



Race Nº 1 Fort Tuthill County Park 2446 Fort Tuthill Loop Flagstaff, AZ 86005-8846 Sunday, Sept. 11



Course Description

This course is a 5.8 mile loop with roughly 344 feet of climbing per lap. Nestled in cool Ponderosa pine forest three miles south of Flagstaff, the route loops around the perimeter of Fort Tuthill County Park, and consists of rolling trail with a few challenging hills. Running counter clockwise, the course starts and finishes in the north parking lot. Start north on Regiment Road and continue approximately 0.35 miles before making a sharp right then immediate left on Urban Trail. Take Urban Trail 0.1 miles to Soldier's Trail. Turn left and follow Soldier's Trail for 5.0 miles. Turn left onto Urban Trail and the finish arch will be approximately 0.4 miles ahead. Race venue and course map is available at https://goo.gl/gR22mm.

Pre-Ride

The course will be open for pre-ride Saturday afternoon (12:00-4:00 p.m.) and Sunday morning (7:00-8:30 a.m.). We recommend all riders pre-ride the course, and bring a map, plenty of water, cell phone and not ride alone. Please pass course workers with great care.

Race Day Support

Mechanics from Trek Bicycle Store of West Phoenix will be on hand Sunday to provide last minute adjustments and repairs for our racers in the neutral support area.

Volunteer at Our Events

Volunteers make our events possible. If you'd like to volunteer for this event, or any of our other races, please visit the Arizona league website at arizonamtb.org and go to the Volunteer section for a listing of volunteer positions.



DIRECTIONS

Fort Tuthill County Park is located 3 miles south of Flagstaff at 2446 Fort Tuthill Loop, Flagstaff, AZ 86005-8846 (928-679-8000). From central Phoenix, take I-17 north to exit 337. The entrance to Fort Tuthill County Park is on the west side of the freeway. The race venue is in the north parking lot, north of the fairgrounds.

PARKING

Free parking will be available in the fairgrounds parking lot. NO PARKING ALLOWED IN THE PIT ZONE.

FOOD & BEVERAGE SERVICE

Concessions will be available onsite from Singlespeed Coffee Roasters.

2016 Racing Fees

	High School	Middle School	Late Fee at Race
League Registration Fee (annual)	\$50	\$40	\$10*
Race Fee (per race)	\$40	\$30	\$10*

^{*} Late fee goes into effect at midnight the Sunday a week before the race.

Race Categories & Wave Start Times

Category (Race Numbers)	Start Time	Laps	Approx. Distance
WAVE 1			
Varsity Girls (1-99)	9:00 a.m.	3	17.7 Miles
JV Girls (1000-1999)	9:05 a.m.	3	17.7 Miles
Sophomore Girls (4000-4999)	9:10 a.m.	2	11.8 Miles
Freshman Girls (7000-7999)	9:15 a.m.	2	11.8 Miles
WAVE 2			
Sophomore Boys – Division 1 (5000-5999)	10:45 a.m.	2	11.8 Miles
Sophomore Boys – Division 2 (6000-6999)	10:50 a.m.	2	11.8 Miles
Freshman Boys – Division 1 (8000-8999)	10:55 a.m.	2	11.8 Miles
Freshman Boys – Division 2 (9000-9999)	11:00 a.m.	2	11.8 Miles
WAVE 3			
Varsity Boys (100-199)	12:30 p.m.	4	23.6 Miles
JV Boys - Division 1 (2000-2999)	12:35 p.m.	3	17.7 Miles
JV Boys – Division 2 (3000-3999)	12:40 p.m.	3	17.7 Miles

Note: Independent riders will compete in D2 in split fields (Freshman, Sophomore and Junior Varsity Boys).

Chip Timing

All racers will receive a permanent number plate with chip timing transponder on the backside. Racers will use this plate for all five races so please remove this number plate before mounting the bike on a roof rack to prevent loss. Replacement number plates will be available at the registration tent for \$10.

Registration Information

Make your race day more enjoyable and avoid long lines and late fees by registering in advance online! Double-check that you are registered and *Race Ready* in the <u>Pit Zone</u> before online registration closes. All riders need to be invited to register in the Pit Zone. Contact your team director to be invited; independent riders contact League Director <u>Mike Perry</u>. For questions regarding the Pit Zone, contact registration services at registration@arizonamtb.org.

Online registration closes at midnight on Sunday, September 4. Onsite registration will be open on Saturday 12:00-4:00 p.m. and on Sunday 7:00-11:30 a.m. All racers must register at least one hour prior to their start time. Please note: onsite

In order to race, you must meet *Race Ready* status.

RACE READY CHECKLIST:

- ✓ Pit Zone profile completed
- Waivers electronically signed in the Pit Zone
- League and race registration fees paid

registration will result in a late fee of \$10 for league registration and \$10 for race registration.

Petitions For Category Placement

Those petitioning for exceptions to the category placement must do so by Wednesday, August 31, at 5:00 p.m. Petitions must be emailed to League Director Mike Perry (mike@arizonamtb.org). Race day petitions will not be accepted.

Lodging

Camping is available on site in the Fort Tuthill County Park Campground. Tall pine trees create a rustic "camping in the woods" experience. Camping areas include RV and tent sites with picnic tables, fire rings, nearby portable toilets and water spigots. Sorry, electricity and shower facilities are not available.

RV sites with utilities are \$25 per night. Regular campsites are \$20 and hold up to 8 people, two tents. The campsite includes one vehicle; if there are two vehicles, the second vehicle is an additional \$5. Each site has a picnic table and fire ring. Group sites are \$85 per night and accommodate approximately 40 people.

Here is a link to the campground's Facebook page: <u>facebook.com/campforttuthill</u>. Reservations for the campground can be made at <u>campforttuthill.com</u>. For questions, cancelations, and changes, please call 928-286-7060.

Camping is not permitted in any area other than in the campground.

Other Important Notes

- ✓ No gasoline generators and no open fires inside the team pit area.
- ✓ Keep dogs on leashes at all times.
- ✓ Please pack out what you pack in; no garbage receptacles will be provided.
- ✓ The Bike Park at Fort Tuthill County Park is a state-of-art, fully-featured mountain bike skills park. It offers flow trails (beginner, intermediate and advanced), a tot track and a return trail available for riders. Park hours are dawn to dusk, and is free.
- Review our weather and refunds policy at https://goo.gl/2bDV9Y.
- We hope you will stay after the race for the award ceremony!

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REGISTRATION QUESTIONS

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