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# The Canadian Registry of the Tennessee Walking Horse

will hold its

## **2019 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

on May 25 from 5 to 6 pm

at **Klondike Victory Farm** west of Red Deer, Alberta.

THE CANADIAN TRIPLE CHALLENGE AWARDS for 2018

will be presented following the business meeting.

The traditional AGM supper will be a little different this year – no charge, but a main dish will **not** be provided. So main dishes are welcome as well as desserts and salads. Stay to enjoy the meal with other Walker owners and breeders.

You are also invited to stop in earlier in the afternoon to view the clinic.

If you will be attending please call Leslie 403-931-2105 / email secretary@crtwh.ca or Marjorie at 780-723-2547



This year's clinic will be held

May 25-26, 2019

### **UNDERSTANDING**

AND

#### ENHANCING GAIT

with Clinicians
Fran Kerik and Windi Scott
of Alberta.

For more information see the following pages

or

call or text

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#### MANE EVENT

April 26, 27, 28

CRTWH will again be partnering with the Alberta Walking Horse Association to sponsor the Tennessee Walker booth at this Red Deer venue in April.

The booth will be in a new location this year. It is # 902, directly inside the main entrance. You are all invited to stop by and see our exciting new look.

Come and visit, view the displays, and have your questions about TWH answered. Don't forget to sign the guest book and put your name in for the gift draw. See you there!



## Annual CRTWH Walking Horse Clinic



#### UNDERSTANDING AND ENHANCING GAIT



## Klondike Victory Farms May 25 & 26, 2019

Here's your chance to start out the spring riding season on the right foot. It promises to be a fun, enlightening weekend.

We have two clinicians lined up for this weekend; Windi Scott and Fran Kerik. These seasoned gaited horse owners/trainers will be coaching you and your horse through a variety of techniques you can use to understand your horse's gait, identify elements that are hindering your horses' gait,

and giving suggestions on how to bring out the best movement in your horse.

#### SPECIFICS:

Riding groups will be small with focused individual attention.

A wealth of knowledge through video is available for viewing when you are not riding or observing. Videos will cover topics applicable to achieving better gait including gait description, saddle fit, bitting and much more.

Videotaping while riding is available so footage can be reviewed with a clinician. Please bring a recording device if you would like to do this.

The clinic is combined with the CRTWH Annual General Meeting, Awards Ceremony and potluck supper on Saturday evening. Please bring a favorite dish and stay to enjoy the meal while getting to know other Walker owners during this meeting.

Hotel accommodation is located nearby in either Sylvan Lake or Red Deer. Parking of trailers is available behind the arena and camping in trailers for the weekend is allowed. Request the site layout sheet for further information and directions.

For more information call or text Brenda Woodall at 403-771-8247 or email thewoodalls3@gmail.com. Space is limited so register early.

Friday 6:00-9:00 p.m - Meet and Greet come and go

Saturday 8:00-4:30 - Clinic sessions

Saturday 5:00 CRTWH AGM meeting and supper

Sunday 8:00-4:30 Clinic sessions

FEES: CRTWH Members \$120 for horse and rider. Non-Members \$150

AUDITING: You are welcome to come and audit the clinic. Fees have been waived. We encourage you to register as an auditor ahead of time in order to receive the emailed teaching material. A special door prize will be won by one of our pre-registered auditors!

Stabling \$80 for weekend (<u>Stabling is limited</u> so book your spot right away!)

LOCATION: Klondike Victory Farms (west of Red Deer, Alberta)

DATE: May 25 and 26, 2019

## ABOUT THE CLINICIANS

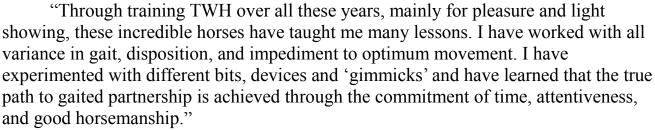
## **Windi Scott**

Owner/Trainer Sawhorse Ranch, Mayerthorpe Alberta

"I feel that skill as an Owner/Trainer of Tennessee Walking Horses is achieved on an upward continuum, and that I am firmly placed on that spectrum."

"I bought my first TWH in 1983 and have been riding and working with them ever since. Over 35 years! I have been involved in every aspect of the breed with the exception of the cruel practices associated

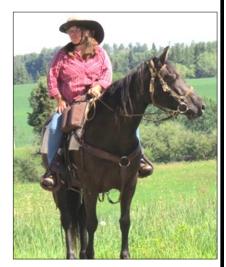
with the so-called 'enhancement' of gait with chains, pads and heavy shoes."



### Fran Kerik

Owner/Trainer Chrystal Star Ranch, Two Hills Alberta www.csrwalkers.com

"I was first introduced to Tennessee Walking horses in 1995, and brought my first mare home a year later. Since then I have bred, raised and trained many TWH's. Over the years I've taken numerous training courses, some on general training, and some specifically geared toward Walking Horses, educating myself on gaiting. I now train all our horses using a combination of natural horsemanship styles that suit each horse's specific



needs. We've used our horses for a variety of purposes, mostly to move cattle and trail riding and as time permits, showing."

"I have served on the Board of the Canadian Registry of the Tennessee Walking Horse for 10 years, including a term as President. I have embraced the CRTWH motto of Encourage, Educate and Evaluate."

"I really enjoy helping owners and riders learn about their horse and love to bring the best out of both."