

National Association® of Competitive Mounted Orienteering

## **VOLGA RIVER CMO** Volga River Lake State Recreation Area June 7 & 8, 2025

CMO is a timed event covering 5 to 15 miles on horseback. Riders attempt to find 5-10 markers using a map and compass. Riders may compete as individuals or teams. A pre-ride clinic and practice session precede each ride. You will need an orienteering compass (example: Silva 7), available at many camping and discount stores.

WHERE: Volga River Lake State Recreation Area 10225 Ivy Road Fayette, Iowa 52142

**DIRECTIONS:** From State Highway 150 between Fayette and West Union, turn east on Ivy Road one mile to entrance of Recreation Area. Follow markers to Equestrian campground (Albany Campground)

RIDE MANAGERS: Roland & Norma Newton

515-681-1725 (Norma and Roland are camp hosts ). email: newtonRN2013@gmail.com

RIDE Briefing: Saturday Briefing at 9 am Sunday Briefing at 9 am Long and short course rides offered each day. A pre-ride clinic is offered before the ride.

<b>RIDE FEES:</b>	Adults	Juniors
Members	\$10	\$5
Non-members	\$15	\$10

PARK FEES: Camping fee \$24 per night electric

Park manager informed us that bridge work begins June 10<sup>th</sup>. Campground will be open for walk up only camping. CONTACT RIDE MANAGEMENT ABOUT CAMPING!!!!

**POT-LUCK:** There will be a Saturday night pot-luck dinner for all interested. Please bring a dish to pass. We will provide pulled pork sandwiches with condiments.

## **Please Note:**

State regulations require horses, mules and donkeys being transported interstate (from one state to another) must have a current Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (health certificate) and negative Coggin's test (EIA). This paperwork must accompany the animal into the State of Iowa.

Please refer to <u>https://iowaagriculture.gov/animal-industry-bureau/animal-admission-health-requirements</u> for more information.