

RIDES OF MARCH

MARCH 17, 2012

COME OUT AND ENJOY THIS BEAUTIFUL LOCATION!

WE HAVE BEEN GIVEN A SPECIAL PERMIT FROM BLM TO USE THIS AREA. DURING THIS TIME OF YEAR THE ENTIRE AREA IS CLOSED TO ALL MOTOR VEHICLES. WE HAVE BEEN GIVEN AN EXCEPTION TO ALLOW FOR ACCESS TO THE CAMP AREA. IN CASE YOU MISSED THE BEST PART...THERE ARE NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES ALLOWED IN THE AREA OF THE RIDE! THAT MEANS NO MOTORCYCLES OR QUADS BUZZING AROUND. IT ALSO MEANS A LOT MORE WORK FOR US. WE WILL BE MARKING TRAIL STRICTLY ON FOOT AND HORSEBACK AND ALL WATER WILL BE IN NATURAL LOCATIONS. BELIEVE IT OR NOT, THROUGH THE GENEROSITY OF SEVERAL LOCAL RANCHERS, WE WILL HAVE LOTS OF WATER AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT THE RIDE. IT IS THE CONSIDERATION OF ANOTHER LOCAL LAND OWNER THAT WE WERE ABLE TO GET YOU IN TO SOME REALLY GREAT AREAS. THIS IS A GREAT TIME OF YEAR TO SEE THE DEER, ANTELOPE AND WILD HORSE HERDS. DEPENDING ON HOW THE WINTER GOES THERE CAN BE LOTS OF GRASS COMING IN AS WELL.

CAMP: THE CAMP IS BARE BONES. THERE IS HORSE WATER AVAILABLE, BUT FOR THE MOST PART YOU NEED TO PLAN ON BRINGING WHAT YOU NEED. THERE WILL BE NO CAMP FIRES ALLOWED. PARKING IS VERY LIMITED SO IF YOU CAN TRAILER-POOL THEN PLEASE DO SO AND PLAN ON PARKING CONSERVATIVELY. AS ALWAYS WE WILL PROVIDE THE SAME WONDERFUL LUNCH TO ALL RIDERS AND VOLUNTEERS.

DIRECTIONS: RIDE CAMP IS LOCATED OFF RED ROCK ROAD, JUST A LITTLE NORTH OF RENO. TAKE THE RED ROCK EXIT OFF US HWY 395 AND HEAD EAST 15 MILES. THERE WILL BE RIBBONS AND SIGNS TELLING YOU WHERE TO TURN RIGHT ONTO A DIRT ROAD. FOLLOW THE DIRT ROAD ABOUT A MILE TO CAMP. THIS IS A SINGLE LANE ROAD AND WILL BE ENTRANCE ONLY ON FRIDAY/SATURDAY AM AND EXIT ONLY ON SATURDAY PM/SUNDAY.

THE RIDES: THERE WILL BE A 50 MILE AND 30 MILE RIDE. ALL HOLDS WILL BE IN CAMP SO THERE IS NO NEED FOR A CREW. AS THERE ARE NO VEHICLES ALLOWED IN THE RIDE AREA, CREWS WILL NOT BE ABLE TO MEET RIDERS OUT ON THE TRAIL UNLESS THEY WANT TO WALK. THE 50 MILE RIDE CONSISTS OF A 20 MILE LOOP AND TWO 15 MILE LOOPS. THE 30 MILE RIDE CONSISTS OF TWO 15 MILE LOOPS. THE TRAIL IS ALMOST ENTIRELY SANDY JEEP ROADS AND SANDY SINGLE TRACK, THERE ARE HARDLY ANY ROCKS. YOU WILL PASS THROUGH A MEADOW (OR MAYBE 2) THAT CAN BE WET DEPENDING ON THE WEATHER BUT IS ALSO FULL OF GREAT GRASS – GOOD LUCK PASSING THAT UP!

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COMPLETE ENTRY AND PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED TO HOLD A SPOT

SAVE \$10.00 IF YOU REGISTER BY MARCH 5

RULES: ALL AERC RULES APPLY

SANCTIONING: BOTH RIDES ARE SANCTIONED BY AERC AND AHA

VETS: HEAD VET IS SUSAN MCCARTNEY, DVM

ASSISTED BY ROBERTA WIEDERHOLT, DVM

PRE-VET CHECK WILL BE HELD FRIDAY 4PM-7PM; ALL HORSES MUST BE VETTED AND NUMBERED BEFORE STARTING THE RIDE;

PRE-RIDE MEETING WILL BE FRIDAY AT 7 PM

START TIMES: 0700 FOR THE 50 MILE AND 0800 FOR THE 30 MILE

AWARDS: COMPLETION AWARDS WILL BE GIVEN TO ALL FINISHERS OF BOTH RIDES. FIRST PLACE AND BEST CONDITION, TOP 10 AND FIRST THREE IN EACH WEIGHT DIVISION WILL BE AWARDED FOR THE 50. FIRST TO FINISH AND HORSE OF EXCELLENCE WILL BE AWARDED FOR THE 30 MILE.

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:

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FULL REFUND FOR CANCELLATIONS RECEIVED BY 15 MARCH, AFTER 15 MARCH ALL BUT \$20.00 WILL BE REFUNDED; NO REFUNDS FOR NO SHOWS

ENTER EARLY AND RECEIVE \$10.00 DISCOUNT

LIMITED TO FIRST 75 PAID ENTRIES DUE TO PARKING.

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RIDER:		AGE:	AERC #
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		ST:	ZIP:
PHONE:		E-MAIL:	
DIVISION:	HEAVYWT >211LBS	MIDDLEWT 186-210LBS	
	LIGHTWT 161-185LBS	FEATHERWT <160LBS	
HORSE:			AERC#
SEX:	AGE:	COLOR:	
REGISTRY:		REG #:	
OWNER:			
OWNER ADDRESS:			

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50 MILE RIDE ENTRY SATURDAY \$100.00	
30 MILE RIDE ENTRY SATURDAY \$90.00	
AERC RIDE FEE (NON-MEMBERS ONLY 15.00)	
DISCOUNT (ENTRIES POSTMARKED PRIOR TO 5 MARCH SAVE \$10.00)	
RIDE MANAGER DISCOUNT \$10.00 (MUST HAVE SANCTIONED 2012 RIDE)	
NAME OF RIDE: _____	
JUNIOR RIDER DISCOUNT \$25.00	
TOTAL	

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO TERI FLETCHER

RETURN CHECKS AND ENTRY TO TERI FLETCHER 7225 REMINGTON WAY RENO NV 89506

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AS A PARTICIPANT IN THE RIDES OF MARCH, I AGREE TO ABIDE BY THE RULES OF AERC AND THE AFOREMENTIONED RIDE. I UNDERSTAND THAT ENDURANCE RIDING INVOLVES BEING IN REMOTE AREAS FOR EXTENDED PERIODS OF TIME, FAR FROM COMMUNICATION, TRANSPORTATION, AND MEDICAL FACILITIES; THAT THESE AREAS HAVE MANY NATURAL AND MAN-MADE HAZARD WHICH RIDE MANAGEMENT CANNOT ANTICIPATE, IDENTIFY, MODIFY, OR ELIMINATE; THAT HORSES CAN BE EXCITABLE, DIFFICULT TO CONTROL, AND UNPREDICTABLE; AND THAT ACCIDENTS CAN HAPPEN TO ANYONE AT ANY TIME. I AGREE TO TAKE FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR MYSELF AND THE ANIMAL I AM RIDING. I WILL HOLD AERC, RIDE MANAGEMENT, ALL RIDE PERSONNEL AND ALL PROPERTY OWNERS OVER WHOSE LAND THE RIDE PASSES BLAMELESS FOR ANY ACCIDENT, INJURY OR LOSS THAT MIGHT OCCUR DUE TO MY PARTICIPATION IN THE RIDE AND FREE FROM ALL LIABILITY AND FOR SUCH INJURY OR LOSS.

JUNIOR RIDERS (UNDER 16 YEARS OF AGE AS OF 12-01-11) ENTERED IN THIS RIDE WILL BE ACCEPTED AND ALLOWED TO RIDE ONLY IF ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT RIDER (21 OR OVER). JUNIORS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO START OR CONTINUE ON FROM ANY POINT WITHOUT AN ADULT SPONSOR.

I HAVE READ THE RULES, CONDITIONS AND REGULATIONS OF THIS RIDE AND WILL ABIDE BY THEM. PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE GIVES PERMISSION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR JUNIOR.

RIDERS SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

JUNIOR DATE OF BIRTH: _____ NAME OF SPONSOR: _____