President's Report

Well, 2020 is off to a great start. Our committees have been working hard to finalize all of this year's event details and it looks to be another great year for Los Senderos. Please make sure we all get our annual dues and waiver forms sent back in to Scott Vowles and make his job a lot easier. Thank you to all who have done so already.

21 Years And Counting.....

I would like to personally thank and recognize Scott Vowles for his 21 plus years as the Los Senderos Secretary/Treasurer. This is a thankless job and one that Scott handles with the utmost dedication. Let's make his job easier by getting our confirmed attendance and fees for all events turned in to Scott in a timely manner. If ya get a chance, give him your thanks next time you see him.

February Ride Report:

Our first monthly ride of the year is in the books. With the threat of rain looming, we were blessed with the clouds parting and sunshine breaking through, making for a beautiful day in the saddle. The previous evenings rain proved to be a great dust control for the trails. Daley Rancho Jamul again provided its beauty, with seasonable running streams, lush green grass and wonderful mountain views. Even with the threatening weather, we had 22 members and guests mounted and 40 plus at the luncheon. Jim Sheridan again provided a tasty meal that was rinsed down with a great selection of beverages from Adams Wagon. Thanks to Steve Vaughn and his monthly ride chairmen for their attention to detail. Thank you to Rancho Jamul hosts, Scott and Christine Dennison for their hospitality. A great time was had by all.

Injury Report:

February 2020

I am pleased to report that long time member Larry Tatman is at home resting comfortably after a hiccup in the saddle. Larry was actually pre-riding the preride for us, when his horse was spooked. Larry suffered a few broken ribs, some bumps and bruises, but looks forward to joining us on the trail again soon. I would like to thank Larry for his efforts in clearing the trail and we appreciate his dedication to the club.

March Ride:

This month's ride is scheduled for Sunday, March 22, 2020 at the Thing Valley Ranch in Campo. It's been a long time since we visited this ranch. Our ride hosts, Rob and Robbi were kind enough to join us at Rancho Jamul for lunch and are truly excited to have Los Senderos visit their Ranch. It's my understanding that the Ranch is beautiful this time of year. Make sure you follow the travel directions closely, as you will need to if you want to find the ranch entrance. Give yourself plenty of time to navigate the dirt road and be ready to ride at 10:00am.

Ride Directions: (Thing Valley Ranch)

DIRECTIONS –HWY 8 East until you get to the second exit past SUNRISE HWY and exit CAM-ERON STATION / KITCHEN CREEK. At the bottom make a right and a quick left onto OLD HWY 80, go approximately 3 miles till you get to LA POSTA TT and turn left and go under I-8. You are exactly 8 MILES to the ranch gate and it will take approximately 20 MINUTES. JUST FOLLOW IT ALL OF THE WAY UP AND THEN YOU WILL COME DOWN TO OUR GATE.

Note: There is a THING RANCH ten minutes into your drive, THAT IS NOT US!! We are THING VALLEY RANCH up 8 miles. OUR RANCH NUMBER IS 619 378-3016.

Upcoming Events:

The monthly ride for April will be at Corte Madera this year on April 26, 2020. Our ranch hosts, Brett Gilman and Diane Powers have offered to let us stay overnight on Saturday, as in years past. Please let us know in advance if you would like to camp overnight. We are very thankful that we can continue to ride this time honored tradition of Los Senderos being invited out to ride one of the most scenic areas in the county. Let's put it on the calendar as a must.

2020 Board of Directors:

President – John Omahen Vice President – Tom Laff Director – Steve Vaughn Director – Jerry Moss Director – Tuck Arnold Director – Gordon Garewal Treasurer – Scott Vowles

Past President – Don Horn

Annual Ride

Chairman – DK Nasland Co-Chair – Tuck Arnold Raffle Chairman – Larry Wilske

2020 Monthly Ride Calendar

March 22nd • Thing Ranch • Campo April 26th • Corte Madera • Pine Valley May 28th-31st • Members Only Ride • Los Senderos Park June 28th • Kemp Ranch • Laguna July 26th • Rancho Samataguma • Descanso

2020 Roster Books:

Our new 2020 Roster books are here and you should have received one at last month's ride or received one in the mail. Please check the website for updates and sign up for our next event. See ya on the trail!!

Sincerely, John O.

Monthly Ride Committee

Chairman – Steve Vaughn Co-Chairs - Chuck Gallant, Bill Cuddeback, Tim Dirkes, Bob Wining

Membership Committee

Chairman – Don Horn Co-Chairs – Rick White, Bill Cuddeback, Jerry Moss, Tim Dirkes

Members Only Ride

Chairman – Chuck Gallant

Los Senderos Park Chairman

Bill Cuddeback

August 23rd • French Valley • Palomar September 16th-20th • Annual Ride • Los Senderos Park October 25th • Tullock Ranch • Santa Ysabel November 29th • Lions Tigers & Bears • Japatul Valley







