



## **Introducing Board Director Dianna Scott**

Becoming an owner at R-ranch in the Sequoias ten years ago, has been one of the best decisions of my life. I have been a Director on the R-Ranch Board of Directors since March of 2021. Before becoming a board member, I ran for the board two previous times. The election before last, I lost to Daymon Quills by five votes.

Volunteering as the RV Chairperson for the RV Committee is one of my greatest accomplishments as an owner volunteer. I worked closely with committee members Aimee Luter and Jody Doane in the RV Committee. We have been extremely successful in removal of abandoned trailers, working to bring new owners to the RV Campground, rehabbing sites for owners, cleaning up debris, identifying working/non-working sites and referring that information to maintenance for mapping and work orders.

Last summer I had the privilege of working closely with Hilary Wood in marketing and promotion of the Ranch to perspective owners. I designed the advertisements for the road signs and the banner coming into the Ranch. Last summer I spent my summer giving tours, emailing as well as making phone calls to prospective owners. Between Hilary and myself we sold a total of sixty-five shares bringing in much need revenue of \$104,000.00 to the association.

I have been an elementary educator of twenty-seven years. I currently hold a Clear Multi-Subject Teaching Credential for the State of California. I am currently completing my Masters Degree in Curriculum and Instruction with the emphasis on Administration. I have taught several grades ranging from Kindergarten through Junior High as well as Special Education (Mild Moderate). I have also been a lead teacher, mentor, and an induction instructor for new teachers.

For several years, I was the President of the California Teachers Union at my school district. I held the responsibility of wage and benefit negotiations, grievances, along with long term goals for the school and the union.

For twelve years I was co-owner of a stallion station with seven “standing stallions” in Bakersfield, Ca. Myself and my partner provided breeding, boarding, transportation for both mares and stallions to their facility as well as other locations for breeding and fertility purposes. We also provided pedigree queries, DNA gathering for (registration purposes), mare care, foaling, and rehabbing of horses at the facility. Due to my history in the horse industry, I currently work with stable foreman Steve Meyers in the care, maintenance, and recommendations for the horses at the ranch.

My husband Jim and I reside in Bakersfield Ca. My husband and I currently own two horses; Belle (Western Blue Belle)\*APHA and Chula (Val’s Golden Girl)\*AQHA. We also have four rescue dogs; Puppy, Molly, Button, and Coco.