

# 2023 EDRA Conference Agenda (Subject to Change)

## Friday, March 24

Noon to 5:00 pm	<b>Arrival &amp; Check-In</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Settle your equine in stall (provide your own bedding)</li> <li>Setup your camper or check-in at the hotel</li> <li>Acupuncture appointments by Valerie Pflughoeft, DVM (30-minute sessions available Friday 6pm to 9pm; Saturday noon to 2pm. Contact Valerie for appointment scheduling and fees.</li> <li>Diagonal Therapy Sport Horse Massage by Terry Vincent, Equine Bodyworker. Contact Terry for appointment scheduling and fees.</li> </ul>
1:30 pm to 4:15 pm	<b>Group Lessons with Kristine Hanes and Celena Pentrack</b> Small groups of 2-3 students and their equines will work with each clinician during the weekend. Those attending without horses are welcome to audit all sessions. Lesson session schedule will be posted in the barn.
1:30 pm to 2:45 pm	<b>Group Lesson – Day 1, Session One</b>
3:00 pm to 4:15 pm	<b>Group Lesson – Day 1, Session Two</b>
5:00 pm to 6:00 pm	<b>Ride Management 101</b> Sue Summers and other ride managers will have a panel discussion on the fun and adventures of being an EDRA ride manager. We don't have rides without ride managers – learn how easy and fun this can be!
6:00 pm to 8:00 pm	<b>Reception &amp; Dinner</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conference orientation &amp; agenda review (Marty Graham, EDRA President)</li> <li>Kate Woodard, DVM discusses Lessons Learned: Minimize Risk, Maximize Fun. <i>(Dr. Woodard is an equine veterinarian at Northwest Equine in Black Diamond, WA. Her primary interests are in working horses and equine sports medicine, particularly lameness, chiropractic care, and soft tissue injury rehabilitation. She is an experienced endurance rider and ride veterinarian.)</i></li> <li>Bring your own beverage</li> </ul> <p><i>EDRA Mentor Groups – this is a perfect time to meet and talk. Don't know anyone? New to EDRA? First time to attend a conference? Contact Marty Graham and she'll connect you with a dinner partner you're sure to enjoy!</i></p>
8:00 pm ~	<b>Social Time</b>

## Saturday, March 25

8:00 am to 5:00 pm	<b>Vendors and Practitioners</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cascadia Custom Tack (including American Trail Gear) – Alexis Berryman)</li> <li>Easycare Composite Shoe Demonstration – Jerry Huntsinger, farrier</li> <li>Equine Acupuncture – Valerie Pflughoeft, DVM (<i>by appointment, for fee</i>)</li> <li>Diagonal Therapy Sport Horse Massage – Terry Vincent (<i>by appointment, for fee</i>)</li> <li>Current Pathways Animal Therapy with Acuscope (<i>by appointment, for fee</i>)</li> </ul>
8:00 am to 12:15 pm 1:45 pm to 4:30 pm	<b>Group Lessons with Kristine Hanes and Celena Pentrack</b>
8:00 am to 9:15 am	<b>Group Lesson – Day 2, Session One</b>
9:30 am to 10:45 am	<b>Easycare Composite shoe demonstration with Jerry Huntsinger, farrier</b> Manastash Room in the barn
9:30 am to 10:45 am	<b>Group Lesson – Day 2, Session Two</b>

11:00 am to 12:15 pm	<b>Group Lesson – Day 2, Session Three</b>
12:30 pm to 1:30 pm	<b>USEF in Our Backyard: Zone Championships and Why They’re Awesome</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Carol Giles, EDRA member, veteran endurance rider and USEF Endurance Sport Committee member <i>(Carol has travelled abroad with USEF Endurance teams and has assisted with the USEF Young Rider program. As a member of the USEF Endurance Sport Committee, she will share how to get involved in local USEF Zone championship competitions and beyond.)</i></li> </ul>
1:45 pm to 3:00 pm	<b>Group Lesson – Day 2, Session Four</b>
1:45 pm to 3:00 pm	<b>Easycare Composite shoe demonstration with Jerry Huntsinger, farrier</b> Draft (Horse) Barn
3:15 pm to 4:30 pm	<b>Group Lesson – Day 2, Session Five</b>
4:45 pm to 6:00 pm	<b>Annual General Meeting: All members are encouraged to attend</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2022 Report: Accomplishments (Kathleen Pillo, Past President)</li> <li>2023 Priorities and areas of focus (Marty Graham, President)</li> <li>Input and feedback on 2023 priorities (Membership)</li> </ul> <i>Members – your input is invaluable to the Board of Directors. Please make every effort to attend this session. Come with questions, comments, ideas, and suggestions. We’re only as good as is the involvement of membership. Help guide the future, so we better meet our members’ needs and interests.</i>
6:00 pm to 7:00 pm	<b>Annual Banquet</b> Dinner is served. Fill up your plates and join friends – both new and old. Share observations from your day and prepare to learn more!
7:00 pm to 8:00 pm	<b>Keynote Speaker: Kate Woodard, DVM</b> <i>“Bones and Breath: The Science of Conditioning for Sport” * Note: Dr. Kate is also an ultra-runner so she has additional knowledge to share beyond conditioning HORSES!</i>
8:00 pm to 9:00 pm	<b>2022 Ride Season Awards Presentations</b>
9:00 pm to 11:00pm	<b>Social Time</b>

### Sunday, March 26

8:00 am to 9:15 am	<b>Group Lessons – Day 3, Session One</b>
9:30 am – 10:45 am	<b>Group Lessons – Day 3, Session Two</b>
12:00 pm – 2:00 pm	<b>Tidy up camp, say good-byes – until Don’t Fence Me In on May 6<sup>th</sup>!</b>

*Riders must wear helmets at all times when mounted. Bring manure fork, water buckets, feed and bedding. Carts or wagons will make it easier to haul your horse gear to/from the barn. Before leaving: Pick up any litter around barn/camp site. Stalls do not need to be cleaned on final day...but general litter must be tidied up, otherwise EDRA is subject to a \$550 Damage Deposit Fee. Facility must be vacant by 2:00 pm.*