

GENERAL RULES FOR ALL USERS

- Stay on existing trails.
- Don't short-cut switchbacks.
- **Do not spook horses, move to the lower side of trail if possible.**
- Obey gate closures and signs.
- Respect the rights of others.
- Do not block the trail.
- Keep the trail clean and take your garbage with you when you leave.
- Traveling uphill has right-of-way.
- Keep right, except when passing.
- Get owners' permission on private land.
- Do not disturb the wildlife.



RULES FOR MULTI-USE TRAILS

- Groups should be in single file when other trail users are present and should never use more than one-half of the trail to allow for the flow of traffic.
- Control your speed! Obey speed regulations.
- Slow down when approaching other trail users.

WHO YIELDS THE TRAIL?

- Before passing another trail user, be courteous and make your approach known well in advance. A friendly greeting, "Hello, passing on your left," or ringing a bell is considerate and works well.
- **All trail users (ATV'ers, bicyclists, walkers, or others) yield to equestrians.**
- **Downhill users yield to uphill users.**
- **Faster users yield to slower users.**
- **Never spook animals.**
- Bicyclists yield to walkers.
- Leave no trace, plan ahead.
- Stay on existing trails and don't create any new ones.

EQUESTRIANS/LLAMA ENCOUNTERS

- Let other users know when it's safe to pass your horse.
- **Leave the gates as you find them.**
- Slow down to walk when approaching others.
- **Backpackers talk with horseback riders to not spook horses/mules.**
- Llamas and their handlers should also yield to horse/mule traffic by standing on the downhill side of the trail.
- **Loose dogs need to under control!**

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MOTORIZED VEHICLES

- **Stay out of wilderness areas.**
- Travel and recreate with minimum impact.
- Travel only where motorized vehicles are permitted.
- Respect the environment and the rights of others.
- Educate yourself, plan and prepare before you go.
- Allow for future use of the outdoors, leave it better than you found it.
- Carry out trash.
- Always properly maintain your muffler to keep noise at a minimum.
- Save wet trails for dryer times. Trails can be wet and muddy both early and late in the season.

BICYCLISTS

- Downhill riders yield to uphill riders.
- Ride slowly single file when passing or when being passed.
- Yield right-of-way to all other users (equestrians, hikers, etc.).
- Maintain traction, skidding causes damage to the trail.
- Do not ride in the mud or on trails where ruts are created by your tires.
- Stay out of the designated wilderness.
- Control your bike.
- Be ready to stop.
- Do not ride around water bars.



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