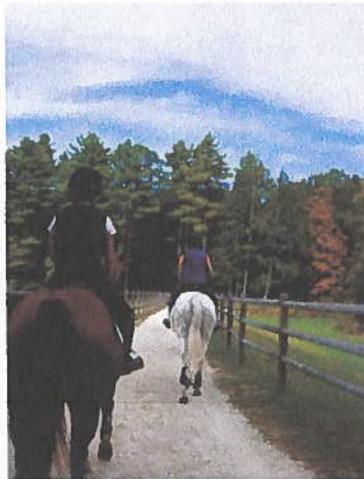


Step 1: Knowing your landmarks

Cross country requires the greatest number of committee members, which can be a blessing and a curse. It is important as a committee head to know where to send the worker bees out for raking, staking, roping, and painting. Without previously determining the landmarks, most of your volunteers will burn away their hours by searching for the work site that was assigned to them. Listed below are landmarks that will help guide you and your committee members to work sites during the weeks leading up to the event.

Landmark 1: The Bridge



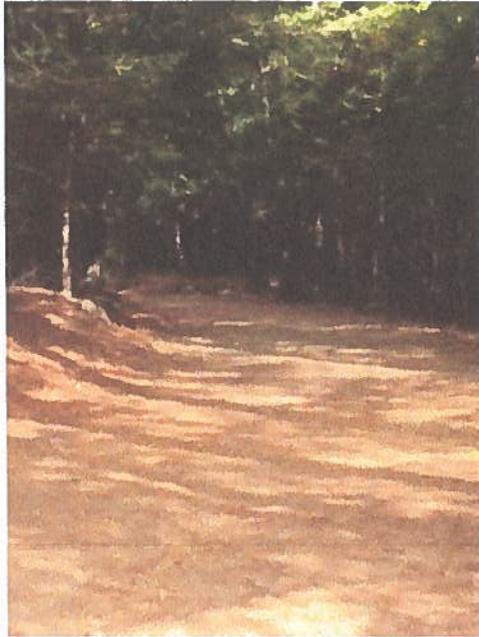
The best way to describe this would be to have them go towards the back of farm service, and then have them follow the trail in between the trees and they will not miss it! (**this will need to be raked**)

Landmark 2: Emergency trail



The emergency trail can be found directly after the bridge where you will turn left up the trail (**this will need to be raked**)

Landmark 3: Gables trail to Fort Briggs



Once you have crossed the bridge behind farm services, the best way to access this trail is to turn right after the bridge(**this is an area that will need to be raked**)

Landmark 4: Old Shed



Turn left after the bridge behind farm services and then take a right off of the emergency trail where you will see an old shed (**this will need to be raked**)

Landmark 5: The “In between” field



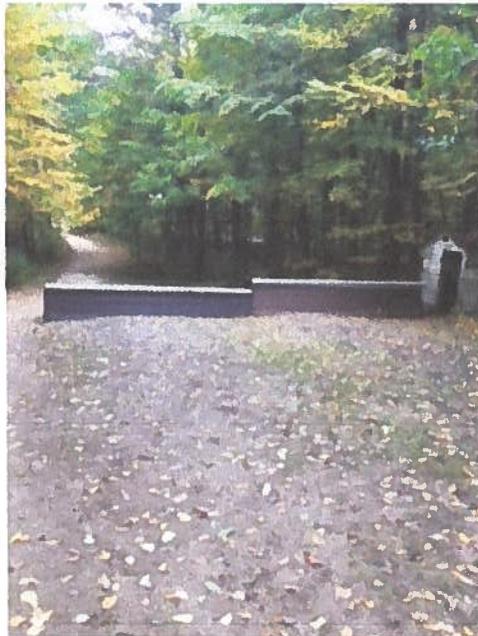
After the bridge behind farm services take the emergency trail to the left and then follow the trail until you reach a grass field which is the in between field (this does not need to be raked but pick up any debris and rake the take off and landing of jumps)

Landmark 6: The Water Complex



Once you have reached the 'in between field' follow the dirt path to the left and you will see the water complex (**rake the dirt path, and drop slides, painting will needed here too**)

Landmark 7: Saw Mill Road



Once you have reached the water complex described above you will see a path leading away from the water which is to the right. This trail can lead you to hort farm (**rake this area thoroughly with a metal rake first to dig up the rocks and then rake with a regular rake to clean it up, this will require more time than the other trails so i suggest tackling this earlier**)

Landmark 8: The “pass through” to Fort Briggs (Marsh trail)



The marsh trail can be found to the left of the in between field in the corner opposite of the direction of the water complex. (** this will need to be raked and overgrown trees will need to be cut back**)

Landmark 9: Fort Briggs



Fort Briggs can be accessed in a few ways which are the Gables trail, the marsh trail or the hidden trail with bank. Fort Briggs is what is behind the Gables (** painting, staking, and roping will be needed with some debris clean up**)

Landmark 10: Hidden Trail with Bank



This trail can be accessed by the in between field in the far right corner shown in the picture to the left (** if used it will require raking**)

Landmark 11: Behind Farm Services



This is located behind farm farm services to the left before you go over the bridge
(**This will require raking**)

Landmark 12: Hort farm start box sites



This is hort farm at the entrance from the road leading from dressage the picture on the left is where a start box will need to be constructed with methods described below. The image to the right is a permanent start box. One warm up fence can be placed near this start box.

Landmark 13: The observatory



The observatory can be found across from the dressage rings. There is another start/finish box located here. Make sure to check for debris in the area such as branches or any rocks.