

# Pembina Valley Bible Camp

## 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Ride-A-Thon



Join us for the 27th Annual Ride-A-Thon at Pembina Valley Bible Camp on September 12-13, 2026! This exciting event features a trail ride (Saturday) and gymkhana (Sunday), open to riders of all ages. Participants will raise funds for our horse program, with prizes awarded through a tiered fundraising system. Our goal is to raise \$30,000 to go to general horse items and upgrading parts of the horsemanship area; this includes saddles, new horses, hay, medications, regular farrier work etc.

**When:** Saturday and Sunday, September 12 – 13, 2026. Check in for the trail ride will be open from 8:30-9:30am on Saturday, September 12, 2026. Check in for the gymkhana will be open from 1:30-2:00pm Sunday.

If you are unable to attend the whole weekend, coming for just one day is always an option!

**Where:** Pembina Valley Bible Camp

**Who:** Riders of all ages welcome. Riders 12 and under must be accompanied by a participating adult. Note that this is not a beginner trail ride. Experience is required for both horse and rider. All participants for the trail ride must register by September 9, 2026 (see registration details below).

### Saturday Prizes:

The top 2 fundraisers will get first pick of the Level 1 prizes. Then the person who asked the most donors will pick the prize next. If the person who asked the most people already received a prize, the 3<sup>rd</sup> prize goes to the 3<sup>rd</sup> highest fundraiser. After the 3 prizes have been chosen the rest of the prize winners will be drawn.

Prizes will be distributed through a tiered fundraising system:

**Level 1** – Raise the \$300.00 minimum and your name will get put in to win a prize!

**Level 2** – Raise \$750.00 and you will get a ticket to put into a silent auction. Every \$100.00 after the initial \$750.00 will gain you another ticket. Each person can win up to two prizes!

Silent Auction prizes will be drawn on Sunday!

**Level 3** – Raise \$1500.00 and you will get a ticket into the Grand Prize draw! Every \$100.00 after the initial \$1500.00 will gain you another ticket (ie. \$1900 = 5 tickets)

### Sunday Prizes:

There will be prizes on Saturday and Sunday that you can enter you level 2 tickets into or on Sunday for every \$100.00 raised after \$750.00 you will get a ticket to enter the draw (ie. \$950 = 3 tickets) more tickets can be gained throughout the competitions of the day:

**1<sup>st</sup> Place** – Gets 5 tickets to enter into the draw!

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** – Gets 3 tickets to enter into the draw!

**3<sup>rd</sup> Place** – Gets 1 ticket to enter into the draw!

*\*Note: Each person can win up to two prizes!*

### When fundraising:

- Each person must raise a minimum of \$300 to register and \$400 if you are planning to ride a camp horse for the trail ride on Saturday. If you raise money for Saturday, you do not need to raise money for Sunday
- Each person attending for just the Gymkhana, must raise a minimum of \$100
- All donations \$10.00 and over will be receipted
- Neatly print all information for every donor
- Collect all your pledges and bring the money raised when you check in for the event
- Accommodations are first come, first serve

## Horse Use:

### Camp Horses:

Camp horses can be reserved in advance through your online registration form. All camp horses will be placed in a trail order by the Head Wrangler and are to remain in that order during the trail ride. Camp horses will not be available on Sunday for the gymkhana events.

All riders must be confident on horseback. PVBC staff will supervise all camp horse activities throughout the day. Riders 12 and under require adult supervision that are not PVBC staff.

**IMPORTANT:** This trail ride is not a good place to learn how to ride a horse for the first time or for an inexperienced horse.

### Bringing Your Own Horse:

Please bring your own feed and water bucket for your horses. PVBC has a limited amount of penning available for use. Please indicate on your registration form how many horses you are bringing, for which days, and if you require penning.

To make the ride enjoyable for everyone, the trail ride will be at an easy walking pace to help accommodate a wide spectrum of riding ability.

PVBC does not take responsibility for any riders. All riders must sign a waiver and riders 12 and under are required to have adult supervision with them – this does not include PVBC staff (even if they are riding a camp horse).

## Registration:

All participants must register by September 9, 2026. This confirms necessary accommodations, use of camp horses (if necessary) and dietary requirements.

Register online at <https://form.jotform.com/260564751234254> or visit [www.pembinavalleybiblecamp.com](http://www.pembinavalleybiblecamp.com).

**All riders participating must sign a waiver form prior to the ride. If the rider is under the age of 18 a parent or guardian must sign for them.** Waivers will be emailed to you once your online registration form has been processed.

Sincerely,

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