



**ASCUTNEY MOUNTAIN EQUINE PLEASURE RIDE
CO-SPONSORED BY VERDA AND ASCUTNEY OUTDOORS SATURDAY,
OCTOBER 8, 2022 at 9:30 a.m.**

Please join us for the fourth annual pleasure ride on Mount Ascutney cosponsored by VERDA and Ascutney Outdoors. The trail is approximately 9.0 miles with an optional shorter loop of 6.5 miles, on beautiful Mount Ascutney and surrounding area, mostly on woodland trails and some road. Lunch and soft drinks will be provided.

Ride briefing will be emailed to you. Trail opens at 9:30 a.m.

Entry Requirements: No entries will be accepted at the ride. Entries (with Coggins and rabies certificates) must be mailed by no later than September 30. ASTM SEI approved helmets must be worn by riders. Waivers must be signed by all riders and parent or guardian of Juniors (under 18 years of age).

Covid 19 Requirements: We will be following State of Vermont regulations re Covid-19 in effect at the time of the ride. Please bring your own mask and respect social distancing. If you feel sick or have lost sense of smell or taste please do not attend, go see your doctor.

Directions: Ascutney Outdoors Center – 449 Ski Tow Road, Brownsville, Vermont 05037. Ascutney Outdoors Center is just 15 minutes from Interstate 91.

From the North, take Exit 9 onto Rte 5 South through Windsor, then turn right onto Rte 44 West to continue toward Brownsville.

From the South, take Exit 8 to Rte 5 North then veer left to Back Mountain Rd (Rte 44A) to Rte 44 West toward Brownsville. Turn left onto Ski Tow Road – look for Ascutney Outdoors and Trails signs.

Entry Fee: \$35.00 – Rider lunch included Vegetarian___ Non-vegetarian ___
Extra lunch @ \$15 Vegetarian___ Non-vegetarian___

Make check payable to VERDA and send entry form, check and Coggins and rabies tests to: Deb Klene, P. O. Box 585, Brownsville, VT 05037.

For questions or further information, contact Deb Klene at 802-674-4031 or see <https://www.ascutneyoutdoors.org/event/verda-equestrian-ride/>

Warning: Under Vermont Law, an equine activity sponsor is not liable for any injury to, or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities that are obvious and necessary, pursuant to 12V. S. A. 1039

ASCUTNEY MOUNTAIN EQUINE PLEASURE RIDE

Rider _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Email address _____
Please print legibly

Junior Rider _____ Age _____
Under age 18, accompanied by an adult rider

Address _____ Phone _____

Horse Owner _____ Phone _____

Address _____

AGREEMENT TO WAIVER LIABILITY

I understand that the sport of horseback riding and driving is inherently dangerous and that serious injury and death can occur. I agree that if any injury occurs to me or my horse or the equipment that I use or send for use, I will make no claim against the Vermont Equine Riding and Driving Association (VERDA), Ascutney Outdoors, the Town of West Windsor, or any other organizations or individuals associated with the event or any of their Officers, Directors, Trustees, Employees or Volunteers. I further agree to hold VERDA, Ascutney Outdoors, the Town of West Windsor, their Officers, Directors, Trustees, Employees, Volunteers and any Land Owners free and harmless from any liability, claims, suits or damages of whatsoever kind or nature that may be occasioned by the horse used by me or the negligence of the person in charge of such horse and I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the organization and individuals against all liability, claims, suits and expenses including attorney fees incurred, arising out of any injury to any person or damages to any property caused by me, my horse or attendants. **I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS LIABILITY RELEASE.**

Signature _____ Date _____

Must be signed by every participant or guardian if entrant is under 18 years of age.

Signature of Rider _____

Signature of Horse Owner _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____