

### Great Salt Plains NATRC Clinic

North American Trail Ride Conference, commonly known as NATRC, is an organization devoted to the sport of competitive equestrian trail riding. NATRC's focus is not only on the safety of the rider, but the safety of all the horses. NATRC competitions are fun but challenging! As a new NATRC member several years ago, I was very hesitant to ride a NATRC because I didn't know what to expect out of the ride. You do not have to be an expert rider to enjoy a NATRC competition!!! NATRC is all about promoting the joy of riding your horse in a safe manner, while encouraging you to be the best rider you can!

For this reason, NATRC is sanctioning the Great Salt Plains NATRC Clinic on March 24, 2018 at the Great Salt Plains State Park near Jet, OK, and I will be your Clinic Chairman. We have NATRC competitors who have gained National standing that will be our clinicians, so I am confident that every participant will come away with a sense of ease of what to expect in a NATRC competition. Three areas will be covered:

1. Trail pace, obstacles, and judges expectations
2. Expectations for Horsemanship
3. Expectations of the Horse

The clinic will be conducted from 10:00- 4:00; entry fee is \$15 and can be sent to me:

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If you want to pull your rig and spend the night, you will need to contact:

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I hope you will join us for what will be a very informative, fun day with your horse!

See you on the trails!