



*Eastern Plains Reining Horse Association  
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***PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE***

*May 2010 has brought much news (along with snow, rain, wind and tornados) – some good & happy while other is sad & serious. Also, there are many opportunities to “rein” in June.*

- *1<sup>st</sup> EPRHA Affiliate qualifying show is in the books. Many EPRHA members competed & enjoyed the hospitality of the LCSHS. June brings the Sagebrush Slide (Pueblo) and the East Slope Slide (Castle Rock). Details at [eprha.org](http://eprha.org)*
- *High school & college graduations abound. My daughter, Tara, is a member of the Class of 2010. Congratulations to all!*
- *Equine rabies is on high alert in Arapahoe, Elbert, Douglas and El Paso counties (vaccinations recommended for the entire state). If your horse has not been vaccinated, talk to your vet – quarantines are possible.*
- *Gary Foreman passed away. On May 18, Terry Wegener eulogized Gary during the Ft. Logan memorial service. Gary was a great horseman and founding member of RMRHA, the Summer Slide*

*and “reining in CO”. Our thoughts & prayers go out to wife, Carol, and daughters, Jessica and Storey.*

- *Terry Wegener is enjoying training and riding “reiners” in Steamboat Springs. He wishes EPRHA members well in 2010.*
- *RMRHA Rookie Day at Shane Brown’s facility was a success. Will Sivertson reports a “great day” with 6 trainers. The new feature in the afternoon was a “team competition” with lots of prizes. Many teams were still talking about it at the LCSHS and “cheering” on their new friends.*
- *July 10 is the 2<sup>nd</sup> EPRHA jackpot show. As a warm-up for the Summer Slide, this show should meet or exceed last year. Watch eprha.org for any possible time change (may start at 8 am). Volunteers are needed for all areas (gate, office, scribes, clean-up, grounds, etc.). At least 1 recorded volunteer hour is required to qualify for EPRHA year-end awards. Check in with Rocky.*

*Also at the July 10 show, the EPRHA Youth will be holding a “silent auction” fundraiser. Donations are encouraged and make sure to bring some extra “dough” to purchase and support our youth. Contact Nicole, Cody or Rocky if you would like to donate an item – how about some lessons from our trainer members? Our youth kids are growing and I am sure that parents would appreciate the*

*opportunity to purchase “gently used” show clothes and equipment. Spring house & barn cleaning opportunity!*

*Plan to attend the balance of the EPHRA 2010 Jackpot show schedule:*

*Summer Sun – July 10*

*Fun In the Sun – August 21*

*Autumn Rein – October 9*

*Plan to attend Affiliate qualifying shows:*

*Sagebrush Slide – June 2-6*

*East Slope Slide – June 18-20 – Paid warm ups from 4 to 6 pm on June 17.*

*Summer Slide – July 27/August 1*

*\*Remember to Declare to NRHA by August 1 that you are riding for EPRHA! See Bev for details.*

*Check [eprha.org](http://eprha.org) for the latest news and information. See you in the make-up pen!*

*Scott Guynn  
President EPRHA*