CHATTAHOOCHEE TRAIL HORSE ASSOCIATION POKER RIDE * SILENT AUCTION FOR TRAILS 2012



JAKE MOUNTAIN HORSE CAMP

at Bull Mountain, Chattahoochee National Forest, Dahlonega Saturday, September 29, 2012 National Public Lands Day!

Registration Check-in: 8:30 - 9:30 AM

10.00 - 7100

Ride-Out Time: 10:00 AM

Lunch Beginning: 1:00 PM

Auction Bidding Closes

& Prizes Awarded: 3:00 PM

Best Poker Hand Wins \$100! \$50 / \$25 for 2nd / 3nd Place Runners Up

\$25 Donation per Rider \$10 Donation per Non-Rider

Each participant's donation includes one Poker Hand and LUNCH Extra Poker Hands \$5

<u>Pre-Register (optional) by September 24th</u> and receive a free bonus poker hand!

Here's how our Poker Ride works: Ride your horse at your own pace on an easy, scenic, marked, 10-mile / 3-hour trail loop of the Bull/Jake Mountains Trail system. You must start out and stay ahead of the drag riders who will leave out shortly after 10 AM. At each of 5 different locations along the route, stop and draw a card for your poker hand(s) and have it recorded on a special score card that you will carry with you. Upon completion of your ride, gather with horse friends to enjoy a delicious, hearty lunch and participate in the silent auction. At 3:00, be at the registration/food/auction area with your score card to find out if you hold a winning poker hand and to collect your auction winnings!

NOTE: There is water on the trail for your horses, but no water at the Jake Mountain Horse Camp - Bring your own! **NEGATIVE COGGINS REQUIRED.** Release of Liability Waiver to be signed at Check-in. Children (16 years and under) must ride with an adult. This is not a race. Please observe trail courtesy and safety for everyone's sake!

Proceeds from this year's Poker Ride and Silent Auction will help CTHA volunteers continue with efforts to develop and maintain more trails in the Chattahoochee National Forest and Georgia State Parks. Our public land managers have neither funds nor manpower to do this. It is up to us if we want horse trails to ride!

Use the Mail-in Pre-Registration Form on the back of this flyer.

For more information call Rich Vigue 770-289-7272

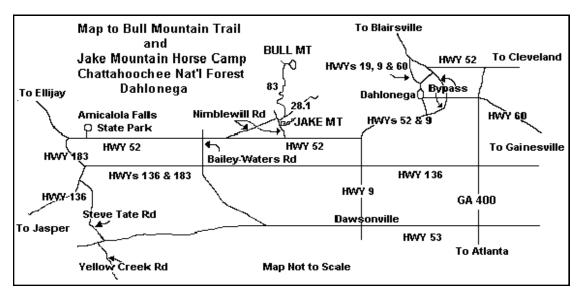


SILENT AUCTION

Help Us Raise Even More Money
For Our Trails!

You don't have to be a rider to participate in the silent auction.
Bring some extra cash (or check) and plan to join in the FUNdraising!

Silent bidding will close at 3:00



<u>Directions to the Jake Mountain Horse Camp at Bull Mountain</u>

From Atlanta and points south: Go north on GA 400 to it's end. Turn left onto HWY 60. Go about 5 miles and turn left at the traffic light (just past McDonalds) onto the Dahlonega Bypass/Morrison Moore Pkwy. Go straight at the next traffic light and continue on HWYs 9 South & 52 West out of Dahlonega about 4 miles to where they split. Turn right onto HWY 52 and proceed 4½ miles. Turn right onto Nimblewill Church Road. Jake Mountain Horse Camp is 1½ miles on the right.

From Amicalola Falls State Park and points west: Take HWY 52 East 6¾ miles past the entrance to the park. Just after a "curvy road" sign, turn left onto Nimblewill Church Road (sign for Nimblewill Church). Go to the stop sign in front of the church and turn right. Go ½ mile (past FS Rd 28.1 to Bull Mountain) to Jake Mountain Horse Camp on the left.

Parking and camping space is on a first-come basis and can not be reserved or saved.

Please meet up with others in your party before entering the Jake Mountain area if important that you park together.

Campers, please note: CTHA has the entire Jake Mountain camping area (not the day parking lot) reserved from Thursday 9/27 thru Saturday 9/29. The road into the camping area will be gated closed and only those pre-registered for this event will be given the lock combination to enter the camping area.

PRE-REGISTRATION is REQUIRED for CAMPERS and RECOMMENDED for DAY RIDERS!

Your Pre-Registration must reach us by September 24 to entitle you to the bonus poker hand.

Sorry, no phone registrations. Cancellations will be accepted until September 27. Pre-Registered riders must also check in at the registration table on Saturday morning. For questions about pre-registration, call Rich Vique at 770-289-7272.

Clip and fill out the Pre-Registration Form below. Make your check for entry fee(s) payable to CTHA. Mail them to: Rich Vigue, CTHA Poker Ride, 1150 Old Talking Rock Hwy, Talking Rock, GA 30175



Under Georgia law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risk of equine activities, pursuant to Chapter 12 of Title 4 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated.

CTHA 2012 Poker Ride PRE-REGISTRATION FORM	
Name(s):	
Address:	Telephone:
City, State, ZIP:	
Number of Horses/Riders:	(\$25 each, includes lunch & 1 bonus poker hand)
Number of Non-Riders:	(\$10 each, includes lunch & 1 bonus poker hand)
Number of Extra Hands:	(\$5 each)
Number of Horse Trailers:	Do you want to camp? TyesTNo
Total \$Amount Enclosed:	Date: