

Trail Ride Rules

1. Any rider who is under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a responsible adult. This applies to both members and guests.
2. Please wait until everyone in your group is mounted before riding off.
3. Please limit your rides to trails that you and your horse can handle. Experience, conditioning and adequate equipment are important factors that can insure you an enjoyable and safe experience.
4. Ride at the same pace as the lead rider.
5. No tail gaiting... keep at least on horse length between horses.
6. Please keep your horses at a walk going up and down hills. This is better conditioning for your horse, and you won't leave a novice rider or green horse anxious to catch up.
7. When encountering an obstacle on the trail, please wait for each horse in the group to clear the obstacle before proceeding.
8. Please clean up the trailhead after your horse. Place manure and hay back in your trailer if no disposal area is provided.
9. No dogs on organized trail rides.
10. No Stallions on organized trail rides.
11. Only one rider per horse.
12. If you decide to leave the riding group to return to the trailhead, let the trail boss know.
13. Please place a red tie in the tail of a horse that kicks to warn the rider behind you.
14. Please let the trail boss or ride leader know about any medical conditions that might need our attention on the trail (ex: allergic to bee stings, heart problems, etc.) Carry medicine on your person.
15. It is strongly recommended that all riders should wear a helmet when mounted.
16. All riders including members, non-members and guests must sign the liability release form and return the form to the trail boss prior to mounting on each ride. Liability Release forms for minors must be signed by parent or legal guardian.
17. Any trail boss reserves the right to ask anyone to leave a club ride. This is for the safety of the other riders as well as that of the person being asked to refrain from the ride.