

CSTR SPRING/SUMMER 2025 NEWSLETTER



THE SPRING RIDE June 19 to 22, 2025

Re-experience Last Year!

A very rainy weekend in 2024 spoiled the enjoyment of a really great area so we decided to do it again. Come and enjoy the June weekend ride at Hidden Acres in Marshfield VT.

To make it even better, we have added an extra day of riding and early entry to the field. Campers may come in to set up on Thursday and ride Friday through Sunday. At 26,000 + acres, there is plenty of room for your trail riding pleasure on woods

roads, trails and railroad bed. More info and an entry form are on pages 9 to 11.

Your CSTR managers are Jean Lukens, Nancy Creswell and Larry Marshall. Riding will be in the adjacent Groton State Forest.

To help with trail marking, contact Nancy at nancyjreswell@gmail.com or Jean at jeanlukens@yahoo.com electronic entry form here <https://forms.gle/i5hrnJfZ9BDq9sw89>

**BOTH RIDES ARE AFFILIATED WITH
NEW ENGLAND HORSE & TRAIL**

THE AUGUST RIDE Our 56th Year Aug 9 to 17, 2025

We hope you can join us for our 56th Annual Cross State Trail Ride. This year, the ride will be returning to Hawley, MA. We will be using a field at the junction of Plainfield Road and Watson Road. The field is owned by William Scott who will also be providing us with our hay.

<https://goo.gl/maps/7ZhKXLmsA2mgBg2e9>

[Link to Dubuque SF Trail Map](#)



We will be riding in the Kenneth Dubuque State Forest and Savoy Forest. We have direct access to the Forest from our field. The trails will be marked and riders are provided with a route sheet each day so each rider can ride at his/her own pace. The mileage varies with the terrain but is approx. 14 to 15 miles or 4 – 5 hours of riding per day and there are shorter daily options. The area is hilly and scenic.

Ride Managers—Gary Omasta Omastafamily@yahoo.com and Allen Tobey bikerascal@yahoo.com



The Educational Assistance Fund

is open to all CSTR family members (juniors or adults) regardless of whether or not they have attended a Cross State Trail Ride. This fund is available to those continuing education including further formal vocational or trade education or college or university.

Application forms are posted on our website at www.cstronline.com or can be obtained from Ed McNamara 508-612-7704 156 Rowley Hill Rd., Sterling, MA 01564

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CATERER

Dave Bishop of Dave's BBQ, Attleboro, MA will once again be joining us for the June ride and the August ride

NEW MEMBER APPLICATION PROCESS

We have a new application process in place. Membership in CSTR is now open and we ask that anyone wishing to participate in CSTR rides become a member of CSTR. The June ride is an open ride but Membership is required for the August ride. Membership applications will be accepted throughout the year. Annual dues are \$35 (individual)

Applications can be made by applying online through our new form on the link below or through the QR code on the right.

<https://forms.gle/TWSbDFzjzLZAdSTP8>



Dues may be paid either by mailing a check to the Treasurer—12 Kelly Street, Haverhill, MA 0832 or through PayPal available on our website at [Cross State Trail Ride, Inc](https://www.crossstatetrailride.com)



Deadlines -

- Education Assistance Fund - Sept 1
- Spring ride entries must be received 7 days before ride start date—for 2025—the deadline date is 6/14
- August ride entries must be received 15 days before the ride date July 25th if the ride fills before this date, entries will be cut off and finalized

August ride cancellation deadlines

- If received 15 days prior to ride start, refund with \$50 cancellation fee. Cancellations after that date depends on circumstance.



Some Dates to Remember . . .



CROSS STATE TRAIL RIDE AUGUST 9 to 17, 2025

AN INVITATION TO THE 56th ANNUAL RIDE
KENNETH DUBUQUE STATE MEMORIAL FOREST
SCOTT FARM, EAST HAWLEY RD., HAWLEY, MA

Renaissance Faire Welcome Party
Full Ride & First Half on First Saturday
Second Half on Wednesday

*Harken back to the Middle Ages and channel your inner Prince and Princess
Unveil the Gypsy Fortuneteller or the Highwayman Thief
Are you the Traveling Tinker or the Wandering Wizard
Wait! Don't forget the Barkeep and the Tavern Wench
Club provides punch, plates and tableware—Members bring snacks, finger food and the
occasional turkey leg*



GENERAL INFORMATION FOR AUGUST 9—17, 2025

SITE DESCRIPTION:

We will be staying Scott Farm, Plainfield Rd, Hawley MA. There is direct access to the Dubuque State Forest via South Road. Access to the field is at the intersection of Plainfield Rd and Watson Rd. We will have the use of two large, tree lined fields.

MEALS :

Meals begin with **breakfast** on **Saturday** August 9, 2025, no lunch, welcome party at 3pm followed by dinner at 6:30 pm. Members are asked to bring snacks for the welcome party. First ride briefing will be at breakfast on the first Saturday. The remainder of the ride briefings will be at dinner. On **Wednesday**, there will be a breakfast, no lunch, and dinner at 6:30 pm. There will be a welcome kick off party for second half. On the last Sunday, August 17th, we will have a breakfast only. The remainder of the days, lunch and dinner will be served.

HAY, GRAIN AND WATER:

Riders supply their own grain. Hay is supplied and will be available starting on Saturday morning. We plan on providing a half a bale of hay per horse per day. If your horse has special dietary needs you will need to bring your own supply of hay from home. Do not plan to purchase hay at the ride. We do not anticipate that second cut hay will be available. Bring a hay net to avoid wasting hay and a tarp to cover several bales of hay at your site. A container to store water at your campsite will be needed. A large manure bucket is recommended. Please no small necked containers. Water will be delivered daily.



MEMBERS:

This ride is possible because of the cooperation of all members of CSTR. Membership in CSTR is now open and all persons at the ride (if not already members) will be admitted to membership at ride application. Riders may ride the whole ride or either half or the two weekends.

CONDITIONING:

It is essential to properly condition your horse. A conditioned horse is less susceptible to injury and fatigue. The length of time necessary to reach an adequate level of fitness will vary. You will be riding over unfamiliar terrain for several days in a row. This is more stressful than your normal routine.

MANNERS:

Your horse should go well in company, must tie quietly, drink, and cross water on the trail. Your horse should also be accustomed to motor vehicle traffic before you come to the ride.

FARRIER & VETERINARIAN:

There will be a farrier and veterinarian on call. Fees are by private treaty and are the responsibility of the rider. Please have your horse newly shod before the ride. The CSTR takes no responsibility for unshod horses.

August Ride rules for 2025

RIDE RULES

1. A complete application must be RECEIVED by July 25th, 2025. If the ride fills at 100 horses, then the ride will be considered full and closed. This date is firm. Post entries will be allowed between July 25 and August 2nd with all paperwork and entry fees received by the August 2nd. Contact Jen Omasta for particulars. Membership is open and all participants must be members
NO DEPOSITS.
2. **JUNIOR RIDERS** Riders under 18 years of age must be accompanied on the trail by an adult over 21 who is registered with the ride and listed on the application. Juniors should not be left unsupervised .
3. **HEALTH REQUIREMENTS** Applications must include a copy of your horse's **Current Coggins Test**.. We also strongly recommend vaccination for Rabies, E & W Encephalitis, Tetanus & Flu, Rhino, West Nile Virus & Potomac Horse Fever. **YOU ARE STRONGLY URGED TO SECURE A HEALTH CERTIFICATE IF YOU HAVE TO CROSS STATE LINES AND YOU SHOULD CARRY A CERTIFICATE OF RABIES VACCINATION.** Health and vaccination rules for the state we are camped in will apply, not the state of a members residence. **MASSACHUSETTS REGULATIONS**—State and Federal regulations both require a health certificate for horses crossing the state line and MA state regulations requires a Coggins test within 12 months. You are urged to talk with your vet if you have questions.
4. The Board of Directors reserves the right to eliminate unfit or unruly horses or riders whose personal conduct is detrimental to the ride, without refund.
5. Each rider is responsible for his own accommodations. The CSTR will provide sanitary facilities. Although CSTR provides general security in camp, it will not be responsible for lost or stolen items. Supervision of horses is the responsibility of owners. In camp, each horse is confined to its own campsite and horses may not share the same pen. A halter or neck collar must be worn at all times unless under saddle/harness. A leather halter, nylon safety halter or neck collar is acceptable. Riders should not approach the camp kitchen or the lunch truck with their horses.
6. **NO DOGS or other pets** are allowed - No Exceptions
7. **MEALS** Lunch is served in camp. Lunch can be served on the trail through a sign up list. Dinner is served at 6:30 PM All extra meals to be purchased must be approved in advance by a designated person (the President or Treasurer). Meal Tickets are not transferable.
8. **STALLIONS** Juniors may not ride stallions; others may ride stallions with the prior approval of the Board of Directors.
9. **Motorized Vehicle use in the field** is to be limited.
10. **ARRIVAL** Riders are permitted to arrive in camp any time on Friday, August 8, but please use common sense on the arrival time. On Wednesday, August 13, first half riders must be out by noon, so second half riders should plan on arriving **AFTER NOON** for the second half. Depending on the space in the field, if you arrive early for the second half, you may have to wait until those registered for the first half only have left the field and a spot opens.
11. **Generator** use will be daily 9 am to 9 pm if supervised and no complaints from neighbors .
12. **CSTR** members who are not registered as part of the ride may stay in camp one night (**NO HORSES**) after notifying the president or his/her designee. Meals are not guaranteed. Everyone else staying in the camp must be a paid, registered participant.

STOP !

Before filling out the application - please read the following section and complete the check list ! We will accept only properly completed applications

- _____ One completed application per person
- _____ Signed waivers
- _____ TOTAL Ride Fee included with Application Either mail a check or use PayPal on the website
- _____ Juniors medical release -
signed by parent or guardian
- _____ COPY of current Coggins (no originals)

- Deadline is the first 100 horses or July 25th before the ride start date whichever comes first.
- Family rates for children = 1st child/75% 2nd child/50%
3rd child/25%

Registration options = First Half / Second Half / Whole Ride / both weekends

CANCELLATION FEE = \$50.00 for cancellations received 15 days before the ride start date
Cancellations received less than 15 days before the ride will be subject to forfeit the full ride fee depending on the circumstance.

Equipment Check List



HORSES

- _____ Tack
- _____ Grooming Supplies
- _____ Buckets
- _____ Blankets
- _____ Fence/tie ropes
- _____ Manure fork/bucket
- _____ First Aid Supplies
- _____ Fly Repellent
- _____ Water Container
- _____ Grain
- _____ Hay Net & Tarp
- _____ Rain Sheet
- _____ Light Sheet/Blanket

PEOPLE

- _____ Sleeping Bag , etc.
- _____ Riding Clothes
- _____ Casual Clothes
- _____ Warm Clothes
- _____ Rain Gear
- _____ Toilet Articles
- _____ First Aid Supplies
- _____ Flashlight
- _____ Water Container
- _____ Waterproof tarp
- _____ Folding chair
- _____ Food Tray

56th ANNUAL CROSS STATE TRAIL RIDE APPLICATION

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO CROSS STATE TRAIL RIDE INC.

Mail to: Loretta Vincz C/O Pat Darmofal 12 Kelly St., Haverhill, MA 01832

Entry Deadline - complete application received by July 25, 2024

RIDER FEES Whole Ride = \$550.00 First Half = \$295.00 Second Half = \$285.00
Two Weekends = \$285.00

NONRIDER Whole Ride = \$525.00 First Half = \$285.00 Second Half = \$275.00
Two Weekends = \$275.00

CHILD Rates for family = see previous page

NON MEMBERS MUST ADD \$35 MEMBERSHIP DUES

NAME _____

HOME PHONE _____

____ **RIDER** ____ **NON RIDER** **AGE** ____ if under 21

CELL PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____

E-MAIL _____

ALLERGIES _____

INSURANCE _____

- ☐ **WHOLE RIDE**
- ☐ **1ST HALF**
- ☐ **2ND HALF**
- ☐ **2 WEEKENDS**

NEHT RIDER # _____

NEHT HORSE # _____

NAME OF HORSE _____

BREED _____

AGE _____

☐ **Mare** ☐ **Gelding** ☐ **Stallion**

EMERGENCY CONTACT _____

PHONE _____

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I _____ understand that horse related activities are inherently dangerous. In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in activities or events of Cross State Trail Ride Inc. (herein after CSTR) I the undersigned, do hereby, for myself, heirs, executors and administrators, **waive and release** CSTR., It's officers, directors, members, employees, volunteers, and property owners who allow CSTR the use of their property, (herein after "Releasees") **from any and all, right, claim, or liability, for damages and all injuries that may be sustained by me** , including injuries to any animal(s);and/or **from any and all claims of any kind or nature I may have**. Further, I do hereby acknowledge this release will extend to any accidents, damages, or claims arising out of my participating in CSTR activities.

In exchange for the opportunity to participate in CSTR activities, whether mounted or not, I agree to hold the Releasees, free and harmless from all claims, demands and expenses that may be occasioned by me, my animals, or persons associated with me who may not be entered at the event. **I agree to indemnify each Releasee for any claims, demands or expenses that may be occasioned by me, my animals, or persons associated with me.**

I acknowledge and fully understand: I will be engaging in an **inherently dangerous activity which involves the risk of serious bodily injury, including death and permanent disability** as well as severe social and economic losses which might result from the inaction, negligence, improper actions of others, as well as myself, or other risks not known to me or reasonably foreseeable at this time; I knowingly accept the foregoing risks **and accept personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, permanent disability, or death;**

I release, waive, and covenant not to sue Releasees; from demands, losses or damages on account of injury or property damage caused, or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by negligence of the releasees or otherwise.

I am aware trail riding involves being in remote areas far from communications, transportation, and medical assistance for extended periods, these areas may have issues the releasees cannot reasonably anticipate, identify, modify, or eliminate. Horses are excitable, difficult to control, and unpredictable. Other participants vary in skills and judgment. Accidents can, and do, happen to everyone no matter how careful they are.

**I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE RELEASE, WAIVER AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT.
I UNDERSTAND I MAY ASK ANY QUESTIONS AT EVENT REGISTRATION OR I MAY CONTACT THE PERSON WHO SUPPLIED THIS FORM.**

SIGNATURE OF ENTRANT _____ **DATED** _____

IF ENTRANT IS A JUNIOR, THE RELEASE ON THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED BY A PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN

ALSO COMPLETE EMERGENCY EVACUATION INFORMATION ON NEXT PAGE



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NAME OF JUNIOR ENTRANT _____

I, _____, AS PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF THE JUNIOR ENTRANT, HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE RELEASE, WAIVER AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT ON THE REVERSE SIDE.

I UNDERSTAND I MAY ASK ANY QUESTIONS AT EVENT REGISTRATION OR I MAY CONTACT THE PERSON WHO SUPPLIED THIS FORM.

SIGNATURE OF RELEASOR _____

Parent or legal guardian of minor child

DATED _____

Name of Member accompanying junior _____

MEDICAL RELEASE FOR JUNIORS

I hereby grant permission to the Officers and Ride Committee of the Cross State Trail Ride, Inc. to provide all medical care and/or hospitalization necessary for my child in the event of accident or illness during this ride.

SIGNATURE _____
of parent or guardian

DATE _____

PHONE _____

EMERGENCY EVACUATION INFORMATION

Name of vehicle driver _____

Cell Phone contact number _____

TOW VEHICLE

MAKE _____ MODEL _____

COLOR _____ REGISTRATION # _____

TRAILER

MAKE _____ REGISTRATION # _____

Check one ☐ BUMPER PULL ☐ GOOSENECK

TOTAL RIG LENGTH _____

ADDITIONAL VEHICLE ??

MAKE _____ MODEL _____

COLOR _____ REGISTRATION # _____



CROSS STATE TRAIL RIDE

Thirty Second Annual Open Memorial Pleasure Trail Ride



JUNE 19 to 22, 2024

Ride Location

Groton State Forest Marshfield VT Hidden Acres Farm

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/QEAnEzb5KuZzh38d9>

RIDE FEES—WEEKEND ONLY
CSTR MEMBER ADULT = \$150.00
CSTR MEMBER JUNIOR = \$135.00
NON MEMBER ADULT = \$170.00
NON MEMBER JUNIOR = \$155.00
Friday Welcome Party included

**NO PETS PLEASE !
NO POST ENTRIES !
\$30 CANCELLATION FEE !**

Entries and Ride Inquiries
Margo Petracone
600 West Street
Barre, MA 01005
978-621-9812
westwindfm@aol.com

Pre-Registration only

Entries close June 14 and all entry forms and payments must be received by then

No refunds after June 14th unless space is filled

Payment may be made by mail to the address above or by PayPal on our website at

<http://www.cstronline.com/June.html>

Entry form must be submitted even if you use PayPal to pay

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Visit us online at
www.cstronline.com

- This is an unjudged, open pleasure ride, affiliated with New England Horse & Trail Assoc
- Mileage: Friday's trail will be 9.5. Saturday's trail will be 12 miles and Sunday will be 10 miles.
- There will be NO driving.
- Bring your own horse & people water.
- Everyone in camp (rider or non-rider) must be registered with the ride and pay the fee.
- Entry registration is for Thursday to Sunday only
- No Dogs/No Pets -
- Bring Manure bucket and fork to facilitate cleanup
- A negative Coggins Test is required.
- Because of changing Federal Regulations regarding the transportations of horses across state lines consult your local vet for advice. Vermont does require a health certificate and consider having a certificate of rabies inoculation with you.
- Plan on registering as soon as you are set up.

The grounds will be open on Thursday June 19. All riders must be on the grounds by 7 AM on Saturday morning. It is not required that you camp over, but there will be no fee reduction if you do not camp. Please check in with Registration when you arrive. Saturday and Sunday meals are catered. Saturday meals include breakfast (8AM) Lunch in camp and Supper (6:30PM) Sunday includes breakfast 8 AM and lunch at 1 pm. Please plan on keeping paddock size to an approx 25' x 25'

Welcome Pot Luck Friday night at 6:30 pm is included in the ride fee. The club will provide the entrée, plates, tableware and drinks. Please bring a side dish to share. Please plan your own meals for Thursday and Friday breakfast and lunch.

CROSS STATE TRAIL RIDE

Thirty Second Annual Memorial Pleasure Trail Ride

JUNE 19 to 22, 2025

Groton State Forest Marshfield VT

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/QEAnEzb5KuZzh38d9>

Hidden Acres - 2654 Groton Forest Rd (VT 232) Marshfield VT



Directions:

From White River Junction, VT, take I-91 to Exit 17. Go west on Rte 302, to Groton. Pass the village of Groton VT. After Groton take a right onto Route 232 (State Forest Rd) Watch for CSTR signs at the junction of 302 and 232. Proceed approximately 10 miles up a long and winding hill to 2654 Rte 232, Marshfield VT 05658 There will be CSTR signs marking the entrance to the field on your left—a long driveway into the field. Careful, the driveway to our campsite is **before** the road to the Groton Forest Rd Campground

You are welcome to arrive any-time on Thursday. Trails for Friday, Saturday and Sunday are marked and route sheets will be provided. All three days offer a combination of dirt roads, ATV wide paths, gravel rail trail, and single track. There are several bridges. There is minimal tar all weekend and ample stretches for long trots and canters.

Water - Please bring your own horse water. Emergency horse water will be available.

Hay & Grain – Bring your own hay and grain.

Chair – Bring a chair for meals with a food tray to carry your meal.

Gathering Campfires – There will be one fire for everyone to join. NO INDIVIDUAL FIRES.

Meals for Thursday and Friday are not catered—You are responsible for your own meals Thursday and Friday Breakfast and Lunch.

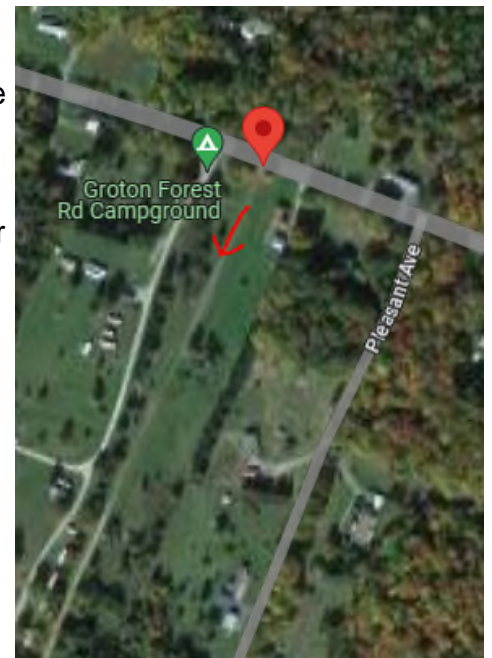
Friday Welcome Potluck Gathering & Dinner—The club will provide the main entree. Please bring side dishes, veggies and desserts to share. Bring serving utensils for your pot luck items. The club provides plates & tableware, etc. Bring your own beverage. Dinner will begin at 6:30 .

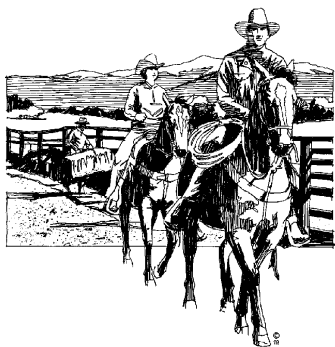
Catered Meals begin Saturday Morning with breakfast, lunch and dinner and Sunday with Breakfast and end with Lunch.

Swimming – There are 4 beaches within the state forest at Boulder Beach, Kettle Pond, Ricker Pond, and Stillwater.

Manure Disposal – Directions for manure management will be given during the ride. Please keep the access road near your campsite clean and leave your site spotless!

Cell Service: Cell service is spotty and can't be depended on.





Thirty Second Annual Cross State Trail Ride Memorial Pleasure Trail Ride June 19 to 22, 2025 Affiliated with NEHT

NO DOGS - NO POST ENTRIES - \$30 CANCELLATION FEE

Completed entries must be received by June 14 - No refunds after June 14 unless space is filled

Registration Form - 2025 CSTR Spring Weekend

Please fill in a separate entry form for each entrant whether rider or non-rider

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ CSTR Member: ____ YES ____ NO

_____ e-mail _____

CSTR Members ADULT Weekend	_____ @	\$ 150.00 = \$ _____
CHILD (under 12) Weekend	_____ @	\$ 135.00 = \$ _____
Non-Members ADULT Weekend	_____ @	\$ 170.00 = \$ _____
Non-Member CHILD Weekend	_____ @	\$ 155.00 = \$ _____
CSTR Membership (Individual adult)	_____ @	\$ 35.00 = \$ _____
CSTR Membership (Junior)	_____ @	\$ 10.00 = \$ _____

Become a CSTR Member
Membership Fee \$35.00
And register for the
member rate
PayPal link on the website
cstronline.com

NEHT Rider # _____ Horse # _____

Current Coggins Number: _____ and State _____ Include copy of Coggins

Food Includes Welcome Party Friday night, 3 Meals on Saturday and Breakfast and lunch on Sunday

List dietary restrictions/allergies _____

Riding includes marked trails on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Campers can arrive on Thursday.

Waiver and Release of Liability

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in Cross State Trail Ride activities or events, I, the undersigned, and also including persons associated with me who may not be entered in the event, (1) Acknowledge and fully understand that each participant will be engaging in activities that involve risk of serious injury, including permanent disability and death and severe social and economic losses which might result from their own actions, inaction or other risks not known to me or us or reasonably foreseeable at this time and also from the actions and/or inactions of others (2) Assume all the foregoing risks and accepts personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, permanent disability or death (3) Release, waive, discharge and covenants not to sue Cross State Trail Ride, Inc., its officers, directors or members, Vermont Department of Forest Parks and Recreation, Hellen Hipp, landowner and other owners and leasees of premises used to conduct the event, all of which are hereinafter referred to as "releasees"; from demands, losses or damages on account of injury, including death or damage to property caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by negligence of the releasees or otherwise and (4) Have read and signed the above Waiver and Release voluntarily and understand that I have given up substantial rights. I understand that trail riding can involve being in remote areas for extended periods of time, far from communications, transportation, and medical facilities; and that these areas may have many natural 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

Signature _____ Date _____

Signature of parent or guardian of minor child – **Give age of entrant if under 18** _____

Name of Emergency Contact _____ Phone _____

Mail to: Mail to: **Margo Petracone, 600 West Street, Barre, MA , 01005**
Make checks payable to CROSS STATE TRAIL RIDE INC.