AMERICAN QUARTER HORSE RIDE PROGRAM

Revised Date: July 25, 2012

DRAGOON, ARIZONA

HOST: Arizona Quarter Horse Association

DATE: October 12-14, 2012

LOCATION: Triangle T Ranch, Dragoon, AZ

FEES: Trail Challenge:
$50 per adult
$35 per youth, Equestrians with Disabilities and distance only (buddy riders)
Trail Ride Sunday to historic location on different trail:
$25 per adult
Youth and Equestrians with Disabilities – FREE
Enter both events and save - $70 per person

ADDITIONAL OPTIONS/FEE: To participate in year-end awards for the Arizona QHA Trail Challenge, membership to join AzQHA is $40 per person. Additionally, if you participate in the Trail Challenge – AQHA membership is required.

BACKGROUND: The Triangle T Historic Ranch is one of the oldest guest ranches in Arizona and steeped in history. Nestled in Texas Canyon, 60 miles west of Tucson, its unique setting is amidst gigantic boulders piled high in startling formations. The ranch offers some of the most spectacular scenery in the southwest. At an elevation of 4,800 feet, temperatures at the Triangle T Ranch are moderate year around. The rich history includes Cochise, Glenn Ford, John Wayne, Will Rogers, Vanderbilts, Rockefellers, Pearl Harbor Japanese Ambassador and many more tales.

ITINERARY: Ranch will open to camping after lunch on Friday with a pot luck dinner in the evening. Saturday, participants will have a riders meeting at 8:30 a.m. and a judges meeting at 9 a.m. The first rider will leave base camp at 10 a.m. An afternoon clinic is scheduled and more details will be available at a later date. Evening plans include a dinner. Sunday, the ride will leave base camp at 10 a.m. and head into the Dragoons.

Trail Challenge details include all natural obstacles, easy, well-established and well-maintained trails. It is suggested horses are shod or booted. Additional activities include a trip to a Quarter Horse Museum and former ranch of Mrs. Rose Fulton.

DIRECTIONS: Triangle T Ranch is located 60 miles southeast of Tucson. Take exit 318 off Interstate 10 at Dragoon Road. Follow Dragoon Road ¼ mile to the ranch.

RENTAL HORSES: Yes – contact the ranch at (520) 586-7533

STALLS AVAILABLE: Yes – call (520) 586-7533 to reserve your stall or pen. Get your reservations early, so you can have your choice of stall or pen. Horses can be tied or confined to your own pen. All horses $10 per night regardless of where they are stabled – your pen or their pen.

FACILITIES AVAILABLE: RV hook-ups – full hook-ups $30 / electric only - $25 / dry camping - $20 = all rates are based on per night. Water for horses, portable restrooms, showers, restaurant, motel rooms, cabin rentals and gift shop are available. Book your room reservations early due to another non-horse related activity the same weekend.

HORSE HEALTH REQUIREMENTS: Out-of-state horses *must* have a current negative Coggins with them to be shown at time of registration.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS: All AQHA Trail Rules apply, in addition to Triangle T Ranch Trail Rules.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER:

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