE.**
Please contact Julie at
JulieBholic@gmail.com
with questions and to let me know if
you need me to bring you a bag!

Upcoming Events



Ride In. Relax. Reconnect.

Experience the beauty of Cuyamaca Rancho State Park from the saddle. Green Valley Horse Camp offers a peaceful backcountry setting with access to miles of scenic trails, cool streams, and open meadows.



WILDERNESS RIDING
Miles of trails for all skill levels



CREEKS & MEADOWS
Scenic views and natural water sources



EQUESTRIAN CAMP SITES
Corral, hitching rails, fire ring & picnic table



PEACEFUL GETAWAY
Connect with nature and your horse



Green Valley Campground



SITE FEATURES

- Horse corrals & hitching rails
- Picnic table & fire ring
- Nearby Creeks/river
- Pack in / Pack out
- Cell service limited
- Water faucets are located every few campsites.



GOOD TO KNOW

- Reservations recommended
- Check park for fire restrictions
- Leave no trace
- Cell service limited
- Water faucets are located every few campsites.



WANTED **ALTA LOMA RIDING CLUB** **TRAILER OUT CAMPING TRIP!** **6/18-6/22**

ESCAPE. EXPLORE. RIDE. Reserve your site today at www.parks.ca.gov

Upcoming Events

EQUINES AND Wine

A UNIQUE EVENING OF HORSES, OBSTACLES & WINE

DATE: **JULY 10TH**

TIME: **6:30 PM - 9:00 PM**

BRIDGE CROSSING

ROPE GATE

PICK UP OFF BARREL

POLE OBSTACLES

WINE TASTING
ENJOY 4 SELECT WINE TASTINGS

COST:
\$10 FOR OBSTACLES
\$20 FOR WINE TASTING (4 TASTINGS)

JOIN US FOR AN UNFORGETTABLE EVENING OF WESTERN FUN, EQUESTRIAN CHALLENGES AND FINE WINE!

LOCATION: **HERITAGE PARK RANCHO CUCAMONGA**

SPONSORED BY **ALTA LOMA RIDING CLUB**

Upcoming Events

ALERT

CALL TO SERVICE

LARGE ANIMAL EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS TRAINING

TUESDAY, JULY 21
 ★ 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM ★
 HERITAGE PARK EQUESTRIAN CENTER

The Alta Loma Riding Club has been working with local first responders and the City of Rancho Cucamonga to develop emergency evacuation plans for large animals in the event of a wildfire or other disaster.

After months of planning, meetings, and training exercises, **it's time for the community to get involved.**

If you own horses or other large animals, join us for an important emergency preparedness training session.

★ *Light refreshments provided.* ★

TOPICS INCLUDE:

- U Preparing before a disaster strikes
- U Human and animal safety
- U Early evacuation planning
- U Trailering and transportation
- U Evacuation destinations and animal care
- U Emergency resources and contacts
- U What to expect from first responders
- U Planning if you are away from home during an emergency

★ ABOUT ALERT ★

The Alta Loma Emergency Response Team (ALERT) is a volunteer program administered by ALRC that assists with large animal evacuations during emergencies.

ALERT members will be available to answer questions.

BE PREPARED.
 BE INFORMED.
 BE READY.
 TOGETHER.
 WE PROTECT OUR ANIMALS.

★ **RSVP to** ★
JOE COWAN
 (909) 238-8803
 (TEXT PREFERRED)

Upcoming Events

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

HOT AUGUST NIGHTS

AUGUST 15TH
AT 5 PM
LOCATION:
HERITAGE PARK
RANCHO CUCAMONGA

\$4.99
★ A CLASS ★
OFFICE FEE
\$5.00
★ GROUNDS FEE ★
\$9.00

RIBBONS
1ST-5TH

★ BARRELS ★ POLES ★ FUN ★ PRIZES ★ AND MORE! ★

★ COME RIDE, COMPETE & HAVE A GREAT TIME! ★

Upcoming Events

★ 2ND ANNUAL ★

BOOTS & BREWS

SPONSORED BY
ALTA LOMA RIDING CLUB

MUSIC BY
MLC BAND

★ **SATURDAY** ★
SEPTEMBER 19TH

5:30PM TO 9PM
\$25 COVER

FOOD BY
Eat Another
SMASH BURGER

AT
THE CHAFFEY GARCIA HOUSE
7150 ETIWANDA AVE
RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91739

Club Calendar

June - Memberships due

June 18th to 22nd - ALRC Camping Trip at Green Valley Falls Campground in San Diego County

June 26th - ALRC Craft Night with Julie at Heritage Park Equestrian Center

July 10th - ALRC Equines & Wine at Heritage Park Equestrian Center

July 21st - ALERT Call to Service: Large Animal Emergency Preparedness Training at Heritage Park Equestrian Center

August 15th - ALRC Hot August Nights event at Heritage Park Equestrian Center

September 19th - ALRC Boots & Brews Event at the Chaffey-Garcia House

October 17th - Inland Communities Chapter, CA Dressage Society Show, Autumn Leaves at Heritage Park Equestrian Center

October 24th - ALRC Halloween Horse Event... stay tuned for details!

Get Social with us! *Alta Loma Riding Club*



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Alta Loma Riding Club Sponsorship Form

Name/Organization: _____

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Website Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Type of Service: _____

Years in business: _____ Additional Information: _____

Sponsorship/Advertisement Options:

Donation:

\$10 \$25 \$50 \$100 Other: _____

NEWSLETTER: Business Advertisement in ALRC Newsletter:

\$120.00 Yearly(12 issues) \$15.00 each issue(you choose the month(s))

BANNERS: Connect with our Community! Hang Your Banner at ALRC Event(s):

\$175.00 Hang my banner at all ALRC Events! (Jan-Dec) \$35.00 Hang my banner at the next ALRC Event!

Don't have a banner? ALRC will create one!

\$75.00 make my 30" x 60" professional quality banner created by www.indworksDP.com for me to keep!
• send logo in high resolution in png, jpg, or vector eps file(preferred) with any pertinent info to have exhibited to:
publicityofALRC@gmail.com

All application and donations/sponsorship monies must be received prior to show

Two ways to submit your completed ALRC Show Sponsorship Application:

1. Email completed application to: AltaLomaRidingClub@gmail.com and pay via PayPal at <https://www.paypal.com/us/signin> (search PayPal under AltaLomaRidingClub@gmail.com, be sure to include sponsorship description as checked above)
2. Print and mail completed application with check payable to "Alta Loma Riding Club" at: Alta Loma Riding Club
P.O. Box 8116
Alta Loma, CA 91701

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE ALRC HORSE SHOW, YOUR SUPPORT HELPS US GROW OUR EVENTS AND OUTREACH TO THE EQUESTRIAN COMMUNITY! ©

HERITAGE PARK
EQUESTRIAN CENTER

*A general purpose equestrian facility
available for Shows and Clinics!*

AMENITIES:

SHOW OFFICE & CLUBHOUSE	NORTH ARENA 220' x 90' (DRESSAGE)
CONCESSION STAND	PA SYSTEM
RESTROOMS	HITCHING RAILS & WATER TROUGH
ARENA LIGHTING	TRAILER PARKING
2 ROUND PENS & 7 PADDOCKS	TRAIL COURSE & TRAIL ACCESS
SOUTH ARENA 295' x 150'	

CONTACT:
Joe Cowan
 Joeofire@gmail.com

Equestrian Parking Area:

In an effort to ensure safety and appropriate use of Equestrian Center, a lock at the entrance gate has been installed. All ALRC members have been provided the code.

We ask that you lock the gate upon entering and exiting the parking area.

For further questions, please contact

(909) 238-8803 or email altalomaridingclub@gmail.org

Help the Alta Loma Riding Club protect and preserve the rural equestrian community in Rancho Cucamonga. If you see any questionable or potentially dangerous activity occurring in or around Heritage Park Vicinity, please call the Rancho Cucamonga Park Ranger. 1-909-552-1727 or 1-909-552-1678 Email: ParkRanger@CityofRC.us



RC2GO Reporting

Thank you for reading!