

Grand Mesa Cedaredge Challenge

Colorado Mountain Mushers Sled Dog Races

Sponsored by the Cedaredge Chamber of Commerce, LokiOuter Wear, Wiggys Outdoor Gear, Bank of Colorado, ProPac Dog Food, SunSet Print Works and Valley Vision Center

March 1 & 2, 2008

8:00 AM Drivers Meeting 9:00 AM Race Start

- LOCATION:** Between I-70 and Cedaredge on Highway 65. Approx 35 miles from I-70 exit 49, approx 15 miles from Cedaredge at Lands End Rd. Look for CMM signs at entrance to race site, forest service parking lot). About 4 hours 45 mins from Denver, about 1 hour from Grand Junction, about 20 minutes from Cedaredge.
- AWARDS:** TBD
- LODGING:** Cedaredge Lodging contact www.cedaredgecolorado.com, or Cedaredge Howard Johnson Express, 888-855-2700 (20 mins), or Grand Mesa Lodge cabins, 970-856-3250 (5 mins away), or Mesa Lakes Lodge, 970-268-5467 (10 mins away).
- Dog-friendly:** Tri-R Motel 970-856-3222, Spruce Lodge 970-856-6240, Cedaredge Lodge 970-856-3727 (all 20 mins)
- RULES:** Snow hooks and dog bags required in all sled classes. Bibs or armbands **MUST** be worn. CMM racing rules will be followed (available on the website). Whips are **NOT** allowed.
- CONTACT:** Call Steve Bethka (970)256-9056, or check <http://www.colomtnmushers.org> for additional information.
- ENTRY:** One entry per person. Check all that apply. Check **PB** for purebred teams**.

ENTRY	PB**	CLASS	MILES/Day	COST	NOTES
		Sportsman *	4	\$10	Not Eligible for other classes.
		1-Dog Skijør	4	\$25	
		2-Dog Skijør	6	\$25	Must use neckline for 2-dog.
		4 Dog	4	\$30	Separate PB** class dependent on # of entries
		6 Dog	6	\$30	Separate PB** class dependent on # of entries
		8 Dog	8	\$30	Separate PB** class dependent on # of entries
		6-Mid	12	\$30	
		10-Mid	12	\$30	
		NON-CMM Member		\$10	Membership info on club website www.colomtnmushers.org
		LATE FEE \$15 per entry		\$15	Will be charged for entries postmarked after February 23, 2008
		TOTAL			

* Sportsman class registration is required for racers under 13 years of age, and available for racers of any age. This class is for new mushers and puppy teams to run dogs on a controlled trail environment with trail assistance if needed. 3-Dog Max under age 13; 4-Dog Max ages 14 and up. There will be no cash prizes for sportsman class.

** Proof of purebred status (as defined in the CMM bylaws) may be required at the request of the Race Marshall.

Send entry and make payment to: **Colorado Mountain Mushers, PO Box 476, Conifer, CO 80433**. Entries must be received or postmarked no later than February 23, 2008 to avoid late fees.

AGREEMENT: I HAVE READ AND AGREE TO ABIDE by the rules governing this race. I further acknowledge that the Race Marshall has the final decision and agree to abide by his/her decisions. I agree not to hold Colorado Mountain Mushers or its officers, the Race Giving Organization or its agents, sponsors, or property owners liable for any injury or accident, which may occur during this event. I further agree that in event of a cancellation, Colorado Mountain Mushers, its officers, the Race Giving Organization or its agents, sponsors, or property owners will not be responsible for any expenses incurred as a result of the cancellation other than the refund of the entry fees. I further attest that my dogs are in good health, have received all vaccinations required by state law, and are physically prepared for this event. I will be solely responsible for the conduct and safety of my dogs and handlers. '

Team Name / Racer's Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Signature (REQUIRED) _____

(Parent's signature required if driver is under 18 years of age)