SOUTHERN MAINE ASSOCIATION FOR RIDING TRAILS

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Its that time of year again to sign up and become a member of SMART.....

Hope you and your buddies are managing the snow and awful cold weather! Think Spring and all the shedding!

We are gearing up for our 29th season of organized trail rides. The schedule has been arranged.Our first ride of the year will be May 12th and will be held at the beautiful Maudsley State Park, June 10th ride will be held in Milton Mills,New Hampshire at the branch Hill farm.No July Ride this year. Our annual overnight ride will be held August 3rd,4th,and 5th in Gilmanton New Hampshire, followed by the September ride in beautiful Gorham Maine September 23, The October ride will be held in Newfield Maine.And we will end the season with our favorite ride, the turkey trot to be held November 4th in South Berwick Maine.

Those of you that have ridden with us in the past know that in addition to the beautiful and challenging trails, we

also offer some great meals! You are also familiar with the type of terrain that we cover, but for "newcomers" we offer these guidelines...Ordinarily our rides are approximately 12-20 miles in length. Most rides have short and long loops! Ther first ride of the season tends to be shorter to faciliate "conditioning." Our rides are "pleasure rides" and welcome all levels of riders, however, please realize that as the season progresses the terrain and the obstacles tend to become more challenging. The rule of thumb is check with the contact people should you have any questions.

Voted in this year, President remains the same : Juila Fortier, She can be reached at (603)817-9956, Vice-President is Carol Pugh (603) 817-9957 Kathy Cyr (207)651-4853, Treasurer is Sandy Galarneau (603) 352-4424 and Secretary is Joyce Winchell (207)636-3622. Our mailing addresses is SMART, P.O. Box 242 South Berwick, Maine 03908. <u>MEMBERSHIPS AND TRAIL RIDE ENTRIES SHOULD BE</u> <u>MAILED TO JOYCE WINCHELL, 80 WINCHELL LANE, ACTON MAINE 04001</u>

PRICES FOR OUR REGULAR RIDES-INCLUDES:

Coffee/muffins/donuts/etc. At registration table. A halfway break includes foods and beverages. And a very nice meal after the ride. **These Prices are pre-registered:**

SMART MEMBERS:	\$20.00 RIDE AND MEAL
NON-MEMBERS:	\$25.00 RIDE AND MEAL
MEAL ONLY:	\$10.00

Note: One of the ways we are able to offer such great meals after a ride is by pre-registrations "Head Count". SO PLEASE remember SMART must receive your registration form and money no later than WEDNESDAY preceding the ride. Post marked dates of mailings are not acceptable. NO EXCEPTIONS. You only need to send \$10.00 for pre-registration, and then pay the balance the day of the ride. If for some reason you do not pre-register, you are still welcome to come and ride, however, you will be charged an extra \$5.00.

REMEMBER: IF YOU WANT TO SIT DOWN AT DINNER, DONT FORGET TO BRING A CHAIR!