

UPPER MIDWEST ENDURANCE AND COMPETITIVE RIDES ASSOCIATION



Time to start planning your ride season!

Ride Name	Date	City/State	Ride Manager/email
Grand Island Ride	5/25 – 5/26	Rapid River, MI	Kathy Macki – k_macki@yahoo.com
Maplewood West	6/1 – 6/2	Pelican Rapids, MN	Sarah Louise Peltier, peltier.sa@gmail.com
DRAW Finale	6/8 – 6/9	Gleason, WI	Jane Kirkeide, jlkirkeide@gmail.com
White River Summer	6/8-6/9	Hesperia, MI	Pat Wierengo, tecllc04@aol.com
Kankakee River Ride	6/15 - 6/16	Kankakee, IL	Deb Searle, debsearle@mack.com
Southeast Minnesota	6/15 – 6/16	Preston, MN	Theresa Meyer, thmeyer753@gmail.com
Dead Dog Creek	6/22 – 6/23	Augusta, IL	Linda Mowrer, ridedeaddog@hotmail.com
Grand Island North	6/22 – 6/23	Munising, MI	Karen Bahrman, kbahrman@gmail.com
Firecracker Fling, AHA Region 10 Endurance & Comp Ride Championship	7/5 - 7/6	Avoca, WI	Beth Freiders, bethfrieders@yahoo.com
Hopkins Creek Ride	7/13 – 7/14	Manton, MI	Michelle Wiegand, wingcmdr4101@charter.net
Mosquito Run	7/13 – 7/14	Rogers, MN	Peggy Pasillas, peggy@pasillas.net
Maah Daah Hey Endurance	7/20 – 7/21	Medora, SD	Angie Mikkelson, angieorr@hotmail.com
Bonecrusher Ride	7/26 – 7/28	Palmyra, WI	Amber Erickson, DC, endurochiro3@gmail.com
Dakota Dash	8/3 – 8/4	Leonard, ND	Amy Ellingson, amyellingson@yahoo.com
Detroit Horse Power	8/9 – 8/10	Michigan	Laura Baier,

Louise Riedel Memorial	8/9 – 8/11	Arkdale, WI	Elinore Tonsor, helinoreltonsor@earthlink.net
Bearfoot Boogie	8/17 – 8/18	Hinkley, MN	Katie Vogl, katie.fleming661@gmail.com
DRAW's Prairie River Ride	8/24 – 8/25	Gleason, WI	Andrea Pfieler, binkytonny@icloud.com
White River Labor Day Pioneer Ride	8/31 – 9/2	Hesperia, MI	Pat Wierengo, tecllc04@aol.com
Charity Cup	9/7 – 9/8	Pillager, MN	Karin Lupo, kjarvi0914@gmail.com
Keweenaw Ride	9/7 – 9/8	Gwin, MI	Karen Jarvi, kjarvi0914@gmail.com
Lincoln Trails	9/7- 9/8	Chandlerville, IL	Nicole Mauser-Storer, n_mauserstorer@outlook.com
DRAW's Colorama Classic	9/13 – 9/14	New Prospect, WI	Barb Gardner, barb@doublebarall.com
AHDRA's Field of Dreams Dash	9/21 – 9/22	Lehigh, IA	Brooke Moeller, guianowriter@gmail.com
Huntersville Hundred	10/5 – 10/6	Menahga, MN	Sarah Maass, sarhmaass@hotmail.com
Rock River Charity Ride	10/5 – 10/6	Franklin Grove, IL	Tony Troyer, IL4aerc@aol.com
Iron Oak	10/12 – 10/13	Arkdale, WI	Alice Hubert, rayalhubert@hotmail.com
Oak Leaf Run	10/12 – 10/13	Hamilton, MI	Barb Kurti, oakleafrun@gmail.com
Point Chaser	10/18 – 10/19	Theilman, MN	Janet Sarver, jsarver@gmail.com
AHDRA Big River	10/26 – 10/27	Keithsburg, IL	Emily Schupp, emilyschupp46@yahoo.com

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Don't forget to renew your UMECRA membership for 2024!

Your membership must be current to accumulate points and miles towards year end awards.

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Notes From A Ride Manager - Let's Go to The Potluck!!

Your ride is done, your horse is looking good and eating his dinner. It's time for your dinner now. I've been going to potlucks after rides for 40 plus years and here are some tips. First and foremost, thank you to the ride manager and anything they provide as the entree'. They worked hard for weeks getting this whole ride planned and organized. Then they also figured out how and what to cook. It is perfect always. I always feel that what I bring as a side or dessert is my ticket to eat. I realize not everyone has a fridge in their trailer, but everyone can have a cooler with ice handy to keep food at a safe temperature. It doesn't have to be food needing refrigeration either. It should be adequate to "pay" for myself and a possible crew person. (Not all the neighbors who came to watch. Maybe they could provide something, too.) How about putting some effort into it? Don't grab a bag of chips you have stashed in a back cabinet in the trailer. (I have plenty of chips and so does everyone else. Possibly add some dip, but not in the store

container.) If you just have time to run to local grocery store (or Walmart) and want to bring cookies or little cupcakes, at least open the package and lay them out on a plate, even a paper one. If you pick up coleslaw or potato salad at that same store, put it in your own container and just smile when everyone compliments you on your wonderful offering. Then there are those who actually make brownies or a cake in a pan. (Thank you, thank you). Please cut it into smallish pieces and provide a serving utensil. If you put it on a plate also, we won't destroy the whole thing trying to get the first couple pieces out. Remember it is a long line of hungry people behind you, take small helpings of many things. Most of the kids at rides are good, but maybe they could use a helping hand so they don't play in your food too. So now enjoy your food and the company of other riders.

Roberta Harms

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Ride Results!! Notify the Ride Manager if you find any errors.

MNDRA1 - 5/4/24 - Comp HW 25			
Mark	Liebaert	Reco	1
Paula	Brummel	Natasha	2
Jennifer	Lisowe	Aces Fire WS	3
MNDRA1 - 5/4/24 - Comp Jr 25			
Elin	Lupo	Batalah Al Janoubi (Betty)	1
Allie	Oien	VC Joyful Eddition	2
Grace	Rathmann	HJ Nikeshah	3
MNDRA1 - 5/4/24 - Comp LW 25			
Jane	Malischke	Bourbon	1
Colleen	Morgan	Batman SH	2
Kathryn	Vadnais	Jasper	3
Sandra	Fett	Bella	4
Peggy	Pasillas	Remy	5
Katie	Vogl	My Name is Bob	5
Lisa	Aga	Noble Emotions CRF (Joseph)	C
Elena	Aragon	Cadys Roll in the Thunder	C
Darlene	Molitor	VC Arieon	MO
Olivia	Christenson	Spot	P
MNDRA1 - 5/4/24 - Drive 12			
Wes	Elford	Suzie Q	1
MNDRA1 - 5/4/24 - End HW 50			
Krystyna	Eischens	Chips Diamond Rehalla	1
Sheryl	O'Brien	Wild River Sundancer	2
Crystal	Esqueda	Berry Truly My Deco	3
Brandon	Brunner	Mighty	4
Erica	Hollen	AW Banderas	5
Dana	Gasner	Whispering Echo	6

MNDRA1 - 5/4/24 - End Jr 50			
Grace	Carter	Bataania KSR	1
Miley	Eischens	Tru Reventon	2
MNDRA1 - 5/4/24 - End LW 50			
Maria	Enge	Eleanor Ambrosia B	1
Karla	Ovsak	Dobella NPA	2
Kasey	Corcoran	Sharif El Moniet	3
Jessi	Lipponen	Mystic Dynasty PF	4
Emma	Christopherson	Integritys Deluxx	5
Amy	Ellingson	LS Adora	6
Sarah	Maass	Holy Mozart	C
MNDRA1 - 5/4/24 - LD HW 25			
Matthew	Splonskowski	LK Willy Willy Cool	1
David	McGill	Hot Shots Top Cowboy	2
Kyle	Fredrickson	Dreaming In The Dark	3
Kayla	Fredrickson	Zee Sliding On Ice	4
Judy	Hoefl	Romana Johar (Romeo)	5
Rachel	Temp	Triumphant Echo	6
Janet	Sarver	Legacy of Khouorage	C
Debra	Moe	UTCS Aur Mojito	C
Laura	Geissler	Wyoming Serenade	C
MNDRA1 - 5/4/24 - LD Jr 25			
Raina	Gasser	Willow	1
MNDRA1 - 5/4/24 - LD LW 25			
Neisha	Emerson	WMA Super Sport	1
Teresa	Fett	CR Mistiraaz	2
Paula	Goligowski	Good Thunder	3
Jacki	Devine	Jet	4
Jennifer	Boettcher	Cooper	5
Rita	Gasser	Moonshine	6
Ruby	Thorp	Jupiter	C
Tracy	Rhyner	Ranahan	P
MNDRA1 - 5/4/24 - Novice 12			
Caitlin	Sparer	River	1
Claire	Freesmeier	Paisley	2
Taryn	Lindbeck	TKO Rhio Bask	MO
MNDRA1 - 5/5/24 - Comp HW 25			
Sheryl	O'Brien	LC Ernani	1
Melonie	Driese	Sea Breez	2
Laura	Geissler	Miss Emery County	3
MNDRA1 - 5/5/24 - Comp Jr 25			
Audrey	Thorp	Nightmare Blues	1
MNDRA1 - 5/5/24 - Comp LW 25			
Colleen	Morgan	Batman SH	1
Peggy	Pasillas	Remy	2
MNDRA1 - 5/5/24 - Drive 12			
Wes	Elford	Suzie Q	1
MNDRA1 - 5/5/24 - LD HW 25			
Valerie	Temp	Eternal Wishes	1
Jim	Carter	Mister Jack Daniels	2
Crystal	Esqueda	Lopin in Diamonds	3
Rachel	Temp	Triumphant Echo	4
Taryn	Lindbeck	TKO Rhio Bask	5
Carmen	Steuck	Phantacee	6
MNDRA1 - 5/5/24 - LD Jr 25			
Grace	Carter	Corona Breeze	1
Savannah	Hasskamp	Frank	2
Kyla	Bixby	Chloe	P

MNDRA1 - 5/5/24 - LD LW 25			
Jessi	Lipponen	Scarlet Ames	1
Nola	Westphal	Greta	2
Theresa	Meyer	Sirius Encore	3
Sherry	Legatt	SBF Capaccino	4
Jason	Nicol	Octavius Norsk	5
Teresa	Fett	Ice Falcon LRA	6
Jesse	Shaddrick	Jinjersnapp	C
Dawna	Bernhagen	Luna	C
Shelly	Carroll	VO Shakil	P
Colleen	Hueners	Thee Magicman HT	P
Robin	Jones	Northern Prairie Kenny	P
MNDRA1 - 5/5/24 - Novice 12			
Elizabeth	Gasner	Spot	1
Catherine	England	Amiyah	2
Maria	Enge	Mani	MO
Neisha	Emerson	WMA Super Sport	MO
Krystyna	Eischens	Swani	MO
Dana	Gasner	Whispering Echo	MO
Sarah	Maass	Holy Mozart	MO
Janet	Cram	Tumbleweed	P

White River Spring - 5/4 - Comp HW 25			
Courtney	Bouwkamp	Dancer	1
White River Spring - 5/4 - Comp LW 25			
Aurora	Walsh	Win D Prado	1
Abigale	Cool	Georgia	2
Sara	Hall	Joker's Wild Streak	3
Dawn	Bouwkamp	Bailey	4
White River Spring - 5/4 -End HW 50			
Sherry	Aune	Lily Creek Rhythm	1
Damaris M.	Smith	Joker's Wild Streak	2
Sarah	Carlson	HMR Sshameus	3
Stephanie	Boomgaard	Arceus SS	4
Shane	Darga	Spot On The Diamond	P
Pam	Daega	Ecliptic Azraff	P

Do you have old newsletters?

Do you have a box, drawer, 3-ring binder with old UMECRA newsletters? I'm in search of old newsletters, 2003 and earlier. If you have some, please contact:

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White River Spring - 5/4 -End LW 50			
Diane	Meinders	Lumiere WW	1
Jodi	Johannssen	SC Izzabella	2
Annie	Whelan	Wallace Hill Sundance	3
Katarina	Candee	Moliero	4
Amy	Kerrigan	Tye	5
Jennifer	Shooshanian	Elvis	P
White River Spring - 5/4 -LD HW 30			
Diane	Maxey	LW Constant Sohn	1
White River Spring - 5/4 -LD Jr 30			
Nafiseh	Seraji-Bozorgzad	DD Whooz Nadirah	P
White River Spring - 5/4 -LD LW 30			
Jan	Wylie	Dose	1
Linda	Hamrick	Cash	2
Barb	Kurti	Al-Marah Fox Romeo	3
Lisa	Germann	Ainia DCR	4
Miranda	Miller	Besos	5
Noelle	Synder	Calvados AC	6
Soraya	Saatchi	Fadjuraba	P
White River Spring - 5/4 -Novice 15			
Rebecca	Bond	Quincey QT	1
Jeanne	Aslakson	GF Midnght Confession	2
Amy	Fischer	Wyatt	3
White River Spring - 5/5 - End LW 50			
Diane	Meinders	Lumiere WW	1
White River Spring - 5/5 - LD HW 25			
Diane	Maxey	LW Constant Sohn	1
White River Spring - 5/5 - LD LW 25			
Barb	Kurti	Al-Marah Fox Romeo	1
Linda	Hamrick	Cash	2
Barbara	Hubler	Band Red	3
Kelsey Anna	Spagnuolo	It's Time to Watch	4

Glacier Trails - 5/10 - Comp HW 25			
Andrea	Pfeifer	Afsaar	1
Deb	Searle	Sultann Sundance	2
Andrea	Pfeifer	Mytalisha's Titan	3
Ann	DeLang	My My My My My Boogies Shoes	4
Glacier Trails - 5/10 - Comp Jr 25			
MJ	Gehrman	Smighty	1
Glacier Trails - 5/10 - Comp LW 25			
Lori	Windows	Ella N Fires Jane Doe	1
Jennifer	Haras	Mavrick	1
Linda	Jacobson	Hazelrun Mighty Roark	2
Katie	Gehrman	Ava	3
Glacier Trails - 5/10 - LD HW 25			
Jim	Carter	Mister Jack Daniels	1
Kimberly Ann	Fosler	BZ Cojeseryn Sahar	2
Glacier Trails - 5/10 - LD Jr 25			
Grace	Carter	Corona Breeze	1
Glacier Trails - 5/10 - LD LW 25			
Roberta	Harms	Lady Jane	1

Glacier Trails - 5/11 - Comp HW 25			
Jim	Andriakos	Afsaar	1
Glacier Trails - 5/11 - Comp LW 25			
Cari	Schmidt	Ritzzy Rozarita	1
Glacier Trails - 5/11 - Drive 12			
Ray	Hubert	JimmyCrackedCorn	1
Alice	Hubert	Gridlock	2
Glacier Trails - 5/11 - End HW 50			
Guy	Worthington	PA Hi-Spirit	1
Deb	Searle	Sultann Sundance	2
Glacier Trails - 5/11 - End LW 50			
Diane	Meinders	Yo Dusty	1
Linda	Jacobson	AE Gimli Strength	2
Stephanie	Vavra	AOF Moniet Al Raja	3
Sheila	Schneider	Rushcreek Giggles	4
Jane	Kirkeide	VG Dreambeau	P
Glacier Trails - 5/11 -LD HW 25			
Kerstin	McNiesh	Alfano Maraqa	1
Erik	Kirsch	Ballet Dancer	2
Peter	Dordal	Amaz'n Grace	3
Mary	Otto	Noahs Serene Sunrise	4
Debby	Weisbecker	HotSprings Fandango	5
Glacier Trails - 5/11 -LD Jr 25			
Ellie	Otto	Camelots Spot Check	1
Grace	Carter	Corona Breeze	2
Glacier Trails - 5/11 -LD LW 25			
Molly	Bonjean	Basalada Chips	1
Heidi	Woods	bair Al Shagab	2
Adeline	Robinson	HS Carissa	3
Elizabeth	Frieders	LC Ernani	4
Vera	Betzelberger	Starr Quest	5
Amy	Betzelberger	Cisco Quarter Pony	6
Glacier Trails - 5/12 - Drive 12			
Ray	Hubert	JimmyCrackedCorn	1
Alice	Hubert	Gridlock	2
Glacier Trails - 5/12 - LD HW 25			
Laura	Geissler	Wyoming Serenade	1
Erika	Achberger	Jetla	2
Desmond	Degroot	Finnley	3
Bettina	Koehn	BA Rio	4
Glacier Trails - 5/12 - LD Jr 25			
Grace	Carter	Corona Breeze	1
Mia	Aregay	SRB Reno Lytes	2
Charlotte	Peyton	Wyatt's Dire Straits	3
Glacier Trails - 5/12 - LD LW 25			
Paige	Downie	Jobair Al Shaqab	1
Kristine	Jubeck	Silver	2
Glacier Trails - 5/12 - Novice 12			
Kitt	Schaller	Forrest	1
Carrie	Rothburd	Cougar	2
Taylor	Rogers	Ellis Island	3
Kari	Graves	Flying Oaks Zephyrus	4
Becky	Overland	Mavis	5
Karen	Heileman	I'm Always Dreamin	6
Barb	Meyers	Roxy	C
Kerstin	NcNiesh	Alfano Marage	C
Jane	Kirkeide	Ritzzy Rozarita	MO
Debby	Weisbecker	JM Cest La Vie	MO
Cari	Schmidt	Papa Luca	P

Glacier Trails - 5/12 - Comp HW 25			
Ann	DeLang	My My My My My Boogies Shoes	1
Andrea	Pfeifer	Mytalisha's Titan	2
Glacier Trails - 5/12 - Comp LW 25			
Jennifer	Haras	Maverick	1

AHDRAs Endure - 5/18 - Comp HW 25			
Sarah	Mowrer	A Time To Shine	1
Jim	Andriakos	Afsaar	2
Joshua	Mowrer	KW Magnum Archie	3
Amber	Davis	Little Bit Naughty	4

AHDRAs Endure - 5/18 - Comp LW 25			
Kaylie	Hulsey	Rsecret Dun SoPretty	1
Jessica	Sonnek	Jazmine	2
Ann	DeLang	My My My My My Boogies Shoes	3

AHDRAs Endure - 5/18 - Drive 13			
Alice	Hubert	Gridlock	1
Ray	Hubert	JimmyCrackedCorn	2

AHDRAs Endure - 5/18 - End LW 50			
Elizabeth	Frieders	UpUp And Away JIF	1

AHDRAs Endure - 5/18 - LD HW 25			
Brooke	Moeller	Aurora's Magical Luv	1
Irena	Romanchenko	Rusty Chris-te	2
Terri	Glidden	Misty	3

AHDRAs Endure - 5/18 - LD LW 25			
Katarina	Candee	Jobair Al Shaqab	1
Roberta	Harms	Lady Jane	2
Carrie	Taft	Vermouth J	3
Alyssa	Chute	Tyrion	4
Shelby	Van Weelden	Tuck	5
Pamela	Garrison	DG ZAYN SHAQUIN	6

AHDRAs Endure - 5/18 - Novice 13			
Veronica	Miller	Gilligan	1
Mary Alice	Addis	Mega Peppy Jac	2
Mary	York	Legendary	3
Kim	Thomas	Autumn	4
Tina	Shaner	Haully	5
Debby	Weisbecker	JM Cest La Vie	MO

AHDRAs Endure - 5/19 - Comp HW 25			
Sarah	Mowrer	A Time To Shine	1
Amber	Davis	Whiskey Girl	2

AHDRAs Endure - 5/19 - Comp LW 25			
Kaylie	Hulsey	Rsecret Dun SoPretty	1

AHDRAs Endure - 5/19 - LD HW 25			
Emily	Schupp	Brios Talk About Love	1

Trade River Run - 5/18 - Comp HW 25			
Sarah	Carlson	Hope	1

Trade River Run - 5/18 - Comp Jr 25			
Karly	Wendinger	Spot	1

Trade River Run - 5/18 - Comp LW 25			
Jane	Malischke	Bourbon	1
Colleen	Morgan	Batman SH	2
Kathryn	Vadnais	Jasper	3
Katie	Vogl	My Name Is Bob	4
Peggy	Pasillas	Remy	5

Trade River Run - 5/18 - End HW 50			
Brandon	Brunner	Mighty	1
Sheryl	O'Brien	Wild River Sundancer	2
Mandie	Roggenkamp	The Outlander	3
Amber	Erickson	Ottalia Mystic	4
Dana	Gasner	Whispering Echo	5
Judy	Hoelt	Romana Johar (Romeo)	6
Jennifer	Frerichs-Ramon	Halley's Comet	C
Rachel	Temp	Triumphant Echo	P
Crystal	Esqueda	Berry Truly My Deco	P

Trade River Run - 5/18 - End Jr 50			
Grace	Carter	Bataania KSR	1
Alice	Erickson	Rushcreek Calia	2
Gracyn	Schneider	Midlife Crisis	3

Trade River Run - 5/18 - End LW 50			
Nola	Westphal	Greta	1
Karla	Ovsak	Dobella NPA	2
Jessi	Lipponen	Mystic Dynasty PF	3
Emma	Christopherson	Integritys Deluxx	4
Linda	Jacobson	AE Gimli Strength	5
Sarah	Maass	Holy Mozart	6

Trade River Run - 5/18 - LD HW 25			
Debra	Moe	UTCS Aur Mojito	1
Janet	Sarver	Legacy of Khourage	2

Trade River Run - 5/18 - LD Jr 25			
Savannah	Hasskamp	Frank	1

Trade River Run - 5/18 - LD LW 25			
Teresa	Fett	CR Mistiraaz	1
Jesse	Shaddrick	Jinjersnapp	2
Jennifer	Mlocek	Hot Belle Pepper	3
Leigh Ann	Bartlett	Heza Bright Future	4
Jacki	Devine	Jet	5
Paula	Goligowski	Ms Lightning	6
Shea-Lynn	Ramthum	SS Butter Me Up	C
Hannah	Knutson	SB Sedona	C
Lisa	Aga	Noble Emotions CRF (Joseph)	C
Elena	Aragon	Cadys Roll in the Thunder	C
Mari	Mayo	Justa Little Breezee	C
Megan	Anderson	Zora	C
Ruby	Thorp	Jupiter	C
Jason	Nicol		C
Dawna	Bernhagen	Luna	C
Robin	Jones	Northern Prairie Kenny	P
Sherry	Legatt	SBF Capaccino	P

Trade River Run - 5/19 - Comp HW 25			
Sheryl	O'Brien	LC Ernani	1

Trade River Run - 5/19 - Comp LW 25			
Peggy	Pasillas	Remy	1
Linda	Jacobson	Hazelrun Mighty Roark	2

Trade River Run - 5/19 - LD HW 35			
Kayla	Fredrickson	Zee Sliding On Ice	1
Jim	Carter	Mister Jack Daniels	2

Trade River Run - 5/19 - LD Jr 35			
Grace	Carter	Corona Breeze	1

Trade River Run - 5/19 - LD HW 25			
Laura	Geissler	Wyoming Serenade	1
Valerie	Temp	Eternal Wishes	2
Jennifer	Penning	Miss Emery County	P
Joshua	Ramon	Towering Oaks Lilo	P

Trade River Run - 5/19 - LD Jr 25			
Kyla	Bixby	Chloe	1
Trade River Run - 5/19 - LD LW 25			
Teresa	Fett	Ice Falcon LRA	1
Lauren	Knudson	Nova	2
Leigh Ann	Bartlett	Misty Afternoon	3
Angela	Swanepoel	Diego	4
Caitlin	Sparer	River	5
Janelle	Churchill	Tilly	6
Karla	Ovsak	Ace	C
Michelle	Matoska	Cash	C
Colleen	Hueners	Thee Magicman HT	C
Ruby	Thorp	Jupiter	C
Monica	Sampson	Derp	C
Jessi	Lipponen	Mystic Dynasty PF	P
Trade River Run - 5/19 -Novice 11			
Elizabeth	Gasner	Spot	1
Isaac	Steffen	Cadys Roll in the Thunder	2
Cassie	Rose	DJS Cinco	3
Claire	Freesmeier	Paisley	4
Ann	Ruesch	Brownie Batter	5
Lane	Rose	Sage	6
Crystal	Esqueda	Lopin in Diamonds	MO
Carissa	Weber	Northwoods Summers Gift	MO
Debra	Schroeder	McGuires Carbonite	MO
Lisa	Aga	Bippity Boppoty Boo	MO
Elena	Aragon	Noble Emotions CRF (Joseph)	MO
Dana	Gasner	Integritys Deluxx	MO
Sarah	Maass	Holy Mozart	MO
Grace	Rathmann	Gryphn	MO
Marianna	Mayo	Niko	MO

Let's Talk About Ride Etiquette!

Getting out on trail is always exciting! The comradery, the competition and lots of people out on trail at the same time. Sometimes they are fellow competitors, other times they could be trail riders who are not part of the competition.

Lots of people on trail means it's even more important that we all follow some basic guidelines when passing or meeting other riders on the trail (regardless of whether or not they are competing). You don't know if it's a trail rider riding a young horse or a new rider who is nervous about competing for the first time.

Let's start with passing people other riders...

1. Call out when you approach another rider – make sure they hear you – saddles squeak, tack jingles and hoof beats can make it hard to hear you clearly.

2. Slow down when passing – ask if you can trot by or need to walk. Pay attention to the horses you are passing – allow sufficient space.
3. If you are being passed, give the riders coming up on you space to pass safely. Let them know what you are going to do. If you are in a group, stay to one side of the trail so they don't have to go between you.

What about riders going in opposite directions?

1. Keep an eye out for on-coming riders. Be prepared to slow down to a to a more controlled speed.
2. Call out and talk to the on-coming rider(s) – stay to one side of the trail and make a safe space to pass. Let them know if you there are more riders behind you.
3. Watch for blind corners where you might meet someone head on. Slow down or call out.

Most importantly, be kind and polite to the riders you pass or meet on the trail. It doesn't matter if they are competing in the ride or are recreational trail riders. We all want to have an enjoyable ride and it starts with being kind and considerate to each other – even though we can be fierce competitors as well!



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UPPER MIDWEST ENDURANCE AND COMPETITIVE RIDE ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP FORM

Membership year: _____

SELECT ONE:

RENEWAL NEW MEMBERSHIP

SELECT MEMBERSHIP TYPE:

Family \$45
Single \$35
Junior \$10

SELECT MEDIA PREFERENCE:

Electronic Newsletter - \$0
Mailed Newsletter - \$10
Electronic Ride Book - \$0
Mailed Ride Book - \$10

Ride Book is available for free by downloading the PDF file at www.umecra.com on the schedule page

*Family memberships shall consist of one or more related, or coupled as significant other, adults, and/or children of such adults who are less than 18 years of age, all of whom reside in the same household. Please include all names of eligible family members below.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY and LEGIBLY!

Date: _____

AERC MEMBER NUMBER(s) (if applicable): _____

AERC HORSE NUMBER(s) (if applicable): _____

UMECRA MEMBERSHIP NUMBER(S): _____

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone number (s): _____

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