Cross Country Jumping Trip

Tuesday June 26th -Thursday June 28th

Elk Haven in Cle Elum is an amazing facility with cross country jumps, trails, and tons of acres to explore with the horses. Cross country is a really exciting way to give your horse confidence and exposure to a wide variety of fences - plus its a blast to go camping with your horse!

During the trip, each horse will be the sole responsibility of its rider. This means all stall cleaning, watering, feeding, and care will be organized by the rider. I will provide each rider with a packing list to make sure everything is included and where it needs to be.

On Tuesday we will leave the Seattle area a little after noon and set camp then take the horses for a trail ride and give them exposure to the water jump. Wednesday we will do an arena school and XC jump session in the morning or early afternoon and a trail ride in the evening, and on Thursday we will arena school and XC jump again before packing up and heading home around lunchtime.

For the arena schooling and XC jumping, we will split into two groups: a group of riders and horses that are brand new to jumping cross country and a second group that will do more challenging questions. These groups will ride at different times so we can all watch and cheer each other on.

Total cost for this trip is $350 if you are using my horse and $300 on your own horse. That includes facility fees that I pay directly to Elk Haven as well as hauling and supervision/lesson fees.

For this trip, I am asking that each rider pack breakfast and lunch food for themselves and we will split into dinner groups so each rider is responsible for only one dinner. There are no hookups for camping, so we will be staying in tents or campers. Kids are welcome and encouraged to share tents. We will have a propane stove and coolers for cooking. Additionally, if you want to come and camp and enjoy the trip without riding, you are welcome!