

Time Windows for Check Points – Iron Mountain Jubilee 2021

Friday August 27, 2021

All times are approximate— First Rider leaves camp at 7:00am. Please be at check point at least 30 minutes before the estimated arrival time in case the ride is moving faster than expected. Bring your own lunch and water

Day 1- FRIDAY August 27- Ride distances 25 mile & 55 mile endurance, Riders will be instructed to give their number to the radio spotter.

#1- Base Camp at Triple C (all vet checks will be here in camp)- check point active from 7:00AM to

8:15PM or when all riders return to camp- 55 milers start at camp at 7AM, 25 milers start at 8:30AM , 25 milers will start coming back to the finish around 12:30, 55 milers will start returning to the finish around 2:30. The trail closes for the 55 mile ride at 8:15pm, all riders should be back to camp by then to finish on time.

#1- Vet Check reporting station

#2- Collins Cove at the top at the intersection of the Virginia Highlands Trail (Orange Diamonds)- Checkpoint active from approx 7:45am - 10:00am. Passcode for stone gate is 9119. Take a left onto Patch Drive and continue through community to top of mountain (1.1 miles) Park in clearing at top (don't block small trail at back of clearing.). Starting about 7:45 - 8:00AM riders will be heading East from Orange Diamond trail. 55 milers will come through first and will stay on the Orange Diamond Trail up the hill. Then starting about 9:15 the 25 mile riders will start coming through (slower 50s should be through by then but you may want to make sure). 25 mile riders turn Left down the gravel road to Collins Cove. They should all be through by about 9:45 or so.

#3- Arrowhead Road at top near Iron Mountain Trail- 55 mile riders only- Loop 2 for the 55 mile riders only. Check point active from approx. 10:45am to 12:30pm. First rider expected at approx 11:00am. Last rider approx 12:30pm. Riders will turn onto Iron Mountain Trail from Arrowhead Road.

#4- Brush Creek Road (602) at Day Use Parking Lot (Friday Only)- Check point active from approx 12:00noon to 2:00pm- Horses will arrive from wide forest service road and take a left onto woods trail. Riders will come into the parking lot for aid station. 1st horse arrives approx.12:00noon. Last horse through approx. 2:00pm

#5 - The Divide (Top of CC Camp Road)- - This will be Loop 2 for the 25s and Loop 3 for the 55s- Check point active from approx 11:15am - 6:00pm Horses will be coming up the mountain on CC Camp Road and turning Left onto the Virginia Highlands Horse Trail heading East. (Riders may be instructed to get water from water hole then return to trail). 1st 25 mile horse expected approx. 11:45

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Day- 2- SATURDAY- August 28 – Ride distances 25 mile & 50 mile endurance. Riders will be instructed to give their number to the radio spotter.

#1- Base Camp at Triple C (all vet checks will be here in camp)- check point active from 7:00AM to 7:00PM or when all riders return to camp- 50 milers start at camp at 7AM, 25 milers start at 8:30AM . 25 milers will start coming back to the finish around 12:30, 50 milers will start returning to the finish around 2:30. The trail closes for the 50 mile ride at 7:00pm, all riders should be back to camp by then to finish on time.

#1 Vet Check at base camp

#2- Collins Cove at the top, at the intersection of the Virginia Highlands Horse Trail (Orange Diamonds)- Checkpoint active from approx 7:45am - 10:00am. Passcode for stone gate is 9119. Take a left onto Patch Drive and continue through community to top of mountain (1.1 miles) Park in clearing at top (don't block small trail at back of clearing.). Starting about 7:45 - 8:00AM riders will be heading East from Orange Diamond trail. 55 milers will come through first and will stay on the Orange Diamond Trail up the hill. Then starting about 9:15 the 25 mile riders will start coming through (slower 50s should be through by then but you may want to make sure). 25 mile riders turn Left down the gravel road to Collins Cove. They should all be through by about 9:45 or so.

#3 - The Divide (Top of CC Camp Road)- - Checkpoint active from approx 11:15am - 6:00pm. 25 milers Loop 2 & 50 milers Loop 3 will be coming up CC Camp Road and turning Left onto the Virginia Highlands Horse Trail(Orange Diamonds) heading East. 50 mile Loop 2 will come up the Virginia Highlands Horse Trail (Orange Diamonds) then proceed across CC Camp Road and continue on Orange Diamonds. 50 mile Loop 2 will return from CC Camp Road and take a Right into the Virginia Highlands Horse Trail heading East. Please look carefully at the map for clarity. This will be a confusing intersection, hopefully we will have a spotter there to help out.

#4- CC Camp Road just East of hwy21- Checkpoint active from approx 10:45- 2:30. Set up along CC Camp Road approx 0.6 miles from hwy21 on the Right next to water hole (like last year). Horses will be coming down Virginia Highlands Horse Trail and taking a Left onto CC Camp Road. 1st horse arrives approx. 10: