

ETONIAH WINTER GALLOP

JANUARY 10-11, 2020

Etoniah Creek State Forest

390 Holloway Rd

Florahome, FL 32140

RIDE MANAGER: Vicky Thompson

Melrosevicky@gmail.com

904-629-6522

RIDE SECRETARY: Carol Thompson

carolythompson@msn.com

REGISTRATION: Make check payable to: **Vicky Thompson**

Mail entry and full payment to: **Carol Thompson**

P. O. Box 302

Mims, FL 32754

TRAIL MASTER/ASSISTANT SECRETARY: Mya Dossat

FACILITY/CAMPING: Etoniah Creek State Forest is located at 390 Holloway Rd., Florahome, FL 32140. Primitive camping with porta-potties provided. No people water provided. Horse water will be provided but if you can bring your own that will help immensely. Dogs are welcome but must be on leash at all times, no exceptions. No ground fires allowed. **CAMP WILL OPEN 10:00 AM ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 9TH AND CLOSE ON SUNDAY, JANUARY 12TH AT NOON.**

TRAILS: Mixture of double and single track trails. Most of the trails have very good footing with some rocks, gravel and sand. For the 50's there is an approx. 1 mile hardpack lime rock road. Horse water and hay will be provided out on trails. **SHOES AND/OR BOOTS RECOMMENDED.**

50 Milers: 4 Loops (Yellow – 9.4, Orange – 10.01, Pink – 15.4, Blue – 15.3 = 50.11 Miles)

25 Milers: 2 Loops (Pink – 15.4, Orange – 10.01 = 25.41 Miles)

15 Milers: 1 Loop (Pink – 15.4)

10 Milers: 1 Loop (Orange – 10.01)

RIDE TIMES: 50 Milers – 7:30 am

25 Milers – 8:30 am

Intro – 9:30am

AWARDS: Check agenda for award times. Awards will be given for Top 10, Best Condition, High Vet, Juniors and Turtle. **COMPLETION AWARDS WILL BE GIVEN AT REGISTRATION.**

FOOD: Food will be provided with your ride entry. Italian food (including vegetarian) on Thursday night. Fried chicken, vegetables and salad on Friday night. Coffee, juice, fruit and pastries will be provided each ride morning. Grill cheese and soup will be provided from approx. 10am-2pm on both ride days for riders and volunteers.

DIRECTIONS: From the **south** take SR 100 through Palatka, FL to just south of Florahome turn left on Holloway Rd (across from Holloway is the Q.I. Roberts High School). Approximately **3 miles** on Holloway (**do not turn in to the first entrance**) turn right into park entrance. Drive to the dead end, turn right and you will see the parking area straight ahead.

From the **north** take SR 100 from Starke past Keystone Heights to Florahome. Drive through Florahome turn left on Holloway Rd (across from Holloway is the Q.I. Roberts High School). Approximately **3 miles** on Holloway (**do not turn in to the first entrance**) turn right into park entrance. Drive to the dead end, turn right and you will see the parking area straight ahead.

CAMP/RIDE RULES: All AERC, SEDRA and SERA rules apply. Riders must wear a helmet at all times while mounted. Negative coggins is required.

VET JUDGES: Melissa Ribley, Robert Marshall, Kristi Fox

TIMERS: Nancy Gooch and Carol Thompson

PULSE BOX: Wes and Carolyn Maillard

PHOTOGRAPHER: Becky Pearman

ALL ENTRIES WITH CHECK (PAID IN FULL) MUST BE RECEIVED BY JANUARY 8, 2020. AFTER THAT DATE, EMAIL OR CALL RIDE MANAGER.

CANCELLATIONS: Ride Management must be notified for any ride cancellations. NO CALL – NO REFUND. Refunds will be issued minus a \$25 admin fee. All refunds will be issued post ride. Meal tickets are non-refundable.

WELCOME COMPETITORS AND VOLUNTEERS TO THE

ETONIAH CREEK WINTER GALLOP

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

(All times subject to change)

THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 2020

Camp opens	10:00 am
Registration	1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Pre-ride Vet-in for Friday	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm
Dinner	6:00 pm
Riders Meeting (new rider meeting to follow)	6:30 pm
Generators Off	10:00 pm

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 2020

Generators on	5:00 am
50-Mile Start	7:30 am
25-Mile Start	8:30 am
Intro-10 & 15 Start	9:30 am
Lunch	10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Registration	1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
25 Mile Cut-Off (6 hrs after start)	2:30 pm
Pre-ride Vet-in for Saturday	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm
25 Mile Awards Ceremony	3:30 pm
Dinner	6:00 pm
Riders Meeting (new rider meeting to follow)	6:30 pm
50-Mile Cut-Off (12 hrs after start)	7:30 pm
Awards – 50 Mile	TBD
Generators Off	10:00 pm

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 2020

Generators On	5:00 am
50-Mile Start	7:30 am
25-Mile Start	8:30 am
Intro-10 & 15 Start	9:30 am
Lunch	10:00 am – 2:00 pm
25 Mile Cut-Off (6 hrs after start)	2:30 pm
25 Mile Awards Ceremony	3:30 pm
50 Mile Cut-Off (12 hrs after start)	7:30 pm
50 Mile Awards Ceremony	TBD

Sunday, January 12, 2020

Camp Closes	Noon
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RIDERS NAME: _____ DESIRED SHIRT SIZE: _____
 STREET ADDRESS: _____
 CITY, STATE & ZIP: _____
 PHONE # _____ EMAIL: _____
 AERC (RIDER) #: _____

Circle weight division (rider & tack): **Feather (<160#)** **Middle (186-210#)**
 Light (161-185#) **Heavy (210# +)**
 Junior Rider Age: _____ Junior Sponser: _____

Friday, 10th (circle one) **10** **15** **25** **50** **Horse Name:** _____
 AERC Owner Name & AERC # (if different from rider) _____
 Horse age at competition: _____ (50 mile horse min 5 years old; 25 mile horse min 4 years)
 Horse AERC # _____
 COGGINS Accession #: _____ EXP Date: _____ State: _____

Saturday, 11th (circle one) **10** **15** **25** **50** **Horse Name:** _____
 AERC Owner Name & AERC # (if different from rider): _____
 Horse age at competition: _____ (50 mile horse min 5 years old; 25 mile horse min 4 years)
 Horse AERC # _____
 COGGINS Accession #: _____ EXP Date: _____ State: _____

FRIDAY MILEAGE OPTIONS	Intro Ride Entry Fee: \$50 - Circle one: 10 15 25 Mile Limited Distance Entry Fee: \$100 (Junior Riders: \$60) 50 Mile Limited Distance Entry Fee: \$100 (Junior Riders: \$60)	\$ \$ \$
SATURDAY MILEAGE OPTIONS	Intro Ride Entry Fee: \$50 - Circle one: 10 15 25 Mile Limited Distance Entry Fee: \$100 (Junior Riders: \$60) 50 Mile Endurance Entry Fee: \$100 (Junior Riders: \$60)	\$ \$ \$
CAMPING FEES	Parking Fee Per Rig for the weekend Day use parking fee (coming in day of the ride)	\$20.00 \$10.00
EXTRA MEAL FEES	Thursday Dinner: (INCLUDED in ride entry if competing on Friday. # extra meals _____ (\$10 each) Friday Dinner: (INCLUDED in ride entry if competing on Saturday. # extra meals _____ (\$10 each)	\$ \$
	NON-AERC Member day fee: \$15 (per day)	\$
	TOTAL AMOUNT DUE:	\$

Please make checks payable to Vicky Thompson
 Mail entry with check in full to Carol Thompson P. O. Box 302 Mims, FL 32754
ENTRIES AND CHECK (PAID IN FULL) MUST BE RECEIVED BY JANUARY 8, 2020

EQUINE ACTIVITY RELEASE – READ CAREFULLY:

WARNING: As a participant in the Etoniah Creek Endurance Ride, I agree to abide by the rules of AERC, SEDRA, SERA, Forestry and Ride Management. 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 may have natural and man-made hazards which ride management cannot anticipate, identify, modify or eliminate; that horses can be excitable, difficult to control and unpredictable; and that accidents can happen to anyone at anytime. I agree to take full responsibility for myself and the animal that I am riding. I hold ride management, all ride personnel, volunteers, vendors, sponsors, hosts and U.S. Forestry blameless and free from liability for any accident, injury or loss that might occur due to my participation in the Etoniah Creek Endurance Ride. This release is valid for my animals, personal belongings, family or guests in my company. I have read and understand this liability release.

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.

--APPROVED SAFETY HELMETS REQUIRED FOR ALL RIDERS--

By signing below, I acknowledge that I've read and understand the conditions of the above Equine Activity and Medical Releases and the requirements to wear a safety helmet at all times while riding. I give my permission for photos of myself and my horse(s) taken at Etoniah Creek Endurance Ride to be published and utilized in any positive media relating to the ride or event.

Participate Name (PRINT) _____

Participate Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian name if participate is under 18 yrs (Print) _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Emergency Contact and Phone # (Please list two):

1. _____

2. _____