

7IL Scamper Competitive Trail Ride



Sponsored by the
Sam Houston Trails Coalition

March 5-6, 2022
7IL Ranch, Cat Spring, Texas



Join us for the 7IL Scamper Competitive Trail Ride (CTR) sponsored by the Sam Houston Trails Coalition (SHTC). **All profits from this event will go to SHTC to help build the next phase of the Richards-Raven Equestrian Trail (16 miles of trails with multiple bridges and culverts).** CTRs are distance events completed within a window of time with judging on horse and horsemanship (with obstacles). The sport is a great family activity as it is open to riders ages 10+ and all equine breeds.

TRAILS: Land is flat to gently rolling hills with wooded areas and clearings, creek crossings, and ravines. The trail surface is mostly natural grass and cow paths with some sandy areas particularly around creek beds. Ponds and creeks provide good drinking water on trail. The ranch is barefoot friendly!

FACILITIES: Facilities include public showers, restrooms, and a pavilion where ride briefings will be held. All rig sizes can be accommodated with lots of room for primitive camping. If you have a RV or living quarters trailer, the camp has 21 sites with water and 20/30/50 amp electric. Reservations are on a first serve basis, see IMPORTANT LINKS at the bottom of Page 2 to reserve a site.

STABLING: Horses in competition are not allowed to use 7IL horse pens because there are not enough pens available for all competition horses. All NATRC approved stabling options are allowed for horses in competition (tied to trailer, use of high ties, etc. please read NATRC rule book for details).

RIDE T-SHIRT: Enter by February 10 and you will be guaranteed a T-shirt. If registering online, please specify your T-shirt size in the Comments box. If paying by mail, specify size on your check.

MEALS & REGION 4 YEARLY AWARDS & BANQUET: Volunteers will be fed all weekend. Competitors are on their own for food. The NATRC Region 4 Yearly Awards Celebration will be held on Saturday evening after Ride Briefing and will offer dinner. Menu will be fried chicken with several sides and vegetarian options, tea, coffee, and water. Cost per person: \$10.00. Please RSVP to Alanna Price (see info below) so that we have enough food. Payment can be made at Check-In or “pay at the door”, either cash or check made payable to Alanna Price. Donations for this meal are greatly appreciated to help feed our volunteers.

SCHEDULE*:

Leisure Division	
Check-In	2:00 – 6:00 PM Friday
“Late” Check-in	6:00 – 8:30 AM Day of Ride
Ride Briefing	8:30 AM Day of Ride
“Vet-In”	TBD by Judge
Ride Out	10:00 AM
Daily Awards	Afternoon ASAP

A & B Divisions	
Check-In	2:00 - 6:00 PM Friday
Vet-In	3:00 - 6:00 PM Friday
Ride Briefing Daily	6:00 PM
“Late” Check-In	6:00 - 6:30 AM Day of Ride
“Late” Vet-In	6:30 - 7:00 AM Day of Ride
Ride Out	7:30 AM
Awards	Afternoon ASAP

**Schedules are subject to change.*

NATRC SANCTIONED DIVISIONS & CLASSES

Divisions	Leisure	Novice	Competitive Pleasure	Open
Type	B	A	A / B	A
# of Days	1 Day offered both days	2 Day	2 Day / 1 Day offered both days	2 Day
Classes	JR, Adult, EXP	LW, HW, JR	LW, HW, JR	LW, HW, JR
<i>LW=Lightweight HW=Heavyweight JR=Junior EXP=Experienced</i>				
Find out which category is right for you at: natrc.org/start-riding .				

REGISTRATION: Register on the Ride Management System (RMS). If paying by check, make checks payable to Sam Houston Trails Coalition and mail to Ride Secretary (see address below). Please reference the 7IL Scamper. No show, no refunds.

Proof of negative Coggins (originals only) must be submitted at check-in. Dogs are permitted but **MUST BE ON LEASH AT ALL TIMES – NO EXCEPTIONS!** No dogs allowed at meetings, meals, or on the trail.

RIDE ENTRY FEES: Entry fees include day use fees and primitive camping fees. Join NATRC as a new member and receive your first year of membership free! ***All profits from this event will go to SHTC to help build the next phase of the Richards-Raven Equestrian Trail (16 miles of trail with multiple bridges and culverts).***

1 Day Entry Fee – Leisure

Adult or Junior	Non-member \$95	Members \$ 75
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1 Day Entry Fee – Competitive Pleasure

Adult	Non-member \$125	Members \$100
Junior	Non-member \$115	Members \$ 90

2 Day Entry Fee – Novice / Competitive Pleasure / Open

Adult	Non-member \$165	Members \$140
Junior	Non-member \$130	Members \$105

RIDE MANAGER: Cindy Mettes
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RIDE SECRETARY: Patty Lampley
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LEISURE JUDGE: Betsy Zimmerman
VET JUDGE: Dr. Stephanie Ostrowski
HORSEMANSHIP JUDGE: Lin Ward

***** IMPORTANT LINKS *****

Camping Reservations for RV hookups: www.CampSpot.com/book/7il-ranch
 Registration: www.RMS.NATRC.net
 Directions: www.7ILRanch.com/directions

www.SamHoustonTrails.com www.7ILRanch.com www.NATRC.org