



# Northern Minnesota Draft Horse Assn. Inc.

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FALL 2019 NEWSLETTER

## 2019 Fall Field Day LeRoy And Eileen Ritter Avon, MN

The NMDHA would like to say Thank You to our hosts LeRoy & Eileen Ritter, the club members who helped in preparing for the field day and to all who helped put the field day on, the teamsters, gate workers, and other activities.

Words can never describe how blessed we were on the NMDHA field day, as there was rain the day before and the day after the field day. We could not have asked for a better day for a field day, it was a cool day with a slight wind and some sun.

We were blessed with many spectators, the Farming Lions with their wonderful food, many vendors and all the field activities. All the events that were planned went well. The horse merry go round, the train ride for kids, campfire cooking demo, log demo, and the harness demonstration were fabulous. We received wonderful comments from the spectators.

<b>Attendance</b> 805 <b>Children under</b> 12 free	<b>Potatoes sold</b> \$130	<b>Animals</b> Draft horses and mini's -76 Donkeys-2 Mules-2 Oxen-2 Riding Horses-3	<b>Raffle tickets sold</b> 2726	<b>Donations to</b> NMDHA Farming Lions \$250.00 Dave Shipper \$10.00
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### High Ticket Sellers

Stearns County Fair Club Member Workers-\$502  
Justin & Jaci Schlosser Family-\$240  
Vi & Bill Pramann-\$230

<b>Vendors</b> 8	<b>New Members</b> 16 New Members 15 Renewals	<b>Pick Your Number Horse</b> Game 64
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## **Prize Winners**

Greg Sobkowak - Cokato, MN - Foal  
Lloyd Salzl - Albany, MN - \$100.00  
Ananias Swartzentruber - Long Prairie, MN - \$50.00  
Tom Dorf - Two Harbors, MN - \$25.00  
Rhea Hotzler - Ogilvie, MN - \$25.00  
Paul Olson - Ogilvie, MN - \$25.00  
Pick Your Number Horse Game - Kevin Doyle - \$15.00

**No teamster payments will be paid out at this time, an explanation will be given at the Annual meeting.**

**Raffle Tickets-**If you still have any tickets for the draft horse raffle that you have not returned, sold or unsold, please return them to JoAnn Holthaus, PO Box 232, Richmond, MN 56368. These tickets need to be accounted for due to a state law.

## **Upcoming club events:**

**Annual Meeting and Dinner:** Feb.23, 2020 We will be electing 4 board members. If you are interested please have someone nominate you. We will also need a NMDHA Queen for 2020-2021.

**Spring Plow Day:** April 25, 2020 or a date to be announced. **A site is needed.**

**Summer Picnic:** June 28, 2020 **A site is needed.**

**Fall Field Day:** Sept. 26, 2020 **A foal and site is needed**

**\$500 Scholarship-**The NMDHA club will be giving a \$500 scholarship to club member who is furthering their education. Further details will be announced.

## **Advertisements:**

**Draft Horse Equipment for sale-**Call Bill at 320-236-7632, leave a message if no answer.

**2019 Fall Field Day DVD's-**If you are interested in a DVD please contact Adeline for further info.  
320-250-6685