



Southwest Idaho Trail and Distance Riders
Old Selam Club Trail Challenge

NEW LOCATION

ONE DAY EVENT September 4, 2016



Do you belong to an equestrian group that enjoys getting together for a campout and riding some new trails? You are cordially invited to join us for the Old Selam Trail Challenge, to be held concurrently with a sanctioned endurance ride. Please note, due to the Pioneer fire and subsequent continued closure of Forest Service land, which extends to adjacent BLM and private land, for the second year in a row we are unable to hold Old Selam at New Centerville. Therefore, rather than cancel the ride for a second year, we made the decision to move ride camp to Council, Idaho.

The club that enters the most riders will take home the grand prize of a hosted weekend at the New Centerville camp site, to be redeemed by August 1, 2017. The prize will include a fabulous hot cooked breakfast on the morning of your club's choice, and if desired, a guided trail ride.

Come up for the day or the entire weekend!!! The trail is open ALL the time, you may ride multiple days if you wish!

DIRECTIONS: Highway 95 to COUNCIL, Idaho. From I-84 WEST take exit 3. Follow highway 95 to Payette, Weiser, Midvale, Cambridge to Council. From I-84 EAST take exit 356 (highway 201) to Weiser then north to Council. From north Idaho, take highway 95 SOUTH from New Meadows to Council. Alternate route from southwest Idaho is highway 55 through McCall to New Meadows.

CAMP: Ride camp will be at the Adams County Fair and Rodeo Grounds, on the east side highway 95, on the north end of Council, almost directly across from the police department. Walking distance to a minimarket. Nearby town with grocery store and a couple of restaurants and bars. **Dogs are welcome but MUST BE LEASHED AT ALL TIMES. Do NOT bring dogs to registration, vet area, ride meetings, potluck or awards. NO DOGS ON THE TRAIL ON THE DAY OF THE EVENT. The DOG POLICE will be issuing tickets!!! No fires.**

FEE SCHEDULE: Trail riders \$20.

START TIMES: Trail riders start any time after 9 a.m. **Please note, start times subject to change.** Riders MUST check in and out with ride management.

TRAIL: You will ride north on the Weiser River Trail, on an abandoned rail line. Ride as far as you like, then turn around and return to camp. **Note, THERE WILL BE ROCKS and hoof protection is STRONGLY recommended for all equines.** There will also be multiple trestles. All trestles are completely "horse safe," are planked and have rails. (If you wish to avoid the "traffic" from the endurance ride, you may ride south.)

REGISTRATION, AWARDS, ETC: Registration will open on SATURDAY around 2 p.m. Ride meeting Saturday evening about 7 p.m. Potluck and awards on Sunday after the last 50 finishes, probably around 6 p.m. Trail riders are welcome to join us for the potluck.

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