

# THE 9 LINES

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Cloud 9 Ranch Club, Inc.

October 07, 2021

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**RANCH RIDERS  
MARBLE RUN**

**OCTOBER 9TH  
T-TOP  
NOON START**

**See you there!**



RANCH RIDERS CLUB  
CLOUD 9 Ranch  
WWW.CLOUD9RANCH.COM  
RIDE WITH PRIDE

The poster features a central illustration of a dune buggy with 'C9R' on the front, driving on a large, colorful marble. The background is a vibrant, abstract scene with glowing light trails and a silhouette of another dune buggy. The text is bold and colorful, with 'RANCH RIDERS MARBLE RUN' in yellow and blue, and 'OCTOBER 9TH T-TOP NOON START' in green. The phrase 'See you there!' is written in a pink cursive font at the bottom right. A circular logo for the Ranch Riders Club is in the bottom left corner, containing a dune buggy icon and the text 'RANCH RIDERS CLUB', 'CLOUD 9 Ranch', 'WWW.CLOUD9RANCH.COM', and 'RIDE WITH PRIDE'.

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Email Lists Sign-up Links

The 9 Lines  
BOD & Financials  
<http://cloud9ranch.com>

Instagram  
@6358acresoffun



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Hello,

Welcome Fall! I believe it might actually be here! Temps in the 70's and a little rain lately have made for some excellent days here on the Ranch.

The Resource Department has been busy cutting and clearing the dead or dying trees we cut down earlier. Our firewood stock pile continues to grow! The grass seed has started to sprout in the new campground and is looking good. Several more campers have been moved into the Compound 7, freeing up more space in Compounds 2 & 3. We will begin filling the middle area of Compound 7 with more gravel and adding an additional fence row to hang location plates as soon as the weather dries out a bit. If you still haven't been added to the compound list, contact Michaela in the Accounting Office. Her extension is 1005. We still have Conex spots available. If you would like to rent a location to place your Conex, contact Kasi in the Deeds Office at 1003.

A big thank you to Chuck Russell, Conservation Chairman, for his work the last few weekends adding tin to the Conservation Building at Wilder! It looks like he has most of the front completed and almost all the roof! Wow! What a difference this is making! If anyone would like to give Chuck a hand, he can be reached at 417-257-4276. I'm sure he would appreciate the help.



**New Tin on Conservation Building!**

**Grass Sprouting in New Campground!**

**Campers in Compound 7!**

The deadline is quickly approaching for ballots to be received! They must reach the Caulfield post office no later than October 15th.

We are looking forward to a great Columbus Day Weekend! The Ranch Riders will host their last Marble Run of the year on Saturday. Be sure to show up and support this great group of folks that do such a fantastic job on our trail system!

Happy Camping!

Mike Edmonds

Ranch Manager, Cloud 9 Ranch, Inc.

## A Word from the Ranger Station

The recreational facilities and campground amenities here at Cloud 9 Ranch are designed for the enjoyment, convenience, and entertainment of ranch owners and their guests alike. As with any social organization, rules are necessary and designed to safeguard the individual rights of each owner. With this being said, the Ranger Department would like to be transparent in the idea that citations can and will be written for rule violations.

**\*Tickets are not posted until they are finalized by management\***

**October 5, 2021**

**Member #2974, Jason and Audrey Henley,  
Improper check-out, fine \$50.00**

If you have any questions in regards to rules, feel free to contact a ranger or grab a copy of the 2021 rulebook at the Gatehouse.

As always, it is the Ranger Station's proud privilege to serve C9R's owners and guests.

**Joey Hedrick  
Head of Ranger Department  
Cloud 9 Ranch Club, Inc**



## Cloud 9 Ranch 2021 Events Schedule

10/9/2021	Ranch Riders	Marble Run	T-Top	Noon Start
10/16/2021	C9R	Annual Membership Meeting & Dinner	T-Top	10am
10/23/2021	Conservation	Annual Squirrel Hunt	Wilder Building	630am start
10/23/2021	Activities	Fall Festival & Vendor Fair	C9R	All Day
10/23/2021	Activities	"Glowcert"- Night Trail Ride & Concert	Vendor Row	Dark
10/30/2021	C9R	C9R Equipment & Trailer Auction	Maint. Building	10am
10/30/2021	Conservation	Halloween Scavenger Hunt	T-Top	Noon Start
10/30/2021	Craft House	"Annual Bag Sale"	Craft House	12pm-3pm
10/30/2021	Activities	Kid's Halloween Bash-Hay Ride-Costume Contest	Big Top	TBD
10/30/2021	VFD	Annual Witch Hunt	T-Top	7pm
11/6/2021	C9R	C9R Board of Directors Meeting	Pavilion	9am
11/6/2021	Activities	"Honor Our Veterans"- Bingo Night	Pavilion	TBD
11/12/2021	Conservation	Big Buck/Big Doe Contest Begins	C9R	September 15th Start
11/12/2021	Conservation	"Chili Cook-Off"	Pavilion	TBD
11/27/2021	Conservation	"Where's Waldo"- Freezing Fun Run- Trail Hunt	Pavilion	Noon Start
12/11/2021	Activities	C9R Christmas Parade	TBD	TBD
12/31/2021	C9R	New Years Potluck & Dance	Pavilion	TBD
	**NOTE	Open Saturday Nights- DJ Dance at T-Top-8pm		

*Thank you ...*

**We Appreciate You !!!**

**IT'S A THANK  
YOU BBQ!  
MEMBER  
APPRECIATION  
SUPPER!**

**BBQ**

When: October 16th, 4pm

Where: Cloud 9 Ranch Big Top

Menu: Pulled Pork, Smoked Sausage,  
Brisket, Baked Beans, Potato Salad,  
Coleslaw, Buns, Assorted Desserts,  
Tea & Lemonade!



The best part of life  
is when your

**FAMILY**

becomes your

*friends*

and your friends  
become your family.



Cloud 9 Ranch Members now have the opportunity to advertise their businesses or services in the weekly 9 Lines Newsletter with over 3,200 distribution every Thursday! Ads will also be included in the 9 Lines posted on both official Ranch Facebook Pages with a total audience of over 22,000!

**Cost: Monthly**  
1/8 page \$25.00  
1/4 page \$50.00  
1/2 page \$100.00  
Full page \$200.00

Email Laura at [sales@cloud9ranch.com](mailto:sales@cloud9ranch.com)  
for more information.

September 18 minutes  
CLOUD 9 RANCH CLUB, INC.  
Board Meeting Minutes  
Saturday September 18, 2021

All Directors present.

Mike Edmonds

Mary Dickey

Laura Sandage

15+ members

Call to Order by Bruce Bowers at 9:02am

Pledge of Allegiance by all

Invocation by Harry Tyler

Motion to approve Aug 14 minutes by Kenny Helms.

2nd by Richard Sales

All - YES

Motion to approve Sept 18 agenda by Kenny Helms.

2nd by Mel Hollandsworth

All - YES

Management Reports:

Ranch Report – Mike Edmonds

Good morning!

Here we are again folks! Just a month since our last meeting, but what a month we've had! Labor Day was one of the best holiday weekends I've experienced in a while here on the ranch. We had cooler temperatures and a brief rain Saturday night, just enough to settle the dust. The events were fantastic with a great turnout and everyone I visited had a smile on their face enjoying a laid back, relaxing holiday with several pads

still available throughout the ranch!

Now that the temps have lowered a bit and the rain is less frequent, the mowing has slowed enough for us to work on other projects. The Maintenance Department has begun cutting down dying or dead trees in several locations. Some of these areas include the front-drive,

Hill Country and Powder Mill Campgrounds, and the road in between them. Good News folks, plenty of firewood for the Fall and Winter Seasons! We have also installed new LED lighting on the Tennis Court. The lighting in the wash bay area has also been repaired and repositioned. Since our last meeting, we have completed the gate, numbered the locations, and graveled the perimeter of Compound 7. We are currently renting out these spots.

Moving forward, we will gravel the center portion of the compound and lay out those locations as well. Speaking of compounds, the resource crew has been working hard on the compounds. They have been weed eating and spraying the last two weeks. All the compounds are looking much better. The new website is nearing completion.

Laura has more on that in her report this morning. I'm sure everyone is excited to see our new updated site!

I know I am as it will serve as an information center for all members. The new site will allow us more options and have many more capabilities than our current one. The schoolhouse repair project is getting closer. The guttering is finally in and should be completed surely. Trail Construction is scheduled to be here next week to install the new gutters and give us a bid on replacing the rotten siding and wall studs. Keeley construction is also scheduled to be herthe first week of October to repair two spots on the entryway portion of the front drive that have settled. Magness Oil was in last week working on the Premium Fuel Upgrade Project. They are scheduled to return on Monday to remove the old pump, run new communication wiring, and set the new fuel dispenser. Tuesday, Magnus and American Petroleum will be programming the dispenser and point-of-sale equipment. Testing will then begin. We will begin seeding and laying straw in the Powder Mill expansion when the Fall rains start. In addition to that we will also be adding more gravel to the roads in the areas that have settled. It has been an outstanding summer at the Ranch and I look forward to another wonderful Fall and Winter Season! October and November are my favorite months here at Cloud 9, leaves falling, cool trail riding, and great nights around the campfire! If you've never visited the Ranch during the Fall Season, you are really missing out! Keep Smiling and Happy Camping,

Mike Edmonds  
Ranch Manager  
Cloud 9 Ranch, Inc.

Financial Report – Mary Dickey  
Contact Mary to receive a full report.

Marketing Report – Laura Sandage  
Contact Laura to receive a full report.

Open Mic (3 minute limit)

\*new member. Only concern so far is trash. Members,  
please pick up after yourselves.

Committee Reports:

\*Activities

Next events:

- trash-2-treasure hunt
- pumpkin hunt
- fall festival - Oct 23
- Halloween activities - Oct 30

\*Gun Range

Looking for a trailer and skeet thrower for member use.



**\*Conservation**

**BRUISER IS STILL AT LARGE!!**

Bounty has been raised to \$200

Upcoming events:

- Squirrel hunt - Oct 23
- Halloween Scavenger Hunt and a witch stop - Oct 30
- chili cook off
- Where's Waldo
- big buck and bug doe contest
- crossbow raffle - drawing 11-27

**\*RRC**

Next event is the Columbus Day marble run on Oct 9.

**\*craft house**

Lots of new merchandise

Open Saturdays 11-2 through Oct.

**\*Fire Dept**

Next event is the Witch Hunt Oct 30

**\*Planning**

Pool upgrades

**\*Chapel**

Services Sunday at 10:00am

**\*School House**

Contractor scheduled to come inspect

**\*Ballot**

3354 eligible ballots

Cost: \$7208.59

**\*Membership**

Jenny Storey is the new chairman

Old Business: - Kenny

**\* projects update**

- website

See managers report

- schoolhouse

See managers report

- fuel upgrade

See managers report

- compound 7

See managers report

- powder mill expansion

See managers report

- front drive

See managers report

- gatehouse  
( appearance, policies, procedures)

See managers report

- ADA Committee - Harry

Committee approved

**New Business:**

\* management evaluation forms - Bruce will create new forms .

\* deadlines for rule change submissions - **ALL CHANGES** whether member submitted or committee

submitted must follow C9R rules and bylaws covering deadlines.

\* director campaign policy -

See C9R rules and bylaws

\* approval of 2022 budget -

Mel Hollandsworth motioned to approve the 2022 budget as written with updates.

Brad Clement 2nd.

ALL vote YES

\* compounds -

Cleaning and clearing continue

\* other new business:

- Mel Hollandsworth motioned to allocate 25% of new membership sale to the Capital Improvements Fund.

Effective Jan 1.

2nd by Harry Tyler

All vote YES.

- Mel Hollandsworth motioned to approve all expenses of powder mill expansion to be paid from General

Checking account.

2nd by Harry Tyler

All vote YES.

- project bidding -

Kenny states that in the past year he spoke with 3 asphalt contractors. Only 1 showed up to measure and ZERO actually submitted an estimate. Also spoke with 4 or 5

construction contractors about

projects and ZERO submitted estimates. We do try to get multiple bids.

Richard Sales motioned to adjourn

2nd by Brad Clement

All vote YES.

Adjourn 11:34

Next meeting is the Annual Membership Meeting on

October 16th.

# C9R CONSERVATION COMMITTEE SQUIRREL HUNT! OCTOBER 23RD



**Registration: 6:30-8am-C9R Conservation Building-Wilder**

**Team: Two or Three Persons/ \$20.00**

**Big Squirrel—\$5.00 per entry**

**Qualifiers: 6 Red, 6 Grey**

**No Dogs Allowed**

**Weigh In: 3:00pm, Conservation Building**

**Missouri License and Ranch Permit Required to Enter.**

**All Missouri Hunting Regulations Apply.**

**Pay Out for Winners from Registration Fees:**

**70% 1st place**

**20% 2nd place**

**10% 3rd place**



**#huntcloud9**





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CRAFT HOUSE

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# Conservation Committee 2021 Crossbow Raffle!



## WHITETAIL™ HUNTER STR



**Tickets- \$5 each or 5 for \$20**  
**Sales Begin 9/10 at the Trading Post**  
**Drawing 11/27 after Waldo Hunt**  
**\*Do NOT have to be present to win\***

# ATTENTION HUNTERS!

## Pots are UP to \$450.00 each!

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## SUNRISE- SEPTEMBER 15TH- SUNSET- NOVEMBER 23RD

Open to C9R Members & Their Guests

Both Pots Start at \$300!  
 PLUS All entry Cash!

Adult- \$25 Youth - \$10

Pre-Registration Contacts:  
 Mike Melton- 870-656-9433  
 Chris Reed- 870-656-1634

Big Buck Winner Receives 100% of Pot  
 Big Doe Winner Receives 100% of Pot  
 Boone & Crockett Scoring System will be used  
 Winner Announced Nov. 23RD, at SUNSET

Both Pots Start at \$300!  
 PLUS All entry Cash!

Register at the Sales Office

TWO  
POTS!  
BIG DOE  
BIG BUCK



BIG BUCKS  
FOR A BIG DOE  
OR BIG BUCK!

# BIG BUCK- BIG DOE

## COMPETITION INFORMATION



### 2021 Cloud 9 Ranch Big Buck- Big Doe Competition

**Participants:** Members and guests of members

**Date:** September 15<sup>th</sup> at sunrise - November 23<sup>rd</sup> sunset

**Cost:** \$25 dollars per adult/ \$10 dollars per youth 16 and under

**License and Regulations:** Must have in possession MO and C9R hunting license. All MO and C9R hunting rules apply. Any rules being violated may result in disqualification.

**Buck Scoring:** Bucks will be scored using the Boone and Crockett Official Scoring System for North America. All bucks will be scored by a C9R Conservation member. Bucks will need to be brought to the Gatehouse and Antlers must remain on the buck to be scored. Antlers that have been cut off will be disqualified. All scores are final. In the event of a tie, the biggest spread will be declared the winner. All bucks must be killed on the ranch to qualify. **Does:** Does will be scored entirely by total weight.

**Winner:** Winners will be announced at the Pavilion, following sunset, November 23<sup>rd</sup>. There will be an updated board at the Sales Office with the leader's name and score during the week. Big Buck and Big Doe winners will each receive 100% of each division's pot. Each pot will start at \$300.00 (funded by the Conservation Committee), and all entry fees will be added to each pot.

#### Event Sign up Contacts:

Mike Melton 870-656-9433

Laura Sandage 870-321-6430

Chris Reed 870-656-1634

Chuck Russell 417-257-4276





**CLOUD 9 RANCH  
ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE  
FALL FESTIVAL  
OCTOBER 23, 2021**

Contact Nichole Marsh at  
c9racchairman@gmail.com

Facebook Messenger or 417-712-1798

**Craft Vendors \$25    Food Vendors \$100**  
**Craft Vendors being provided Electric \$50**

**All Vendor Fees Apply To This Date Only**

**All vendors will need to supply Business Name, along with Contact Name and Number. Food Vendors will also be required to provide proof of insurance and an up to date health inspection prior to entering C9R and being allowed to participate in the festival.**

*Limited Electric Available*

*Electric will be available to Food Vendors first, in the order they register, then Craft Vendors. Therefore, the first to registe/book a spot, will get electric first. Craft Vendors being provided electric will pay and extra fee but most will need to provide their own quiet generator for electric.*

**C9R is a member owned private park open to non-members/public from 7am to 7pm on this day only.**



# C9R Activities Committee



## INVITES YOU TO ATTEND RAIN OR SHINE



### Fall Festival, Saturday

### October 23, 2021

### 7am to 7pm



Large Selection of Craft Booths

Variety of Food Vendors

Variety of Live Music

Pie Baking Contest

Cornhole Tournament

Log Bed Raffle

Youth Scavenger Hunt



### LOCATION:

Cloud 9 Ranch Club Inc.

2810 Cloud 9 Drive

Caulfield, MO. 65626

Cloud 9 Ranch is a member owned private park that will be open to non-members and the public on October 23, 2021 only from 7am to 7pm for Fall Festival events, listed above, only.

# Cloud 9 Ranch 2810 Cloud 9 Dr Caulfield, Mo. 65626

## Fall Festival

Saturday October 23rd, 2021

7Am to 7pm

## Queen Size Log Bed Raffle

*•Bed donated by Woodworking Vendor Monty Majors of Viola, AR.*

Raffle open to all attendees. .  
Ticket will drawn and winner announced at 4pm.

*Winner  
does not  
have to be  
present  
to win*



*Winner  
will have  
1 week,  
until  
October  
30th, to  
pick up  
bed*

Cloud 9 Ranch Club, Inc. is a member owned private park  
that will be open to non-members and the public for  
**FESTIVAL EVENTS ONLY** from 7am to 7pm.



*C9R Activities Committee*



CHAPEL

Worship Service-Sundays 10AM

TRADING POST x1001

7 Days a Week  
8am-8pm

RESTAURANT x1001

8am- 2pm  
7 Days a Week

RANCH STABLES

Saturday & Sunday Only  
Through Columbus Day  
9:00am & 10:30am

GAS STATION

Credit Card-pay-at-pump 24/7  
Call Gatehouse if you need propane

YOUTH CENTER

Temporarily Closed

ADULT POOL

Closed for the season

FAMILY POOL

Closed for the season



SHOOTING RANGE

Daylight use only

ACCOUNTING OFFICE x1006

Monday-Friday 8am-4pm

DEEDS OFFICE & CONEX x1003

Monday-Friday 8am-4pm

PAY COMPOUNDS OFFICE x1005

Monday-Friday 8am-4pm

TOUR OFFICE x1000

BIG TOP SNACK SHACK

Friday & Saturday Only  
2pm- 9pm

VALLEY STAR SCHOOL HOUSE

Temporarily closed for repairs

CRAFT HOUSE

Saturdays Only thru 10/23  
11am- 2pm

**Gatehouse**

**24/7 365**

**Call 417-284-7321**

**x1015 OR x1016**

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88° 64°

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78° 61°

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80° 65°

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81° 62°

# Emergency? Call 417-284-7321

## Need Fire Department or First Responders?

In any injury/emergency situation, please call the Gatehouse Staff immediately at **(417) 284-7321**. Please Don't Call 911

Please do not interfere with or hinder our Fire Department or First Responders at the incident scene. Substantial fines may be issued or physical removal from the area for non-compliance or interference with emergency personnel in the performance of their duties.

### Siren Warning Signals

**Series of Short Blasts** means that a severe thunderstorm is in the area & campers are alerted to take shelter. **Continuous Signal** means there is a tornado warnings for the area and campers are alerted to take shelter.

### Storm Shelter Locations

**Pet friendly shelter** is available in the Youth Center, which is located below the Trading Post around the back. Chapel basement is available for shelter during extreme weather conditions. Entrance is located on the Spring Hill side of the Chapel.

### Emergency Lights & Sirens

No **flashing Red** or **Blue** lights and/or any type of **sirens** are allowed on any ATV/UTV or vehicle at Cloud 9 Ranch except as authorized for emergency personnel by the Fire Department or Security. Violations will result in a \$100.00 fine and/or removal from the Ranch property.

## NOTICE

The legal drinking age in the State of Missouri is 21. It is against state law to consume, purchase, or possess alcohol if you are younger than 21. **No illegal activity of any kind is allowed.**



## Reminder!

For Everyone's Safety

Please

Stop @ the Gatehouse Entrance EVERY TIME

And

OBEY POSTED SPEED LIMITS

