

**2023 SCENIC SPRUCE CREEK SPRING FLING ELEVATOR**  
**FRIDAY USEF LOCAL LITE 40 KM, 80 KM (LICENSE APPLIED PENDING)**  
**SATURDAY MAY 20 MORNING 25/50/65 & 25 AFTERNOON + INTRO AERC, SEDRA, SERA**  
**SUNDAY, MAY 21 25/50 +INTRO RIDES AERC, SEDRA, SERA**  
**DORIS LEEPER SPRUCE CREEK PRESERVE KAYE PLACE**  
**2317 CREEK SHORE TRAIL NEW SMYRNA, FL**  
**RIDE & TIE INVITED**

**Send entries to:** Cheryl Van Deusen (386) 566-4820 [centralflhorseshow@gmail.com](mailto:centralflhorseshow@gmail.com)  
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**Facilities:** The Doris Leeper Spruce Creek Preserve consists of more than 2479 acres in Volusia County, FL of which this 600-acre area consists of a mosaic of varying habitat and soil types. This park is primitive with NO ELECTRICITY OTHER THAN YOUR GENERATORS which must be off between 10 pm-5 am. All rules of the preserve must be observed. Anyone breaking these rules may be asked to leave. No firearms or narcotics are permitted in the preserve. Please leave the grounds as clean as you found them – remove hay or place it in woods, and really spread the manure! A convenience store is four miles away for ice and fuel intersection of Pioneer Trail and Sugar Mill Roads.

**Camping –** Primitive camping is available but THERE IS A LOCAL PLACES NEARBY WITH STALLS OR PADDOCKS/camp with your horse(s) and electric hookups (Flying B Ranch). Their address is 686 North Samsula Drive, New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168. Phone: 386-478-1244 They have electrical hookups, paddocks or stalls for your horses. Camp opens at 10 am Friday. Gate opens at 5 am for Arrival on Saturday or Sunday if you want to drive in for the day. Trail and vet information will be emailed in advance to registered riders and posted. Camping is \$10 per night horse whether you overnight or not. There is plenty of grassy pasture with open fields and areas under wonderful old trees. Bring your PEOPLE water and your food. There is horse water available. Portable Paddocks, tie to your trailer, or High-Ties may be utilized. Please do not tie directly to trees or fences! There is ONE hose that is near the vet check area but no hosing your horse during the ride as it's needed to refill water tanks. You may rinse them afterwards. Day riders may be present also. Do NOT camp on top of any disk golf holes please so stay on the left side of the road in the big field when you drive in. The pavilion is the vet check area.

**VET IN IS IN ORDER THAT ENTRIES WERE RECEIVED –** although if you are late, then we move to next person!

**Entry Requirements:** Pre-entry REQUESTED for all rides with full payment received by May 13, 2023 Contact RM if you have a justifiable exception. **EVERYONE COMING WITH YOU MUST SIGN WAIVERS.**

**Meals:** potluck meal on Friday - with us providing chicken and one veggie....saturday we may do pizzas

**Rules:** All AERC, SEDRA, and SERA rules apply Saturday and Sunday, USEF on Friday. Decisions of the vets are final. To receive credit for completing the ride, horses must be "fit to continue", is determined by the veterinarians. JUNIORS must be accompanied by an adult sponsor 18 years or older. Everyone must show a current AERC card or pay the \$15 non-member fee, and this applies to juniors. 25-mile horses must be 4 years old, 50-mile horses must be 5 years old. **ALL RIDERS MUST WEAR HELMETS WHEN MOUNTED**. Dogs are welcome but must be under control, in their pen or on a leash with person always attached. AERC rules may be found at [www.aerc.org/](http://www.aerc.org/) Lastly, please be kind to volunteers and officials!

**Tentative Schedule of Events:** 65 Miles start at 7:00 am and 50 Mile/25 Mile rides start at 7:30 am together. Intro riders start around 9 AM (earlier if you are riding with a friend in the LD/50 mile distances) or later as you need to vet in after the 25/50 horses and ride a second loop with a friend. The afternoon LD starts at 1:00 (ESTIMATED) so come in plenty of time to vet in before your start. Check in with timer 15 minutes BEFORE your start. You can leave late but check-in 15 minutes before your time starts, you may start late but check in on time! Times, officials and loops subject to change check on-site.

**FEES:** AERC 25/50 miles \$135.00 Adults; young riders are \$90; Juniors are \$70 and Intro Riders \$50.00. ONCE YOU VET IN, THERE ARE NO REFUNDS. If you pre-register and if you cancel before the ride 13 days or less, a \$50 cancellation fee applies as we have ordered shirts, prizes, and vets based on these numbers. Multiple intro rides each day. You may successfully complete one IDR and then start the next IDR with vet approval.

**Awards:** Best condition, top ten, first Junior awards are available for pick up at pavillion after successful completion. You must sign that received your award – we will NOT mail any awards to you so please pick them up! We will try to post placings by the pavillion.

**Trails:** All trails loop back to camp with no away vet checks. Sandy trails, predominantly two-track with some single track through the woods and dirt roads with roots! It is a barefoot friendly trail! These are MULTI-USE trails – disk golf, bicycles, dogs, hikers, children, older people, gopher turtles, **NEVER GO ON PERMANENT MARKED BLUE TRAILS (BICYCLES).**

**Officials:** Depending on the day, veterinarians include Dr. Ann Stuart, Dr. Carter Hounsel, Dr. Melissa Ribley, Dr. Lynne Johnson, and Dr. Cheryl Rusin

**Directions:** IF YOU USE GPS, YOU MUST TURN RIGHT AT THE PARK GATE when you see ride sign. 2317 CREEK SHORE TRAIL, NEW SMYRNA, FL From I-95, take exit #249 New Smyrna Beach, SR #44 – Go east about 0.4 miles towards New Smyrna and take the FIRST left at caution light onto Sugar Mill Road. In 1.4 miles, Sugar Mill Road comes to a 4-way stop sign. Go left onto Pioneer Trail for 1.7 miles. Go right onto Turnbull Bay Road. Go 2.15 miles and turn left onto Creek Shore Trail. Entrance to the preserve is 1.45 miles on left through an orange gate.

From I-4 take exit 118, SR #44 East towards New Smyrna Beach. In about 7.2 miles turn LEFT onto CR 4118 which is Pioneer Trail. In about 4 miles, you come to a 4 way intersection (Cabbage Patch Sopotnik's Bar on left corner. Stop and continue STRAIGHT still on Pioneer Trail, CR 4118. Go 4.1 miles (go over I95 but there is no exit there) to QUICK LEFT ON CURVE - Turnbull Bay Road. Go 2.15 miles and turn left onto Creek Shore Trail. The entrance to the preserve is 1.45 miles on the left through a 'park' gate.

**NEARBY CAMPING:** Flying B Ranch is located approximately five miles away on Pioneer Trail. The address is 686 North Samsula Drive, New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168. Phone: 386-478-1244

They have electrical hookups, paddocks or stalls for your horses. You can keep your horses at Flying B and stay in a hotel or camp onsite with them. You can be at the ride site in about 15-20 minutes each morning.

Website for reservations is: <http://flyingb-ranch.net/> or email: [tomflyingb@msn.com](mailto:tomflyingb@msn.com)

**CHECKS MADE TO:** Central FL Horse Shows or Zelle please – if you PAYPAL include 3% fees! - Mail or email (if you send payments viapaypal/zelle ) to: [centralflhorseshow@gmail.com](mailto:centralflhorseshow@gmail.com)  
Cheryl Van Deusen 656 Sapp Road New Smyrna, FL 32168 or Zelle; phone number (386) 566-4820

**Scenic Spruce Creek Spring Fling Elevator 25/50/65 and 25 & Intro Rides Saturday  
& Sunday 25/50+Intro Rides May 20-21, 2023  
USEF Lite (Friday applied), AERC/SERA/SEDRA Sat and Sun**

Rider's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ **AERC #** \_\_\_\_\_ **PLEASE!!!**  
 City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact Phone/Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Coggins LAB & Date Pulled:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Accession#** \_\_\_\_\_

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Horse Owner's Name (if different) \_\_\_\_\_ USEF# Horse & Rider: \_\_\_\_\_

SERA Member Yes No	SEDRA Member Yes No		<b>WEIGHT DIVISION FOR 50 MILE RIDE</b> - Featherweight (up to 160 lbs.) _____ Lightweight (161 to 185 lbs.) _____ Middleweight (186 to 210 lbs.) _____ Heavyweight ( 211 lbs. and up) _____ Junior _____ <b>Weight with Tack</b>						
	Saturday AM	Intro Ride#1	Horse AERC #	Horse Name	Breed	Age	Color	Sex	
	Saturday AM	Distance 25	Horse AERC#	Horse Name	Breed	Age	Color	Sex	Owner's Name
	Saturday PM @1:00	Distance 25	Horse AERC#	Horse Name	Breed	Age	Color	Sex	
	Saturday AM	Distance 50	Horse AERC #	Horse Name	Breed	Age	Color	Sex	
	Saturday AM	Distance 65	Horse AERC #	Horse Name	Breed	Age	Color	Sex	
	Sunday AM	Intro Ride	Horse AERC#	Horse Name	Breed	Age	Color	Sex	
	Sunday AM LD	Distance 25	Horse AERC#	Horse Name	Breed	Age	Color	Sex	
	Sunday AM 50	Distance 50	Horse AERC#	Horse Name	Breed	Age	Color	Sex	

- { } 25 mile ride Adult – Saturday AM \$135.00 \_\_\_\_\_
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- { } 50 mile ride Junior Rider <16 years Sunday AM \$ 70.00 \_\_\_\_\_
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- { } 25 mile ride Young Rider – Sunday AM \$ 90.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- { } 50 mile ride Young Rider 16-21 years Sunday AM \$ 90.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- { } Intro rider any age First Ride \$ 50.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- { } Intro rider any age SECOND INTRO Ride same day \$ 40.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- { } AERC Non-member fee per ride (not necessary for intro) \$ 15.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- { } Camping \$10 per horse (night or day arrival) \$ 10.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- LATE FEE \$50 if NOT PAID in full by 05/13/23 \$ 50.00 \_\_\_\_\_**

## Ride Release Waiver

**This document waives very important legal rights. Read it carefully before signing.**

As consideration for participating in the Scenic Spruce Creek Endurance Rides, I agree to abide by the rules of the USEF, AERC, SEDRA, SERA, Ride & Tie, and the Ride. I understand that distance 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 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 and the animal I am riding. This release is also valid for my animals, personal belongings, family members, any guests or crew in my company. **Under FL law, an equine 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 (FL Statute 773.01-773.06).**

I shall hold the following list of individuals and entities blameless and free from liability, to the fullest extent allowed by law, for any accident, injury or loss that might occur due to my participation in the ride. To be very clear, I shall not pursue any legal action or other form of action against the following: the ride management, Central Florida Horse Shows, Volusia County, AERC, SEDRA, and SERA all ride personnel, all veterinarians and related treatments, the State of Florida, the landowners of the base camp, and all property owners over whose land the ride crosses. I have read and understand this liability release. I understand that this Release applies for the entire ride; from arrival at Spruce Creek Preserve, during the ride and until removal of all animals and personal property from the ride site.

**ENTRY AGREEMENT** I have read the rules concerning competitions as printed Entry Form, the USEF, AERC, SERA, SEDRA and Ride & Tie rules, and agree to be bound by and subject to those Rules.

**DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**RIDER/DRIVER/** (mandatory)

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**HORSE OWNER/LEASEE** (mandatory)

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**OWNER/AGENT** (mandatory)

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:**

(Required if Rider/Driver/Handler/ is a Minor) \_\_\_\_\_

Print Parent//Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE OF SPONSOR FOR JUNIOR:** \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Sponsor for Junior \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE OF VOLUNTEER/CREW:** \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Volunteer/Crew: \_\_\_\_\_