

# The Dr. Gail Conway Memorial Ride

February 21-22, 2026

Intro/25/50 Mile Events

Sanctioned by The American Endurance Ride Conference (AERC)

Sponsored by Texas Endurance Riders Association (TERA)

This ride will be conducted according to AERC Rules.

**TO FINISH IS TO WIN**



*Dr. Gail Conway's last ride and his last vetting job was at the Land Heritage Institute for River Run. It was not a job, but a pleasure for him to vet endurance rides and see all his friends. It is impossible to replace him as a key figure in our endurance world. We are happy to host this ride in his name to keep his memory alive!*



Ride Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/3258551434464054>

## Ride Staff

Ride Manager: Eron Howell Contact: 210-386-2265

Ride Secretary: Eron Howell

Assistant RMs: Liz Sternadel Contact: 832-683-7294

Safe Sport Rep: Liz Sternadel

Vets: Lynn Criner, Cheryl Sofaly, Val Jaffe

## Ride Site

The Land Heritage Institute - 1349 Neal Road, San Antonio, TX, 78264



## Camp Details & Rules

Camp opens Friday at 12 Noon. It closes Monday at 12 Noon after the ride. If you need to arrive sooner, or depart later, please contact Ride Management for assistance.

All horses must have a current negative Coggins. All out of state horses must have a health certificate.

Please make sure that everyone in your party have signed the LHI liability release upon arrival.

**ONE HORSE PER ELECTRIC PEN.** Electric pens must be hot. Panel pens need to be secure also. This is for everyone's safety and is very important.

No potable water. Plenty of horse water in camp and on trail.

No alcohol on grounds.

No smoking on the trails or grounds.

No open fires.

Before you leave, **your area must be clean** . Manure/hay must be cleaned up!! There are piles around camp to dump manure and hay.

Dogs must be on a leash or in a pen. Keep them out of vet check and crew area. Please pick up after them as well.

If you plan to arrive after dark, please call Ride Management with ETA.

Good sportsman ship is a must!

## Trails

Trails wind through shady oak and pecan groves, open grasslands, and scenic river basins along the Medina River. Designed primarily for horseback use, the wide, gently rolling trails are also popular with hikers and mountain bikers. Ride Management believes these trails are barefoot friendly, but please have another option prepared if you decide your horse needs hoof protection. We will have plenty of horse water on the trails and in camp. All vet checks are in camp.

## Meals

Ride Management is planning to have a food truck on site all weekend! Food and drinks will be available for purchase. Ride management will provide dinner on Saturday evening (2/21) for all riders that pre entered, volunteers, and staff. Additional meals can be purchased separately from the food truck. Please check the ride Facebook page for updates regarding the food truck and menu options.

## Schedule – Subject To Change

<b>Friday 2/20</b>	<b>Saturday 2/21</b>	<b>Sunday 2/22</b>
Camp opens – 12 Noon	50 Mile Start – TBD	50 Mile Start – TBD
Registration – 1:00 PM	25 Mile Start – TBD	25 Mile Start – TBD
Pre-Ride Vet In – 3:00 PM	Intro Start – TBD	Intro Start – TBD
Ride Meetings – 6:00	Awards/Dinner – 6:30 PM	Awards – After Complete

## Registration

Pre-Entry and prepayment are strongly encouraged!!

Riders are responsible for making sure all information is correct prior to starting and that their vet cards are filled out with rider/horse info.

**Jotform Link: <https://form.jotform.com/253003778449160>**

## **Entry Fees:**

- Early entry & payment for 25 & 50 Miles: \$125
- Onsite entry & payment for 25 & 50 Miles: \$140
- Junior Riders (all distance, any time) - \$70
- Into Distance - \$70

## **Payment Options:**

- Check: Payable to “Eron Howell” – Mail To: Eron Howell @ PO Box 865, Boerne TX 78006
- Venmo: @LizSternadel
- CashApp: \$LizSternadel
- Pay onsite

**Please call, text, or email if you have any questions, comments, or concerns. We can't wait to see everyone and have another great ride!**

## SATURDAY REGISTRATION FORM

Rider #              Check #              Amt \$

## RIDER INFORMATION

RIDER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ AERC #: \_\_\_\_\_

AERC #: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ST: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY NAME & #: \_\_\_\_\_

JUNIOR BIRTHDATE: \_\_\_\_\_ SPONSOR: \_\_\_\_\_

## DIVISION:

Jr (16 yrs & under)    Fwt (160 & under)    Lwt (161-185)    Mwt (186-210)    Hwt (211+)

## HORSE INFORMATION

HORSE AERC #: HORSE NAME:

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ COLOR: \_\_\_\_\_ CIRCLE: Mare / Stallion / Gelding

Owners Name: \_\_\_\_\_ OWNERS AERC #: \_\_\_\_\_

## DISTANCE

*Onsight Reg Fee - \$15*      \$

TERA Discount - \$5      \$      TERA #

**RIDE DAY TOTAL**      \$      **PAYMENT METHOD: CHECK / VENMO / CASHAPP**

## SUNDAY REGISTRATION FORM

Rider #                    Check #                    Amt \$

## RIDER INFORMATION

RIDER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ AERC #: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ST: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL:**

EMERGENCY NAME & #: \_\_\_\_\_

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## **Liability Release: River Run, Gail Conway Memorial Ride both Legal and Medical Release**

As a participant in the River Run Endurance Ride, I \_\_\_\_\_ agree to abide by the rules of AERC, TERA, and the Land Heritage Institute. 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, The Land Heritage Institute and its Board, 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 acknowledge that I assume full responsibility for the safety of horse, my guests, and myself. By my signature, I hereby waive all rights to file a claim or lawsuit against Land Heritage Institute and all its personnel and Board, State of Texas, AERC, TERA, River Run Endurance Ride including all management, ride personnel, and all medical personnel, for any injury or damages which may occur during the time I am at the ride site. Additionally, I agree to be fully financially responsible for any necessary emergency medical treatment by any medical person or institution in the event of injury or illness. I give my consent for and will be financially responsible for emergency medical treatment for myself, my horse, if I am unable to give informed consent.

I have read and understand this liability release.

Rider Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Juniors Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Horse Owners Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Any Known Drug Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Any Medical Conditions: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact & Number: \_\_\_\_\_