

# *River Riders Review*

## October 2011

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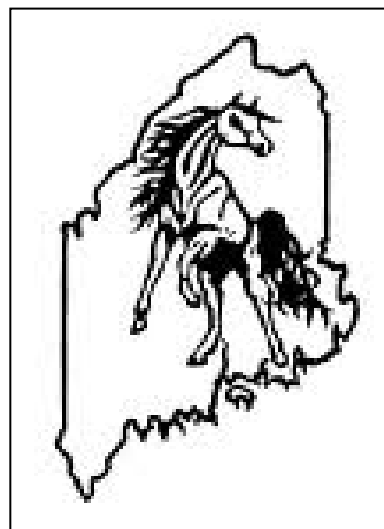
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Howdy Folks!

**Nominations are OPEN for Special awards!** PLEASE submit your nominations ASAP.  
Special page attached!

PLEASE take the time to vote for our 2012 officers. Every vote counts. You should receive your ballots in the mail.

To help bring the River Riders Review to the next level we need some help. If you have any articles, news of a horse, a person to do with horses, losses or other interesting things please forward to us. We can't guarantee to get everything in the newsletter but we will try.

**Next meeting: Monday November 14th at 7:00 PM**  
**ATTN: 7:00 membership meeting**

Here are the **Directions:** Take Route 5 into Andover village then turn right on Elm St [Route 120 at the intersection]. The First Congregational Church is on the left just past the town common. The entry is at the back, easy to see as you drive in.

**\*First Congregational Church accepts donations of non-perishable foods for the local food pantry.\***

## **Show Season is Over ☹**

**The show committee will be looking for suggestions for 2012!  
Also looking for committee members to help plan the next season.**

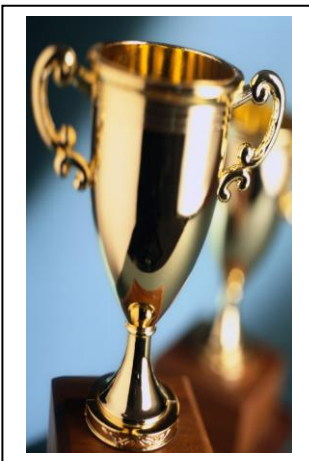
Please contact Dawn Grondin @836-2771 or e-mail [grondin@megalink.net](mailto:grondin@megalink.net)

## **More news from Show Committee & Special Events!**

**We are busy planning our year-end celebration banquet. It was such a nice time last year we have decided to return to the Hilton Garden Inn in Auburn. The date is Saturday November 19<sup>th</sup> so mark your calendars for a good time! The menu is still being worked out with some different options. There will be discounted room rates and I must say the rooms were REALLY nice. Music is also in the works for those who want to socialize & dance.**

**Watch the website for updates! Prices ~ Menu ~ Times... coming soon!**

**If you won any Perpetual Trophy last year we need it back ASAP Please! Call Dawn to make arrangements to get them back to us. 836-2771**



**Help the club raise some money,  
When you spend some of yours!**

**If you order from Country Supply our code is EllisRiver  
There is a customer care code box option when you check out.**

**The club will get a 5% refund bonus!**

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

**Grounds Committee**  
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890-6990

**Ellis River Riders has campsites available for 2012 season.**  
**The annual fee is very reasonable. You will be required to camp overnight a minimum of 6 times per season and work 12 hours [per adult] for the club.**

This can be done during the season, helping at shows, attending grounds opening or closing or working a few hours each time you stay over. It's a great deal!

What a great way to help the club and enjoy all that the grounds has to offer!

**For details please contact Bill or Sandy Cole for more info.**

**Grounds Closing ~ Saturday Oct 29<sup>th</sup>**  
**10:00am**

**Special Thanks to Heather MacPhee for the generous donation of gravel to fill the stalls! No more flooded stalls in 2012**

**Water at the grounds will be turned off for the season on Sunday October 16<sup>th</sup> after the show!**



## Trail News

**NOTICE the Blue Trail may be closed starting Saturday October 22<sup>nd</sup>. PLEASE do not ride around the gates if they are closed, to access the trail.**

There is a new page on the website that shows what to look for while riding the trails. Riders are encouraged to check it out. All riders are asked to stay on the marked horse trails. When riding, take the time to look for the signs and markers at all intersections. There are either signs or colored flagging attached with clothespins. Members may park at the ERR grounds to begin their ride OR may park at the Andover Recreation Field on Rte. 120 just outside of Andover Village or at the Roxbury ATV Park & Ride on Rte. 120 just past Ellis Pond Variety. **PLEASE**, if you use either of these public parking spots **come prepared to remove all hay & manure** and do not block any entrance.

We are looking for ride sponsors for rides in 2012. If you'd like to be listed as sponsor you will be added as a contact person. Sponsors are asked to be ready to lead the ride, have all riders sign the necessary liability releases and turn all paperwork in to the Chairperson on completion.

**Riders are asked to please contact the ride sponsor the day before the ride to be sure everything is going as planned. If no contact is listed please contact the trail chair for details.**

### Upcoming Trail Rides:

**Oct. 23, Trick or Treat Trail Ride**, visual scavenger hunt. Ride out at 10:00AM From the grounds, \$5.00 covers a wonderful hot lunch after the ride. Costumes are optional but encouraged!

**PLEASE RSVP** so we can plan the right amount of food. Contact Pam Tobin 774-212-0075 [capecodpam@gmail.com](mailto:capecodpam@gmail.com)

**November 6<sup>th</sup>**, \*\*Sunday, "Dear Season" end of the trail season ride. 10AM From the grounds. Pot-Luck Lunch. RSVP so we can plan hot drinks & serving ware. Deb @ [mbean@megalink.net](mailto:mbean@megalink.net)

Contact: Trail Chairperson Tim Tobin 774-212-0074 [advantagevg@comcast.net](mailto:advantagevg@comcast.net)





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### 2012 Membership Form ~ Due by January!

Mail to: Deb Cayer, 551 S Main St, Andover ME 04216

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

\$20.00 single \_\_\_\_\_ \$25.00 family \_\_\_\_\_ New Member YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

List family members \_\_\_\_\_

Check box if Ok to use members listed above in photos for public viewing

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### Classified Ad Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Tel: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Item Description & Price \_\_\_\_\_

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Items less than \$100.00 FREE ~ Items over \$100.00 are \$5.00 ~ Business ads are \$10.00  
Send with check or money to Deb Cayer 551 S Main St Andover ME 04216

# FEED BAG NEWS



## ELLIS RIVER RIDERS MEMBERSHIP,

We are seeking new members for the 2012 Food Committee and volunteers to work inside the food booth. Please take a brief moment and click on the link below to learn more information.

*Help your club to improve, and get involved in a great team!*

To sign up or learn more about the committee or the positions available inside the Feedbag,

Please click on this link: <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Z55YYQ3>

Thank you all in advance! **Tony Milligan**, Ellis River Riders, Inc. Food Committee Chairman

*There will be excess food for sale at grounds closing day.*

*This is a great opportunity to purchase food at cost & stock your freezer for winter.*

*Please contact Tony for a list*

### Breakfast Sandwiches

*Breakfast sandwiches on an English Muffin*

Egg	2.00
Egg and Cheese	2.25
Sausage, Egg and Cheese	2.75
Bacon, Egg and Cheese	2.75

### Breakfast Items

Two eggs any style	1.50
Pancakes (3) stacked high and topped with butter and syrup	2.75
French Toast (3) stacked high and topped with butter and syrup	2.75

### Breakfast Platters

THE COWBOY: Pancakes (2) or French Toast (2) with hot butter and syrup, Eggs (2) any style, Home Fries, choice of Bacon (3) or Sausage Patty and any Beverage	6.50
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THE STALLION: Eggs (2) any style, Home fries, choice of bacon (3) or Sausage Patty, choice of Toast or English Muffin, and any Beverage	5.50
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THE PONY: Pancakes (2) or French Toast (2) with hot butter and syrup, choice of Bacon (2) or Sausage Patty and any Beverage	4.50
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### Breakfast Sides

English muffin	1.00
White toast (2)	1.00
Toasted Bagel with Cream Cheese	1.75
Sausage Patty	1.25
Bacon (3)	1.25
Home Fries	1.25
Extra Egg	0.75



Ellis River Riders, Inc.  
The Feedbag

*"Ask about our daily specials!"*

### Lunch Sides

French Fries	2.00
Onion Rings	2.50
Chips	0.75

### Beverages

Coffee, Tea, Iced Tea, Hot Chocolate, Orange Juice, Apple Juice, Bottled Water, Soda (Pepsi, Diet Pepsi, Mt. Dew, Root Beer, Sierra Mist, Ginger Ale)	1.00
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### Charbroiled Steak Burgers

*Our hamburgers are very flavorful, thick and juicy charbroiled ground steak pub burgers!*

*Deluxe sandwiches include lettuce, tomatoes, onions and pickles.*

Hamburger	3.00
Hamburger Deluxe	3.50
Cheeseburger	3.25
Cheeseburger Deluxe	3.75
Bacon Cheeseburger	4.00
Bacon Cheeseburger Deluxe	4.50

### Lunch Sandwiches

*Deluxe sandwiches include lettuce, tomatoes, onions and pickles.*

Ham Hoagie (Mayo, Ham and Cheese baked in oven)	3.75
Chicken Burger (w/lettuce, tomato, cheese)	3.75
Veggie Burger (w/lettuce, tomato, cheese)	3.75
Grilled Cheese Sandwich	2.00
Grilled Cheese Deluxe (choice of: lettuce/onion/tomato/pickles/bacon)	3.25
BLT (Bacon, Lettuce and Tomato)	3.00
Tuna Fish Sandwich	3.00

### Italian Sandwiches

Ham Italian Sub (8 in.)	4.00
Tuna Italian Sub (8 in.)	4.00

### Lunch Items

Hot Dog (grilled or steamed)	1.50
Chicken Tenders	4.50
Garden Salad	3.75
Garden Salad Topped with Chicken	4.75
Chicken Wings (with choice of dipping sauce)	4.00
Hot Wings (with choice of dipping sauce)	4.25

### Kid's Lunch Combo

Chicken Tenders Basket and Drink (Small portioned - fries or chips included)	3.50
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# Nominations

All nominations will be considered.

## Thank You!

Laddie Allen Memorial Sportsmanship Award: Donated by Denise York, to the Adult Rider [must be a rider] who exemplifies the true meaning of sportsmanship. This would be someone who is a good loser and a gracious winner, encouraging to others, helpful, happy and sensitive to animals and people.

Nominate: \_\_\_\_\_

***Past winners list [NOT a list to choose from]*** 1991 Sal Mazza, 1992 Deb Cayer, 1993 Ron York, 1994 Judy Dunham [Ouellette], 1995 Jim Perkins, 1996 Dora Morton, 1997 Anita Altmaier, 1998 Linda Blackman, 1999 Annette Marin, 2000 Lisa Allen, 2001 Dave Marin, 2002 Kate Slattery, 2003 Dick Blackman, 2004 Brian Randall, 2005 Ryan Eastman, 2006 Beth LaBrie 2007 Carole Mason, 2008 Sandy Cole, 2009 Megan Walker, 2010 Amy Gould

Junior Sportsmanship Award for the Junior Rider who meets the qualifications as written above: Donated by No View Farm

Nominate: \_\_\_\_\_

Most supportive family member award: Donated by Tally-Ho 4H Group

Nominate: \_\_\_\_\_

Outstanding Team Effort Award: To the best-matched or most compatible horse & rider team in either show or trail.

Nominate: \_\_\_\_\_

Most Improved Adult Rider:

Nominate: \_\_\_\_\_

Most Improved Youth Rider:

Nominate: \_\_\_\_\_

You Do **NOT** have to sign your nominations!

Mail or copy & e-mail to Dawn Grondin