

Welcome Trail Ride Participants!!

Well, it's about time to get organized for the 2009 Santa Fe Trail Ride. As part of the largest and most successful stock show and rodeo in the nation, the San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo Association provide a major economic impact not only to San Angelo, but also to the surrounding communities. We are extremely proud to be a part of this family. All proceeds from the ride go to support the scholarship fund for local youth in the ranching and farming industry.

The 2009 ride will begin in View, TX, just south of Abilene. Registration begins on Friday, Feb. 13th @ 4pm. First ride out will be on Saturday, Feb. 14th heading towards Buffalo Gap. Over the course of the next week we will travel over Steamboat Mountain to the Bradley Ranch then onto Winters! Ladies don't forget your Red hats! From there we will make our way to the banks of Lake Ballinger, where we will host a big fish fry. Next, we head to Miles where things will be a little different. Due to the new route, we will arrive in Miles a day earlier. Unfortunately, it is Church night, but don't worry Casino night has been moved to Friday night (more details inside). From Miles we will head to the San Angelo Fairgrounds. This is a new aspect and will be a real treat. The wagons will be placed on display prior to the rodeo and then will be featured at the rodeo performance that night. On Friday we will experience an authentic chuck wagon lunch and then make our way to Fort Concho for the parade on Saturday.

Every year we sell more advertising than we have space on wagons, so this year we are offering a \$100 bonus to any wagon that joins us for the last four days of the ride, which will include the parade and also carrying a banner. Plus the \$50 registration fee will all be refunded after the parade. That's \$150 to help with the cost of fuel.

We also have an announcement. With the ride growing, Lynn Donaho needs more brains and Tabitha Baker will join him as Co-Chairman. Tabitha is one of the reasons the ride has become successful and deserves this spot. Her email and phone number will be listed in the brochure.

The trail ride committee would like to express its deepest sympathy in the loss of a wonderful photographer, Eric Seeger. Eric was able to capture the true essence of this trail ride over the last 4 years and will be deeply missed.

We look forward to this years ride and hope that you will join us for great views, super grub and lots of fellowship. We look forward to seeing each and every one of you so until then, Happy Trails.

Lynn Donaho & Tabitha Baker
Trail Ride Co-Chairman

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WTU Retail Energy

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Santa Fe Trail Ride

Itinerary

(Times are approximate & subject to change)

**Rig move & Ride out will be
at the discretion of
the Trail Boss.**

**Friday, February 13, 2009
Kick off at View Vol. Fire Dept
Hwy 277 & FM 1235**

Directions: From Abilene – take Hwy 277 South
approximately 12 miles

Registration will begin at 4 p.m.

Supper provided by View Vol. Fire Dept. and
will begin serving at 6 p.m.

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**Saturday, February 14, 2009  
View Vol. Fire Dept. to Buffalo Gap 10 miles**

Directions: from View Vol. Fire Department- Take FM 1235 to  
Hwy 89 to the Old Settlers Camp (City Park)

Cattle Call: 6 a.m.      Breakfast: 7 a.m.

Supper: 6 p.m.      Electricity: \$5 a night

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**Sunday, February 15, 2009
Buffalo Gap to Bradley's Ranch 13 Miles**

Directions: from Buffalo Gap – Take CR 613 straight to CR 181.
Then turn right onto CR 207 to CR 184. Turn right and then take
the first right after you pass the Moro Baptist Church. At the dead
end, turn right, then look for the trail ride sign.

Cattle Call: 6 a.m. Breakfast: 7 a.m.

Supper: 6 p.m. Electricity: \$10 a night
Horse Stalls: \$7 a night

Monday, February 16, 2009
Bradley's Ranch to Winters 20 Miles

Direction: From Bradley's – leaving the ranch, turn right and then take the first left after that onto CR 184. Turn left and then turn right onto CR 206 (Moro Baptist Church sits on the corner). Take CR 206 and then turn right onto CR 185 and then take a left onto CR 196. Take a left onto FM 1086 to Hwy 83. Turn right and follow Hwy 83 to Winters. Turn right at Dale Street and then look for the trail ride.

Cattle Call: 6 a.m. Breakfast: 7 a.m.

Supper: 6 p.m.

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**Tuesday, February 17, 2009**  
**Winters to Lake Ballinger 21 Miles**

Directions: from Winters – take Hwy 83 to CR 348, turns into CR 332. Stay on CR 332 until you come to FM 2111. Crossover Hwy 158, continue going straight until you reach the Lake Ballinger park entrance.

Cattle Call: 6 a.m. Breakfast: 7 a.m.

Supper: 6 p.m.

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Wednesday, February 18, 2009
Lake Ballinger to Miles 20 Miles

Directions: from Lake Ballinger - from lake, turn right onto FM 2111 until you reach FM 2133 and turn right. Stay on FM 2133 until you reach Hwy 67 at Rowena. Turn right onto Hwy 67 until you reach Miles. Take a right, go over railroad tracks and take first left at the park.

Cattle Call: 6 a.m. Breakfast: 7 a.m.

Supper: 6 p.m.

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**Thursday, February 19, 2009**  
**Miles to San Angelo Fairgrounds 20 Miles**

Directions: from Miles – Take Hwy 67 to Old Ballinger Hwy and turn right. Go straight until you reach Hwy 277 and then turn right. Take Hwy 277 to FM 2105 and turn left. Crossover Hwy 208 continuing on FM 2105 until you reach Grape Creek Road. Look for the signs for the Spur arena and the fairgrounds. Take Grape Creek road to 43<sup>rd</sup> St. (this road goes in front of coliseum). Take the first entrance just past Lake View Stadium.

Thursday, February 19, 2009 (con't)

Cattle Call: 5:30 a.m. Breakfast: 6 a.m.

Supper: 5 p.m.

**Wagons will go on display at the fairgrounds at 6 p.m.**

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Friday, February 20, 2009

SA Fairgrounds to Fort Concho 6 miles

Directions: from fairgrounds – Take Coliseum drive to N. Chadbourne. Turn left. Go straight until the expressway and then turn left onto service road. Turn right onto Oakes Street. Stay straight and then turn left onto Henry O. Flipper Ave until you reach the Fort Concho Stables.

Cattle Call: 6 a.m. Breakfast: 7 a.m.

You will have the opportunity to visit the mid-way, Arts & Crafts, animal barns & the tractor show.

Miles Casino Night – transportation will be available to and from Miles. There will be a bus run following supper for those who do not wish to stay for the Casino.

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Saturday, February 21, 2009

San Angelo at Fort Concho

Cattle Call: 6 a.m.

Line up for parade @ 8 a.m.

## **Attention!!!!!!! Wagon Owners**

**A registration fee will be required at time of registration. If you join us for the last 4 days of the ride including the parade and carry a banner you will receive a \$100 bonus, plus your registration fee.**

# THIS IS A FAMILY RIDE

## *Rules & Regulation*

- Proof of current negative coggins required
- Everyone must be registered and have a 2009 Badge that is visible at all times
- All riders and wagons must obey direction of the trail boss and scouts
- **NO DRINKING WHILE MOUNTED**
- **Alcohol will only be allowed at night in camp.**
- Riders under 18 must have a sponsor
- No display of any weapons (illegal knives, handguns, shotguns, rifles, firearms) or uncontrollable horses allowed on the ride
- **Each person must clean up their own campsite, including manure, hay, before leaving a stop to move forward. In case of an emergency, notify a committee member**
- No riding double except for adults with young children
- Wagons must have breeching harnesses and brakes
- Riders on right side (shoulder) of the pavement, scouts on the left
- Tungsten shoes highly recommended
- Stallions will only be allowed if they are calm and horse and rider both act in a proper manner
- No riding bareback, trick-riding, roping, littering, cursing or fighting
- Anyone that gets out of hand at any time will be called down and if necessary asked to leave the ride
- Vehicles are not allowed to follow the ride
- All pets must be secured at all times
- No tying horses to fences during the ride, violators will be responsible for paying any damages
- Generators should be muffled and of reasonable noise level
- Do not play loud music when staying up late at night
- No illegal drugs
- Red ribbons will need to be tied on horses that kick
- Make sure you have appropriate clothing and a place to stay at night
- Bring water buckets, there are not any watering troughs
- Park your rig in a manner that will not allow your horse to damage any vehicles or other animals
- Riders should carry protective rain gear on their saddles at all times
- Each rider must have sufficient personal equipment to be self-sustaining
- Riders must respect each other at all times
- Wagons that carry sponsorships must complete ride including parade

Warning: Under the Texas law (Chapter 87, Civil Practice and Remedies Code), an equine professional is not liable for any injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities.

## *Appreciation goes out to*

### Rodeo Association

Linda Rhodes, Kermit Wendland, John West,  
PK Kelly, Mark Duncan, Perry Curnutt

### Trail Ride Committee

#### Trail Ride Committee Co-Chairman

Lynn Donaho & Tabitha Baker

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|-----------------|------------------|
| Curtis Alford   | Brandon Jost     |
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| Belinda Baker   | Deola Mitts      |
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| Kenneth Baker   | Geneva Penny     |
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| Allen Fickle    | Shelly Rohmfeld  |
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| Miranda Fritze  | Mary Smith       |
| Brian Hallmark  | Melissa Stapp    |
| Kristie Herring | Latasha Truelove |

### **Contact Information**

#### Mail

Santa Fe Trail Ride  
c/o San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo Association  
200 W. 43<sup>rd</sup> St  
San Angelo, TX 76903

#### Phone

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| Stock Show Office                    | 325.653.7785 |
| Trail Ride Co-Chairman Lynn Donaho   | 325.277.0304 |
| Trail Ride Co-Chairman Tabitha Baker | 325.812.4208 |

#### Website

[www.santafetrailride.com](http://www.santafetrailride.com)

**Special THANKS goes out to the following:**

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|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
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| Mrs. Baird's - Abilene      | WTU                        |

**2009 SANTA FE TRAIL RIDE REGISTRATION FORM  
PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT**

\*\*\*REGISTRATION FEE INCLUDES 24 MEALS\*\*\*

**ONLY ONE APPLICANT PER FORM**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE / ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDAY \_\_\_\_\_

**TRAIL RIDE FEE\*\*\***

**ADULT** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\$50 (includes 24 meals)

**DAILY RATE** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$15 a day # of days \_\_\_\_\_ will be joining \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I do have special dietary needs, i.e. Diabetes, etc

I will be riding a: \_\_\_\_\_ Wagon \_\_\_\_\_ Horse/Mule

***DON'T FORGET TO SIGN THE TRAIL RIDE RELEASE!!!!***

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:  
SAN ANGELO STOCK SHOW & RODEO ASSOCIATION  
200 WEST 43<sup>RD</sup> STREET  
SAN ANGELO, TX 76903

**Credit card accepted only if registering in advance.**

Please charge my Visa / MasterCard  
(circle one) American Express / Discover

Card No: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Office use only – do not write in this space  
Date Rec \_\_\_\_\_ Amt Paid \_\_\_\_\_ CA MO CK # \_\_\_\_\_  
Credit Card Approval \_\_\_\_\_

# Release

For and in consideration of the privilege of participating in this trail ride and as a condition for the San Angelo Rodeo Association, I hereby assume all risk of personal injury or damage to me, my property and my livestock, and I hereby release the San Angelo Rodeo Association and any other organization or individual in charge of or connected with the San Angelo Rodeo Association from any and all claims and/or liability from any accident, injury, damage or loss incurred or suffered by me or anyone in my charge of care no matter what the nature or cause and I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless the San Angelo Rodeo Association and any other organization or individual in charge of or connected with the San Angelo Rodeo Association from any and all damages, cost, charges, expenses, legal fees or any other loss or expense incurred by said organizations or the individual connected thereto resulting from any accident, injury, damage or loss incurred or suffered by any third party resulting from any acts or actions on my part or by anyone in my charge, whether such acts were intentional, accidental or negligent which caused or contributed to the cause of such accident, injury, damage, or loss incurred or suffered by such third party. I do hereby certify that I have read the foregoing and agree to same and further agree to abide by all the rules and regulations of the San Angelo Rodeo Association and state that I am qualified therein.

Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Signature): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Parents' Permission Form

**All applicants under 18 years of age must have a sponsor or parent to ride with them and application must be signed by parent or guardian**

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' or Guardians' Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsors' Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_