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RIDER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ AERC #: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_ RIDER'S AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

RIDER'S WEIGHT WITH TACK: \_\_\_\_\_ LB

HORSE'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ BREED/REG#: \_\_\_\_\_ AERC #: \_\_\_\_\_

HORSE AGE: \_\_\_\_\_ SEX: \_\_\_\_\_ COLOR: \_\_\_\_\_

OWNER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

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|---------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------|
| RIDING DIVISION:                | WT. DIVISION:            | ENTRY FEES:                            |          |
| ( ) 55 MILE 1 <sup>ST</sup> DAY | ( ) HEAVY (211+ LBS.)    | ( ) \$80 - 55 MILE 1 <sup>ST</sup> DAY | \$ _____ |
| ( ) 50 MILE 2 <sup>ND</sup> DAY | ( ) MIDDLE (186-210 LBS) | ( ) \$80 - 50 MILE 2 <sup>ND</sup> DAY | \$ _____ |
| ( ) 50 MILE 3 <sup>RD</sup> DAY | ( ) LIGHT (161-185 LBS.) | ( ) \$80 - 50 MILE 3 <sup>RD</sup> DAY | \$ _____ |
| ( ) 25 MILE 1 <sup>ST</sup> DAY | ( ) FEATHER (0-160 LBS.) | ( ) \$65 - 25 MILE 1 <sup>ST</sup> DAY | \$ _____ |
| ( ) 25 MILE 2 <sup>ND</sup> DAY |                          | ( ) \$65 - 25 MILE 2 <sup>ND</sup> DAY | \$ _____ |
| ( ) 25 MILE 3 <sup>RD</sup> DAY |                          | ( ) \$65 - 25 MILE 3 <sup>RD</sup> DAY | \$ _____ |
|                                 |                          | ( ) \$15 / DAY NON AERC MEMBER         | \$ _____ |
|                                 |                          | TOTAL:                                 | \$ _____ |

STRAWBERRY FIELDS FOREVER ENDURANCE RIDE WAIVER CONTRACT: I have entered the Strawberry Fields Forever "Pioneer" Endurance Ride and agree to ride by all their rules, as well as those of the AERC. I understand that endurance riding is a hazardous activity, which often involves being in remote areas far from medical aid. I understand that I am riding the event at MY OWN RISK, and will assume FULL RESPONSIBILITY for my safety. Since the Strawberry Fields Forever Endurance Ride Committee has done everything possible to make this a good, fun safe ride; I promise to be a good sport.

I acknowledge the fact that, while I am on my own, my horse is under veterinary supervision, and I agree to abide by the veterinarian's decisions, as at this ride the veterinarian's word is FINAL! I will not argue, debate or dispute the vet's instructions, nor will I shirk my duty of paying the vet bill if my horse is in need of treatment. I do understand that abuse of the horse is strictly forbidden.

In addition, I and my heirs, executor, and administrator, will hold AERC and officers thereof, any member of the Strawberry Fields Forever Endurance Ride Committee and officers thereof, United States Forest Service, and all property owners/tenants whose land I ride/walk over, absolutely BLAMELESS for any injury or loss to myself or my horse which occurs due to my participation, and fee them from all liability for such injury or loss. In short, I nor anyone associated with me or by business, WILL NOT SUE the Strawberry Fields Forever Endurance Ride Management, their personnel, landowners, or tenants FOR ANY REASON OF ANY KIND! RIDE MANAGEMENT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ENTRY TO ANYONE.

SIGNATURE OF PARTICIPANT: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_, 2006

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN: \_\_\_\_\_  
(For any rider under the age of 18)

VERIFICATION OF AERC MEMBERSHIP WILL BE REQUIRED:  
\*\*\*\*SIGN MEDICAL & LEGAL RELEASE ON OTHER SIDE.\*\*\*\*

STRAWBERRY FIELDS FOREVER "PIONEER" ENDURANCE RIDE: 55/50/25 - MEDICAL & LEGAL RELEASE:

As a participant in the Strawberry Fields Forever Endurance Ride, I understand that my safety and the safety of other participants and workers are dependent upon my own ability and judgement. I understand that endurance riding involves riding on or near pavement, sometimes in traffic, being in the mountains and or desert for long periods, out of communication, in strange places, and possibly under adverse weather conditions. I further understand that judgement, could result in injury to myself or my horse. I understand that professional medical attention is not available on the trail, and that considerable delays are likely to be encountered in rescue and treatment of injured riders and their horses. I understand that horseback riding involves some risk and I ride at my own risk. I agree to take full responsibility for my safety and well being, for my horse's safety and well being, and for the safety of all other participants and their animals. Furthermore, I agree not to hold the United States Forest Service, State Lands of Utah, officers of the ride, workers, or land owners (county or private) whose property we may cross responsible for losses or injuries that I might suffer in, or in connection with the ride. My family is aware that I am participating in this occasionally dangerous sport.

I agree to obey the rules of the AERC and the rules of the Strawberry Fields Forever Endurance Ride.

I give consent for medical treatment for myself if I am unable to give informed consent. The consent I give includes any x-ray examination, anesthetic, medical or surgical diagnosis or treatment deemed advisable by and rendered under the general supervision of a physician or surgeon, if I am unable to give informed consent. I agree that neither the physician, surgeon, nor any organization involved assumes any financial responsibility for acting under this authority granted by me. I agree to give consent for medical treatment of any junior or minor participant in the ride, if I have signed as Parent/Guardian of that junior of minor and I am unable to give informed consent for that treatment. This consent for junior/minor signed for below includes the entire medical treatment and release of financial responsibility outlined above.

I have read, understand, and agree with the conditions of this release.

Signature of Rider \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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

Signature of Sponsor (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Strawberry Fields Forever

## “PIONEER”

### ENDURANCE RIDE

Friday 55/25    Saturday 50/25    Sunday 50/25  
June 23, 24 and 25, 2006

#### GREETINGS TO ALL STRAWBERRY FIELDS FOREVER RIDERS!!

This year due to popular request - or was it demand! - we decided to make Strawberry Fields Forever a three-day Pioneer Ride. Many of our endurance friends from further away felt the travel time and expense would be more worthwhile for a three-day ride so, for this our 4<sup>th</sup> year, we decided to give it a whirl. We're certainly not lacking in pristine, gorgeous riding terrain, and by now we have acquired a group of loyal, hardworking volunteers who help to make it into a fun and rewarding experience.

Our camp will be larger, with NO ROCKS! and much more easily accessible than in years past because the Competitive Trail Ride has been put on hold for now so we will be able to use that area. We hope that many of them will choose to come anyway and ride the Limited Distance rides, which will be held each day - or try a Fifty. We will have much greater flexibility in designing the trails, because now we don't have to be concerned about conflicting courses, and we hope to explore and mark an entirely new area for Day 2 that goes up to and above the Pink Cliffs.

Our good friend Trish will be preparing gourmet meals each evening, which we highly recommend, with sandwiches at the lunch stop (and, as usual I'm wishing for and dreaming of a live band for Saturday night - we'll see). There is plenty of fresh water from the creek and camp troughs for horses, but you should bring your own culinary water. Ride camp is situated at 8,000 ft. in a lush, green, remote valley surrounded by Aspens and pines. At this time of year with the spring runoff, the creeks are swollen and wild flowers are blooming everywhere - but the bugs aren't out yet, making it a perfect time of year for a Uintah Mountain riding experience. Day time temperatures average 65°F to 80°F but the nights can be chilly, so dress accordingly and bring blankets for horses. It never hurts to pack rain gear since the weather can change suddenly.

There will be a 55 on Friday, 50's on Saturday and Sunday with LD rides each day. At the moment the ride consists of 25 mile loops through base camp and start at 7 a.m. Vet checks are in camp so crews do not need to drive. This is a challenging ride with a lot of elevation change, ranging between 7,500 ft. to almost 11,000 ft., but the mostly single track trails offer excellent footing and the scenery is nothing short of breathtaking - even for those of us lucky enough to live nearby. Sightings of elk, deer, moose and beaver are not uncommon, and soaring overhead bald eagles and hawks quietly keep a close eye on us. The scenic value of this ride is what makes it so special and unique. If taken at a moderate pace, this is a ride to enjoy, savor and remember.....Forever!

#### LOCATION

The base camp is about 55 miles southeast of Salt Lake City, with easy access. From Heber City travel 20 miles east on Hwy 40, over Daniel's Pass, and once you cross Strawberry River, you will see a wide graded road with a turnout on your left. Take this road and go north about 6 miles until you get to camp.

#### RIDE INFORMATION

The Ride consists of a 55 mile loop through base camp on Friday, 50 mile loops Saturday and Sunday and limited distance 25 mile loops Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The 55/50 mile rides begin at 6:30 a.m. and the 25 mile rides at 7:00 a.m. All the vet checks are in camp so crews do not need to drive. There is plentiful water for horses from a creek, but please bring your own people water. Ride camp is situated at 8000 ft. in a lovely valley surrounded by Aspens and pines. At this time of year, this exquisitely beautiful mountain recreation area is lush and green, with abundant streams and wild flowers. Daytime temperatures should range from 70 to 80 degrees F, though the nights can get chilly, so warm jackets and horse blankets are advised.

A Dinner will be served on Saturday night for a cost of \$10 with advance notice please. Complimentary sandwiches will be provided for riders at lunchtime on both days and prizes and awards will be presented for all completions. The fee is \$80 per day for the fifties and \$65 for the limited distance. The Forestry Service is restricting the number of riders allowed in the area so we regret that entries will have to be limited.

#### TRAIL DESCRIPTION

The trail makes two loops back through camp on mostly single-track trails through woodland and open meadows, with many creeks and plenty of water. Although hilly, the trail is fairly easy with good footing, and plenty of lush green grass for horses to snack on. In a few places the trail rises to 10,000 ft. with fabulous panoramic views of the Wasatch range to the west and the magnificent Uintah mountains to the northeast.

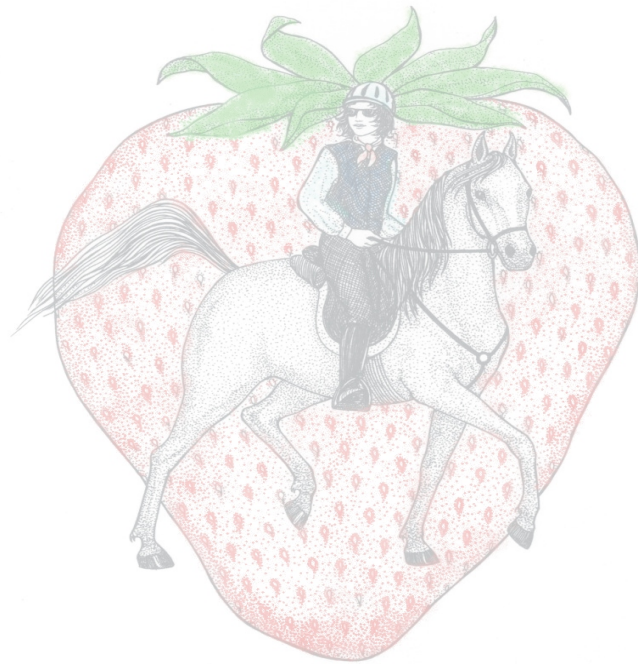
#### NETTING

Veterinarian Team: Kathy Backus and Matt Crane

#### For more information contact

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