

DO THE HOKEY POKEY ENDURANCE RIDE 2023 ENTRY FORM

SANCTIONED BY AERC, SERA, SEDRA, RIDE&TIE, ORGANIZATIONS

(One Entry Per Rider)

Rider Name _____ AERC # _____
Address _____ First AERC ride? Y N
City, State, Zip _____ SERA member? Y N
Phone number _____ SEDRA member? Y N
Email address _____

Weight Division Feather (up to 160 lb.) Light (161-185 lb.)
Middle (186-210 lb.) Heavy (211 lb. and up)

THIS IS A RELEASE – IT CONTAINS LIMITATIONS ON LIABILITY- PLEASE READ IT

As a participant in the Hokey Pokey Endurance Ride, I agree to abide by the rules of AERC, SERA, SEDRA, and or the Ride & Tie Organization, as well as the Hokey Pokey Ride. I understand that endurance riding involves being in remote areas for extended periods of time, far from communications, transportation, and medical facilities; that these areas have many natural and man-made hazards, which ride management cannot anticipate, identify, modify, or eliminate; that you will be riding in a state forest which is open to the public; that there is a long distance trail run being held at the same time on the same trails as the horses; 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 the animal I am riding and myself. I will hold the Hokey Pokey Ride, the Southeast Endurance Riders Association, Southeast Distance Riders Association, the American Endurance Ride Conference, ride management, all ride personnel, and all property owners whose land the ride crosses, blameless for any accident, injury, or loss that might occur due to my participation in the Hokey Pokey Endurance Ride and free from all liability for such injury or loss.

I have read and understand this liability release.

Rider's Signature _____ Date _____
Parent/Guardian (rider under 16) _____ Date _____
Horse Owner's Signature _____ Date _____

Important Note: **EVERYONE MUST PRE-ENTER. NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED ON SITE.** Mail entry form and payment such that it is received **NO LATER** than Saturday January 21, 2023, or enter online at www.SERAOnline.org/SOLEEntrySecur.php Mail to: Carol Thompson PO Box 302 Mims FL 32754

Checks payable to: Sandy Terp

Entry Type

Intro Ride 15 miles				\$80
Equathon choose 10	15 or	25 miles		\$80
Ride and Tie choose 10 or	15 miles	Team Price		\$100
Endurance or Ride and Tie Team choose 25 or		50 miles		\$125
Endurance or Ride and Tie Team choose 75 or		100 miles		\$200
Junior Riders 25 miles and up any discipline				\$100

Specify Junior Rider distance and event:

Non AERC member day rate. But really you should join \$15

Unisex Tee Shirt Size YL YXL S M L XL 2XL

Chest Size 35" 39" 35" 39" 43 " 47" 50"

DO THE HOKEY POKEY

ENDURANCE RIDE, RIDE AND TIE, EQUATHON AND LONG DISTANCE TRAIL RUN

JANUARY 28, 2023 TO BENEFIT GOETHE STATE FOREST

Base Camp at Goethe Tidewater Trail Head Dunnellon Florida

Sanctioned by AERC, SERA, SEDRA, and Ride & Tie Association

You are invited to the first annual Hokey Pokey Ride and Run. Goethe State Forest is a 54,873 acre state forest near the gulf coast, north west of Dunnellon Florida. Base camp is at the Tidewater trailhead, but longer distances will also utilize the Apex and Black Prong trailheads for away holds. **IMPORTANT:** Riders and Runners will be on trail at the same time. Please practice with your horse if necessary so everyone stays safe. Helmets are required anytime you are mounted, prior, during and after the event.

Trail

Shoes are recommended as you will be using a lot of 2 track, logging or grade road. All distances 25 miles and over should plan for away vet checks. We will have more details when the trail is finalized.

Camp

Base Camp is at the Tidewater Trail Head located near the intersection of CR337 and CR336. Town is Dunnellon however camp is 10 miles from town. Primitive camping is available beginning Friday. There are multiple hydrants for horse water as well as bathrooms. Port-a-johns will also be on site. Riders competing 50 miles or less may arrive the day of the ride. Please allow adequate time to park, vet in, and set up your hold if not done on Friday. **You are responsible for attending the ride briefing Friday evening at 5:30 whether on site or not with your horse.**

Volunteers

Help is needed to man the runners aid stations, as well as in the vet checks. If you know of someone who would like to help, please call, email or enclose a note with the entry form. These should not be your crew as they may be busy elsewhere when you come to a hold. We will be most grateful and will plan to provide volunteers with a meal.

Food

Entrants and volunteers will receive a coupon for a meal on Saturday. We will have coffee and bagels set up on Saturday morning and there will be snacks on trail and at the holds. Additional meals will be available for sale Friday and all-day Saturday with vegan options.

Awards

A plethora of awards including completion, top ten, first to finish, BC, high vet score as well as junior awards, turtle, and some fun ones too!

Rules

All AERC and SERA rules apply. Decisions of vets are final. Horse, pony or mule must be 48 months old to enter the LD ride, 60 months old to enter the 50- or 75-mile ride and 72 months old to enter the 100-mile ride. Riders under 16 must be accompanied by a designated adult sponsor (21 years or older) for the duration of the ride. Approved safety helmets are required when mounted for all riders. In order to receive credit for completing the ride, horses must be "fit to continue", as determined by the veterinarians and must complete within the time allotted for the distance. The winner of the LD-mile ride will be the first horse whose pulse recovers to 60 bpm and is "fit to continue". Horses will have 30 minutes to recover after passing the finish line timer. **You are responsible for knowing and adhering to the rules for the event you enter. You must present a negative Coggins test (< 1 year), and ALL appropriate membership numbers. All dogs must be on a leash (park rule). Warning: Under Florida Law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to, or the death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities. Chapter 773.**

Fees

Refer to the entry form for a list of fees. **You MUST pre-register.** You must mail your entry form and check to the ride secretary Carol Thompson PO Box 302 Mims FL 32754 Checks made payable to Sandy Terp, such that she receives it **NO LATER** than Saturday January 21, 2023 since she will be traveling to the ride that week. The SERA Online Entry is an option to enter the ride where you can pay by credit card at [SERA OnLine Entry](#) Please download this entry and email it if you are paying online.

Directions

From Dunnellon, Route 40 West, right on Route 336, right on 337. Tidewater Trail Head will be immediately on your right.

From Route 19 Lebanon Station, north on 121, immediate right onto route 336, left on 337. Tidewater Trail Head will be immediately on your right.

From Williston, route 121 south, left on 337, left into Tidewater Trail Head just before route 336.

