Drawarama Friday 50 – mile Endurance Alert

Drawarama has added a day to the ride. On Friday, October 5, there will be a 50 Endurance, 25 LD, 25 Comp and 15 Drive. All events **EXCEPT THE 50 ENDURANCE** will leave from Horseriders' Camp, as usual.

If you are interested in competing in the <u>Friday</u> 50 Endurance, you will need to do a little planning ahead of the ride. In an attempt to bring more variety, and to better utilize the miles available, the ride will begin at the Highway S parking lot and head North to the trailhead at Highway 67.

What does this mean for **YOU** as a participant?

- #1 **You** will need to get your horse to the starting line and your rig back to camp. Crews are encouraged to assist with transportation. It is suggested that talking to other 50-milers and doubling up in rigs might help. Highway S is about 10 minutes from Horseriders' Camp. Management will **NOT** be moving rigs or transporting equines.
- #2 There will be a vet at the start of the ride to see you off. The ride will start in the daylight. Vets will be at all the holds.
- #3 There will be three legs on the route, with two out checks. One out check will be at Wilton Road and the second will be back at Highway S. The final check is back at Horseriders' Camp, Palmyra. (Yippee, you only do the rocks once!)
- #4 We would like to have a count of the number of riders we can expect. We are encouraging and would appreciate any early entries. Please send them to Carol Wagner.

Hopefully, this early alert will give you enough time to plan for this unconventional start. We know you and your equine buddy will enjoy the new scenery!