

Dove Creek Derby

Sunny Bray Farm 6058 Todd Rd, Courtenay, Vancouver Island, BC Saturday May 7th 2022

50 Mile AERC Endurance Ride and Endurance Riders Association of BC 25 Mile Endurance Trial

The Dove Creek Derby 50 mile endurance ride is sponsored by the Endurance Riders Association of BC (ERABC) and sanctioned by the American Endurance Ride Conference (AERC)

Ride Camp is the home of Sacha Edgell and David MacDonald. Take the Dove Creek Road exit heading east (exit 130) from Highway 19, approximately 15 km north of Courtenay. Continue on Dove Creek Road for 2 km and cross over Dove Creek. Turn left on Todd Road immediately after the creek. Ride camp is on your right at 6058 Todd Road. *The Ride is capped at 30 entries.* There will be room to park your trailers and set up electric corals or pens. There are some trees for highlines. Ride camp opens at noon Thursday May 5th. Horse water available.

Veterinary Control Judge: David MacDonald **Treatment Veterinarian** Maddie Corbett

Ride Hosts: Sacha Edgell and David MacDonald

Entry will be online at www.erabc.com/events

Pre-entry by May 2nd is mandatory – no post entries accepted

Refunds: full refund less \$20 administration fee for cancellation prior to May 2nd. No refunds for 'no shows'

Horse Substitution: substitution of horse, rider, or distance is allowed up until veterinary inspection. Once the horse has passed inspection it is considered entered and no further changes are allowed.

Dogs: all dogs must be under control as there are sheep on the property

Trails: a mixture of flat community multi-use trails, single-track forest, old logging road and a small amount of quiet road. The footing is generally nice. Hoof boots or shoes recommended. There will be a creek crossing for all distances and possibly a river crossing for the 50 mile ride depending on water levels.

New Riders: we welcome new riders. If you are interested in endurance riding and wish to come to your first event we will be happy to host you. Please email Sacha at skedgell1@gmail.com with questions. Find more information and rules pertaining to these events at www.aerc.org and www.aerc.org

Junior Riders: all Junior riders in both distances must be accompanied by a competent adult (21 years or older) sponsor throughout the competition.

Helmets are mandatory for all riders

All horses must be present for the pre-ride veterinary inspection on Friday afternoon May 6th



"Most Fun Camper" award. Bring some campfire entertainment.

Need more information? Contact Sacha Edgell at skedgell1@gmail.com