

RIDE INFORMATION
2026 CHIEF JOSEPH TRAIL RIDE
Sunday, July 19 – Saturday, July 25, 2026
Bannock Pass, ID – Medicine Lodge Creek, ID

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

All participants – please check the ApHC Trail Department webpage at www.appaloosa.com for the most current updates about the CJTR. This may include any changes that may affect you as you prepare for the ride. There is also a private Facebook group titled “Chief Joseph Trail Riders” that keeps updated information, but this is NOT an official ApHC group or page, it is hosted by participants. The nonprofit “Chief Joseph Trail Ride, Inc.” also has a website and social media accounts if you’re looking for further information. This nonprofit partners with the ApHC to assist in putting this ride on.

Assembly Camp:

1. Camp opens Saturday at **12PM MST, July 18, 2026. DO NOT ARRIVE BEFORE THIS TIME!**
 - a. No meals or horse feed are provided until Sunday evening on July 19, 2026. Participants must provide certified weed seed-free feed for their horses until the evening feeding on July 19th.
2. Assembly camp will be near Leadore, ID/Bannock Pass, ID. Below is driving instructions on how to get to the 2026 Chief Joseph Trail Ride (CJTR) Assembly Camp.
 - a. **Assembly Camp Location:** GPS location is 44.7753529N – 113.3323059W. You can Google Map this, just take the hyphen out.
 - b. **From Leadore, ID on Hwy28 to Assembly Camp:** Take Idaho hwy29 north (14 miles,) the turn is right by the gas station. Turn left on to Forest Service Road 012 Grizzly Hill Rd (about 3.5 miles.) Look for a CJTR sign that we will put out. This will be right on the state line and the continental divide. Turn left onto Forest Service Road 155, Assembly Camp will be about a mile down the road on top of the hill.
 - c. **From I-15 to Assembly Camp:** If you are heading north or south take exit 44 to MT – 324 toward Clark Canyon Reservoir. Stay on 324 (34 miles,) this exit is between Red Rock and Grayling. Turn right onto Forest Service Road 012 Grizzly Hill Rd (about 3.5 miles) Look for a CJTR sign that we will put out. Turn left on to Forest Service Road 155, Assembly Camp will be about a mile down the road on top of the hill.

Fuel: You **MUST** top off your tanks in Dillon, MT/Leadore, ID/Dubois, ID or somewhere else very close prior to arriving in Assembly Camp. It’s recommended to also bring a decent sized container of extra fuel for back up.

Time Zone: Mountain Standard Time (MST). The entire ride will be in MST.

State: We will be in the state of Idaho throughout the entire ride week.

Ride Type: Progressive. The camp moves daily. A caravan consisting of crew and private vehicles will be moved from one camp to the next while the riders are on the trail. Make sure your driver is ready to go by 8am MST Monday through Friday of the week of the ride.

Mosquitoes: Will be prevalent during the entire ride. Don’t forget insect repellent for yourself and your horse.

Check-In:

1. Upon arrival at Assembly Camp, please come to the registration station, sign in yourself and your horse and pick up your t-shirt and pin. You and your horse **MUST** be checked in by 5pm MST on Sunday, July 19, 2026 or you will **NOT** be allowed to ride on Monday, July 20, 2026. You will subsequently be welcome to join the trails horseback on Tuesday, July 21, 2026.
2. Please bring your horse's negative EIA (Coggins) test (**completed on or after July 26, 2025**), Health Certificate (**completed on or after June 26, 2026**), Declaration of Equine Fitness (**dated and signed by your veterinarian, completed on or after June 26, 2026**) and original or a clear copy of each horse's Certificate of Registration for identification. Idaho State Brand Inspectors may be present at any time, so please be aware of that and acquire the proper paperwork for your horse (this will not be looked at or required on our part.) The State Veterinarian may also be on-site inspecting health paperwork. See the ApHC Trail Department webpage at www.appaloosa.com for the state-by-state rules for transporting your horse. **PLEASE ALSO BE AWARE OF HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR EACH STATE YOU ARE TRAVELING THROUGH!** *Note:* Be sure your vet uses your horse's full registered name on the horse paperwork. Barn names won't work since we must match the horse in person to the Certificate of Registration and to the Health Certificate, negative Coggins and Declaration of Equine Fitness paperwork to make sure that the correct horse has the necessary health papers. If you are riding a non-ApHC horse, please bring your Certificate of Registration for your horse's breed registry if they are registered. If you are riding an unregistered horse, then please bring some form of ownership or leasing proof. **It is recommended that you contact the Idaho State Veterinary office directly with questions you may have relating to the requirements.**
3. For your horse health papers, you may need to provide the name of the town nearest the location of the ride. The ride will start near Leadore, ID and end near Dubois, ID.
 - a. All horse health paperwork will be using the below address no matter where the horse is traveling from:
Chief Joseph Trail Ride
100 S. Railroad St.
Leadore, ID 83464

Vehicles:

1. All vehicles are welcome in the daily caravan of vehicles. A strong recommendation is to keep your total length (from the front bumper of your pickup/SUV to the back bumper of your trailer) to 45 feet or under. Even better to be closer to the 30-foot total length mark. This helps with making the corners of the mountain roads and making it in and out of camps that may have big dips. The smaller the better when you're travelling on mountain roads.
2. Private vehicles must have a separate driver, and the driver must be a current ApHC member and pay the non-rider fee.
3. Bring spare tires for your truck and trailer. It is recommended to bring at least two for your truck and at least two for your trailer. Popped tires happen every year, be prepared to replace any one of the tires you're traveling on at any time.
4. Another reminder to top off your tank **BEFORE** arriving at assembly camp, and it's recommended to have at least a decent sized container of extra fuel for back up.
5. Crew members are not allowed to drive personal/private vehicles for other individuals than themselves or the crew vehicles.

Parking at the Termination Camp:

1. There is no additional charge to park your vehicle at the termination camp for the entire week. We have a trailer available to transport your gear from one camp to the next while you are riding the trail if you choose not to have a driver. **Be ready by 12pm MST to get in the caravan line on Sunday, July 19, 2026 to take your extra vehicles to park at termination camp for the week.** When you check in at the registration station get on the caravan list and ask for directions on where to line up. There will be a shuttle provided by the ApHC CJTR Crew for the ride back to assembly camp. You do not have to figure that part out; we have you covered and will take you back to assembly camp. Be sure to get yourself and your horse signed in for the ride at the registration station before you leave with the caravan line to termination camp. If you can't meet this timeline to be ready to go by 12pm in the caravan line, then have someone else take your vehicle in the caravan line to termination camp on your behalf. ***(You and your horse must be signed in at the registration station by 5pm on Sunday, July 19, 2026 to qualify to ride on Monday, July 20, 2026.)***

Preventing Weed Spread:

1. We are working with the Forest Service, BLM, and other government agencies to aid the prevention of weed spread to the pristine areas we will be visiting.
2. **All vehicles (including trailers) must be free of dirt and mud (weed seeds). All participants are to thoroughly wash your vehicle's undercarriage before arriving at the ride.** It is suggested you locate a commercial washing station along your way to the ride to get your vehicle cleaned. Our ride begins in a remote area where washing stations are not typically available. You must address this before arriving at Assembly Camp.
3. Also, please **feed your horse certified weed seed-free feed at least 72 hours before arrival** to clean out their system and only travel with certified weed seed-free feed in your trailer. Thank you!

Services/Facilities:

1. Camping is primitive. There will be no electricity or running water. Tenting is strongly recommended to reduce our footprint and the number of vehicles in camp. Trailers will be provided to transport gear for those that camp. Camping in groups is a great idea if you're bringing a living quarters horse trailer or camper of any kind.
2. Potable water, portable toilets and a picket line will be provided.
3. A farrier, a veterinarian and a physician will be available. Individuals utilizing the services of these professionals will be responsible for payment at the time services are rendered payable directly to the service provider. The medical form you provided with your application will be given to the ride physician and kept strictly confidential.
4. Bring your own solar shower bags if you want to bath while you're on this ride (two per person recommended). Portable shower tents are recommended for privacy. This is not a requirement, just a recommendation.
5. Bring reusable water bottles. To reduce costs and to help us minimize environmental impact, individual bottled water will not be provided in camp. Please help us with our low impact initiatives and bring your own reusable water bottle to be refilled from the potable water source.

Meals:

1. Our first meal for participants and first feed available for horses will be Sunday evening, July 19, 2026; the last will be breakfast on Saturday, July 25, 2026.
2. All 17 meals for the participants and all 12 meals for the equine participants will be provided by the Appaloosa Horse Club on this ride.
3. Highly recommend that you bring a lawn chair and food tray for breakfast and supper.

Guests:

1. Guests are welcome to attend at meals and evening programs. Cost of meals is \$15 for breakfast, \$10 for lunch and \$20 for supper. Please pay the Ride Manager or Ride Secretary before entering the meal line.
2. Sorry, due to insurance requirements we cannot allow visitors to accompany us on "day rides" or stay overnight. If a person wishes to ride or attend longer than one evening, they must pay for an ApHC membership and submit a ride application with the adjusted fee; same for non-riders.

Horses:

1. See check-in procedures above.
2. Horses must be ApHC-registered Appaloosas to count toward awards. Those that are not, will not be counted toward ApHC horse awards.
3. No stallions are allowed on the Chief Joseph Trail Ride.
4. Horses must be 4 years old at the time of the ride.
5. We understand that horse substitutions are sometimes necessary before you head for the ride, so *if you are bringing a different horse than you originally stated in your application, please let us know at check-in so we can document it.*
6. For your horse to be eligible to receive lifetime awards for participating on the ride and/or for the horse to earn distance award mileage for the ride, you **MUST** provide proof of the name and registration number of the horse to ApHC with your horse's Certificate of Registration. It is **YOUR RESPONSIBILITY** to ensure that the ApHC has accurately represented your horse's participation in the ride. Please complete the ride application in its entirety to ensure recognition.

Horse Feed & Water:

1. Certified weed seed-free grass hay will be provided beginning Sunday evening, July 19, 2026, and ending Saturday morning, July 25, 2026. We will dispense hay at a rate of 18 lbs/day per horse. Bales will be distributed, and it's the responsibility of the rider to portion hay to their horse at each feeding. There will likely be two hay deliveries from the supplier during the ride. Or you may receive both of your bales for the week on Sunday, July 19, 2026, at Assembly Camp. You can feed directly on the ground, but hay bags are best if feeding from your trailer. This will help prevent waste and keep the area cleaner. If you feed on the ground, you are responsible for cleaning up any leftover hay after your horse is finished. You will need to re-tie your bale for transport. If you have one, a bale bag or a heavy-duty trash bag will aid in transporting the remainder of your bale from one camp to the next. Please bring certified weed seed-free hay to feed prior to Sunday evening. Bring a permanent marker to label your tags and hay. You may bring and feed your own weed seed-free grain or supplements.
 - A. Are you taking your personal vehicle in the daily caravan? If so, we may need help transporting remaining bales from camp to camp. Any space you can provide would be appreciated. Please let us know if you have any available space.

2. There will be community water troughs set up in camp, and midday water stops for horses along the trail. Please bring a feed/water bucket for your horse. It is recommended to bring a collapsible water bucket for when you're on the trail. *(If your horse needs a rest day and will be traveling in a horse trailer to the next camp be sure to grab a 5-gallon bucket full of water and seal it, then bring it along with you. The water truck and troughs are meant for the masses of the horses, so while the horses are out on the trail the water truck has to go find water for that night, sometimes the truck needs to meet the trail riders during their lunch break to water horses and may not be back to the next camp ground until 5:30pm due to these tasks. DO NOT COUNT ON HAVING ACCESS TO WATER DURING THE DAY IF YOUR HORSE STAYS IN CAMP!! You **MUST** plan that morning to be able to provide this for your horse yourself.)*

Tying Your Horse:

1. Because of safety concerns, portable electric pens and portable panels are not allowed. **A Picket Line will be provided.** While in camp, horses must be tied to the picket lines or trailer tied. It's a good idea to bring a laminated card, printed with your horse's name and your name (a picture is great too), to tie onto the spot on the picket line you wish to reserve. Hole-punch the card and affix a cord to tie onto the picket ring. NOTHING else is allowed to be tied to the picket rings. Picket rings are place holders that your lead rope goes through to tie to the cable of the picket line.
2. When tying in the vicinity of other horses, please leave enough space between each animal so that it prevents the horses getting tangled up or kicking each other. Every other ring should have a horse on opposite sides of the picket line. If your horse is competitive/dominant and may fight others, move them to an area free of other horses. Only allow enough slack in the rope to allow them to touch the ground with their nose. Any more rope than this provides the opportunity for them to tangle themselves. If you are not easily located, and your horse is risking injury to itself or another (as determined at the discretion of the picket line crew), the picket line crew will relocate your horse to a different spot on the picket line. If you notice your horse is not where you initially tied them, please check in with the picket line crew. No animals will be tied directly to trees in camp areas. Horses may be tied to a tree for a short period of time on the trail.

Horse Conditioning:

1. We will ride an *average* of 20 miles per day but could be up to 32 miles in a single day. A good rule of thumb for conditioning is that your horse should be ridden at least 10 miles 3 times per week by the time the ride starts (30 miles/week).
2. Please do not bring overweight or underweight horses. You should be able to feel the horse's ribs easily under the skin but not see the ribs without touching the horse. If you cannot feel the ribs, the horse is overweight and prone to complications such as heat exhaustion and colic. Same for underweight horses, they will be more prone to complications such as heat exhaustion and colic. This is why the ApHC created the Declaration of Equine Fitness, to be sure that your vet has visibly seen and felt your horse and determined that it has met the requirements of the ApHC CJTR Declaration of Equine Fitness.
3. Please have hoof protection for your horse prior to arrival. This will be a very rocky ride in some areas. It is recommended to ride with shoes, or pads and shoes that have been put on your horse by your own farrier within 2 weeks of the ride. **DO NOT SHOW UP TO THE RIDE WITHOUT SHOES ON YOUR HORSE'S HOOVES**, expecting the camp farrier to put 4 brand-new shoes on when you arrive. **THIS IS NOT POSSIBLE!!!!** There are not enough hours in the day for this to be

an option. The farrier is there to help with mishaps and a shoe coming off, whether that's on or off the trail. The farrier is NOT there to put a brand-new full set of shoes on your horse.

Preventing Colic – Keeping your horse hydrated:

1. When a horse is excited or stressed due to travel and exposure to a new environment, they may not drink as they normally do. Some horses used to drinking from a source at home may not drink from water sources on the trail, such as a stream. They need to learn that they can use these sources as well and you may need to practice this at home.
2. Never pass up water on the trail if you can help it, so when we stop to water the horses make sure your horse drinks as well. "Drink early, drink often." Frequently, smaller intakes of water are better than fewer larger intakes, so when you get back to camp from being out on the trail, please limit your horse's initial water intake, and instead go back several times for smaller sessions of intake of water. This helps to prevent health issues. Guzzling by a hot horse can itself lead to colic. But it's better to have water than not. An excited horse will be more relaxed and tend to drink if you have a buddy horse that stays with them. If they refuse to drink, try dismounting and loosening their girth. Relax for a bit to show them it's okay to take a breather.
3. Two good tests for dehydration:
 - a. Skin Pinch: pinch the skin on the shoulder. When properly hydrated it should snap back immediately. When dehydrated, the skin will stay puckered for longer periods.
 - b. Capillary Refill: Press on the gums with your thumb. Upon removal, the blanched area should return to the same color as the surrounding area immediately. The longer refilling takes, the more dehydrated your horse is.

Horse Sense:

1. Rider centered in the saddle. It is very hard on a horse to ride "askew" or off center. Staying balanced will make your equine partner's job a lot easier. Every so often, stand in the stirrups to take pressure off their back. Monitor them while climbing, give them rests when needed and keep your weight forward – over the withers – to keep the pressure off of their kidneys.
2. Preventing "Hot Spots": When arriving in camp after a day's ride, it is a good idea to leave the saddle on and let the horse stand and cool down. Loosen the girth but leave the saddle on for 15-30 minutes. This will help prevent "hot spots" and resulting sores that can occur when a rider immediately dismounts and unsaddles.
3. Be aware that there will be riders with varied levels of horse and trail experience, and horses with different levels of training. Try not to crowd other horses. If your mount tends to kick at other horses, tying a red ribbon to your horse's tail will alert others. Flagging tape is available from the scouts. Please bring a solid and experienced mount, not one that does not mingle well with others. This is a time for enjoying yourself and your horse, not for training. There are too many horses, people and potential hazards for an untrained horse.

Rental Horses:

1. The ApHC does not provide or rent horses. All rented horses are done through private parties.

Packing Your Saddle:

1. Load and tie all items such as saddle bags, camera bags, binoculars, slickers, etc. securely. If your horse should spook or stumble, items will flop around and this could spook your horse or the horse

next to you even more. Please avoid this common cause of wrecks and injuries on the trail, and strap everything down very well so it doesn't move when the horse moves.

2. Bring your lunch and water source on the trail for yourself. This can be your reuseable water bottles, water bladders, or any other water carrying device. We will stop for water for the horses while we are out on the trail.

Horses in Camp:

1. Avoid areas congested with other horses or people. For safety's sake, horses should not be unattended for more than a few hours, except at night. Keep a close eye on them. They may become caught or tangled in some way, injure themselves or do ecological damage. If you capture a horse that has escaped during the night, tie them out of reach of other horses until the owner can be located. Using grazing hobbles is **NOT** permitted on ApHC trail rides since they have no way of restricting the horse from coming into contact with other horses, property, etc.

Awards:

1. A **400-mile Register of Merit**, **800-mile Superior Event Award** and a **1000-mile Medallion** are available for horses enrolled in the Distance Program. This ride provides the opportunity for an ApHC-registered Appaloosa to earn milage toward a Register of Merit for participating on ApHC-sponsored trail rides provided that the horse is enrolled in the ApHC Distance Program.
2. The **Chief Joseph Medallion** may be earned by a horse participating in the Chief Joseph Trail Ride for 10 consecutive years.
3. A **Thirteen Year Award** is available for horses that have attended that many years (they don't have to be consecutive participation).
4. In order for an owner's horse to gain credit toward any awards as a result of participating on the ride, the horse must be checked in and documented and must be entered in the Distance Program prior to earning credit for miles ridden.
 - a. Enrollment in the Distance Program currently has a one-time fee per horse, good for the life of the horse. There is also an annual recording fee for every year after the first year of enrollment. See our website, www.appaloosa.com for enrollment forms, fees or contact us.
 - b. Horses must be enrolled in the Distance Program prior to earning credit for miles ridden. Miles are not awarded retroactively. See the 2026 ApHC Official Handbook for further rules.
5. **Chief Joseph Trail Ride Awards for the human participants:** Awards are given at the 5-year mark, 10-year mark, 13-year mark and 26-year mark.

Historical Presentations/Entertainment:

1. Historical Presentations are being organized with some amazing educational guest speakers.
2. We will have a dance floor and great music for our enjoyment and dancing.

Chief Joseph Trail Ride, Inc. Silent Auction:

1. Proceeds benefit the nonprofit "Chief Joseph Trail Ride, Inc." and they use these funds to go right back into the Chief Joseph Trail Ride itself. This nonprofit is NOT run by the ApHC. This is a nonprofit that was created by a group of veteran CJTR participants and it has partnered with the ApHC to help put on this historical annual trail ride. Head to www.chiefjosephtrailride.org for more information on this nonprofit.

Alcohol:

1. Consumption is strictly prohibited while riding on the trail.

Smoking:

1. Smoking while on the trail is strictly prohibited.
2. Smoking in camp is permitted inside a vehicle with no combustible materials within 3 feet.

Fires:

1. No fires allowed; this includes barbeques, gas-powered fire pits or any other open flame.

Participants:

1. All rider participants must be current ApHC members and 12 years of age or over.
2. All non-rider participants must be current ApHC members.

Dogs:

1. Dogs are allowed in camp if leashed **(on 6-foot or shorter leash)**, 100% of the time they must be controlled by their owner or another adult assigned to the dog or pet, like their driver. Dogs are NOT allowed on the trail. Dogs are NOT allowed within 50 feet of the cooking area nor the assembly/eating area.
 - a. Any dog in camp that may be considered a nuisance or threat to other campers or to livestock **will be required to be removed from camp by their owners.** The Ride Manager or Ride Secretary have the final determination regarding any negative actions by pets and will respond promptly to any complaints. Owners are responsible for researching and abiding by any state laws regarding the transporting of pets.
 - b. No intact male pets allowed on the Chief Joseph Trail Ride.
 - c. Please see your 2026 CJTR Application to refer to the "Dog and Pet Policy" that you initialed saying that "I understand the above rules regarding dogs and other pets." Re-read this section of your application to be well-versed if you're bringing a dog or other pet. ApHC fines acquired for negative pet actions must be paid immediately to continue to stay in camp. You will be required to leave if you do not take care of your animals and fines.

Ride Conditions:

1. Rolling hills, steeper hills, grass lands, wooded areas, rock areas, bogs, bridges, and we will be crossing many water sources. There are rocky areas throughout the ride, plan accordingly for your horse's hooves. We will be going up and down around 3,000 feet in elevation a few times during this year's ride. We will take breaks when needed.

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK:

Saturday, July 18, 2026

12pm MST: Assembly Camp Opens **(DO NOT ARRIVE PRIOR TO NOON, 12PM MST!!!)**

- You must only bring certified weed seed-free hay into Assembly Camp. Please be prepared to show proof of certification if asked.
- You will be responsible for your horse's food and water until 5pm on Sunday, June 19, 2026 when the first hay will be distributed.

Sunday, July 19, 2026

- 10:30am – 5:00pm: Check-in at Assembly Camp at the registration station. Your horse along with all horse paperwork needs to be presented. Refer to “Check-In” section above.
- 12:00pm: Caravan of vehicles meeting to leave to Termination Camp
- 4:00pm: First year riders and non-riders meeting at the dance floor
- 5:00pm: First hay available. Tag and tie/bag the remainder for following feedings.
- 5:00pm: Chief Joseph Trail Ride, Inc. Silent Auction opens.
- 6:00pm-7:00pm: First meal
- 6:45pm: Announcements/Orientation & Educational Guest Speaker
- 8:30pm-10pm: Music and dancing

Monday, July 20, 2026 - Friday, July 24, 2026:

- Riders: feed and water your horse first thing each morning before heading to breakfast. Most participants feed between 5:15am-5:45am.
- 6:00am-7:00am: Breakfast. Remember to pack your sack lunch for the trail! Lunches are provided by the cook crew, or you can bring your own.
- 7:00am: Tents: have your gear to the dance floor by this time, ready for loading into the crew trailer to be taken to the next camp
- 7:30am: Wrap up your camp and mount up. Be mounted by 7:45am at the latest.
- 8:00am: Ride out each morning. The caravan of vehicles leaves as well.
- 6:00pm-7:00pm: Supper
- 6:45pm: Educational guest speakers & announcements. Awards one night and a fun game night on another night.
- 8:30pm-10pm: Music and dancing

Saturday, July 25, 2026:

- 6:00am-7:00am: Breakfast, final meal for all
- 9:00am: All horses **MUST** be off the picket lines by this time
- 12:00pm: All vehicles, people and horses leave camp no later than 12pm MST
- Extra hay (if any) will be sold at cost
- So long until next year, partner! Safe travels!

Private Property/Public Lands:

1. Some of our campsites will be on private property; and some of our route, as well. We will also ride across National Forest and other government agency property. Please be respectful in conduct and camp cleanliness. We strive to leave as little impact on the land as possible.
2. Please do not contact landowners with complaints. Please present those issues directly to the ApHC office. We are only able to continue offering the ride each year due to the gracious support from private landowners. We certainly don't want to cause them to deny our request when we travel through their area in 13 years because of any hard feelings resulting from complaints. Likewise, we should be respectful of their boundaries/rules for use of their land and do everything possible to minimize impact on their property. These same policies can be applied to the use of USFS, BLM and government-owned land. The ride is wholly dependent upon the cooperative efforts of the ApHC,

riders, non-riders, landowners and government personnel so please help us to maintain positive relationships with all involved.

3. If you want to send a personal thank you note to any of the gracious landowners & managers to show your appreciation, this is always a great choice and helps to lay the groundwork for the continuation of our ride. Please send these to the ApHC office and they will pass them along.

While on the Trail:

1. **Courtesy on the trail is a MUST.** Please be mindful of how your riding affects others. We ask that you stay behind the Trail Guide and in front of the Drag Scout during the ride, and that you stay at a walking pace throughout the entire ride.
2. The ApHC will not be responsible for those that leave the main group.
3. Should you need to stop on the trail, pull over to the side so others may pass. Your horse is more apt to remain calm if you have another horse and rider stay with you while stopped. Encourage others to pass you and continue forward, there only needs to be one additional horse and rider that stays with you.
4. If you need the services of the vet, farrier or physician contact a scout who will radio for assistance.
5. If you come upon someone with an injury or with an injured horse, as long as they have someone with them, please keep moving. Stopping can holdup the progress of help getting to the person needing assistance.
6. Our scouts are there to guide you, so all may experience the safest and most enjoyable ride possible. Please follow their directions.

What to do next...

1. Are you paid in full? Make sure to call the ApHC office and hit extension 0 for any final payments.
2. Be sure to bring along all of the required horse paperwork that has been previously listed.
3. Check that your vehicle and trailer are in good mechanical condition and wash the undercarriage of your truck and trailer. We want you to arrive safely!

For any further information about the Chief Joseph Trail Ride head to www.appaloosa.com and read through all the links provided. There are state-by-state requirement links, trail ride checklist links, how to prepare links, trail ride guidelines links, and much more.

See you there!

Kindest Regards,

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