

# IRON OAK

## COMPETITIVE CLINIC, NOVICE DRIVE, NOVICE RIDE & 25 Mile COMPETITIVE RIDE



Saturday, April 25, 2009

This event begins with a clinic on competitive driving and riding in a comfortable log cabin. It is ideal for the **novice driver or novice rider** who would like to learn about distance events, how to prepare the horse for them, and how they are judged and scored. The clinic is followed by a short distance drive and ride for the novice. **Plus, we're offering a 25-mile competitive ride for the veterans.**

**When:** Saturday, April 25, 2009

7 am to 10 am - Registration & vet checks

10 am to 12 noon – Competitive clinic for novice riders and drivers

- Competitive riding/driving rules
- Conditioning the horse
- Vet checks and how to present your horse
- Safety checks for drivers and equipment
- How to do pulse and respiration, competitive pace, and scoring

12 noon to 1 pm - Lunch

**25 Mile Competitive Ride** will start at 10 am

**12 Mile Novice Ride** will start at 1 pm

**12 Mile Drive** will start at 1:30 pm with the **6 Mile Drive** following

Singles and Multiples are welcome. Drivers will be released at 5 minute intervals.

**Where:** Black Hawk Unit (formerly Black Hawk Ridge), SE of Sauk City, with access from Wachter Road, located along Hwy. 78 between Hwy. 12 and Hwy. 14. (See reverse for map & directions) **No on-site camping**

**Equipment:** Helmets are mandatory for riders, drivers and passengers in a carriage. Spares kits for drivers should include a knife, screw driver, pliers, small hammer, leather punch, hoof pick, wheel wrench, length of rawhide string or wire, halter and lead rope for each horse, cooler or blanket for each horse, a hames strap if applicable, spare rein or splice, spare trace or splice. Drivers must carry a whip. Drivers of multiples must have a groom.

**.Costs:** (See reverse for fees and registration form)

**Clinic Participants** need to bring their own chair.

**Riders/Drivers** need to bring **Coggins**. Please bring a copy and the original.



Sponsored by the  
**Midwest Distance Driving Association**

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25-mile Competitive Ride, 12-mile Novice Ride, 6 and 12-mile Drives



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Pre Registration Form:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

email: \_\_\_\_\_

Horse's name, if applicable: \_\_\_\_\_



Morning Clinic and Lunch (no ride/drive)	\$25	
Clinic, Lunch, Ride/Drive	\$45	
Individual membership with registration (\$30 value)	\$25	
Family membership with registration (\$45 value)	\$40	
Drive only for MDDA veterans, includes lunch	\$30	
Pre Registration discount post marked before April 19	-\$5	
<b>Total Payment due</b>		

*\*Joint membership in  
both MDDA & UMECRA*

**Competitive Riders (25 Miles) can register day of event – SR \$45 & JR \$20 (Fees include lunch)**

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**Please complete the form and mail with check payable to MDDA to:  
Jack Shea, W1975 Bakertown Dr., Sullivan, WI 53178**



From North & East, go to Hwy 12 and 78 junction, just east of Sauk City, go south about 2 miles on Hwy 78 and turn left on Wachter Road and head up hill through a gate (do not enter small parking lot on the right) to the parking area at the top of the ridge. Look for signs.

From South & West, go to Hwy 14 and 78 junction just east of Mazomanie, go north on 78 about 5 miles and turn right on Wachter Road and head up hill through a gate (do not enter small parking lot on the right) to the parking area at the top of the ridge. Look for signs.