



April 17 & 18, 2020

April 17, 2020 - 55 mile, 30 mile & Intro
April 18, 2020 - 75 mile, 55 mile, 25 mile, & Intro

Priefert Ranch, Mt. Pleasant, Texas



AERC Sanctioned & TERA Sanctioned

Pre Register by April 10, 2020 for 50 & LD

Mandatory 75 mile Pre Register with payment by April 10, 2020

Ride Manager: Khristin Seymore-Norsworthy - 903-563-6639 - HorizonAggie@aol.com

Ride Secretary: Vicki Hudson - 713-299-8115 - vhudson10@gmail.com

Assistant Ride Manager/Trail Master: Ryan Norsworthy - 903-285-1637 - Hardhitta606@gmail.com

Endurance riding is an athletic event for both horse and rider in which the first goal is to complete the marked trails; and the second goal is to ride this trail as rapidly as the condition of horse and rider allows. A qualified veterinarian and ride manager controls each AERC sanctioned ride to a certain extent. All equines must pass the thorough vet checks before and during the event before they are allowed to continue. After the ride, the equine must pass another thorough check before being allowed a completion.

Head Veterinarian: Dennis Seymore, DVM

Control Veterinarians: TBD

Event Photographer: John Nowell

Website: www.remudasmugmug.com

Campsite: Located among the rolling green hills on the outskirts of Mt. Pleasant, Texas, the Priefert Ranch is a family-owned and operated 3,000-acre working ranch.

History about the ranch: The ranch runs a cow/calf operation and is also involved in the commercial hay business. Priefert Ranch is also home to several horses. Two of these magnificent horses are Goliath and Radar, both Guinness World Record holders for Tallest Living Horse. The Priefert Percherons Texas Thunder draft horse hitch is also based on the ranch. It was on this ranch in 1964, that Marvin Priefert built his first headgate. That single piece of ranch equipment became the foundation of one of the of the largest and most respected ranch equipment manufacturing companies in the world. Although Priefert's manufacturing facilities have expanded over the years, the one room shop where Marvin invented his revolutionary side-closing headgate still stands on the ranch and serves as a vivid reminder of where this company has its roots. Today's manufacturing facilities are located adjacent to the ranch, allowing Priefert Ranch to be the first proving ground for the vast majority of Priefert's products. That's why we say Priefert products are "built by ranchers, for ranchers."

Trails: The terrain here is flat to gently rolling hills. Trails will go through cattle pastures, creek crossings, and some ravines. All vet checks will be in camp: loop lengths, hold times, and veterinary criteria will be discussed at the pre-ride meeting. *Trails are very barefoot friendly!!*

Intro Riders: The Intro Ride offers an opportunity for newcomers (riders and/or equines) to see what endurance is all about. Intro riders will complete a loop of approximately 10 - 15 miles and have a pre-and post-ride vet check. There is no minimum or maximum time for completion. There are no point or mileage accumulations, no placement awards, no best condition judging, nor are results reported to AERC. However if your horse successfully completes the ride, you will receive a completion award and have had the opportunity to experience the sport of endurance.

Intro Riders are required to have a current, negative coggins.

If you do not plan to camp Friday night, but plan to ride Saturday please attend the Friday Night Pre-Ride Meeting because it will be very beneficial in understanding the sport and outline of the ride.

Registration: Please pre-register for this event if at all possible!! This will avoid you standing in line to fill out paperwork. Any and ALL CHECKS WILL DEPOSITED AFTER THE RIDE!!!!

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Please make checks payable to: **Khristin Seymore-Norsworthy**

Mail OR EMAIL Completed Entries to:

You may also use the online entry: <https://form.jotform.com/VickiH/RacingStripes20>

Vicki Hudson
Attn: Racing Stripes
13002 Lakeside Terrace Drive
Houston, Texas 77044
vhudson10@gmail.com

Please include:

- 1- A copy of your negative Coggins papers
- 2- A copy of your AERC card/TERA card
- 3- A completed entry form
- 4- Your choice of payment (cash, or check).

DEBIT/CREDIT CARD PAYMENT will only be available at RIDE SITE!

If you plan to ride both days please include separate checks for both days.

Directions:

- Route yourself with your own directions to Mt. Pleasant, Texas.
- Upon approaching Mt. Pleasant, TX; From the **SOUTH** continue on HWY 271 North (**DO NOT TAKE HWY 271 BUSINESS!!**). After merging and heading towards Hwy 271 N & I-30 then take the **4000 FM Marvin Priefert Hwy** Exit. You will then come to a STOP sign, take a LEFT (going under 271) and head directly into the Priefert Ranch. Follow parking directions.
- Upon approaching Mt. Pleasant, TX; From the **NORTH** continue on HWY 271 South (**DO NOT TAKE HWY 271 BUSINESS!!**). After merging and heading towards Hwy 271 S you will take the **4000 FM Marvin Priefert Hwy** Exit. You will then come to a STOP sign, take a RIGHT and head directly into the Priefert Ranch. Follow parking directions.
- Upon approaching Mt. Pleasant, TX; If traveling on **I-30** exit# 160 onto Hwy 271 South, continue on HWY 271 South (**DO NOT TAKE HWY 271 BUSINESS!!**). After merging and heading towards Hwy 271 S you will take the **4000 FM Marvin Priefert Hwy** Exit. You will then come to a STOP sign, take a RIGHT and head directly into the Priefert Ranch. Follow parking directions.
- **If you plan to arrive Wednesday or before Wednesday please call ride management so she can be available to get you parked. PLEASE CALL Khristin @ 903-563-6639!**

Schedule:

Thursday April 16, 2020

1:00 PM - Registration Opens
4:00 PM - Vet-in Starts
7:00 PM - Pre-Ride Meeting

**** Times are subject to change if needed!! ****

Friday April 17, 2020

7:00 AM - 50 mile Start
7:30 AM - 30 mile Start
9:00 AM - Intro Ride Start
7:00 PM - Awards

Saturday April 18, 2020

6:30 AM - 75 mile Start
7:00 AM - 50 mile Start
7:30 AM - 25 mile Start
9:00 AM - Intro Ride Start
7:00 PM - Awards, 75 awards TBD

Day 1 - Friday - April 17, 2020

Rider # _____ Please circle distance! **55 miles** 30 miles Intro

Rider Information: Is this your first ride or special mileage attempt?

Please explain:

AERC #		
Rider Name		
Address (CSZ)		
Phone		
E-mail		
Weight Division	Featherweight (160 & under)	Lightweight (161-185)
	Middleweight (186-210)	Heavyweight (211&over)
Junior	Yes	No
Sponsor		

Horse Information: Horses first ride or mileage attempt? First 50? Yes No

Please explain:

Horse AERC#	
Name	
Breed - Age - Color - Sex	
Owners name & AERC#	

Entry Fees:

25 mile	\$100.00	\$ _____
55 mile	\$110.00	\$ _____
Intro	\$40.00 (no discounts apply to Intro Ride)	\$ _____
Non-AERC Member Fee	+ \$15.00 (does not apply to Intro Ride)	+ _____
TERA Discount - \$5.00 OR Early Entry Discount - \$5.00 (please choose <u>one</u> discount)		- _____

Pre Register by: April 10, 2020

All Juniors (16 and under) for any distance = \$55.00 (no other discounts) \$ _____

Processing FEE (IF ENTERING AT RIDE SITE!) -----> **\$10.00**

Total \$ _____

Liability Release

As a participant in the Racing Stripes Endurance Ride, I _____ agree to abide by the rules of AERC, TERA, and the Racing Stripes ride rules. I understand that endurance riding involves being in remote areas for extended periods of time, far from communication, transportation, and medical facilities, that these areas have many natural or man-made hazards which ride management cannot anticipate, identify, modify or eliminate: that horses can be excitable, difficult to control and unpredictable; and that accidents can happen to anyone at any time. I agree to take full responsibility for myself and the animal I am riding. I will hold the ride management, all ride personnel, and all property owners over whose land the ride covers, blameless for any accident, injury or loss and free from all liability of such injury or loss that may occur due to my participation in the ride. I have read and understand this liability release.



Rider Signature _____ Date _____

Juniors Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Horse Owners Signature _____ Date _____

Day 2 - Saturday - April 18, 2020

Rider # _____ Please circle distance! **75 miles** **55 miles** **25 miles** **Intro**

Rider Information: Is this your first ride or special mileage attempt?

Please explain:

AERC #		
Rider Name		
Address (CSZ)		
Phone		
E-mail		
Weight Division	Featherweight (160 & under)	Lightweight (161-185)
	Middleweight (186-210)	Heavyweight (211&over)
Junior	Yes	No
Sponsor		

Horse Information: Horses first ride or mileage attempt? First 75? Yes No 50? Yes No

Please explain:

Horse AERC#	
Name	
Breed - Age - Color - Sex	
Owners name & AERC#	

Entry Fees:

25 mile	\$100.00	\$ _____
55 mile	\$110.00	\$ _____
75 mile	\$155.00 <i>*Mandatory 75 mile Pre Register with payment by April 10, 2020*</i>	\$ _____
Intro	\$40.00 (no discounts apply to Intro Ride)	\$ _____
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