

Dear Friends, Riders, Volunteers,

It's time to plan another reunion!!!! MANY MANY MANY THANKS to those of you who have helped and/or ridden here in the past for all of your help and support! Last fall's Lick Ridge ride was the best we've had yet and that's thanks entirely to you GOOD FRIENDS/FAMILY [wonderful workers and great riders]!!!!

NOW, about the 2010 Glass rides scheduled for May 1 and 2, 2010: the sanctioning fees and all necessary paperwork were mailed to the sanctioning office early in January.

We PLAN to hold back-to-back 1-day 30s, choosing that mileage in order to easily accommodate ECTRA's new *conditioning distance* division. A *conditioning distance* ride **of 15 miles** WILL BE OFFERED ON SUNDAY ONLY!

We promise you well-marked trails, plentiful food for you and treats for your horse, and some nice prizes! There may also be new trail as we have permission from another neighboring landowner to use his land, which gives us 300 more acres, IF he doesn't change his mind! Have your mount in as good shape as you can. Our trails are honest and have good footing – barring horrendous weather, that is! We'll even try to route you so that you don't have to ride past our cows, and we promise to shut them out of the Little Pasture for the ride, so they won't be across the road from the P&R area!

PLEASE NOTE: daughter Lauri's email address is bluemoonpr@verizon.net. She's internet-savvy; I'm technology-challenged!

I will be sending out post-card confirmations for entries, assuming I receive your entry in time to do that. If not, I'll rely on Lauri and her email skills.

Bill, our long-time ride farrier, is no longer available due to health reasons. We are trying to find someone else but have had no luck so far. MAKE SURE you come prepared for the possibility of NO FARRIER!!!

We all hope you all can come. We are planning a covered dish/pot luck supper Friday evening on the patio at about 6:00 P.M.; everyone is invited! Table service, hot coffee and cold lemonade furnished!

Sincerely yours,

Betty

DIRECTIONS:

Traveling on the PA Turnpike, take the exit at Fort Littleton on to Rt. 522 North, stay on Rt. 522 North through Orbisonia and past Mount Union, go across the bridge to Rt. 22; turn left on Rt. 22 West through the little town of MILL CREEK.

Traveling on Interstate 70, there are three possible exits:

Near Warfordsburg get off I-70 onto Rt. 522 North, through Orbisonia and past Mount Union, go across the bridge to Rt. 22; turn left on Rt. 22 West through the little town of MILL CREEK.

Near Breezewood get off I-70 onto Rt. 26 North, stay on Rt. 26 North until you turn right onto Rt. 22 East to HUNTINGDON.

Near Bedford get off I-70 onto Rt. 220 (now I-99) to Tyrone, then from Tyrone take Rt. 453 to Water Street, and turn left onto Rt. 22 East to HUNTINGDON.

Traveling on Interstate 80, there are several possible exits:

Get off I-80 onto either Rt. 11 OR Rt. 15, then get onto Rt. 11/15 to Selinsgrove, and pick up Rt. 522 South toward Lewistown. Near Lewistown turn onto Rt. 322 West to Reedsville; then get onto Rt. 655 South to MILL CREEK

Near Bellefonte get off I-80 onto Rt. 220 (now I-99) to Tyrone, then from Tyrone take Rt. 453 to Water Street, and turn left onto Rt. 22 East to HUNTINGDON.

Near State College get off I-80 onto Rt. 26 South, stay on Rt. 26 South through HUNTINGDON to Rt. 22 East.

FROM HUNTINGDON take Rt. 22 East; go about 1.6 miles from Car Care and The Dairy Queen, past the Huston Ford Dealership. JUST before the William Penn Inn on your left (it has a double-decker billboard in its parking lot) turn left onto Henderson Township Route 570 (Penn Woods Road) (there is a white sign saying "Trail Ride" on Rt. 22 on your right side), go about 1.9 miles, turn right onto TR 445 (Blue Moon Hollow Road), go 6/10 mile, turn right into farm lane (marked with 10938 sign), go up the lane into the field. If you see Miller's Diner on your right on Rt. 22, you've missed the turnoff.

FROM MILL CREEK take Rt. 22 West, drive about 2.5 miles, and on your right will be the William Penn Inn (it has a double-decker billboard in its parking lot). JUST past that billboard there is a white sign saying "Trail Ride" and you turn right onto Henderson Township Route 570 (Penn Woods Road); go about 1.9 miles, turn right onto TR 445 (Blue Moon Hollow Road), go 6/10 mile, turn right into farm lane (marked with 10938 sign), go up the lane into the field. If you see the Huston Ford Dealership on your right on Rt. 22, you've missed the turnoff.

Rt. 522 North of I-70 has a mountain but it's a pretty good road. Rt. 26 North of Breezewood is a two-lane, winding road, no major hills. Rt. 26 South of State College has Pine Grove Mountain to cross. Rt. 220 (now I-99) is almost all new four-lane, and has no major hills. Rt. 11/15/522 is mostly two-lane, winding road, no major hills, lots of traffic signals, but it is a pretty good road. Rt. 322 is new four-lane and Rt. 655 is narrow and travels through an Amish community.

WATCH FOR "TRAIL RIDE" SIGNS ON ROUTE 22 NEAR THE WILLIAM PENN INN

2010 GLASS MEMORIAL C.T.R.'S – INFORMATION SHEET

Saturday, May 1, 2010 – 21st Annual Leo S. Glass Memorial C.T.R.

Sunday, May 2, 2010 – 19th Annual Betty E. Glass Memorial C.T.R.

LOCATION: These rides are in South Central Pennsylvania. Roughly 35 miles East of Altoona, West of Lewistown, South of State College and North of Breezewood is a little town called Huntingdon. About 1.6 miles East of Huntingdon, on U. S. Route 22, by the William Penn Inn, turn North onto Henderson Township Route 570 (Penn Woods Road) and go about 1.9 miles. Then turn right onto TR 445 (Blue Moon Hollow Road), go about 6/10 mile, and turn right into the Farm Lane (there's a green sign with white "10938" at the end of the lane). When going up the lane bear left at the pond and right at the "Y". Park anywhere in the field. PRIMITIVE CAMPING in large grassy fields. No hook-ups. We have two outhouses. You may arrive Friday after 12 noon and stay through Monday at no charge. PLEASE: spread leftover hay and manure at site. Do not park or put up your corrals or picket lines near the graves, the stakes with the pink-and-blue flagging (that is the trail) or the yellow stakes (that is a groundhog hole). IF YOU COME EARLY, PLEASE PARK TO LEAVE ROOM FOR THOSE ARRIVING LATER.

Paper Manager: Betty J. Hicks

Trails Manager: Lauri (Hicks) Wilson

Secretary: Betty J. Hicks, 10938 Blue Moon Hollow Road, Huntingdon, PA 16652-6732.

Telephone (814) 643-3438 6:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M. only, please, if you want to talk to Betty! If you cannot call then, leave a message on the voicemail and she will try to call you back when it suits you. PLEASE NOTE: If Betty does not return your call within 24 hours, CALL HER AGAIN. Bruce is now retired so he's at home, but he doesn't take messages any more!

Judges: VET: Dr. Ally Grove LAY JUDGE: Diane Nelson

Rules: E.C.T.R.A. rules will be strictly adhered to. It is your responsibility to be familiar with the rules. Rulebooks are available on line at the ECTRA website.

Hard-hats: ASTM-SEI APPROVED HELMETS are REQUIRED for all riders WHEN THEY ARE MOUNTED ANYWHERE ON THE PREMISES. ALL BAREBACK RIDING IS PROHIBITED!!!

Eligibility: Open to mares, geldings, stallions and mules 4 years old or older AS OF THE RIDE DATE and serviceably sound. No lactating mares or mares in their last half of pregnancy. Juniors may not ride stallions. Judges' decisions are final.

ENTRY FEE includes drug testing fee, all meals and on-trail snacks: 30-MILERS: \$66 adult riders, \$56 junior riders (not 18 as of 1/1/10); 15-MILERS: \$36 adult riders, \$26 junior riders (not 18 as of 1/1/10). SUNDAY-ONLY RIDERS: \$8 more will get you supper on Saturday evening if you arrive before 6:00 P.M. All riders – send a copy of your horse's registration papers – if it's registered – and a current (negative within one year) Coggins test with your entry. If you don't have a current Coggins, send a copy of what you have and bring the new one along. REQUESTED: Proof that your horse has received its annual shots (either a note from your vet or that page from your diary if you give your own). **A \$10-per-ride-entered DEPOSIT WILL HOLD YOU A SPOT.** Meals are available for non-riders who are not volunteering for \$13/day for each adult and \$6/day for each child (not 8 on 1/1/10).

FOOD: Friday --- Covered Dish/Pot Luck Supper about 6:00 p.m. at the Patio. Table service, hot coffee and cold lemonade furnished.

Saturday – fruit & donuts & bagels; snacks & drinks on trail & mid-point; hot dinner.

Sunday – fruit & donuts & bagels; snacks & drinks on trail & mid-point; hot meatball subs.

Meat-eaters and vegetarians will all find plenty to eat at these rides!

REFUNDS: \$10 deposits are not refundable. Otherwise, money paid less \$10 until April 1. After April 1, until April 15, half money paid. After April 15, no refunds unless your spot can be filled. No refunds

if your animal is lame at vet-in and you cannot start. You may substitute another horse if that is possible, or accept a free entry to another of our rides.

Ride Time: 30-MILERS: 5:30 to 6:00 hours total elapsed ride time (30 minute hold at mid-point). 15-MILERS: 2:45 to 3:00 hours total elapsed ride time (no mid-point hold). Ride and hold times may be adjusted due to weather; announced immediately prior the start. Penalty points assessed per E.C.T.R.A. rules (1 point per minute under minimum time or over maximum time).

TRAILS: Same 15-mile loop (ridden twice to make 30 miles). Woods roads, dirt roads, deer trails, fields, some hard-top road. Short, steep, challenging hills (breast collars and cruppers suggested)! Course marked with surveyor's flagging tied to clothespins and clipped to trees or stakes. Directional arrows and mileage markers on paper picnic plates.

Divisions: 30-MILE RIDES: Two adult divisions based on rider's weight with tack as reported on entry form. THERE IS NO WEIGH-IN. There will be a separate division for RIDERS who have done 100 (or less) competitive or endurance miles by the ride date, a junior division for riders not yet 18 as of 1/1/10, AND another division for HORSES who have done 100 (or less) competitive or endurance miles by the ride date. **CONDITIONING RIDE:** There will be prizes, but only one division, UNLESS we get a bunch of entries.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Sign up on back of entry form. Volunteers help make all competitive trail rides possible and successful and we appreciate them very much! They will eat free if we know they are coming. Please check in with the manager when you arrive at the site.

Restaurants: Millstone Manor, Side Street Café, Miller's Diner and Top's Diner nearby, all good.

STALLS: NONE! SUNDAY HORSES THAT ARE VETTED IN SATURDAY MUST REMAIN AT RIDE SITE SATURDAY NIGHT.

Use of portable corrals or picket lines is permitted, or tie to trailer or "stable" in trailer.

Horseshoes: highly recommended but not required. Easy boots allowed.

VETTING: For Saturday ride BEGINS Friday afternoon AT 4:00 P.M. or as soon thereafter as both judges arrive. PLEASE CHECK IN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE WHEN YOU ARRIVE!!! ALL ENTRIES MUST BE ON THE GROUNDS, UNLOADED AND CHECKED IN BY 6:30 A.M. SATURDAY!!!

For Sunday rides BEGINS Saturday afternoon at judges' convenience. Plan to start at 5:00 P.M. ALL ENTRIES MUST BE ON THE GROUNDS, UNLOADED AND CHECKED IN BY 6:30 A.M. SUNDAY!!

Starting Time: AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE, in groups at intervals. If you want to ride with someone in particular, **let me know when you send in your entry so I can assign numbers accordingly.**

PRE-RIDE BRIEFING: HELD PRIOR THE START OF EACH RIDE AT BUCK'S SHANTY.

FARRIER and PHOTOGRAPHER: We **hope** we can get one of each!

WATER: PLEASE – bring what you can with you. Mid-point is at camp and there is water at the hold area. Plenty of natural water on the trail, if the weather cooperates. If not, we'll do what we can about "artificial" water on trail.

DOGS ARE WELCOME BUT PLEASE KEEP THEM ON LEASH OR CONFINED WHEN HORSES ARE IN CAMP! WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DOG FIGHTS!!

ENTRY – ONE RIDER PER FORM – COPY IF YOU NEED MORE – FILL OUT COMPLETELY!

NAME OF RIDER _____ SR _____ JR _____
 STREET ADDRESS _____
 CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE _____
 TELEPHONE (area code) _____ - _____ - _____ SR WEIGHT WITH TACK _____ LBS
 Email address: _____
 IS RIDER AN E.C.T.R.A. MEMBER? Yes _____ No _____ (check one, please) IF MEMBER, # _____
 NOVICE=100-OR LESS-MILES RIDDEN ON COMPETITIVE OR ENDURANCE RIDES
 NOVICE RIDER? Yes _____ No _____ NOVICE HORSE? Yes _____ No _____
 NAME OF HORSE _____ AGE _____
 COLOR _____ SEX _____
 BREED _____ REGISTRATION # _____
 IS HORSE AN E.C.T.R.A. MEMBER? Yes _____ No _____ (check one, please) IF MEMBER, # _____
 NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER IF DIFFERENT FROM RIDER _____

This release must be signed and returned with your ride entry. No crossouts or additions are permitted.

In consideration for permission to enter and participate in the Glass Memorial Trail Rides, I do hereby for myself, my heirs and assigns, release and hold harmless ride management, ride personnel, all property owners over whose land the ride crosses, ECTRA, their agents, officers, servants, employees and officials, from all claims, demands, actions and causes of action of any kind, for injury or death sustained by me or my horse, and damage to my property, incurred during this ride, arising from negligence or any other fault. "Ride" includes from the time I and my horse arrive at base camp until the time that we leave the premises, as well as the actual event. "Horse" means the animal(s) I am riding, driving or have entered.

I understand that horseback riding is an inherently dangerous activity and am aware that: 1. the ride involves being in areas for extended periods of time far from communications, transportation, medical and veterinary assistance; 2. that these areas have many natural and man-made hazards, which ride management cannot anticipate, modify or eliminate; 3. that both my own horse and those of other contestants can be excitable, difficult to control and unpredictable, and can panic, bite, rear, kick, strike, stumble or fall; 4. that as a result of participating in the ride I or my horse may be injured, die, or my property damaged.

I agree to take full responsibility for myself and my horse; I recognize that the ride is a strenuous activity and I represent that I and my horse are in adequate physical and mental condition to participate. I recognize that my participation in the ride is voluntary. I consent to a drug test to be performed on my horse.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE LIABILITY RELEASE, AND AGREE TO BE BOUND BY ITS TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

Rider's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent's or Guardian's Signature: _____ JR'S AGE _____
 (if rider is under 18 years old)

Horse Owner's Signature: _____ Date: _____
 (if different from Rider)

Make all checks payable to Betty J. Hicks and mail them to: Betty J. Hicks, 10938 Blue Moon Hollow Road, Huntingdon, PA 16652-6732. Telephone (814) 643-3438.

Adult 30 Entry ___ day(s) @ \$66 = \$ _____

Junior 30 Entry ___ day(s) @ \$56 = \$ _____

Meals for Non-Riders:

Adult ___ day(s) @ \$13 = \$ _____

Child ___ day(s) @ \$ 6 = \$ _____

_____ Saturday supper(s) for _____

_____ Sunday-only riders @ \$8 = \$ _____

Award Sponsorship ----- \$ _____

Adult 15 Entry @ \$36 ----- \$ _____

Junior 15 Entry @ \$26 ----- \$ _____

Total Amount of Check ----- \$ _____

I WILL RIDE [circle which]

SATURDAY 30 SUNDAY 30

SUNDAY 15 [Mileage Credit Only]

SUNDAY 15 [JUDGED]

REMEMBER VOLUNTEERS EAT FREE!!!!

VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP SHEET

Put an "X" in front of what you would like to do to help

Saturday	Sunday
<input type="checkbox"/> P & R (need 6-8)	<input type="checkbox"/> P & R (need 6-8)
<input type="checkbox"/> Timer's Helpers (need 2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Timer's Helpers (need 2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Recorders (need 2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recorders (need 2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Snack/Water Truck (need 2 w/truck)	<input type="checkbox"/> Snack/Water Truck (need 2 w/truck)

Put an "X" in front of the award you would like to sponsor, and add the amount to your check. Or, if you'd like to bring an item to use as a prize, let us know, please. If the prizes are not donated they might not be awarded; depends on the number of **30-MILE** ride entries.

<input type="checkbox"/> Grand Champion (\$25)	<input type="checkbox"/> Grand Champion (\$25)
<input type="checkbox"/> Reserve Champion (\$25)	<input type="checkbox"/> Reserve Champion (\$25)
<input type="checkbox"/> LW Rider (\$15)	<input type="checkbox"/> LW Rider (\$15)
<input type="checkbox"/> HW Rider (\$15)	<input type="checkbox"/> HW Rider (\$15)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Junior Rider (\$15) [TAKEN]	<input type="checkbox"/> Junior Rider (\$15)
<input type="checkbox"/> Novice Rider (\$15)	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice Rider (\$15)
<input type="checkbox"/> Appaloosa Horse (\$10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Appaloosa Horse (\$10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Arabian Horse (\$10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Arabian Horse (\$10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Part Arabian Horse (\$10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Part Arabian Horse (\$10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Different Color Horse (\$10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Different Color Horse (\$10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Morgan Horse (\$10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Morgan Horse (\$10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade Horse (\$10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade Horse (\$10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Best of the Rest (\$10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Best of the Rest (\$10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Novice Horse (\$10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice Horse (\$10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Top Trail Horse (\$10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Top Trail Horse (\$10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Top Trail Rider (\$10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Top Trail Rider (\$10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Happy Horse & Rider (\$20)	<input type="checkbox"/> Happy Horse & Rider (\$20)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tortoise Award (\$10) [TAKEN]	<input type="checkbox"/> Tortoise Award (\$10)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hare Award (\$10) [TAKEN]	<input type="checkbox"/> Hare Award (\$10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Hard-Luck Award (\$10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Hard-Luck Award (\$10)

If you would like your award to be "in memory of" or "in honor of" a person or an animal, please write that below and indicate which it is. We will print that on the program.

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