

**RANCHO CALIFORNIA HORSEMEN'S ASSOCIATION /
"ETIQUETTE RULES"**

- 1. Under no circumstances is anyone to pass the Trail Boss unless He/She has been given permission to do so. For the safety of horse and rider, all group rides are ridden at a walk. This also means NO loping or running on the trail. Make sure you and your horse can comply with this rule.**
- 2. No alcohol consumption allowed during rides.**
- 3. No Dogs.**
- 4. No Ponying.**
- 5. One rider per horse.**
- 6. No Stallions.**
- 7. Red Ribbon on tail of horses known to kick**
- 8. Do not pass another horse on the trail without permission of the rider, and then only when safe to do so.**
- 9. Maintain a horse length behind the horse in front of you. Do not lag behind the group and then lope to catch up.
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.**
- 15. Minimum age to ride with the club is 18 years. We can allow younger riders on a case by case basis per Executive Board approval if appropriate.**

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

Riders Signature, date

Riders name, printed, date