Spring Fling
Competitive Trail Ride
June 12-13, 2021
NATRC Sanctioned
"B1" & "B2" Leisure

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If you have always wanted to try Competitive Trail Riding, this is the ride for you.
Get your feet wet with the NEW Leisure Division.

After a break due to COVID, we can again have rides! Come Ride With Us!

As we get back to holding rides after a year off, only the Leisure Division is being offered during 2021. We hope to offer the full complement of Divisions starting again next year. This ride is sanctioned by North American Trail Ride Conference (NATRC) and hosted by the Ramona Arabian Horse Association (RAHA).

If you are new to Competitive Trail Riding, or are an experienced rider, we invite you to come and ride in the Leisure Division. The Leisure Division has Experienced, Adult, and Junior classes. The Leisure Division offers shorter miles, slower pace, and allows you to complete the ride all in one day. Check-In in the morning, Ride 8-12 miles, and have Awards all on that same day. No camping required. Leisure is only offered as a one-day ride, but you can enter Saturday only, Sunday only, or you can enter for both days, for two rides, with two sets of awards.

The ride will be held in the Penasquitos Preserve in San Diego, camping in the West Field of the historic Ranch House. The streams will be flowing, the grass will be green, and the trails will be awesome! Come ride and see why humans for MILLENIUM have been flocking to the Los Penasquitos Preserve!

The trail is well marked with specified minimum and maximum riding times. A Competitive Trail Ride is NOT A RACE. It is a timed and measured distance-riding event. Horses of all breeds, even mules, are invited to compete in the NATRC sanctioned divisions.

Join us for a fun filled day, or make it a weekend, of challenging horsemanship and camaraderie. Take this opportunity to enjoy some great scenery with your horse. Be prepared to see wild turkeys, deer, bobcats, and golden eagles. Bring a friend to ride, or just to help. Come Ride With Us!

Enter this ride on the NATRC Ride Management System http://rms.natrc.net Entries also accepted by regular US Mail. Pre-entry is required. Entries close Tuesday June 8, 2021. Early entries appreciated!

For more information, or to print additional paper entry forms, visit our website: http://www.natrc2.org or email us: ramonaaha@gmail.com.
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Printed NATRC Rule Books are available for current members by request directly from NATRC at natrc@natrc.org.

FREE NATRC MEMBERSHIP: If you have never been a NATRC member, your first year membership is free. Request a membership form and skip paying the Non-Member fee all year.

FIRST TIME RIDER DISCOUNT: First time NATRC Riders can get a $5 discount on their entry.

PRE-REGISTERED VOLUNTEER: If you Pre-Register a Volunteer at the time of your entry, get a $5 discount for each volunteer.

MEALS: Due to COVID restrictions, no meals will be provided for Riders. Coffee and Water will be available.

Camping: We will be staging in an open field with horse water and porta-potties available. Open fires, loose dogs or other pets are FORBIDDEN. While camping is not required for the Leisure Division, camping will be permitted both Friday and Saturday nights, if desired.

No smoking will be permitted on the trail or in camp (if you must smoke, it must be inside a private vehicle). Anyone caught smoking on trail or in camp will be disqualified and asked to leave.

Dogs: Dogs are allowed on a leash, in camp only. No dogs on trail.
DIVISIONS

During 2021, as we start offering rides after COVID, we will only be offering Leisure Division. Watch for Open, Competitive Pleasure, and Novice to return next year.

LEISURE -- Horses entered in this division must be at least 48 months of age. Mileage will be about 8-12 miles on Saturday afternoon. Ideal for Riders who want to try Competitive Trail Riding without camping.

CLASSES

EXPERIENCED -- The Experienced class for Leisure is open to all Adults, with no weight classes. It is intended for the more experienced rider so that they will not be competing with riders that are just starting out.

ADULT -- The Adult class for Leisure is open to Adults, with no weight classes. It is intended for Riders who are starting out with Competitive Trail. Open to riders with less than 250 lifetime points with NATRC, or some other events as described in the Rule Book.

JUNIOR -- Leisure, ages 10 through 17. If age 17 on January 1 of the current year, the entrant will ride as a Junior for the remainder of the year. Juniors may choose to compete with adults if they wish. Juniors may not ride stallions and must have a responsible adult in camp. Juniors MUST wear ASTM/SEI or other approved EQUESTRIAN riding helmet while mounted.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:
Leisure Division - Check-In at the office will be between 7:00 am and 8:00 am on both Saturday, June 12, 2021 and Sunday June 13, 2021. Briefing and maps will begin at 8:00 am, immediately followed by checking in with the Judge. As soon as all riders have checked in with the Judge, the riders will be given 30 minutes to saddle up. Riders will start on trail as soon as all Riders are saddled up. Leisure riders are welcome to come Friday evening, and stay until Sunday, if desired.

Distance Only (DO):
Don’t let the idea of “Competition” keep you away! If you just want to ride to see what it’s like WITHOUT the “Competition” part, or if you are mentoring a new rider, try the “Just DO it" option. The DO (Distance Only) option lets you ride and get credit for the miles without participating in the “judging" part. This is yet another way we try to encourage new people to come try our sport. The REAL idea is to come have fun with your horses for a weekend!

AWARDS: Awards will be presented as soon as scores can be tabulated. Awards will be given to first through sixth place in all classes of each division. All horses/mules and riders are encouraged to remain for the awards presentation. Riders choosing the DO option will receive a completion award, but will not be eligible for placing in classes.

GENERAL INFO: A saddle is required, but there are no restrictions as to type. It is recommended your horse be shod. Rules now permit most types of hoof boots, even those with gators. Use of wraps, bandages, medicine, or drugs is not permitted. Stallions must be well in hand, and ridden by an adult. Bring tools to clean around your stabling area.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY: Call 911 as appropriate, or Margie or Bob’s cell phone at 760-315-7479 or 760-789-0007.

TRAILS: Beautiful trails through meadows, sycamore trees, dirt roads, and single track along the creek. Overall, the trails are a nice variety of scenery and challenge for horse/mules and rider. The winter and spring rains have been heavy this year and the annual rebirth of nature on the trails should surround us with plenty of new greenery.

STABLING: All stabling options permitted by NATRC are allowed at this ride, including portable corrals. Stallions must be double tied and must be ridden by an adult.

MANURE, SHAVINGS, AND/OR HAY: Bagged and stacked in a central location for pickup. Bags will be provided.
DIRECTIONS TO CAMP

Search for **Los Penasquitos Ranch House** on Google Maps or Apple Maps.

I-5 Southbound: Take I-5 South to Hwy 56. Go EAST on Hwy 56 for 6.6 miles to Black Mountain Rd exit (Exit 1). Turn RIGHT onto Black Mountain Rd. to Canyonside Park Dr. Turn RIGHT on Canyonside Park Dr. Then follow the directions below for “Everyone - At Canyonside Park Dr”.

I-15 Northbound: Take I-15 North to the Mercy Rd/Scripps Poway Parkway exit. Turn LEFT at the bottom of the off-ramp and go WEST on Mercy Rd.

Or I-15 Southbound: Take Interstate 15 South to the Mercy Rd/Scripps Poway Parkway exit. Turn RIGHT at the bottom of the off-ramp and go WEST on Mercy Rd.

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Both I-15 - At Mercy Rd: Go WEST on Mercy Rd ~1.5 miles to the signal light at the T-intersection with Black Mountain Rd. Turn RIGHT on Black Mountain Rd. and go to the first signal at Canyonside Park Dr. Turn LEFT on Canyonside Park Dr. Then follow the directions below for “Everyone - At Canyonside Park Dr”.

“Everyone - At Canyonside Park Driveway”: Follow brown signs for “Ranch House”. Continue past the Canyonside Recreational Facility until you get to the white gates for Los Peñasquitos Ranch House. Continue to pass the White Barn. Turn right at the sign that says “Authorized Vehicles Only” (we are authorized). The camp will be in the field beyond the Ranch House. Look for a parking director.
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Complete both sides of the entry form, sign, and mail to: RAHA, 526 Brazos St, Ramona CA 92065  
For Information Call: Margie Insko (760) 315-7479  
Bob Insko (760) 789-0007  
Or email to: minsko2@gmail.com

Rider: ____________________________ Horse Name: ____________________________
Address: ____________________________ Breed*: ____________________________ Reg. No: ____________________________
City/State/Zip: ____________________________ Color: ________ B-Day ________ Height: ________
Phone: ____________________________ Sex: □ Stallion □ Gelding □ Mare Weight: ________
E-Mail: ____________________________ Horse Owner: ____________________________
Name of Person to Contact in Case of Emergency: ____________________________ Phone: ____________________________

*To be eligible for breed awards, a copy of the registration papers must accompany entry form or be presented at check in.

Check NATRC Division and Class you wish to enter.

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Select one class in each division from above.

If "DO" (Distance Only) desired, select one box below as well.

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Basic entry fee includes: $10 NATRC National Fee for members, $5 NATRC Region 2 Fee, $5 California Drug Fees NATRC Non-Member Fee $20.00 for Leisure.

Basic Entry Fee from above: $__________ Make checks payable to: RAHA (Ramona Arabian Horse Association)

National NATRC Non-Member Fee (if applicable) + $__________

NATRC Membership Expiration Date ______________

First-time Rider Discount ($5.00) - $__________

Pre Registered Volunteer: Qty. _____ @ $5.00 + $__________

Less Discounts (Specify Type) - $__________

Sub-Total $__________

Less Deposit (of which $25.00 is Non-Refundable) - $__________

Balance Due at Check In $__________

Entry must be signed in TWO locations on the back side.  
Additional Signature required for Junior Riders
RIDER LIABILITY WAIVER
The following must be signed and dated for entry to be valid:

"I WISH to enter and participate in the Region 2 Spring Fling Competitive Trail Ride, to be held at Los Penasquitos Preserve on June 12-13, 2021." I HAVE READ the rules, conditions, and regulations of the event and will comply with them. I AGREE to abide by the rules of the North American Trail Ride Conference and the aforementioned ride. I UNDERSTAND that competitive riding is a high risk activity, which involves being in remote areas for extended periods of time, far from communications, transportation, and medical facilities; that these areas have many natural and/or man made hazards which ride management cannot anticipate, identify, modify, or eliminate; that horses can be excitable, difficult to control and unpredictable; that personal belongings can be damaged, lost, or stolen, and that accidents can happen to anyone at any time. I AGREE to assume all risks associated with my participation in this activity, and I accept full responsibility for myself and the animal I am riding. As a condition precedent to my being allowed to participate in this activity, I agree that I WILL NOT SUE OR BRING ANY CLAIM AGAINST THE NORTH AMERICAN TRAIL RIDE CONFERENCE, ITS DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS, RIDE MANAGEMENT, RIDE PERSONNEL, VOLUNTEERS, PROPERTY OWNERS WHERE EVENT TAKES PLACE, AND/OR ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS THEREOF, (HEREAFTER REFERRED TO AS "THE RELEASED PARTIES") FOR ANY INJURY, ACCIDENT, DEATH AND/OR LOSS OF ANY KIND WHICH ARISES OUT OF THIS EVENT, AND WILL INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE RELEASED PARTIES FROM ALL LIABILITY FOR SUCH INJURY, ACCIDENT, DEATH OR LOSS, EVEN IF SUCH INJURY, ACCIDENT, DEATH AND/OR LOSS ARISES FROM THE ALLEGED NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASED PARTIES. I FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS STATE'S EQUINE ACTIVITY LIABILITY ACT WARNING (IF APPLICABLE), A COPY OF WHICH IS ATTACHED HERETO AND INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE HEREIN. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT MY HORSE IS NOT UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF MEDICATION AND WILL NOT BE TREATED WITH OR GIVEN ANY MEDICATION PROHIBITED BY NATRC™ RULES. I HEREBY GIVE PERMISSION TO THE NORTH AMERICAN TRAIL RIDE CONFERENCE OR THEIR DUTY APPOINTED AGENT, TO TAKE ANY APPROPRIATE ACTION DEEMED NECESSARY TO CHECK FOR POSSIBLE ADMINISTRATION OF DRUGS TO MY HORSE."

Junior riders must wear an ASTM/SEI, Snell, or approved equal equestrian riding helmet at all times while mounted.

To the extent any dispute arises out of this agreement, the parties agree to submit said dispute to binding arbitration before a neutral arbitrator mutually selected by the parties, said arbitration to be conducted in accordance with the Rules of the American Arbitration Association. All such arbitrations shall be held in the county or district where NATRC National headquarters are located. If the prevailing party, NATRC shall be allowed to recover all costs and expenses incurred, including attorney’s fees and costs. "MY SIGNATURE BELOW CONSTITUTES ACCEPTANCE OF THE ABOVE TERMS AND CONDITIONS. I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THIS LIABILITY RELEASE AND BINDING ARBITRATION CLAUSE."

Rider's Signature: X __________________________ Date: __________________________

Both Parents or Guardian Signature if rider is under 18:

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Signature of Horse Owner if different from rider: __________________________ Printed: __________________________

Junior Rider Permission to Ride
I, the Parent/Guardian, understand and have signed the statement above. I do further authorize any officer, director or supervisory personnel of this ride to consent on my behalf to any emergency medical treatment by a properly licensed person which may be required for my child/ward, and do agree to indemnify and hold harmless any person giving such consent.

Parent or Legal Guardian: ____________________________________ Birth Date of Junior: __________________________

Name of Responsible Adult for Junior: __________________________________________

NATRC STATE LIABILITY WAIVER – CALIFORNIA
I acknowledge that I have noted the WARNING sign which will also be posted at the ride sign-in location:

"WARNING: Equine activities are inherently dangerous. You are assuming the risk of injury or death by participating in this activity. NATRC will not be liable for the injury to or death of a volunteer or participant in this activity."

I also acknowledge the following: I waive all liability of NATRC and its affiliates for any loss, injury or damage which arises from the “inherent risks” of an equine activity.

"Inherent risks of an equine activity” also means a danger or condition that is an integral part of an equine activity, including, but not limited to, any of the following:
(a) Propensity of an equine to behave in ways that may result in injury, death, or loss to persons on or around the equine;
(b) The unpredictability of an equine's reaction to sounds, sudden movement, unfamiliar objects, person, or other animals;
(c) Hazards, including, but not limited to, surface or subsurface conditions;
(d) A collision with another equine, another animal, a person, or an object;
(e) The potential of an equine activity participant to act in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury, death, or loss to the person of the participant or to other persons, including but not limited to, failing to maintain control over an equine or failing to act within the ability of the participant.

Rider's Signature: X __________________________ Date: __________________________

Both Parents or Guardian Signature if rider is under 18: __________________________

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Signature of Horse Owner if different from rider: __________________________ Printed: __________________________
Trail Ride Checklist
This list is intended as a guide. Modify it for your own use.

In Truck/Trailer
- Ride info/map
- Checkbook/cash
- Road atlas
- Horse's papers
- NATRC National Card
- NATRC Regional Card
- AHA Membership Card
- Flashlight
- Tools / Jumper Cables
- Spare Tires (Truck and Trailer) / Jack

Horse Camp
- Hay Nets
- Hay
- Grain
- Electrolytes
- Supplements
- Manure Rake
- Water Buckets
- Grain Buckets
- Wash Buckets & Sponge
- Tarp to cover hay/grain
- Duct Tape / Masking Tape

First Aid - Rider
- Band - Aids
- Ace Bandage
- Aspirin
- Antihistamine
- Regular medications
- First Aid Kit
- Bee Sting Kit

Camp Items
- Tent
- Sleeping Bag
- Pillow
- Camp Chair/Table
- Alarm Clock
- Pens / Pencils
- Towel / Washcloth
- Soap / Shampoo
- Toothbrush / Toothpaste
- Hairbrush / Comb
- Shaving gear or cosmetics
- Sunscreen
- Hand Lotion
- Trash Bags
- Toilet Paper
- Kleenex
- Ant Poison
- Flashlight & Batteries
- Mosquito Repellent
- Hammer

Clothes
- Clothes for Riding
- Clothes for Camp
- Riding Boots
- Shoes for Camp
- Gloves
- Hat
- Light Jacket
- Heavy Jacket
- Spare Clothes
- Extra Socks

Food / Cooking
- Cooler / Ice
- Camp Stove / Fuel
- Matches
- Paper Towels
- Paper Plates
- Napkins
- Utensils
- Cups / Glasses
- Pans
- Dish Towels
- Hot Pads
- Baggies
- Lunch Container
- Menu
- Groceries
- People Water
- Snacks/Trail Mix

Tack & Equipment for Horse
- Saddle
- Bridle
- Halter and spare
- Lead Rope and spare
- Breast Collar
- Saddle Pad and spare
- Horse Blanket/Sheet
- Saddle bag / Banana bag
- Extra Cinch / Latigo
- Leg wraps (for tailoring)
- Brushes
- Hoofpick
- Fly Spray
- Vaseline
- Rags / Towels
- Tack Repair Materials
- Sponges for Rinsing

First Aid - Horse
- Stethoscope
- Gauze / Bandages
- Cut Ointment
- Scissors
- Horse Medicine Box

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Ride Date June 12-13, 2021
Is the DO option for you?
See inside for details.