



OCER Newsletter

March, 2019

OCER ***Lifetime Achievement*** ***Award***

Presented to

Jim Baldwin, DVM - AERC# 7205

Jim vetted AERC rides for over 28 years. His 1st ride to vet was Old Dominion sometime in the 1980s and he continued to vet AERC rides even after he turned 80 in 2018. He competed in endurance for 20 years beginning in 1990 with his 1st ride being Cougar Prowl on Bug's Will. He completed 117 rides (ten 100s) and accumulated 5300 Endurance miles and 675 Limited Distance miles with 10 Best Conditions. He joined the AERC Board in 1992 and served on the board through 2004. He served on multiple AERC committees, many for multiple years until 2005 to include the Vet Committee, the Protest and Grievance Committee, the Trails Committee, and the Competition Committee. He completed his 1st Tevis ride in 1995. He and the infamous Goose finished at 128th place in 21:48 hours. 196 started, 129 finished. Jim began vetting Tevis in 1997 and vetted it 17 times! His accomplishments are many and his contributions to endurance are innumerable!

In recognition of his unwavering dedication to the sport of endurance and longtime support of the ride managers and members of OCER, we gratefully present Dr. Jim Baldwin with the 1st OCER Lifetime Achievement Award.

19 January 2019

2018 OCER Awards

OCER Endurance

Junior

1st Belle Stroh

Featherweight

1st Louise Burton

2nd Alanna Frank

3rd Wendy Minnick

Lightweight

1st Kristin Seymore-Norsworthy

2nd Skylar Zortz

3rd Becky Holthouse

Middleweight

1st Bruce Burton

2nd Bill Dickson

3rd Russell Broussard

Heavyweight

1st Gunnar Frank

2nd Shawn McCarthy

3rd Lee Chapman

OCER High Mileage Endurance Rider

Gunnar Frank and Louise Burton (tie)

OCER High Mileage Endurance Horse

Trinity

OCER Reserve High Mileage Horse Endurance

Stardust Serenade TM

OCER High Point Endurance Horse

Trinity

OCER Reserve High Point Endurance Horse

Stardust Serenade TM

OCER Best Condition Horse Endurance

Trinity

OCER High Vet Score Endurance

Trinity

OCER Limited Distance Junior

1st Belle Stroh

2nd Kenzie Wells

3rd Nicole Jeter

OCER Limited Distance Featherweight

1st Patsy Hoffman

2nd Annetta Tinsman

3rd Julia Lankes and Elisa Daniel (tie)

OCER Limited Distance Lightweight

1st Sue Jaffe

2nd Cathie Birmingham

3rd Fred Spencer, Nikki Barling-Bridwell, Lora Lyday (tie)

OCER Limited Distance Middleweight

1st Janet Hatch

2nd Monicka Remboldt

3rd Leslie Brown

OCER Limited Distance Heavyweight

1st Angela Lane

2nd Deb Stockwell

3rd Shawn McCarthy

OCER Limited Distance High Mileage Rider

Sue Jaffe

OCER Limited Distance Reserve High Mileage Riders

Angela Lane and Janet Hatch (tie)

OCER Limited Distance High Mileage Horse

Morgan Brooks

OCER Limited Distance Reserve High Mileage Horse

Exploit's Fancy Diamond

OCER Limited Distance Best Condition Horse

Me A Klassic Rose

OCER Limited Distance High Vet Score

Me A Klassic Rose

OCER High Point Arabian

Trinity

OCER High Point Gaited Horse

Exploit's Fancy Diamond

OCER 2019 RIDE SCHEDULE

Mar 23: Rain Dance Limited Entry Ride, Vinita, OK
ironviking@reagan.com

April 6: Over Hill and Dale, Black, MO
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May 4-5: Buffalo Run, Boswell, OK
woodgustranch@yahoo.com

May 11: Kanopolis State Park, Marquette, KS
ejacob716@gmail.com

May 25-26: Jo Tate Memorial, Washburn, MO
schlupranch@mo-net.com

June 8: God's Country, Lebanon, MO
anyamea123@yahoo.com

June 22: Owl Hoot Night Ride, Vinita, OK
ironviking@reagan.com

Aug 17: Sand Hills Saturday Night, Buhler, KS
ejacob716@gmail.com

Sept 14: Cougar Prowl, Prague Lake, OK
firedancefarms@prodigy.net

Sept 28-29: Buffalo Run, Boswell, OK
woodgustranch@yahoo.com

Oct 12-13: Hillsdale Lake State Park, Paola, KS
rlh021@everestkc.net

Oct 25-27: Owl Hoot and AHA Distance Nationals
Vinita, OK
ironviking@reagan.com

Nov 16: Indian Territory, Lake Carl Blackwell, OK
litlepokie@aol.com

Nov 30-Dec 1: Season Finale, Bell Cow Lake, OK
paintnudge@gmail.com

President's Letter

I wanted to thank the OCER membership for their faith in placing me in the office of President. I'll do my best for the club.

If anyone has any suggestions or ideas about OCER and things you'd like to see the club do (or not do), please let me know. The Franks, Emma McKinnon and Cathie Birmingham have had clinics in the recent past to encourage new riders. Anyone else interested in hosting a clinic?

I know generally there is concern about the lack of ride entries. I wasn't a participant in the "heyday" of endurance. I know Louise Burton speaks of rides with 90 riders. Part of the problem now is the expense, in my opinion. Gas/diesel, and ride fees are expensive for riders; the ride managers struggle to have a ride break even due to lack of entries.

I attended both of the Weather Rides in February. Each of these rides has minimal volunteers, and only one vet. The format of these rides has been changed to be more DIY for the rider. Riders need to check their horse's heart rate, and enter their in and out time onto a public board.

Riders also bring the awards. The ride fees are kept to a minimum. It may be that more rides will need to take on this type of format in order to reduce costs. Ride managers need to know what we as riders want to have at the rides.

I know locations are also more difficult to find.

Monica Chapman recently invited Michael Maul, Michael Campbell, Paul Sidio, Tommy Robicheaux and me on a conference call to discuss the lack of rides and ridership in the Central Region.

During the conference call, Michael Maul said we could sort the member list in AERC by zip code so that we could locate members close to a particular ride. We discussed contacting these members about volunteering for that ride, helping to assist with the trails in advance, or managing a ride.

If you have any ideas, please let me know – by phone, email, private message on Facebook, or at any of the rides. Likewise, if you have any concerns, please let me know. All of us want to be able to continue participating in the rides.

-- Janet Hatch

Treasurer's Report

Balance, as of January 26, 2019: \$9,333.17

2018 OCER Awards (continued)

OCER High Point Half-Arabian

Stardust Serenade TM

OCER High Point 1st Year Registered Arabian

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OCER High Point Half-Saddlebred

Am I Blue++

OCER High Point Morab

Stardust Serenade TM

OCER High Point Mule/Long Ear

Cecil

OCER High Point Non-Registered Arabian Type

Jasmine AP

OCER High Point Ride Your Pony

WMA Silver Sword

OCER Ride Managers

Louise Burton

Kelly Chapman

Shawn McCarthy

Erin Glassman

Jodi Hess-Schlup

Alanna Frank

Becky Holthouse

Susan Young-Mock

Deb Dickson

OCER Ride Manager of the Year

Alanna Frank

OCER Rider of the Year

Annetta Tinsman

OCER Member of the Year

Janet Hatch

OCER Veterinarians

Jeanne Houser, DVM

Judy Roberds, DVM

Jim Baldwin, DVM

David Cross, DVM

Gail Conway, DVM

OCER Veterinarian of the Year

Jim Baldwin, DVM

OCER Special Thanks to:

David Fant (Web Master)

Janet Hatch (News Letter Editor)

Leslie Brown (Web Page)

Alanna Frank (Points)

Louise Burton (Sanctioning)

Cathie Birmingham (Awards)

Bruce Burton (Convention Coordinator)

John Nowell (Photography)

Kathy Crothers (Professional Scribe)

Elisa Daniel (Videos)

OCER Board of Directors Meeting

January 19, 2019

Attendees: Janet Hatch, Leslie Brown, Cathie Birmingham, Wendy Minnick, Louise Burton, Alanna Frank
Set requirement for Ride Managers to submit OCER Sanctioning forms by January 1, 2020 for the ride to be included in the Ride Book for 2020.

Minutes for November 23, 2018 Board of Directors meeting read and approved.

Action Item: Email list for all former members to be generated so renewal prompts may be sent.

Season Finale Benefit Ride income and expense report read.

Meeting adjourned.

OCER Membership Meeting

January 20, 2019

Treasure Report Read and Approved

Clinic Options discussed:

Emma McKinnon offered rider education at the rides.

Plan a clinic during the year, possibly with Kathy Moore.

Membership Drive – mass email to previous members

Trail Master Class in Oklahoma in 2019

Motion to raise OCER membership dues \$10, new due prices will be \$30 Single/ \$35 Family.

Motion: Monicka Rembolt

Second: Leslie Brown

Membership Vote – Passed



Webpage/Facebook Coordinator:

Leslie Brown (VPres)

Points Coordinator:

Alanna Frank (Sec)

Newsletter:

Janet Hatch (Pres)

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Sanctioning Coordinator:

Louise Burton (Board)

RAIN DANCE ENDURANCE RIDE

MARCH 23, 2019

VINITA, OKLAHOMA

50 AND 25 MILE AND INTRO RIDES

AERC, OCER SANCTIONED

PRE-REGISTER REQUIRED

**THIS RIDE IS LIMITED TO THE FIRST 25 REGISTERED ENTRIES, SO
SEND YOUR ENTRY FORMS SOON TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT.**

WE NEED RAIN, SO WE ARE HOSTING A RAIN DANCE RIDE. COME OUT AND DANCE ON OUR TRAILS TO BRING THE RAIN AND PUT SOME HOOF PRINTS DOWN ON OUR NEW TRAIL.

LOCATION: 430799 EAST 220 ROAD, VINITA, OKLAHOMA

COORDINATES: 36° 41' 53"N, 95° 19' 37"W

DIRECTIONS: FROM THE EAST AND VINITA TAKE HWY 60/66 WEST FOR APPROXIMATELY 4 MILES. TAKE A RIGHT FOLLOWING HWY 60 WEST TOWARD NOWATA. AFTER 5.8, AT THE TOP OF THE HILL TURN RIGHT ONTO 4310 RD (GRAVEL ROAD) FOR 1.7 MILES. TURN LEFT ONTO 220 ROAD, THE RANCH IS ON THE LEFT.

FROM THE SOUTH, USE I44 OR HWY 69 TO GET TO BIG CABIN, OKLAHOMA, CONTINUE ON HWY 69 UNTIL THE T INTERSECTION WITH HWY 60, 66 AND 69. TURN LEFT ONTO HWY 60, AFTER APPROXIMATELY 1.3 MILES STAY TO THE RIGHT FOLLOWING HWY 60 TOWARD NOWATA. AFTER 5.8, AT THE TOP OF THE HILL TURN RIGHT ONTO 4310 RD (GRAVEL ROAD) FOR 1.7 MILES. TURN LEFT ONTO 220 ROAD, THE RANCH IS ON THE LEFT.

FROM THE WEST FOLLOW HWY 60 EAST FROM NOWATA, OKLAHOMA, APPROXIMATELY 17.8 MILES. TURN LEFT ONTO 4310 RD (GRAVEL ROAD) FOR 1.7 MILES. TURN LEFT ONTO 220 ROAD, THE RANCH IS ON THE LEFT.

OKLAHOMA STATE LAW REQUIRES ORIGINAL NEGATIVE COGGINS PAPERS DATED WITHIN 12 MONTHS OF THE RIDE TO BE PRESENTED ON ALL EQUINES IN CAMP. HEALTH PAPERS DATED WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE RIDE MUST BE PRESENTED ON ALL OUT OF STATE EQUINES.

RIDE MANAGER: ALANNA FRANK, 281-468-5881, EMAIL: IRONVIKING@REAGAN.COM

TRAIL MASTER: GUNNAR FRANK, 832-372-6119

HEAD VETERINARIAN: JEANNIE HAUSER, DVM

SANCTIONING ORGANIZATION: AERC (WWW.AERC.ORG) AND OCER

SPONSORS: TWISTER RIDGE LOW LINE BEEF, IRON VIKINGS (WWW.IRONVIKINGS.COM)

TRAILS: THE TERRAIN IS GENTLE ROLLING HILLS AND THE TRAILS RUN THROUGH PRIVATE RANCH PASTURE AND CREEKS. THERE WILL BE CREEK CROSSINGS, DEER, ARMADILLOS AND A STRETCH OF COUNTY ROAD ON THE NEW TRAIL. PONDS AND STREAMS ON TRAIL PROVIDE PLENTY OF WATER.

CAMP: PRIVATE PASTURE LAND, PRIMITIVE CAMPING WITH PORT-A-POTTIES, HORSE WATER AVAILABLE AT THE VET CHECK AREA.

Junior Riders: Any rider under the age of 15 as of December 2019 must be accompanied by an adult sponsor throughout the ride. A helmet is also required while mounted. If the junior has no sponsor before the ride, please contact management and often a sponsor can be arranged.

Introductory Ride: The purpose of the 8 mile introductory ride is to give a new rider or equine a chance to experience the sport of endurance. The equine must be at least 48 months old but there is no age limit on the rider. There will be a standard vet exam. The non AERC member fee does not apply.

Pre-Registration: You **must** pre-register or let Alanna know you are intending on riding. We can accommodate 25 rider and the first 25 entries will have a spot on the trail and in the camp.

Riders are welcome to arrive before Friday, but please contact ride management with intended arrival date.

Schedule (Tentative, subject to change due to weather):

Friday March 22	Saturday March 23
Camp Open All Day	7:30 AM 50 Mile Start
2 PM Registration Opens	8:30 AM 25 Mile Start
5 PM Vet In	4:30 PM Pre-Ride Meeting
	Awards and Pot Luck after last rider

Ride Rules:

1. AERC and OCER rules will be enforced. Rules can be found at www.aerc.org.
2. The equines are under the control of experienced ride veterinarians who will do everything possible to help you evaluate your equine in order that you may complete the ride without hurting your equine; However, you must accept responsibility for your equine and yourself. The vets may disqualify any rider who has, in the opinion of the vets, abused his/her equine. The veterinarian's decision will be final in all matters concerning the safety and well being of the equines entered in the ride.
3. The ride is open to all breeds of equines (horses, mules, ponies, etc.). The equine must be at least 60 months of age to enter the 50 ride. Equines entering the 25 mile limited distance ride must be at least 48 months of age.
4. All riders must be present and accounted for at the start of the ride. Management *strongly* recommends ALL riders wear approved safety helmets while on horseback.
5. The same horse and rider must pass all checkpoints, follow the ride rules, stay on the marked trail and do the loops in the correct order to receive completion. 50-mile placing will be determined by first horse across the finish line. ALL equines must see a Vet for completion check or when pulling for any reason.
6. Vet criteria (pulse/respiration requirements, holds, etc.) will be discussed at the pre-ride meeting. Riders are responsible for understanding this information. All equines in each distance MUST meet ride criteria within 30 minutes of reaching a vet check during the ride or be disqualified.
7. There is no minimum time limit for completion in any distance. Maximum ride time, INCLUDING HOLDS, for completion is 12 hours for 50 milers and 6 hours for 25 milers. To receive completion: the 50 mile rider may present his equine at any time during, but not longer than, one hour after crossing the finish line; 25 milers must present within 30 minutes of reaching camp and ride time does not stop until equine has met ride criteria. The equine of all distances must be metabolically fit to continue and have no gait aberrations that are consistently observable at a trot and must have a pulse of 64 or less; pulse of 60 or less for 25 milers. Riders will dismount for completion trot. For Best Condition judging, equines must present for a 15-minute CRI, then a one hour post-ride check – 15 minute CRI time measured from the finishing time. To be eligible for Best Condition Award, riders must weigh before leaving vet check area.
8. Riders are responsible for all farrier and vet fees that may be individually incurred.
9. During the ride, dogs are to be on a leash or confined to rider's camp.
10. Have a Fun and SAFE ride. "To Finish Is To Win"

RAIN DANCE Entry Form

March 23, 2019

Rider Information:

Name: _____ AERC# _____

Address, City, State, Zip:

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Weight Division (Includes Tack) Please Circle One:

Junior Featherweight (0-160) Lightweight (161-185)

Middleweight (186-210) Heavyweight (211-above)

Note: Juniors wishing to ride as seniors must present a letter from AERC stating that said junior meets the age and mileage requirements. Parent or guardian signature is required even if riding in weight division.

Junior Sponsor Name: _____

Horse Information:

Name: _____ AERC #: _____

Breed: _____ age: _____ Sex: _____ Color: _____

Horse owner and AERC# if different from rider:

Entry Fees:

25 Mile Senior \$80 _____

50 Mile Senior \$90 _____

Junior Any Distance \$40 _____

Intro \$35 _____

8, 12.5 and 16 mile distances

Non-AERC Member Fee \$15 _____ Waived for Intro

Total _____

Please Send entries to Alanna Frank, 430799 E. 220 Rd, Vinita, Ok 74301 or email entries to ironviking@reagan.com

The following must be signed and returned with entry to participate in the ride.

Legal Release:

As a participant in the Rain Dance Endurance Ride, I agree to abide by the rules of AERC, OCER and the Rain Dance Endurance Ride. I understand that horses can be excitable, difficult to control and unpredictable and accidents can happen to anyone at anytime. I further agree to be fully responsible for my animals and myself. I hereby release the Land Owners, AERC, OCER, Ride Mangagement and Ride Volunteers from any and all loss, costs, damage, liability, claims, demands or causes of action that I may have for injuries or damages arising out of my participation in the ride, even if caused by the negligence or other fault of the Land Owners, AERC, OCER, Ride Mangagement and Ride Volunteer. I agree that I will not sue or make any legal claim against the Land Owners, AERC, OCER, Ride Mangagement and Ride Volunteers for damages, costs, expenses or other losses, including attorneys fees, sustained as a result of my participation in the ride, and hereby voluntarily waive all such claims. I agree to indemnify and hold the loss, damages, claims, lawsuits, judgments and costs, including but not limited to attorney's fees. The Land Owners are defined as Duane and Sandra Pitts, Gunnar and Alanna Frank, Travis and Lorrain Pitts along with members of their immediate family.

Medical Release:

I give consent for and will be financially responsible for emergency medical treatment for myself if I'm unable to give informed consent. I acknowledge that I have read and understand and agree with the conditions of this release.

I certify that I have fully read, understand and agree to be bound by the conditions of this of this legal release.

Rider Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian for Junior Rider: _____
_____ Date: _____

Emergency Contact:

_____ Phone: _____

Over Hill and Dale Endurance Ride

April 6, 2019

Brushy Creek Lodge and Resort, Black, Missouri

Please join us on April 6th at Brushy Creek Lodge & Resort for the Over Hill and Dale Endurance Ride. The ride is AERC and OCER sanctioned and will offer 25 and 50 mile rides. The ride will start and end at Brushy Creek Lodge & Resort. Please contact Brushy Creek Lodge & Resort to make your camping reservations. They offer plenty of hook ups and stalls for your horses.

Brushy Creek Lodge & Resort Mapquest will take you right to them.

420 County Road 831

Black, MO 63625

(573)269-4600

50s will start at 7:30am and 25s will start at 8:00am. Both distances will be an out and back layout. 25s will ride out to Barton Fen for a Vet Check and Hold and return to Brushy Creek to finish. 50s will ride out to Barton Fen for a Gate & Go, return to Brushy Creek for a Vet Check and Hold and then will ride to Sutton Bluff for a Gate and Go returning to Brushy Creek to finish. Crew bags will be transported for you to Barton Fen and Sutton Bluff. The Ozark Trail is permanently marked and we will add flagging to make sure everyone finds their way! This is mostly a single track trail, technical and through the woods. There is usually plenty of water along the trail. Potluck Friday evening before ride meeting.

Our Head Vet will be Dr. Jeanie Hauser and a Treatment Vet will be onsite.

If you need more information give Linda Cole a call at (785)969-5629, email her at bluemoon-farm90@hotmail.com or find her on FB Linda L Cole.

Thank you to Shawn McCarthy for allowing us to use his ride date for 2019. Come join us for some real endurance trail riding.

Over Hill and Dale Endurance Ride 2018

April 6, 2019

Brushy Creek Lodge and Resort, Black, Missouri

Rider Name: _____ AERC # _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____

Zip Code _____ Email _____ Phone _____

Weight division w/tack: Junior FW LW MW HW circle one

Horse Name _____ Horse AERC # _____

Breed _____ Age _____ Sex _____ Color _____

Horse owner if different than rider _____ AERC # _____

FEES: Place a check mark by the distance you are entering.

____ Junior (\$8.00) ____ 25 miles (\$75.00) ____ 50 miles (\$75.00) AERC Non Member add \$15.00

Total _____ Cash _____ Check # _____

LEGAL RELEASE: DO NOT SIGN UNTIL YOU HAVE READ!

As a participant in the Over Hill and Dale ride, I agree to abide by the rules of AERC and understand endurance riding involves being in remote areas for extended periods of time, away from communications, transportation and medical facilities; that these areas may have natural and man-made hazards which the ride management cannot control and 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, my children, my animal(s) and my property and I will hold AERC, the Ozark Trail Association, US Forest Service, Brushy Creek Resort & Lodge, Ride Management, personnel and ride volunteers blameless for any accidents, injury or loss. I grant my permission for ride management to arrange emergency medical treatment if I am unable to do so myself.

Signature of rider _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature for Junior Rider: _____ Date: _____

Emergency Contact Person _____ Phone No. _____

Your Cell number _____

CURRENT NEGATIVE COGGINS REQUIRED. ALL OUT OF STATE HORSES ARE REQUIRED TO HAVE A CURRENT HEALTH CERTIFICATE. ALL RIDERS ARE REQUIRED TO WEAR HELMETS!

This ride is being held in an isolated wilderness area on a difficult technical trail. Be Prepared!!

AERC sanctioned for 2019! OCER sanctioned for 2019!



BUFFALO RUN



WOOD GUEST RANCH EQUINE ENDURANCE RIDE

30 / 50 Miles, May 4, 2019

25 / 50 Miles, May 5, 2019

Introductory Ride both days

AERC / OGER SANTIIONED

WOOD GUEST RANCH, BOSWELL, OK

Introducing a fun, no frills, endurance ride at Wood Guest Ranch.

Experience the ideal equestrian weekend outing. The southeastern Oklahoma area, where Wood Guest Ranch is located, normally experiences mild weather in the spring, and Wood Guest Ranch provides easy trails to ride. The access roads to Wood Guest Ranch camp are paved except for the last ¼ mile, making getting to the camp easy. The campground is horse-friendly with paddocks, wash-racks, RV hookups, showers and laundry facilities. Dogs on leash are welcome. **Remember, for ecological maintenance concerns: Pack it in, Pack it out.**

All breeds and genders of equines are welcome and encouraged. Equines must be at least 48 months of age to enter the limited distance ride and at least 60 months of age to enter the endurance ride. The trail is nicely mowed, fairly flat, but does have areas with rocks. Foot protection is recommended. All veterinarian (vet) checks are in camp. There is water in camp so there is no need for you to haul water to the vet examination area.

Start: the 50-mile ride will start at 7:00 AM, and the 25/30-mile ride will start at 7:30 AM. The Introductory ride will start after all the 25s have gone.

Ride Fees:	Regular: 50 Miles: \$75.00	25/30 Miles: \$65.00
	Juniors (<16) ride \$20	Introductory Ride: \$35.00.

Non-AERC members add \$15 for each ride entered.

Ride Manager: **Kelly Chapman, 580-271-1048**

woodguest ranch@yahoo.com

www.woodsguest ranch.com

For your convenience, you may pay online with PayPal, or mail your entry form and check (**payable to: Wood Guest Ranch**) to:

Kelly Chapman

PO Box 172

Boswell, OK 74727

telephone: 580-271-1048

Call **Kelly Chapman** (580-271-1048) to reserve RV and camper hookups and to reserve stalls and/or paddock space. In case of inclement **weather**. CALL BEFORE YOU HAUL

NOTICE: Current negative Coggins papers dated within 12 months of May 5, 2019, must be presented for all equines in Camp. Additionally, the State of Oklahoma requires health papers dated within 30 days of the ride for all out-of-state equines.

Pot Luck Friday and Saturday night, bring sides and dessert, we will provide meat.

BUFFALO RUN EQUINE ENDURANCE RIDE AT WOOD GUEST RANCH ENTRY FORM

Rider Information

Name: _____

AERC # _____ OCER Mbr: Yes No

Address: _____

E-mail: _____ Phone: _____

Weight Division (includes tack) Please select one Division:

- _____ Junior (<16 on 01/01/2016)
- _____ Featherweight (0-160) pounds
- _____ Lightweight (161-185) pounds
- _____ Middleweight (186-210) pounds
- _____ Heavyweight (211-above) pounds

Note: JUNIORS wishing to ride as seniors must present a letter from AERC stating that said junior meets the age and mileage requirements. A parent or guardian signature is required even if riding in the correct weight division.

Equine Information:

Horse Name: _____

Age: _____ AERC No: _____

Breed: _____ Color: _____

Owner: _____

A negative Coggins test is required for all horses.

DATE of Test: _____

Please select ride and distance for entry:

Entry fee:	Senior:	50 Miles \$75.00 - 25 Miles \$65.00
	Junior:	\$20
	Introductory ride	\$35.00
	AERC Non-Member:	\$15.00
	_____ 50 Miles	_____ 25/30 Miles
		_____ Intro Ride

Entry fee from above \$ _____

AERC Non-Member \$ _____ (waived for Intro ride)

TOTAL \$ _____

Cash Check # _____ Credit Card: Type _____ # _____

Pay on-line by PayPal. Select the PayPal Icon on the Wood Guest Ranch Website

www.woodsguest ranch.com/endurance.htm

LEGAL RELEASE, -- DO NOT SIGN UNTIL YOU READ

- As a participant in the Wood Guest Ranch Endurance Ride, May 4-5, 2019, I agree to abide by the rules of AERC, OCER and the Wood Guest Ranch Endurance Ride.
 - I understand that equine animals can be excitable, difficult to control, unpredictable and that accidents can randomly occur. I hereby absolve/hold harmless Wood Guest Ranch, its agents, employees, owners and other associates from any liability with regard to such accidents/incidents which might happen/occur to me or my party.
 - I further agree to be fully responsible for my animals, equipment, other property and for myself. I hereby hold harmless Wood Guest Ranch, American Endurance Ride Conference, Ride Management, Ride Volunteers, Ozark Country Endurance Riders, and their agents, employees, owners, or other associates for any accident, injury, or related loss that might occur to me or my party resulting from my participation in the endurance ride.
 - I understand that if I conduct myself (or encourage conduct in others) in an unsafe, disrespectful, unsportsmanlike or other unacceptable manner, as determined by the Ride Manager, in her sole discretion, while participating in this ride, I will be disqualified/eliminated from the ride and expelled from the property of Wood Guest Ranch.
 - I agree to wear a safety helmet in a proper manner anytime I am mounted on an equine animal while at the Wood Guest Ranch Endurance Ride, or, I will sign a specific liability waiver related to not wearing a safety helmet.
- My signature below evidences/acknowledges that I have read and fully understand this release.

In addition, I further understand, acknowledge and accept the following:

Participant understands there are **INHERENT RISKS** in and around equine activities. These are dangers or conditions that are an integral part of equine activities, including but not limited to: the propensity of an equine animal to behave in ways that may result in injury or harm or the death of persons around the equine: including bucking, biting, kicking, rearing, shying, falling, or stepping on; the unpredictability of an equine's reaction to such things as medications, sounds; sudden movement, unfamiliar objects, persons or other animals; hazards, such as surface and subsurface ground conditions collisions with other equines or objects; or the potential of another participant to not maintain control over the equine or to not act within the person's ability, and/or act in a negligent manner.

PARTICIPANT EXPRESSLY ASSUMES RESPONSIBILITY FOR ALL RISKS INVOLVED IN OR ARISING FROM PARTICIPANT'S USE OF OR PRESENCE UPON WOOD GUEST RANCH PROPERTY AND FACILITIES including, without limitation but not limited to: the risks of death, bodily injury, property damage, falls, kicks, bites, collisions with vehicles, horses or stationary objects, fire or explosion, the unavailability of emergency medical care, and/or the negligence and/or deliberate act of another person.

Participant agrees to hold **WOOD GUEST RANCH** and all successors, assigns, subsidiaries, franchisees, affiliates, officers, directors employees and agents completely harmless and liable, and releases them from all liability whatsoever, and **AGREES NOT TO PURSUE LEGAL ACTION (SUE)** them because of, or in connection with, any claims, causes of action, injuries, damages, costs or expenses arising out of Participant's use of, or presence on, **WOOD GUEST RANCH's** property and facilities, including without limitation, issues based on death, bodily injury and/or property damage, to include consequential damages.

Participant agrees to waive any protection afforded by any statute or law in any jurisdiction whose purpose, substance and/or effect is to provide that this release shall not extend to any participative activity related claims.

Participant agrees to indemnify and defend **WOOD GUEST RANCH** against, and hold harmless from, any and all claims, causes of action, damages, judgments, costs or expenses, including attorneys' fees, which in any way arises from Participant's use of, or presence upon the **WOOD GUEST RANCH** property and facilities.

Participant agrees to abide by all of **WOOD GUEST RANCH** rules and regulations, and Participant is responsible for using protective e gear; i.e. hard hat and boots.

Participant will abide by (obey) any legal directives given by the Ride Manager and/or ride staff while participating in the endurance ride.

Under Oklahoma law, an equine activity sponsor or Equine Professional is not liable for injury to, or the death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risk of equine activities.

Participant/Guardian: Signature: _____ date: _____

Printed name: _____ Printed name of minor: _____

I hereby grant permission for Wood Guest Ranch Ride Management to secure emergency medical treatment for me or my party if I am unable to do so myself.

Participant: Signature: _____ date: _____

Printed or typed name: _____

If under 18, printed or typed name of Child: _____

Emergency contact person: _____

Contact person phone number: _____

Rider Number

Allergies / Medical Conditions / Insurance information: _____

MEDIA RELEASE: Participant agrees that WOOD GUEST RANCH, and/or its affiliates, owns all pictures, video, audio, representations and other media related to, and resulting from, the endurance ride, and has sole authority to use such for the purposes of, but not limited to, marketing, advertisement, publicity, entertainment, commercial activity or other business purposes.

Participant: Signature: _____ date: _____

Printed or typed name: _____

If under 18, printed or typed name of Child: _____

DRIVING DIRECTIONS:

Boswell, Oklahoma is located between Durant and Hugo on hwy70 (east from Durant). Wood Guest Ranch is approximately 4 miles north of Boswell.

Driving from Durant: From Durant, take Hwy 70 east toward Boswell. After about 30 miles, turn north (left) onto Road 4010 at the Wood Guest Ranch sign. Proceed about 4 miles to E2020 Road. Turn west (left) on E2020 Road at the Wood Guest Ranch sign (on the left) and go about ¼ mile. Wood Guest Ranch is on the right at the marked gate. **DO NOT USE YOUR GPS! You will end up at the wrong location!**



KANOPOLIS CANYONS

50/35/25/15

May 11, 2019

Sanctioned and Governed by the Rules of the
AERC, OCER, and sanctioned with MOTDRA

Trails: Come out and enjoy well established trails and beautiful, unexpected scenery in the hills, canyons and prairie of north central Kansas.

Location: Kanopolis State Park, 200 Horsethief Rd, Marquette, KS 67464, just west of Lindsborg.

Camping: Showers, toilets, horse water, and limited electrical and water hook-ups are available. Please make your OWN reservation for a campsite AS SOON AS POSSIBLE by contacting Kanopolis State Park at 785-546-2565. You will need to pay a reservation fee in advance; you can pay camping and utility fees when you come to the ride.

Check-in: With ride secretary starting at 2 pm on Friday, and with judges when available on Friday.

Entry Fees: 50 miles Sr. \$95.00 Jr. \$20.00 35 miles Sr. \$85.00 Jr. \$20.00,
25 miles Sr. \$80.00 Jr. \$15.00 Intro fun ride 10 miles: Sr. \$30 Jr. \$10
Ride manager discount \$5.00 Early entry discount (payment rec'd by
4/8th) \$5.00

Mail PRE-ENTRIES to Ride Manager

Meals : Potluck Friday and Saturday night with entree provided by ride management

RIDE MANAGER: Erin Glassman
45 Sunflower Ave.
Hutchinson, KS 67502
620-617-7221
email: ejacob716@gmail.com
Emergency numbers:

JO TATE MEMORIAL RIDE I&II

25/50 Sat. 25/50/100 Sun.

Please note 100 mile on Sunday

8/15 Mile Intro both days

Sanctioned by AERC, OCER & MOTDRA

May 25 & 26, 2019

WHERE: Flag Springs Cons. Area, West of Washburn, Mo.

VETERINARIANS: Dr. Jeanie Hauser **RSVP - VERY IMPORTANT!!!! THANK YOU******

Horse Containment: Tied to trailer, high lined between trees and/or trailer and tree with proper tree saving straps, (cinches work great) and if electric pens are used it will be one animal per pen with separate fencing. If any questions on this call me.

NO DOGS ANYWHERE IN CAMP EXCEPT AT YOUR OWN TRAILERS!!

Start times: 100 milers- 4:00am, 50 milers- 6:00am, 25 & 15 milers will be announced at ride but will be after 50's leave camp. All vet checks in camp. This is a primitive campsite, no electric or water. Limited water in camp for horses, bring plenty of horse & human water. This is a beautiful trail to ride, from fast to slow, rocky to smooth. Hoof protection very strongly recommended. Plenty of water on trail, no bogs or mud. Three different loops. **Please let me know if you are a new rider to this sport.**

You may elevate one time from the 25 to the 50 for completion miles only.

100 milers: Your loops are different from the 50's so you **will not** be on the purple in the dark!!!! Your "in the dark" loops are the yellow reflective ribbon trail with the last half of the orange possibly in the dark depending on your speed.

DIRECTIONS: From the North: go South on 49 to I-44, at this point you will stay on 59 South going under I-44 heading toward Diamond. Do not take 49 onto I-44!!! (You will go many extra miles and not get your trailer through some back dirt roads!!)Continue on 59 South approx 12 miles to 60, turn left (East) and go to 37. Then right (South) on 37.

From the East (Springfield): West on I-44 to H Hwy. Take Hwy H going West then it will turn South going to Monett approx 12 miles. Right on Cleveland, go about 1/2 mile and then go South on 37 toward Cassville.

From the South: North on 540 to 62. Go East on 62 to 37 North toward Washburn. Do not use 90 between 71 and 37 coming from the west. Just look at your map. Your long trailer will not fit and you'll only go 5-20 mph.

Now for anybody who wants to google or mapquest to ride site just make sure you are using any of the above directions too. Each year someone just has to try a better/different way and we get some pretty interesting stories.

South of Cassville on 37 to Washburn. West on 90 approx. 2 1/2 miles to UU. Right on UU approx 2 miles to Flag Springs Conservation sign. Turn left onto dirt road at Flag Spring sign, **Not the Flag Springs Horse Ranch! Go on dirt road and at "Y" stay to the right and continue to camp.**

DO NOT USE A GPS TO GET TO FLAG SPRINGS. COMING IN FROM HWY 37 & HWY 90 IS THE ONLY WAY!!! CALL IF ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS.

POT LUCK SUPPER Friday after vet-in and before ride meeting. We will eat potluck again after the last 50 milers finish on Saturday and Sunday. Riders & families that arrive on Sat. for the Sunday ride are to join everyone for the potluck also. Awards for ALL will be after supper!! If you must leave early please make arrangements for someone to pick up your things. IF YOU WILL BE ARRIVING IN CAMP BEFORE FRIDAY, MAY 24th CALL ME. IF YOU ARE IN THE WRONG SPOT YOU WILL BE ASKED TO MOVE.

Negative coggins required and a health certificate for ALL "Out of State" horses.

Address for Flag Springs Conservation Area for those who must have one is: **Cassville Office, PO Box 607, Cassville, MO 65625**

I have GPS co-ordinates if your vet will use that as an address but they are not to be used to find this place!! Call for more info

**JODI HESS-SCHLUP NEW EMAIL!!! jotatememorial@outlook.com, schlupranch@mo-net.com,
417 850-9589 cell** All AERC and OCER rules and guidelines will govern this ride.



GOD'S COUNTRY

ENDURANCE RIDE

---Come join us for a ride in the Missouri Ozarks! Trail will be a combination of winding through the pines and forest, gravel roads and fields. Access to the Gasconade River during the ride to cool your horses off and let them drink.----

God's Country Endurance Ride

OCER Benefit - AERC.org

25/35/50 mile plus an Intro Ride

AERC(National)

OCER(Regional)/MOTDRA sanctioned

LOCATION:

Cole Creek Primitive Campground

Richland, MO 65556 (near Lebanon)

DATE:

June 8, 2019

DIRECTIONS:

Take Interstate I-44 to exit 129 MO-32/MO- 5 toward Hartville. Turn south then immediately turn left at the stop light to follow 32 E. Go about 7 miles then turn left on North N. Follow 1 1/2 miles Then turn right onto State Highway AC. Follow about 8 miles to highway K which is at a "T". Cross over K and go straight onto the gravel road which is Flagstone. Follow for 1.1 miles. At the "Y" turn left onto Village Rd. Camp will be 0.3 miles on your right.

CAMPGROUND:

No electricity or running water is in the campground. It is primitive, but nicely mowed with several tie posts throughout. There is limited room in camp and I'll need to know how much room to leave late comers, so PLEASE let me know you're coming via texting, e-mail or PM. If you find you cannot make it, PLEASE let me know as soon as possible!! We will have someone there when you arrive to help situate you in a place that best suits your needs. Horse water will be provided (in-camp & on-trail), but I encourage you to bring your own water as well.

Ride Manager:

Cathie Birmingham

5538 S. Roanoke Ave
Springfield, MO 65810

Phone: 417-848-1935

Email: anyamea123@yahoo.com

RULES:

- AERC Rules strictly enforced
- Manure/Hay spread in surrounding woods area
- Generators off 10pm-5am
- Dogs on leashes

All profits will go toward year end OCER awards

Membership \$20/Individual \$25/family

AERC Membership forms available on site

AWARDS: Completion Awards will be given to all finishers as well as specialty awards such as Best Condition Horse, High Vet Score, and Turtle.

AWARDS 1 hour after last 50 miler comes in

Friday Night (around 7:00)

Ride Meeting & Potluck

Saturday Night

Pizza Party (\$6/person)

VET IN 4:00 on Friday

Shoes or boots recommended.

Not barefoot friendly.

OCER 2019 Membership Form

Date dues paid _____ Check # (payable to OCER)/cash _____ Single/Family/Junior

OCER Annual membership Dues: \$30 individual. \$35 Family 2 adults and all children under 21 living at the same address.
\$5 Junior not living with OCER family

Name _____ Email _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ ZipCode _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Website _____ Printed Newsletter Y/ N

Weight Division with tack (circle one)

Featherweight (FW) <160 Lightweight (LW) (161-185) Middleweight (MW) (186-210) Heavyweight (>211)

Additional Family members Weight Division Age (if Junior)

For additional nominations, please write information on additional page.

Equines you are competing on

To nominate an equine for OCER breed awards, the OCER secretary must have a copy of the horse's registration papers (if required) on file, or if the award does not require registration papers a copy of the nomination form.

If you do not own the equine you are competing on the owner must be a member of OCER and the equine must be nominated in order to accrue points.

Equine Name	Breed	Age	Sex
Award category			Owned Y N Nominated Y N
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Award category			Owned Y N Nominated Y N
Equine Name	Breed	Age	Sex
Award category			Owned Y N

Nominated Y N For additional nominations, please write information on additional page.

Club Activities

Please check the club activities you would be willing to help with or interested in learning about.

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|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Ride Management | Ride Timer | Courtesy P&R | Vet Scribe |
| Trail Marking/Clearing | Mentorship | Hospitality | Ride Awards |
| Endurance Education | Membership Drives | OCER Promotion | OCER Fundraising |
| Year End Awards | Finding New Ride Venues | | |

Send to OCER secretary when Horse/Mule Nomination form is submitted.

OCER HORSE/MULE NOMINATION FORM

REQUIRED for those Award Categories NOT requiring registration papers. However if you DO have registration papers, please SEND a copy with this form.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

HORSE NAME: _____

AWARD CATEGORY: _____

COLOR: _____ HEIGHT: _____ AGE: _____ SEX: _____

HORSE/MULE NAME: _____

AWARD CATEGORY: _____

COLOR: _____ HEIGHT: _____ AGE: _____ SEX: _____

HORSE/MULE NAME: _____

AWARD CATEGORY: _____

COLOR: _____ HEIGHT: _____ AGE: _____ SEX: _____

HORSE/MULE NAME: _____

AWARD CATEGORY: _____

COLOR: _____ HEIGHT: _____ AGE: _____ SEX: _____

THIS FORM IS MAINTAINED ON ALL HORSES RIDDEN BY AN OCER MEMBER AND MUST BE ON FILE IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR YEAR END BREED AWARDS. HORSES REQUIRE ONLY ONE NOMINATION; NO NEED TO RENEW ANNUALLY.

SEND FORM WHEN OCER MEMBERSHIP FORM IS SUBMITTED.

SEND TO:

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