



**Special Needs:** If you have a disability, medical condition or restrictive diet requirements, please indicate them with your registration. We will attempt to accommodate your needs.

**Cancellation Policy** 

The deadline to cancel is April 26th. If you cancel on or before this date you will receive a full refund. After that date, a \$5 processing fee will be deducted from your refund. Registrants who do not attend and do not cancel by April 26th will be assessed the full fee.

#### **Ouestions?**

Contact Liz Lodman at 406-444-9940 or Andy Breland at 406-261-1109 Persons successfully registered for the class will receive a map with driving directions, and other details in their confirmation letter.



## Basic Horse Packing



### May 4, 2013 Flathead Valley

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### Registration Fee: \$35.00

Beyond BOW workshops provide opportunities to learn outdoors skills. Workshops are designed especially for women and are an extension of the Becoming an Outdoors-Woman program sponsored by Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks

Tired of carrying your camping gear on your back? Packing into the backcountry on your horse is a fun and rewarding experience. Learn how to do it the right way with members of the Backcountry Horsemen of the Flathead.

The instructors will provide a hands-on introduction to the skills needed for packing in on horses and mules. Topics will include defensive horse handling, packing and minimum impact horse use. Learn how to pack using a decker, sawbuck and riding saddles.

A wide variety of packing equipment and how to use it will be discussed at the workshop. Come learn what will work best for you and what your goals are for packing your stock.

Gain awareness of leave no trace camping to minimize the effect of traveling and use of stock in the backcountry. U. S. Forest Service techniques and requirements will be covered.

Lunch is provided and will be cooked using Dutch ovens.

#### Requirements to Participate

- \* This class is for beginners. Women with little or know previous experience in horse packing are encouraged to apply.
- You do not need to have attended a "Becoming an Outdoors-Woman" workshop to participate in this program, but you must be at least 18 years of age.
- You will need to wear shoes and clothing appropriate for working around horses.
- Lunch will be provided.
- \* Please do not bring your horse or mule. Stock animals and simulated packing scenarios will be provided to give you hands-on practice.



Make checks payable to: FWP Send checks and registration form to: FWP-BOW, PO Box 200701, Helena MT 59620



# Registration

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	I attest that I am at least 18 years old. I acknowledge that my participation the Beyond BOW clinic sponsored by Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks, Back Country Horsemen and Trailhead Supply involves some risk of personal injury. The risk of personal injury may come from poor weather, accidents, natural disasters or other

hazards created by my own actions or the actions of others, over which the sponsers have no control. By signing below, I accept responsibility for all personal injuries that may result from my participation, and I agree to hold the State of Montana; Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks; Back Country Horsemen harmless from and against any claim. I also understand that photos/video may be taken for promotion of the program.

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