

RANCHO CALIFORNIA HORSEMEN'S ASSOCIATION
"ETIQUETTE RULES"

1. Under no circumstances is anyone to pass the Trail Boss unless He/She has given permission to do so. For the safety of horse and rider, all group rides are ridden at a "DOG WALK". This also means NO loping or running on the trail. Make sure you and your horse can comply with this rule.
2. No Dogs
3. No Ponying
4. One rider per horse.
5. No Stallions
6. Red Ribbon on tail of horses known to kick
7. Do not pass another horse on the trail without permission of the rider, and then only when safe to do so.
8. Maintain a horse length behind the horse in front of you. Do not lag behind the group and then lope to catch up.
9. On very steep climbs or descents, it is proper to wait for a clear distance for safety.
10. Do not stop or hesitate when reaching a peak, mountain pass or saddle. Continue on and spread out to the side of the trail, leaving room for the trailing riders to clear pass.
11. No littering or smoking on trails—please **PACK IT IN-PACK IT OUT!**
12. You must clean up manure outside your trailer and leave the staging area as clean or cleaner than when you arrived.
13. If you must stop, state "Pulling Up" and raise one arm to alert the rider behind you.
14. Dropped Items: Do not stop on trail. Notify the drag person and they will retrieve items for you when it is safe to do so.

I HAVE READ, UNDERSTAND AND WILL ABIDE BY THE RULES AS STATED ABOVE

Riders Signature, parent's signature and contact number if rider is under 18.

Riders name, printed