

# THE OLD DOMINION TRIPLE CROWN AWARD

Consider participating in the ultimate mountain challenge trifecta. The Triple Crown is awarded to the same horse and rider team that completes at least one ride of any distance at each of the 3 rides: No Frills, Old Dominion, and Fort Valley. The purpose of the Triple Crown is to encourage and recognize all levels of effort, growth and achievement from beginner to top competitor, and to emphasize TO FINISH IS TO WIN. The Triple Crown is open to ODEEO MEMBERS ONLY.

What is a TRIPLE CROWN CREDIT? Every horse and rider team that enters and starts all three rides in one year will receive a certificate for \$25 off an entry in one of the following year's OD rides. We understand that sometimes doodoo happens and you don't get to finish, but you should get some recognition for the effort, thus the TRIPLE CROWN CREDIT was born. Each mile you ride counts as a point. For example, if you complete the No Frills 30, the Old Dominion 50, and the Fort Valley 30, you have accumulated 110 points.

All who successfully complete the Triple Crown will receive an Achievement Certificate, along with an award for the total mileage, ranging from halters with inscribed plates, to sheets, director's chairs, lettered jackets, etc. Plan your adventure now! Begin your quest at the next No Frills Ride!

## Rules to Remember:

- The rider must be a current annual member of the ODEEO as of the day of the first ODEEO ride. Membership is not retroactive back to prior rides of the same year.
- The same horse and rider team must compete in all three designated ODEEO rides -- the No Frills, The Old Dominion June ride, and Fort Valley.
- Riders are free to mix and match the distances.

- Each mile ridden counts as a point.
- No entry form or fee is required – you just enter the rides and we’ll keep track.

ODEEO Members who complete all three ODEEO rides will receive:

- a TRIPLE CROWN AWARD - a certificate for \$25 off an entry to one of next year's ODEEO rides.
- a printed and frameable “Achievement Certificate” to show that you really, really did it!
- Public recognition and enthusiastic applause to make you blush at the Awards Ceremony and at the Annual Membership Christmas Party in December.
- Your name, your horse's name, and your lofty accomplishment in miles on the ODEEO website to be recorded for all time.

If you enter and start all three of our rides, but do not finish, you will still receive a TRIPLE CROWN CREDIT just for showing sheer grit and determination!

So... take the challenge, win some great prizes, and prove to yourself that you and your horse ARE a champion!