



# Rockbridge Hunt's 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Judged Pleasure Ride

*Fun & Educational Activity for Trail Riders of  
all ages and experience levels!*



Saturday, June 2, 2018  
Broadview Ranch  
Lexington, VA 24450

A quiet, set-your-own-pace horseback ride through lovely open fields and shaded trails, with 7-10 Judged tests (obstacles) to be negotiated by you and your horse. All tests will simulate natural situations you might encounter on a trail ride.

## Divisions

### "Judged"

Riders of all ages who wish to ride the trail and negotiate the "tests" and compete for ribbons. Divisions will be composed of 10 riders with ribbons awarded to the top 6 in each Judged group.

### "Unjudged"

Riders of all ages who wish to ride the trail and observe the tests, but take the "go-around" and not compete.

***Call before you come!***  
***540-462-1113***

***For directions & information on postponement or cancellation.***

## *Schedule & Details*

9 am - First riders on course

11 am - last riders should be on course

There will be approximately  
2 minute time between riders to help  
avoid back-ups at the obstacles.

Entry Fee, which Includes Lunch: \$45  
per horse / rider combination

Lunch Only (for visitors and friends)  
\$10 per person

For Additional Information including  
descriptions of possible obstacles, Entry  
Forms, Waivers and Directions, please  
visit the Rockbridge Hunt website:

[www.rockbridgehunt.org](http://www.rockbridgehunt.org)

Virginia state law requires a current  
negative Coggins test certificate be  
available for inspection. Please bring a  
copy to speed up registration.

All participants must register and sign a  
waiver of liability. Protective headgear  
strongly encouraged for all riders.

Parent or guardian must sign the waiver  
for entrants under 18 years of age.  
Juniors under the age of twelve must be  
accompanied by an adult entry on  
horseback.

Questions? Contact:  
Lynn Williams  
540-258-1136  
jandwillia@gmail.com



BROADVIEW RANCH

Let Them Eat Grass



## *Sample Tests (Obstacles):*

<b>Trail /Open Division</b>
Safety Check - Identify 5 things you have done to be safe on this ride.
Open and close gate from on horseback
Dismount / Remount safely using natural mounting block. (Stump or log).
Negotiate slope, bank, or ditch.
Pick up plastic raincoat or slicker from fence or rail, and carry to another location.
Pick up water bottle from large ice bucket with ribbons attached, have a drink, and dispose of in large plastic bag tied to fence post.
Cross stream from difficult approach - down & back up bank.
Jump or step over trail blockage of ~ 2 feet in height (log or small jump)
Negotiate off trail around "blockage", including climbing a bank and dodging low branches & vines to return to trail.
Ride into and back out of "dead end", negotiating a turn while backing out.
Drag a large branch with brush attached out of trail
Meet "Landowner" on trail - polite encounter.
Recognize and avoid recently planted or seeded area.
Map reading - Identify where you are in ride; give directions to someone wanting to get back easiest way.
Ride past person on a trail bicycle - how to safely handle situation.
Ride past people playing next to trail - tossing football, or other active play
Ride past / around dog on tether or in a pen.

## Directions to Broadview Ranch

*Warning: Some internet directions will direct you along roads that either no longer exist or are unsuitable for horse trailers.*

### *From Lexington & further North:*

Interstate 81 South to Interstate 64 West.  
 Take 1st exit off I-64, Exit 55 to Lexington.  
 Go left on Route 11 South. Proceed thru 3 traffic lights.  
 Cross bridge over Maury River, road forks so stay to left onto Rt.11 Bypass.  
 At next light continue straight onto Rt. 251 (Link Rd). Proceed about 5 miles.  
 Cross bridge over Buffalo Creek & turn left on Cedar Hill Church Rd (Rt 675). Go 1 mile.  
 At "T" (no stop sign) turn right onto Zollmans Mill Road.  
 Go 1/10th mile, road ends at Broadview Ranch. Follow signs for parking.



### *From Natural Bridge & South of Lexington:*

Take Interstate 81 North to Exit 180 - Route 11 North at Natural Bridge.  
 At top of exit ramp turn left onto Route 11 North. Travel about 7 miles.  
 Turn left at the Route 11 bypass/Rt 251 intersection (traffic light).  
 Proceed about 5 miles.  
 Cross bridge over Buffalo Creek & immediately turn left on Cedar Hill Church Road (Route 675). Go 1 mile.  
 At "T" (no stop sign) turn right onto Zollmans Mill Road.  
 Go 1/10th mile road ends at Broadview Ranch. Follow signs for parking.



*Call before you come!  
 540-462-1113  
 for information on  
 postponement or  
 cancellation.*

