

Join us for the ride of a lifetime..... this is definitely something for that 'bucket list'.



An awesome adventure whilst riding to support

Australian Alzheimer's Research Foundation

## *Wine and Horses in Perth Hills*

**Two day trail ride return to Northam.**

**12 and 13 October 2019**

Join Wine and Horses on our two day trek riding the historic CY O'Connor Pipeline and Kep Trail, staying overnight in Northam plus raise much needed funds for Alzheimer's Research

There are **THREE** options available:

Choose from:

- **Option 1.** CHALLENGER RIDE - (approx 50km per day) Total 100km) \$330.00
- **Option 2.** SOCIAL RIDE - (approx 25km per day) Total 50km \$250.00
- **Option 3.** One day ride \* Choose either date - 12 or 13 October, 50km or 100km ..... \$150.00



It is definitely recommended that all horses are shod or wearing boots plus riders and horses undertake training fitness rides to prepare for this event.

This is a great opportunity to get away with your horse and family and friends. Partners and/or friends and family are also welcome to join us at Northam and camp overnight Saturday evening where we will have live music entertainment plus our Fundraising Auction and shop where there will be over one hundred items available with proceeds being donated to support **Australian Alzheimer's Research Foundation** to find a cure.



## OPTIONS AVAILABLE

### OPTION 1. 100km Challenger Ride: (approximately 50km per day.) COST: \$330.00

Departing from Wooroloo Saturday 12 October 2019, we follow the trail to Bakers Hill where riders and horses can rest and enjoy a delicious morning tea with a famous Bakers Hill Pie. Riders then continue to Avon Brook Winery in Clackline, where we tie up and enjoy lunch with some local wines. We continue along the trail riding to Avon Valley Equestrian Centre in Northam camping overnight before returning to Wooroloo the following day Sunday 13 October 2019 again stopping at Bakers Hill Pie Shop along the trail.

Please note: all riders selecting the Challenger 100km option. Riders need to be able to maintain a trot or canter pace. This cannot be completed at a walk pace.

### OPTION 2. 50km Social Ride: : (approximately 25km per day. ) COST: \$250.00

Departing from Clackline, Avon Brook Winery, Saturday 12 October, 2019 riders follow the trail to Avon Valley Equestrian Centre in Northam, camping overnight before returning to Clackline the following day.

### OPTION 3. One day Option: (1 day only ) COST: \$150.00

Choose your ride Saturday or Sunday...., 25km or 50km option,

- Saturday 12 October 2019 (25km ride depart from Clackline and ride to Northam )
- Saturday 12 October 2019 (50km ride depart from Wooroloo and ride to Northam)
- Sunday 13 October 2018 (25km ride depart from Northam and ride to Clackline)
- Sunday 13 October 2018 (50km ride depart from Northam and ride to Wooroloo.)

\*Please note: this option must be selected prior to the ride, in that if during the event riders elect not to ride the second day, refunds will not be provided. Saturday night accommodation and meals are included.

### INCLUDED IN THE COST AND OPTIONS:

#### All riders:

- Saturday night - camping accommodation at Avon Equestrian Centre Northam for you, family & friends.
- ***SATURDAY NIGHT ENTERTAINMENT: which includes:*** Live music Saturday night plus our Fundraising Auction and shop with fantastic prizes with raffles and auction items including overnight accommodation stays, restaurant vouchers etc to raise extra funds for Alzheimer's Research. Family and friends are welcome to join us too.
- We convey your tent, bedding, horse feed etc from starting point Saturday to Northam and return on Sunday.
- 50 km and 100km (2 day riders. Stables and/or yards for your horses Saturday night at Northam Equestrian Centre. (subject to availability)
- Meals: Saturday - 25km per day Riders -lunch/afternoon tea at Northam Avon Equestrian Centre.  
50km per day Riders – morning tea at Bakers Hill Pie Shop plus lunch and wine tasting at Avon Brook winery.  
All riders: Saturday night dinner at Avon Equestrian Centre Northam.  
Sunday - All riders: Breakfast at Avon Equestrian Centre Northam  
50km per day Riders - morning tea at Bakers Hill Pie Shop



Please ensure all horses are shod or wearing boots as the trail can be gravelly or rocky in some places.

A medium level of fitness for you and your horse is recommended for Option 2, the 25km per day option. This is approximately a three hour ride per day at a walk and trot pace. The Challenger Ride Option 3, 50km per day is a full day of riding and a pace of trot or canter is required for the majority of this ride, and is not for the feint hearted.

There will be numerous checkpoints along the trail, providing water and/or refreshments for you and your horse. *(Please note: Riders are expected to meet Checkpoint times. Wine and Horses reserve the right to float any late horses/riders to ensure our event volunteers are not left out on course for extended periods of time. )*

Note: Accommodation is available for you and your horse Friday night before the ride if required.

We are seeking some assistance or support along the way, so if you have a support person who would like to help please ask them to contact me so we can discuss further. Accommodation and their meals will all be supplied.

- All riders and volunteers are invited to join us for free social training rides leading up to the event.
- We would love to hear from anyone who is interested in volunteering for a few hours during the event.
- Would really love to hear from any persons interested in doing extra fundraising towards our cause for Australian Alzheimer's Research Foundation.
- Raffle tickets will be available before the ride to help raise extra funds. Can you sell a book?
- Consider joining our Fundraising Team Page leading up to the event. More details to come.
- Amazing prizes are on offer for Riders and Volunteers who undertake additional fundraising.
- A backup event date of 19 and 20 October 2019 is scheduled in the unlikely event of inclement weather (thunder, lightning etc.)

Places are limited to the number of yards and stalls we have available, so if you would like to come along and join us on this epic ride please email: [wineandhorses@bigpond.com](mailto:wineandhorses@bigpond.com) to register your interest.

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