TRAIL INFORMATION – West Range Counter-Clockwise Trails – Blue, Green, Orange

THE BARE ESSENTIALS:	LOOP	Loop from	From/To Day	From/To
		Bridge (miles)	Trailer Parking	Arena
	BLUE WEST	9.2	15.2	16.2
	BLUE WEST SHORT	7.9	13.9	14.9
	GREEN WEST	12.6	18.6	19.6
	GREEN WEST SHORT	10.6	16.6	17.6
	ORANGE	10.4	16.4	17.4
	GREEN TO BLUE	2.5	8.5	9.5
	ORANGE TO BLUE	3.8	9.8	10.8

ALL TRAILS ABOVE ARE COUNTERCLOCKWISE LOOPS STARTING AT THE BRIDGE. ALL LOOPS ARE ACCESSED VIA THE BLACK TRAIL FROM THE ARENA OR DAY TRAILER PARKING AREA.

	Day TrIr	Arena
BLACK to Bridge from	3.2	3.7
BLACK from Bridge to	2.8	3.3

MARKING: Black Trail is marked with White Arrows on Black Diamonds. All other loops are marked with diamonds in the color of the loop w black arrows attached to trees or stakes. At turns, expect one or more warning arrows before the turn, and confirming arrows afterwards. There are occasional "go straight" arrows along the trail. Color-matched plates with **large X mean wrong way**. **Follow ARROWS!** Safe places to water in creeks are marked with a "W" on white arrows. <u>Do NOT go into the French Broad River or lagoon/lakes at any point!</u>

BLUE WEST and BLUE WEST SHORT: Follow Black to Bridge. Turn hard RIGHT off the bridge to BLUE along the river. You will traverse vineyards, go through woods, out into fields going by the bulls and cows. At 2.7 Miles from bridge you will come to an intersection of two gravel roads. Turn right on gravel rd to do Full Blue. Go straight to do short Blue. The two trails come back together just before a creek crossing over a culvert. Then back into trees, around fields, into trees, emerging by vineyards again, back into woods and down to river, taking the gravel road back to the bridge, turn to follow BLACK along the river, back to camp.

GREEN WEST and GREEN WEST SHORT: Follow Black to Bridge. Turn VERY SOFT LEFT UPHILL off the bridge to GREEN going through woods. You will traverse vineyards, through woods, out into fields going by the bulls and cows and sheep. At 3.0 miles along a gravel road, full green turns RIGHT into the woods GREEN SHORT continues STRAIGHT. Full GREEN descends to a trail along the French Broad, then climbs uphill and rejoins the gravel rd from the opposite direction. Full GREEN makes a RIGHT turn into the woods and GREEN SHORT makes a left turn into the woods. The trails then run together through the woods and then through a field with beautiful distant views of the mountains. The trail descends and ascends through woods and then descends to another beautiful stretch in the woods along the river with base camp on the other side of the river. The trail ascends to the bluff above the river with views of the Biltmore House and then descends down to the river to the gravel rd returning to the bridge. Then follow BLACK along the river, back to camp.

ORANGE WEST: Follow Black to Bridge. Turn VERY SOFT LEFT UPHILL off the bridge to ORANGE going through woods. You will traverse vineyards, through woods, out into fields going by the bulls and cows. The trail descends and ascends through woods and then descends to a beautiful stretch in the woods along the river. The trail then ascends to a gravel rd and goes quickly back into the woods, along another cow field and then back through the woods. The trail descends back down to the river to the gravel rd returning to the bridge. Then follow BLACK along the river, back to camp.

GREEN to BLUE: Follow Black to Bridge. Turn VERY SOFT LEFT UPHILL off the bridge to GREEN going through woods and then along vineyard fence. At 1.1 miles turn LEFT onto BLUE. Follow Blue through a field, back into woods and down to river, taking the gravel road back to the bridge, turn to follow BLACK along the river, back to camp.

ORANGE TO BLUE: Follow Black to Bridge. Turn VERY SOFT LEFT UPHILL off the bridge to ORANGE going through woods. You will traverse vineyards. At 1.9 miles turn Left onto Light Blue Connector. Follow Light Blue Discs w white arrows for 1/4 mile to BLUE. Follow Blue along vineyard fence through a field, back into woods and down to river, taking the gravel road back to the bridge., Turn to follow BLACK along the river, back to camp.

SUPER IMPORTANT:

If you should meet any carriage or guided trail ride group on this trail, you MUST come to a walk, carefully continue past the carriage/group, and walk until safe to resume your trot/canter. Please obey the Trail Guide. NO SMOKING ON TRAILS

TRAIL INFORMATION – West Range Clockwise Trails – Black, Yellow

THE BARE ESSENTIALS:	LOOP	Loop from	From/To Day	From/To
		Bridge (miles)	Trailer Parking	Arena
	BLACK	12.8	18.8	19.8
	BLACK SHORT	4.4	10.4	11.4
	YELLOW	7.1	13.1	14.1
	YELLOW SHORT	4.2	10.2	11.2

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	Day Trlr	Arena
BLACK to Bridge from	3.2	3.7
BLACK from Bridge to	2.8	3.3

MARKING: Black Trail is marked with White Arrows on Black Diamonds. All other loops are marked with diamonds in the color of the loop w black arrows attached to trees or stakes. At turns, expect one or more warning arrows before the turn, and confirming arrows afterwards. There are occasional "go straight" arrows along the trail. Color-matched plates with **large X mean wrong way**. **Follow ARROWS!** Safe places to water in creeks are marked with a "W" on white arrows. <u>Do NOT go into the French Broad River or lagoon/lakes at any point!</u>

BLACK WEST and BLACK WEST SHORT: Follow Black to Bridge. Turn hard LEFT off the bridge to BLACK along the river on gravel rd. At 0.8 Mile from bridge you will come to an intersection of trail with gravel road. Turn left onto trail through woods to do Full Black with views of the Biltmore House, beautiful forested trail along the French Broad and some long vistas across open fields and farm land. For BLACK SHORT, go straight on gravel road following signs for Short Black and Yellow Discs with Red Arrows. The two trails come back together at the start of a field just before Picnic Hill with the hospitality station. The trail goes through the vineyards, then back into woods and down to river, taking the gravel road back to the bridge. Cross the bridge to follow BLACK along the river, back to camp.

YELLOW WEST and YELLOW WEST SHORT: Follow Black to Bridge. Turn hard LEFT off the bridge to YELLOW going along the river on gravel rd. At 0.8 Mile from bridge you will come to an intersection of trail with gravel road. Turn left onto trail into woods for Full Yellow. For YELLOW SHORT, go straight on gravel road following signs for Short Black and Yellow Discs with Red Arrows. The two trails come back together on a gravel road from opposite directions and turn into and travel through woods to Picnic Hill where the hospitality station is. The trail goes through the vineyards, then back into woods and down to river, taking the gravel road back to the bridge. Cross the bridge to follow BLACK along the river, back to camp.

SUPER IMPORTANT:

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