

# ROCK RIVER CHARITY RIDE

Franklin Creek State Natural Area  
1872 Twist Road  
Franklin Grove, IL 61031

**Please join us for our return to our roots.** The trails are as beautiful as in 1997 – pines, hardwoods, streams and prairie. IDNR Equestrian campground has fresh water available and the fees are reasonable - \$8.00 per night.

## **\*\*Ride profits to Equestrian Related Charities\*\***

Sanctioned: UMECRA – AERC – AHA (**AHA REGION 11 CHAMPIONSHIP RIDE**)  
\*(\$15 surcharge for non-AERC members)

<u>Saturday, August 17, 2019</u>	<u>Donations</u>	<u>Start Times</u>
50 Mile Endurance*	Sr. \$80, Jr.\$40	6:30 am
AHA Region 11 Endurance Championship Ride *	Sr. \$80, Jr.\$40	
25 Mile Limited Distance*	Sr. \$60, Jr.\$35	7:00 am
25 Mile Competitive	Sr. \$60, Jr.\$35	Not before 9:00am
12.5 Mile Novice	Sr. 35, Jr.\$20	With last Comp Grp
6 Mile Drive; 12.5 Mile Drive	\$25; \$35	Not earlier than 10am

POT LUCK SATURDAY NITE  
Main dish furnished – Please bring dish to pass

## Sunday, August 18, 2019

25 Mile Limited Distance*	Sr. \$60, Jr.\$35	Not before 7:00am
25 Mile Competitive (AHA)	Sr. \$60, Jr.\$35	30 Min after LD
12.5 Mile Novice	Sr. \$35, Jr.\$20	With last Comp Grp
6 Mile Drive; 12.5 Mile Drive	\$25; \$35	Not earlier than 8am

Vet checks in camp – Water on the trail  
!Shoes or boots suggested(for horses)  
! Be prepared to show Negative Coggins at registration.  
! Completion Awards for all riders who finish according to rules and times.  
! Endurance & Competitive – Ribbons 1<sup>st</sup> thru 6<sup>th</sup> place in HW, LW, & JR.  
! Limited Distance, Novice & Driving – Ribbons 1<sup>st</sup> thru 6<sup>th</sup> place  
! Prizes for BC Endurance – BC Limited Distance – Hi Point Comp  
**\*BC & Hi Point Awards all in memory of Jim Helfter & ABC support of Rock River\***

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### **Directions to Franklin Creek State Natural Area**

Take I-39 (from either North or South) to Rt 38 at Rochelle, IL. Travel West on 38 to Franklin Grove. There are directional signs to Franklin Creek State Natural Area.  
Check on the web at: <https://www.dnr.illinois.gov/parks/pages/franklincreek.aspx>

Also, Caseys in Franklin Grove has diesel, gas, pizza, ice and beer.