



## ENDURE FOR THE CURE

**JOIN US FOR OUR 12<sup>th</sup> YEAR! 3 Days of Riding!**

With a 2-Day 100 Mile Endurance

Two days of 50 mile Endurance

Three days of 25 LD

Three days of 25 Competitive

Two days of 12.5 mile Novice

and two days of Driving

**July 13-15, 2012** at USACE Farmdale Reservoir Park

Sanctioned by: AERC, AHA, UMECRA & OAATS

This ride is a fundraiser for the Susan G. Komen for the Cure Foundation. Ask your friends, family, and co-workers to sponsor you (forms and other information available at: <http://www.endureforthecure.org>). You don't have to make a donation to come and enjoy the ride, but we challenge you to raise at least \$100 and bring it to the ride (so the ride gets credit, please don't send directly to Komen). For those riders that raise the most money we will be giving away **great prizes** (see below)! The Top Fundraiser will win a **saddle! So start raising \$ early!** And, again this year, we plan to raise more \$ for Komen with the drawing ("raffle") Saturday evening, with lots of equestrian items to choose from!

This is a leg of the AHDRA Triple Crown Award! This year's award will be a **Trailer Eyes from Michael Liang** that has been donated for the horse/rider team that earns the most points competing in at least three AHDRA rides. Horses may be any breed and riders need not be an AHDRA member to compete. See the AHDRA website (<http://www.ahdra.org>) for further information.

**Ride Managers:** Marty and Chris Power, Deb Searle **Emails:** power@dtnspeed.net, debsearle@mac.com

**Phones:** 217/871-1889 (Marty), 217/871-1890 (Chris), 815/878-0668 (Deb)

**Pre-entries encouraged.** Send to Robin Schadt 7342 W115th St., Worth, IL 60482.

All pre entries will be entered into a drawing for **fabulous door prizes**.

<b>Friday, July 13</b>	<b>Start Time</b>	<b>Fees*</b>	
2-Day 100 mile Endurance	6 AM	Open \$120	Jr \$75
50 mile Endurance	6 AM	Open \$70	Jr \$40
25 mile Limited Distance	6:30 AM	Open \$55	Jr \$35
25 mile Competitive	7 AM	Open \$55	Jr \$35

<b>Saturday, July 14</b>	<b>Start Time</b>	<b>Fees*</b>	
2-Day 100 mile Endurance	6 AM		
50 mile Endurance	6 AM	Open \$70	Jr \$40
25 mile Limited Distance	6:30 AM	Open \$55	Jr \$35
25 mile Competitive	7 AM	Open \$55	Jr \$35
12.5 mile Novice	10:00 AM	Open \$30	Jr \$25
Driving, 12.5 & 25 miles	2 PM for 12.5; TBD for 25	12.5 \$35	25 \$50

<b>Sunday, July 15</b>	<b>Start Time</b>	<b>Fees*</b>	
25 mile Limited Distance	6:30 AM	Open \$55	Jr \$35
25 mile Competitive	7 AM	Open \$55	Jr \$35
12.5 mile Novice	8:30 AM	Open \$30	Jr \$25
Driving, 12.5 miles	9 AM	12.5 \$35	25 \$50

**\*Members of the Arabian Horse Distance Riding Association (AHDRA) receive a \$5 discount on each ride entry.**

**\$15.00 fee** for endurance rides if AERC membership card not presented.

**Because we care... riding helmets are required.**

**Veterinarians:** Wesley G. Elford, DVM & Cindy Schlund, DVM

**Photographer:** Doug Palme, Timeless Equine Photography (donating a portrait sitting as fund-raiser prize and, for the 3<sup>rd</sup> year, 25% of all photography proceeds to Komen—this has been \$3,500 over the past two years!)

**Vendor:** Kristen Lacy, Horse Lovers Outlet & The Distance Depot (donating A V-MAX Equine Heart Rate Monitor System and a Shear Comfort Seat Saver as fund-raiser prizes!)

**Horse Health Certificate:** Illinois requires that all horses entering the state have a current health paper and permit number (which you get from the veterinarian who issues the health certificate). **Negative Coggins on all horses required to be presented to ride management at entry.**

**Driving events will only be held if there are two or more participants.** Management must be notified by **June 30th** by phone or email.

**Novice Ride Clinic** early Saturday. **Novice riders should arrive at ride camp 1½ hrs before ride time.** Novice ride points will count towards UMECRA's Novice Award.

**Dinner:** Spaghetti, salad and bread will be served Saturday night by ride management. A \$4 donation is requested.

**Crewing:** No vehicles are allowed in the park outside of the ride camp; all vet checks are in camp.

**Trail:** The trail is single track woodland and double track prairie. Plenty of water and wildlife and the wooded trails are challenging and fun.

**Camping:** Campsites will be available beginning Thursday, July 12 after 2:00 p.m.

(contact ride management for camping needs prior to July 12 and after July 15).

Camping fee is \$15.00 per night. No trail pass fees! No vehicle fees! Use your savings as a donation to Komen!

Groceries, gas, restaurants within a 10 - 15 minute drive. Quiet time (e.g., no generators) after 10 pm.

You are responsible for cleaning your campsite. Manure and hay can be thrown into the surrounding woods.

Camping is primitive. Horse water will be available. Dogs must be on leash.

**Directions** (Google Map or MapQuest to: 1000 W. Bittersweet Rd., Washington, IL)

**Interstate 74 from the East:** Take Morton Exit. Turn right (north) at stop sign. At second stoplight (Courtland St), take right hand turn. At T (Main Street), take a left hand turn. Follow until you come to another T (Cooper Rd). Take a left on Cooper. Go ½ mile and take right hand turn on Shuck. Go 2/10 of a mile and take a left on Farmdale Rd. At the T, take a right on to Bittersweet Rd. Park will be on your right within a few miles.

**Interstate 74 from the West:** Take 74 through Peoria. After crossing the river, take the Camp Street Exit. You are now on Route 150 and Route 8. Follow this road until you reach the stoplight intersection of Summit. Turn right on Summit. Follow this road through residential area and look for signs to camp. Caution: Curving road!

**Interstate 39 from the North and South:** Take Route 24 West through Eureka. After Eureka, Route 24 will turn into 4 lanes. Look for stoplight intersection of Cummings and Route 24. Turn left on Cummings. Go through stop sign. At Stoplight (Route 8 or Washington Rd.), turn Right. At third stoplight (Summit), turn left. Follow this road through residential area and look for signs to camp. Caution: Curving road!

**Route 29 from the North:** Follow Route 29 south and then take 24 East. Go over the river and follow 24. After the 2<sup>nd</sup> stoplight, look for exit to Rt 8/Washington Rd. Follow this road past Wal-Mart and take a right hand turn on Washington Rd/Route 8. Follow this road until you reach the stoplight intersection of Summit. Turn left on Summit. Follow this road through residential area and look for signs to camp. Caution: Curving road!

Since its inception in 2001, this event has raised **\$180,000** for the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation. In 2011, we raised over \$8,000 and we hope to top that this year. We need your help to accomplish this.

**AND Lucy will again provide her famous scented ice towels!!!**