

# OLD GLORY I AND II 2017 ENDURANCE RIDE

AERC SANCTIONED, TERA SPONSORED  
THIS IS A TERA "MEMBERS BENEFIT RIDE"

INTO, 25, AND 50 MILE RIDES OFFERED SATURDAY, MAY 27, AND SUNDAY, MAY 28,  
2017, IN THE BEAUTIFUL DAVY CROCKETT NATIONAL FOREST

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PHOTOGRAPHER: John Nowell

Endurance riding is an athletic event for both horse and rider. The goal is to complete the marked trails within the time given as established by AERC rules. All equines must pass through vet checks before and during the event before they are allowed to continue. After the ride, the equine must pass another check before being allowed a completion. AERC/TERA rules and regulations define and govern this ride. For information visit [www.aerc.org](http://www.aerc.org) and [texasendurancerider.org](http://texasendurancerider.org).

DIRECTIONS: Kennard is 16 miles east of Crockett and 36 miles west of Lufkin. In "downtown" Kennard, turn south off hwy 7 between the post office and a small tan tin building onto CR 4625. (also called Broadway) Two miles south of hwy 7, turn right into camp. Follow the signs and make sure that you don't park/camp on trail.

CAMPING: This is Bo and Linda Parrish's private pasture. There is plenty of room for all types of rigs. Port-o-potties will be located throughout the property. Watch for trail ribbons and do not park on trail. Please use pack-it-in and pack-it-out type of camping. The Parrish's have graciously loaned us their pasture, and we want to leave it as close as possible to how we found it. This is where their horses live, so please NO FEED LEFT ON PASTURE. We need to be conservative of water so please bring your own horse water, and sponge to cool your horse instead of hosing/scooping.

TRAILS: Gently rolling hills down old logging roads and single horse width wooded trails all on the Piney Creek Horse Trails through Davy Crockett National Forest. There will be some riding on gravel/rock FS and County Roads. In the case of bad rain, all trails will re-route to the gravel roads. Shoes are not necessary but are recommended. All checks will be in camp for all distances.

MEALS: Dinner will be provided Saturday night for all entrants. Our chef will be David Fant who volunteered his service. Guests, please donate 5 dollars in the collection jar during dinner. All meals will be provided for volunteers and vets.

AWARDS: T-shirts for completion awards. Top Ten for 25 and 50 mile riders, Best condition and other awards will be presented.

Friday: You may arrive as early as 8 am. Registration opens at 2 pm; pre-ride checks start at approx. 4 pm; pre-ride briefing at 7. Post pre-ride meeting for new/first time riders.

Saturday and Sunday: Start times are approximate: 7 am-50 milers, 8 am-25 milers, and 9 am intros. Awards/Dinner/ Pre-ride briefing for Sunday will be approx. 7:30 pm

## OLD GLORY RIDE RULES:

1. The equines are under the control of experienced ride veterinarians who will do everything possible to help you evaluate your equine in order that you complete the ride without hurting your equine. However, you must accept responsibility for your equine and yourself. The vets may disqualify any rider who has, in the opinion of the vets, abused his/her equine. The vet's decision will be final in all matters concerning the safety and well being of the equines entered in the ride.
2. Proof of a negative coggins test dated within 12 months is required for Texas riders, and health certificate for out of state riders is required, and may be checked at gate.
3. The ride is open to all breeds of equines. The equine must be at least 60 months of age to enter the 50 mile ride, and 48 months to enter the 25 mile and intro ride.
4. A junior is a rider who was under the age of 16 as of December 1 2016. Juniors must be accompanied by a competent adult over 21 sponsor entered in the ride, and must list the sponsor on the entry. The junior and sponsor must finish within one minute of each other or risk loss of completion for both riders. Sponsors may be changed only at vet checks and with approval of ride management. **ALL JUNIORS ON THE RIDE SITE MUST WEAR APPROVED SAFETY HELMETS WHILE ON HORSEBACK AT ALL TIMES.**
5. All riders must be present and accounted for at the start of the ride. Approved safety helmets are recommended for all riders!
6. The same horse and rider must pass all checkpoints, follow the ride rules, stay on the marked trail and do the loops in the correct order to receive completion. 50 mile placing will be determined by the first horse across the finish line. **TIES ARE RECOGNIZED ONLY IF MANAGEMENT CANNOT DETERMINE PLACEMENT.** All equines must see a vet for completion check or when pulling for any reason.
7. Vet criteria will be discussed at the pre-ride briefing. Riders are responsible for understanding this information and all AERC/TERA rules.
8. All equines in each distance must meet pulse criteria within 30 minutes of reaching a vet check or be disqualified. The equine must be metabolically fit to continue and have no gait aberrations that are consistently observable at a trot, and must have a pulse of 64 or less for 50 milers, and 60 or less for 25 milers. For BC judging, equines must be presented one hour from the finishing time and riders must weigh before the hour presentation or as directed by the head judge.
9. Riders are responsible for all vet fees that may be individually incurred.
10. Dogs are to be on leash or confined to rider's camp.
11. Have fun and be safe!

OLD GLORY 2017 ENTRY FORM FOR **SATURDAY** MAY 27

RIDER# \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK# \_\_\_\_\_ AMT \_\_\_\_\_

RIDER AERC# \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

JUNIOR BIRTHDAY \_\_\_\_\_ SPONSOR \_\_\_\_\_

Junior must wear helmet while on horseback and be accompanied by an adult entrant.

CIRCLE APPROPRIATE DIVISION: JUNIOR (UNDER 16 YO) FWT (160 LB AND UNDER)

LWT (161-185) MWT (186-210) HWT (211 OR MORE)

EQUINE AERC # \_\_\_\_\_ EQUINE NAME \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT PERSON & PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

INTRO RIDERS: \$45 \_\_\_\_\_

If you are a new intro rider, and have never done a ride before, this will also include a TERA MEMBERSHIP worth \$25.

25 MILER \$100 \_\_\_\_\_

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AERC NOT CURRENT+ \$15 \_\_\_\_\_

JUNIOR DISCOUNT- \$20 \_\_\_\_\_

TERA MEMBER DISCOUNT- \$20 \_\_\_\_\_

TERA NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

CHECK TOTAL FOR SATURDAY \_\_\_\_\_

Please take only one discount. ENTRIES FEES ARE 100% REFUNDABLE IF YOU DO NOT START THE RIDE. ENTRIES RECEIVED BY MONDAY MAY 15 WILL BE ENTERED IN A DRAWING TO HAVE YOUR RIDE ENTRY REFUNDED!

**USFS Trail Use Fee-\$10/day trail access fee.** You will need to make out a separate check for USFS trail use fee. DO NOT include this fee/check in this paperwork. We will have envelopes and a USFS fee box at the registration table.

PLEASE WRITE OUT **SEPARATE** CHECKS FOR SATUDAY AND SUNDAY

PLEASE MAKE CHECK OUT TO **"TERA"** - ADDRESS IT TO: KERRY LOWREY, 163 FISHER MCCONATHY ROAD ANACOCO LOUISIANA 71403

OLD GLORY 2017 ENTRY FORM FOR **SUNDAY** MAY 28

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RIDER AERC# \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

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US FOREST SERVICE WAIVER AND OLD GLORY ENDURANCE RIDE LIABILITY  
AND MEDICAL RELEASE

I, \_\_\_\_\_ acknowledge and accept that practicing for and participation in the Old Glory Endurance Ride event, held in Davy Crockett National Forest on MAY 27 ABD 28 2017 involves the risk of personal injury to myself and/or my horse. By my signature, I hereby waive all rights to file a claim or lawsuit against the United States for any injury or damage which may occur during practice for or participation in the Texas Endurance Riders Association's Old Glory Endurance Ride.

Upon acceptance of my application for entry in the Old Glory Endurance Ride held May 27 and 28, 2017 in the Davy Crockett National Forest, I agree to abide by the rules of the AERC, and the Old Glory ride. I understand endurance riding involves being in remote areas for extended periods of time, far from communication, transportation, and medical facilities; that these areas have many natural and man-made hazards which 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 acknowledge that I assume full responsibility for the safety of myself and the animal I am riding. By my signature, I hereby waive all rights to file a claim or lawsuit against TERA, the Parrish's (LNB), the ride management, all ride personnel and all property owners over whose land the ride crosses, for any injury or damages which may occur during practice for or participation in the Texas Endurance Riders Association Old Glory Endurance Ride.

I agree to allow and be financially responsible for any necessary emergency medical treatment by any medical institution in the event of my injury or illness.

Any known drug allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Any Medical Condition: \_\_\_\_\_

I have read and understand this liability release.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's Name if junior rider \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_