

Lower Klamath Wildlife Refuge Drive
June 9, 2012

We had two turnouts at the drive plus one member who came horseless and rode with Kathy Graves, plus our wonderful club photographer, Gine Janelli. Doug and Debbie Atkins brought one of their Clydesdale horses and a carriage, plus two guests with them, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Cole (he is the refuge manager!).

Kathy did her presentation on the history of the presence of horses and then donated the visuals to the refuge manager who talked of maybe displaying it at the Tulelake Fair.

The day's weather couldn't have been better, with sun, beautiful clouds scattered throughout the sky and a nice breeze to keep the midges out of our faces. (and the horses' faces).

Below are some photos Kerry Davis took with Kathy's camera. Gina's photos include the visuals for the presentation, so watch for an email from her letting us know they are posted on her website.



Chief, the Clydesdale and Bieka, the Haflinger





The refuge manager let us know that the club can do this again since our special use permit is now on file. We just have to let them know when the club would like to have another drive. The warmer it gets the more bugs, so we might think about this for next year around this time or maybe late May (although I did drive through some snow flurries a bit west of Grass Lake when I drove over to the refuge, so maybe early June is a better time).