



A letter from the President....

On behalf of the entire UMECRA family I would like to extend our condolences to the family of Wayne Gastfield who passed away recently. Wayne managed the White River Ride and the iconic Shore to Shore Rides for many years. For most of those years he also served on the UMECRA Board of Directors as the Michigan Regional Representative. His contributions to the sport and his personal support of individuals throughout those years will not be forgotten by those who knew him. Overall, we all owe him a debt of gratitude for his positive impact on the sport of distance riding. Ride On Wayne.

Congratulations to Art Priesz, Jr. former UMECRA President and current legal counsel, for his appointment to the USEF’s Endurance Sport Committee. He has been asked to be the Chairman of a committee to work on a complete revision of the USEF’s Endurance Rules.

The Endurance Committees for USET and the USEF have had only three Chairs in the past 35 years – two of those are former UMECRA members- Joe Mattingly and now Art. The USEF Board of Directors is looking to build a strong and comprehensive National program that compliments the history and efforts of AERC and other long-term organizations like UMECRA. The rule revisions will be a critical piece of that program. This is quite an undertaking and will require a lot of work. USEF made an excellent choice in asking Art to lead this group. Good luck Art, UMECRA PROUD!

The UMECRA Membership Directory is about ready to go to the printer and should be available soon. Watch for a notice either through an email or the UMECRA website. Current membership stands at an even 350 members - up 58 from 2020.

Good luck to everyone as we enter the second half of our ride season. We have surpassed 1060 entries thus far and hope that every ride continues to have nice turnouts.

Jon Wagner
 UMECRA President

Ride Results!

If you see an error in the results, please reach out to the ride manager for corrections.

Bonecrusher - 7/23/21 - 50 End HW			
Tom	Gower	Massimiliano	1
Stephanie	Crispin	AllAboutMajestic	1
Jim	Andriakos	Afsaar	3
Bettina	Koehn	JBK Nadja	4
Robin	Schadt	Kayheart	5
Deb	Searle	Charzmatic	6
Erica	Hollen	AW Banderas	C
Melonie	Driese	Justaemageof	P
Guy	Worthington	PA Hi-Spirit	P
Amy	Broadie	No Flash Photography	P
Sherry	Aune	Lily Creek Rhythm	P
Bonecrusher - 7/23/21 - 50 End LW			
Jessie	Finnila	Sterlings Starstrider	1
Wendy	Maas	FT Firestorm	2
Bobbi	Belz	Duke	3
Diane	Meinders	Yo Dusty	4
Jan	Worthington	Golden Lightning	5
Ann Marie	Barnett	VA Chazmyne	6
Janice	Meyer	Maximus	P
Bonecrusher - 7/23/21 - 50 End Jr			
Miley	Eischens	Chips Diamond Rehalla	2
Colton	Eischens	Sir Fettuccine Alfredo Tortellini	3
Hunter	Driese	Sea Breez	1

Bonecrusher - 7/23/21 - 25 LD HW			
Charles	Bramel	AK Magnums Awesar	1
Ann	DeLang	Chocolate Martini	2
Frank	Langhof	BZ Sierra Sunrise	3
Marge	Dixon	Bethany Jet	4
TJ	Edwards	Heritage Hills Clare	5
Bonecrusher - 7/23/21 - 25 LD LW			
Roberta	Harms	Lady Jane	1
Sue	Jaffe	Solace	2
Katie	Bachhuber	Indiana	3
Carol	Wagner	Tripl Blackburn King	4
Mary	Otto	Noahs Serene Sunrise	5
Carrie	Thompson	Kenlyn Lexus	P
Bonecrusher - 7/23/21 - 25 LD Jr			
Grace	Carter	Corona Breeze	1
Ellie	Otto	Fred	2
Bonecrusher - 7/23/21 - 25 Comp HW			
Andrea	Pfeifer	Mytalisha's Titan	1
Bonecrusher - 7/23/21 - 25 Comp LW			
Tracy	Haelterman	Captain Jack Sparrow	1
Debby	Weisbecker	JM Cest La Vie	2
Karrie	Halbur	Karmas Alluring Lady	3
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 75 End HW			
Kimberly Ann	Fosler	BZ Cojeseryn Sahar	1
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 75 End LW			
Elizabeth	Frieders	UpUp And Away JIF	1
Misty	Haumschild	Star Bar Skip	2
Ann Marie	Barnett	Adrihanna Z	P
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 50 End HW			
Tom	Gower	HK Xpress Avenue	1
Robin	Schadt	RAL Sorceress (Chloe)	2
Erica	Hollen	Sir Atlas	3
Brandon	Brunner	La Grange RTA	4
Deb	Searle	Sultann Sundance	5
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 50 End LW			
Jessie	Finnila	Sterlings Starstrider	1
Diane	Meinders	Yo Dusty	2
Tracy	Johnson	Mombo Number Five	3
Krystyna	Eischens	Ozzy	4
Shanon	Ployhart	BBA Fahad Al Hadi	5
Molly	Bonjean	Basalada Chips	6
Sheila	Schneider	Rushcreek Giggles	C
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 50 End Jr			
Miley	Eischens	Chips Diamond Rehalla	1
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 25 LD HW			
Samantha	Miller	Bey Gaalan	1
Wes	Elford	Suzie Q	2
Daniel	Pakes	Remi	3
Amber	Mell	Tango	4
TJ	Edwards	Heritage Hills Clare	5
Charles	Bramel	AK Magnums Awesar	P
Nikki	Boesch	China Doll	P
Katie	Krueger (was Knippel)	RFR Rein Daughter	P
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 25 LD LW			
Amy	Kerrigan	Tye	1
Sue	Jaffe	Solace	2
Adrienne	Dymesich	Ellie	3
Jennifer	Thames	Fanny	4
Jane	Kirkeide	Bassim	5
Samantha	Smith	Baskadena KSR	6
Melissa	Coolich	CE Cool Chazzanova	C
Laurie	Henschel	Bataania KSR	C
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 25 LD Jr			
Eva	Dymesich	Scout	1
Grace	Carter	Corona Breeze	2
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 25 Comp HW Evening			
Ann	DeLang	Chocolate Martini	1
William	Byman	DB Fatin	2
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 25 Comp LW Evening			
Nicole	Mausier-Storer	Sosas Playboy at Sonset	1
Sally	Hoff	Gloryius Trinity	2
Melinda	Stewart	McCues Miss Behavin	3
Christina	Byman	DB Jamilah	4

Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 25 Comp HW			
Jim	Andriakos	CR Cosmic Eclipse	1
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 25 Comp LW			
Lori	Windows	Ella N Fires Jane Doe	1
Jennifer	Haras	Maverick	2
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - 25 Comp Jr			
Madlyn	Finch	Zephyrus TF	1
Bonecrusher - 7/24/21 - Novice 15			
Maxine	Bernsdorf	CH Shamm Bashire	MO
Debby	Weisbecker	Love Me A Latte	MO
Karrie	Halbur	Karmas Alluring Lady	C
Alec	Halterman	Captain Jack Sparrow	6
Gayle	Sultzbaugh	Pop Tart	4
Brittany	Pierpoint	Smokey	5
Melissa	Lange	Joe	3
Maily	Kocinski	Kadaaar	2
Mandy	Vondra	Lady Jane	1
Tracy	Haelterman	Full Throttle	P
Bonecrusher - 7/25/21 - 25 LD LW			
Karen	Bahrman	Westwind Little Big Man	1
Sue	Jaffe	Solace	2
Melisa	Positeri	Marshall Tucker	3
Lauren	Brown	Flying Oaks Jester	4
Bonecrusher - 7/25/21 - 25 Comp HW			
Andrea	Pfeifer	Mytalisha's Titan	1
Tom	Gower	JG Saqr	1
Bonecrusher - 7/25/21 - 25 Comp LW			
Jessica	Sweeten	Lord Canela	1
Bonecrusher - 7/25/21 - Drive 15			
Amy	Broadie	Fox Valley Adena	1

AHDRA Field of Dreams - 7/31/21 - 50 End HW			
Jim	Andriakos	Afsaar	1
Sarah	Mowrer	A Time To Shine	2
Sherry	Aune	Lily Creek Rhythm	P

AHDRA Field of Dreams - 7/31/21 - 50 End LW			
Marianne	Guilfoyle	Gianni Ali Oops	1
Laura	Marshall	Spotted Caliber	3
Lauren	Hart Shaltis	FVF Thunderbolt	4
Wendy	Minnick	Stardust Serenade TM	C
Claire	Clevenger	Playboy Remedy's Golden Spell	C
Sheila	Schneider	Rushcreek Giggles	P

AHDRA Field of Dreams - 7/31/21 - 25 LD HW			
Carol	Weber	Belesema Exclusiva	1
Deane	Jorgenson	Rushcreek Fast	2
Tracy	Bridges	Dark Behr Rising	3
Debra	Moe	UTCS Aur Mojito	4
Janet	Sarver	Legacy of Khourage	5
Diana	Hayes	Ima Tiki Too	6
Aaron	Mowrer	Arazi	P
Monicka	Remboldt	IBN Al Riyah Razeel	P
Jesselyn	Grimshaw	Snow	P
Barry	Cole	Amaretto Rose	P
Cassandra	Cox	Jets Lil Cookie	P

AHDRA Field of Dreams - 7/31/21 - 25 LD LW			
Dannielle	Lease	Boo Kids Aster Knight	1
Jennifer	Mlocek	Onwindntide	2
Michaela	Costello	Fable Tuscon	P
Cedar	DuShane	Apache	P
Brooke	Thibeault	Seraphalima Grayce	P
Laura	Lund	EFF Laurels Janeen	P

AHDRA Field of Dreams - 7/31/21 - 25 LD Jr			
Katarina	Martin	Polly	1
Afton	DuShane	Minnatrix	P

AHDRA Field of Dreams - 7/31/21 - 25 Comp HW			
Joshua	Mowrer	KW Magnum Archie	1
Kaylie	Hulsey	Lilly	2
Bonnie	Mielke	BNB Khrome Azrael	3
Kim	Rumpsa	R Secret Anniversary	4
AHDRA Field of Dreams - 8/1/21 - 25 LD HW			
Monicka	Remboldt	Teddy	1
Kimberly	Rosecrans	Magic	2
Emily	Simmons	RedAxel	3
AHDRA Field of Dreams - 8/1/21 - 25 LD LW			
Kaila	Cornell	Romeo	1
Kristen	Johansen	PVA Light 'Nthe Storm	2
Elizabeth	Frieders	Hotsprings Fandango	3
Nicole	Mauser-Storer	Sosas Playboy at Sonset	4

Detroit Horsepower Metro Park Express - 8/6/21 - 50 End HW			
Kathy	Broaddus	Flo	1
Kellie	Moore-Fryman	Praise The Lord	2
Karri	Wilson Bruskotter	BKR Poetry N Moshahn	3
Brian	Mastellone	OSO Lucky	4
Mary	Mast	Go Boys Gypsy	5
Carmen	Dahlhoff	Rose	5
Leah	Palestrant	Central Park CCF	C
Joann	Dible	I'm A Little Beamer	C

Detroit Horsepower Metro Park Express - 8/6/21 - 50 End LW			
Lois	McAfee	Samir Al Mar	1
Diane	Meinders	Yo Dusty	2
Lisa	Delp	Catch Me Ridin Dirty	3
Helen	Lynn	Pipers Prime Time	3
Debra	Masetellone	A Blazin Ball Afire	5
Margaret	Gallick	BKR Civil Discourse	6
Annie	Whelan	Wallace Hill Sundance	C
Caroine	Loos	Moliero	C
Mira	Mansuetti	PC Gazsiba	C
Amy	Yatsko	Meritage MHF	C
Eone	Williamse	FYF Wasabi	P

Detroit Horsepower Metro Park Express - 8/6/21 - 25 LD HW			
Jessica	Reichel	Goldenpedia	1
Jennifer	Shooshanian	Elvis	2
Chris	Marks	Thokkadis from Winterhorse	3
Alayna	Gnizak	Deobrahs In Command	4
Lani	Newcomb	Lito Salatino	4
William	Gage	DJ's Double O Seven	P
Mickey	Short	US Express	P

Detroit Horsepower Metro Park Express - 8/6/21 - 25 LD LW			
Sarah	Mountain	IA Kaliber	1
Michelle	Short	Nevadas Rein Maker	2
Harmony	Lehotsky	Derawnda Pal	3
Gail	Otto	Star	4

Detroit Horsepower Metro Park Express - 8/6/21 - 25 LD Jr			
Christina	Lucas	Hawks Rising Comet	1

Detroit Horsepower Metro Park Express - 8/6/21 - 25 Comp LW			
Jan	Wylie	Dose	1

Detroit Horsepower Metro Park Express - 8/7/21 - 50 End HW			
Robert	Plummer	Mattingley KC Heart	1
William	Gage	Tugs Spring Fling	2
Karri	Wilson Bruskotter	BKR Seance N Moshahn	3
Jennifer	Shooshanian	Sammy	4
Shannon	Weston	Lu-Nor Nykabey	4
Mandy	Blankenship	Onyx	P
Francis	Lewis	SH Yukon Ggold	P

Detroit Horsepower Metro Park Express - 8/7/21 - 50 End LW			
Lois	McAfee	Macho Man	1
Cindy	LaRoy Young	KC Lucks Lil Buck	2
Diane	Meinders	Lumiere WW	3
Lisa	Delp	Full of Fi Your	4
Helen	Lynn	DJs Yo-She	5
Annie	Whelan	Wallace Hill Sundance	6
Katarina	Candee	INDIAN AURA	6
Michelle	Short	Bleu	C
Susan	Dickinson	Henry	C

Detroit Horsepower Metro Park Express - 8/7/21 - 25 LD LW			
Mickey	Short	Lunas Legacy	1
Kathy	Broaddus	Flo	2
Lani	Newcomb	Lito Salatino	3
Jessica	Holt	Stella	4
Kristi	Isaac	Paige's White Cloud	P
Madeline	Viergutz	Maggie	P

Detroit Horsepower Metro Park Express - 8/7/21 - 25 LD HW			
Amy	Wallace-Whelan	Moliero	1
Shae	Manning	Buddy James Plaudit	2
Renee	Bonsell	Sheebah Aly Essence	3
Sara E.	Hall	WP Yippe Ki Yay	4
Harmony	Lehotsky	Derawnda Pal	5
Lynne	Burton	Winston	6
Justine	Oakwood	Iceman	C
Brianna	Nickels	Stanley	C
Sarah	Mountain	IA Kaliber	C
Kelly	McKolay	Tucker	C
Barbara	Hubler	Skats Beautifull Dawn	C
April	Lakatos	Mona Lisa de Villa Maria	P

Detroit Horsepower Metro Park Express - 8/7/21 - 25 Comp LW			
Jan	Wylie	Dose	1

Louise Riedel Memorial Ride - 8/7/21 - 50 End HW			
Guy	Worthington	JG Randie	1
Robin	Schadt	RAL Sorceress (Chloe)	2
Stephanie	Crispin	AllAboutMajestic	3
Brandon	Brunner	La Grange RTA	4
Kimberly	Fosler	BZ Cojeseryn Sahar	5
Karin	Lupo	VC Premier Eddition	6
Erica	Hollen	Sir Atlas	C

Louise Riedel Memorial Ride - 8/7/21 - 50 End LW			
Jan	Worthington	Dimitri	1
Julia	Newton	Lucca	2
Jordan	Holmes	Frango	3
Lindsay	Jackson Nichols	Ravenswood Nevermore	4
Elizabeth	Frieders	UpUp And Away JIF	5
Shanon	Ployhart	BBA Fahad Al Hadi	6
Bobbi	Belz	Duke	C
Tracy	Johnson	Mombo Number Five	C
Misty	Haumschild	Star Bar Skip	C
Darlene	Molitor	VC Arieon	C
Krystyna	Eischens	Ozzy	C
Lorelai	Haase	Herbee The Love Bug	C
Samantha	Hayne	HTLB Stormy	C

Louise Riedel Memorial Ride - 8/7/21 - 50 End Jr			
Miley	Eischens	Eleanor Ambrosia B	1

Louise Riedel Memorial Ride - 8/7/21 - 25 LD HW			
Wes	Elford	Suzie Q	1
Ann	DeLang	Chocolate Martini	2
Daniel	Pakes	Remi	3
TJ	Edwards	Heritage Hills Clare	4
Amber	Mell	Brix	P
Marge	Dixon	Bethany Jet	P
Amber	Erickson	Ophelia Kkan	P
Louise Riedel Memorial Ride - 8/7/21 - 25 LD LW			
Molly	Bonjean	Basalada Chips	1
Amy	Kerrigan	Tye	2
Pamela	Coolidge	Snappy	3
Robertta	Harms	Lady Jane	4
Amy	Betzelberger	Starr Quest	5
Pam	Cotton	Wyatt's Dire Straits	6
Ainsley	Suskey	RAL Khastaway (Khasper)	C
Laurie	Hoepner	Gai Caravel	C
Melinda	Stewart	McCues Miss Behavin	C
Sally	Hoff	Gloryius Trinity	C
Mary	Otto	Noahs Serene Sunrise	C
Louise Riedel Memorial Ride - 8/7/21 - 25 LD Jr			
Grace	Carter	Corona Breeze	1
Ellie	Otto	Fred	2
Alice	Erickson	Rushcreek Calia	P
Louise Riedel Memorial Ride - 8/7/21 - 25 Comp HW			
Andrea	Pfeifer	Mytalisha's Titan	1
Melissa	Lang	Joe	2
Sarah	Mowrer	A Time To Shine	3
Louise Riedel Memorial Ride - 8/7/21 - 25 Comp LW			
Debby	Weisbecker	JM Cest La Vie	1
Jodi	Johannessen	SC Izzabella	2
Lori	Windows	Ella N Fires Jane Doe	3
Melissa	Coolich	JG Short Stuff	4
Candy	Barbo	Psyche On Fire	5
Jennifer	Haras	Maverick	6
Suzanne	Warren	Crzohlarzzaz	C
Susan	Grossenbacher	NW Otono Blue Sky	C
Gabrielle	Monty	Devilwood Robin Royale	P
Ann Marie	Barnett	VA Chazzmyne	P
Louise Riedel Memorial Ride - 8/7/21 - 25 Drive			
Ray	Hubert	JimmyCrackedCorn	1
Amy	Broadie	Fox Valley Adena	2
Alice	Hubert	Gridlock	RO

A horse doesn't care how much you know until he knows how much you care.

Louise Riedel Memorial Ride - 8/7/21 - 12 Drive			
Wes	Licht	Rosali	1
Louise Riedel Memorial Ride - 8/7/21 - 12 Novice			
Logan	Erickson	A Kings Delivery	1
Rae	Kubik	Missy	2
Julie	Martin	Satin	3
Kari	Graves	Flying Oaks Zephyrus	4
Gayle	Sultzbaugh	Pop Tart	5
Madeline	Spence	Vinnie	6
Savana	Anschl	Dancer	C
Tammy	Pooch	Duchess	C
Mallory	Horvat	Daisy	C
Peggy	Guenther	Champs Motown Grace	C
Maxine	Bernsdorf	CH Shamm Bashire	MO
Nancy	McCoy	Khepera Immileegy	MO
Pam	Cotton	Fabio	MO
Victoria	Robison	SC Zhivago	MO
Amber	Erickson	Ophelia Kkan	MO

How does Hay Feeder Height Affect Your Horse's Neck, Back and Jaw Alignment?

Depending on how high you tie your haynet, your horse's feeding-time neck positions likely won't be the same as when he's eating hay or grass off the ground. Those unnatural neck positions can have repercussions on the horse's back position and jaw angles throughout the hours he's pulling hay from his slow feeder, according to Italian researchers.

It's well known that when we ride, we put the horses in different positions. These positions can affect your horse's physical shape and overall health.

What about when the horses are eating? Your horses posture is directly related to how the spine is aligned and understanding the impact on your horse may make you think twice about how your feed.

A study done in Italy looked at the impact of where slow feeds or haynets are hanging on your horse. They used six horses, averaging 14 years old and looked at the changes in their bodies from eating their hay from

1. The ground,

2. A haynet set low at about knee level – 15 degrees below the level of the withers and
3. A haynet set high at about 15 degrees above the withers.

They used video recordings to document the shape of the horses after eating in each of the different locations. They compared each horse to itself after a set amount of time eating at each level.

At the high net position, the horses' back shape changed due to shortening of the back muscles.

They also looked at the angle made between the horse's jawline and neckline when eating. When the horses' neck is raised, the angle between the jawline and neckline closes and becomes more acute and unnatural.

Based on the results, they found that the low haynet position provided almost the same natural back position as when eating off the ground. The horses' backs had defined elongated longissimus dorsi muscles, which run along each side of the horses' back and under where the saddle sits.

Both off the ground positions changed neck posture and the mandibular (lower jaw) angle, with the above the wither haynets causing the most extreme changes.

Considering how much time horses spend eating from haynets, it's important to be cognizant of the positions the feeders put your horse into. Although the team hasn't studied how these unnatural feeding positions affect the horses' health, the researcher suspects a natural feeding position is better both for the musculoskeletal system and the digestive system.

Owners should always ensure their horses' shoes and legs can't get caught in haynets. The low haynet position the scientists used in this particular study is too low to be used safely in daily horse management—although in a laboratory setting that height provided important information about how feeding from

a device set below the withers affects the head and neck.

The Proper Use of Pull Codes By Melissa Ribley, DVM

The correct and accurate use of pull codes by ride veterinarians is important. Pull codes are information that is looked at to learn why horses are not completing rides and what can be done to help improve completion rates.

Currently, there is a research project underway with the purpose of investigating why horses are being pulled from endurance rides. Pull codes are specifically being checked over and the researchers are finding a higher number than expected of rider option (RO) pulls. This high percentage of RO pulls being reported by riders and then recorded by ride veterinarians is likely inaccurate, not reflecting what is truly occurring at the rides, and is impeding researchers from learning what is really happening with these horses.

It is the responsibility of the ride veterinarian to record on the rider card, and therefore communicate to the ride manager, an accurate pull code for all horses not continuing in the ride. Veterinarians working endurance rides should understand and properly record pull codes.

Riders should also understand the various pull codes, why accurate documentation of pulled horses is important to the sport, and why the RO codes will be used by the ride veterinarian only in specific situations. The pull code options are the following:

- Lameness (L)
- Metabolic (M)
- Overtime (OT)
- Surface factors (SF)
- Disqualified (DQ)
- Rider option (RO)
- Rider option-metabolic (RO-M)
- Rider option-lame (RO-L)

The L, M and OT codes are self-explanatory, clear by definition, and should be the most

commonly used codes. Surface factors is a pull code to be listed for a horse that has a tack gall, laceration, abrasion, etc., to the degree that the vet has deemed the horse not fit to continue.

The disqualified code is to be used by management for situations where the rider is disqualified for unsportsmanlike conduct, an unruly horse, going off trail or breaking a specific, written ride rule.

Where codes become questionable and may be improperly used are with the RO, RO-L and RO-M codes. The RO is to be used only if the rider cannot continue or elects not to continue due to their own illness, injury or personal circumstances. If a rider is electing not to continue, the horse must still be examined by the ride vet (all horses entered in AERCsanctioned rides are to be examined by a control vet regardless of whether the rider is electing not to continue) and the horse must be deemed fit to continue in order to use this code. If upon exam the control vet determines the horse is not fit to continue, other appropriate codes (L, M, SF) should be listed. The RO code is to be used only when the horse has been examined and passed by the veterinarian.

Similar to the RO code, RO-L and RO-M codes are to be used only if the veterinarian has examined and passed the horse as fit to continue. If, after the horse has passed the exam, the rider then decides the horse is not right due to either a lameness or metabolic issue, then the RO-L or RO-M codes should be used. Most ride veterinarians strive to make the decision of pulling a horse from competition a team decision with the rider.

Both the veterinarian and rider are working towards keeping the horse's welfare and best interest a priority. Rather than taking the role of policing riders and eliminating horses with little or no discussion, most vets will enter into a dialog with the rider, listen to the rider's input, and come to a (usually) mutual decision with regards to what is best for the horse.

Experienced veterinarians make the effort to work with the rider and present eliminating a horse from competition as a team decision with the rider. Therefore, riders may understandably leave with the feeling they pulled their own horse and wish to have the pull listed as a RO, RO-L, or RO-M. In reality, these horses would not have been passed as fit to continue by the ride veterinarian and vets need to accurately list the pull code as L, M or SF.

Again, RO, RO-L and R-M are to be used only after the horse has been examined and passed by the ride vet as fit to continue. If a ride veterinarian would not have or does not pass a horse on exam, the rider's contribution to the decision in pulling the horse should have no bearing on the pull code of the horse. If we are to learn from ride results and pull statistics, these statistics need to accurately reflect why horses are being pulled from rides. It is up to the ride veterinarians to accurately use and record the available pull codes.



Plan the Rest of Your Ride Season!!

Ride Dates	Ride Name	Ride City	Contact	Email
Aug 28-29	Northern Highland	Gleason, WI	Laurie Henschel	ridgeviewwalkers@frontiernet.net
Sep 4-6	White River Fall	Hesperia, MI	Becke Grams	beckeg@aol.com
Sep 11-12	Charity Cup	Pillager, MN	Darlene Moliter	valleycreekfarm1@gmail.com
Sep 11-12	Keweenaw	Marquette, MI	Karen Jarvi	kjarvi0914@gmail.com
Sep 11-12	Lincoln Trail	Kinmundy, IL	Linda Mowrer	ridedeaddog@hotmail.com
Sep 17-19	Colorama	New Prospect, WI	Barb Gardner	barb@doublebarallc.com
Sep 25-26	Pine Marten	Wetmore, MI	Karen Bahrman	kbahrman@gmail.com
Oct 2-3	DRAW Finale	Palmyra, WI	Ann Marie Barnett	annmariealchemy@gmail.com
Oct 2-3	Huntersville Hundred	Menasha, MN	Sarah Maass	sarahmass@hotmail.com
Oct 9-10	Iron Oak	Arkdale, WI	Ruth Casserly	casserlytimruth@gmail.com
Oct 9-10	Oak Leaf Run	Hamilton, MI	Barb Kurti	oakleafrun@gmail.com
Oct 22-23	Point Chaser	Theilman, MN	Holly Egerer	regerer287@aol.com
Oct 30-31	AHDRA's Big River	Keithsburg, IL	Jim Andriakos	cgswwimcoach@yahoo.com

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UMECRA 2022 Convention

January 21, 22, and 23

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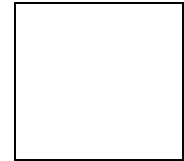
Please contact Sarah Maass at sarahmaass@hotmail.com or Theresa Meyer

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Reservation Information, Banquet and Schedule will be posted in the coming weeks.

We look forward to seeing you there!

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