



# Squaw Butte Back Country Horsemen

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## PRESIDENT'S CORNER March 2015

What happened?

I was out playing with, and irritating, my mule along the Snake River. Enjoying the day with friends in the light of the sun. The next day Chris even got on Joe to get her saddle ready for her short legs. Hopefully a good sign of things to come. We were all ready.

Today when I woke I was greatly thankful that my house has indoor plumbing. My own fault though. It's only February. Seems as the weather has a tendency to lift you up then drops you back down. As cold as February can be, I believe that March can be worse.

Not to despair, there are lots to do until the weather stays pleasant. I like to check my tack to make sure I'll be ready for the good weather. This way I don't waste time when the sun comes back. There's a lot to see and do even in the gloom of the lingering winter.

Like the Sportsman Show. Some see it as a burden on their time. I see it as an opportunity, a time to meet, visit, and get advice from those who share the same interests as ours. Yes very few are into horses.

Our common bond is a love for the outdoors, our greatest passion is to be there and enjoy what is here for us, from the high mountains to the desert we have a great array of life here in Idaho, myself I truly love being here.

If you find yourself at the Sportsman Show, or in a venue you feel we don't fit, find the common goal. We all share it.

We are all stewards of this big bubble we call home. It is up to all of us to take care of it to enjoy, to share with the future. After all we are volunteers. We are Backcountry Horsemen. We are proud of it.

Be safe and have fun.  
Bill Holt- President-SBBCH