

WEAVERS BEND STOMP – Rural Resources Benefit Ride – 20 FOOT TRAILER RESTRICTION

October 1, 2022

Make Checks Payable to: **Charlesey McCallister**

ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY **September 21** to avoid late fee and no completion prize Sweatshirt:

Rural Resources

c/o **Charlesey McCallister**

2870 Holly Creek Rd
Greeneville TN 37745

NAME _____ AERC# _____
Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Email _____ Phone _____
Emergency Contact _____ Phone _____
Weight Division _____
Junior Birthday _____ Sponsor _____

Horse Name _____ AERC# _____ Age* _____

Sweat Shirt Size _____ (S, M, L, XL) **Completion Prize for 25 and 50 Mile AERC Competitors**

ENTRY FEES:

50-mile	\$120.00	\$ _____
25-mile	\$120.00	\$ _____
Junior (25 & 50)	\$60.00	\$ _____
Intro ride	\$60.00	\$ _____
Non-AERC member	\$15.00	\$ _____
Ride & Tie 4 MILE	\$35.00	\$ _____
Ride & Tie 10 MILE	\$65.00	\$ _____
Ride & Tie 15 MILE	\$65.00	\$ _____
Ride & Tie 25 MILE	\$85.00	\$ _____

RIDE AND TIE COMPETITORS PLEASE NOTE - SWEATSHIRTS NOT INCLUDED IN YOUR PRICE – if you want one please order them separately. There are no completion prizes for R&T

Extra Sweat Shirt \$20.00 (cost of shirt from provider) Size _____ \$ _____

On-Site Late Fee \$25.00 \$ _____

Donation to Rural Resources Farm and Food Education Center: \$ _____

Total \$ _____

Description: 50 horse limit - including Ride and Tie

TRAIL MAPS: Will be available on our Facebook page and I will send them out via Email 1 week before the ride for you to print them out at home.

PLEASE NOTE: **NO LARGE LIVINGQUARTERS RIGS** Horse Trailers longer than **20 feet** will not be able to make the turn onto the bridge to get into the camp ground. If you have a small trailer PLEASE bring it for this ride!!!!

I cannot guarantee you that you will get in with a trailer bigger than 18-20 ft.

Primitive Camping only - no people water - plenty of horse water - Shoeing or some sort of hoof protection required.

This is a rough it kinda weekend!!! Bring your bumper pull and tent!

This is some of the most beautiful back country you will ever ride in. Obviously this is a mountain course so be prepared to climb. BUT it will be easier than MCM.

What to Expect from the Course:

25 mile LD:

The 25 will be challenging but I would say that the 25 on this side of the mountain will be much easier than the 30 at MCM.

Loop 1: 15 mile figure 8 loop that is mostly single track and technical - some gravel - there are some steep sections to this loop - be prepared to get off your horse if you are not comfortable with steep declines. Breathtaking Views of the valleys below.

Loop 2: 10 mile out and back (easy flat rolling gravel Forestry road)

50 mile:

This 50 will be one for the books, it offers a variety of footing and I would say it's comparable to Big South Fork.

Loop 1: 25 mile out and back 15 miles will be a mixture of single track technical and rocky intermixed with rolling wide grassy forestry roads (you can canter these). Roughly 10 miles of gravel road - easy to move out on. With this loop there will be a fully stocked Aid Station at the turn around point. Take time and let your horse eat and drink.

Loop 2: 15 mile figure 8 loop that is mostly single track and technical - some gravel - there are some steep sections to this loop - be prepared to get off your horse if you are not comfortable with steep declines. Breathtaking Views of the valleys below.

Loop 3: Loop overlooking the campground, single track technical with good footing OR an out and back (easy flat rolling gravel Forestry road).... It will depend on what the trails look like when we're marking the loops.

Directions:

NEWPORT TN:

US-25 S/US-70 E 14.5 mi

Turn left onto Weavers Bend Rd (winding gravel road) 3.5 mi

Turn Right onto BRIDGE to stay on Weavers Bend Rd 1.5 mi

FROM GREENEVILLE TN:

TN-107 W/TN-70 S 9.0 mi

Slight right onto TN-107 W (towards Del Rio) 8.7 mi

Turn left onto Brush Creek Rd 1.8 mi -

****This is paved and VERY narrow. I have no problem hauling my 16-20 trailers but know there are some narrow bridges****

Turn left onto Weavers Bend Rd 1.8 mi follow AERC signs to campground

Your Google maps will bring you here but know that you may not have service once you hit the gravel road or Brush Creek Road. There will be signs leading you in – please look for them.