

# Grand Mesa Race (GMR)

## Colorado Mountain Musher's Sled Dog Races

### Sponsored by the Cedaredge Chamber of Commerce

## December 9&10, 2006

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](http://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. 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	NOTE
		Sportsman *	4	\$10	Not Eligible for other classes.
		Skijør (2 dog limit)	4	\$25	Specify 1-dog or 2-dog. 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 <a href="http://www.colomtnmushers.org">www.colomtnmushers.org</a>
		LATE FEE \$10 per entry		\$10	Will be charged for entries postmarked after <b>December 2, 2006</b>
		<b>TOTAL</b>			

\* Sportsman class registration is required for racers under 13 years of age, and available for first-time racers of any age. This class is for new mushers 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 Musher's**, PO Box 476, Conifer, CO 80433. Entries must be received or postmarked no later than December 1, 2005 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 Musher's 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 Musher's, 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.'

Musher's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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