2014 SERIES Race 1 • Sunday, September 14 Pioneer Park Prescott, AZ



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COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course has it all, single track, double track, hills, elevation and even a couple of tunnels. The 5.45 mile loop runs clockwise with 465 feet of climbing per lap. The course starts and finishes in the open area on west side of Commerce Dr, across from the main parking lot at Pioneer Park. The first 2.3 miles follow the Brownlow Trail System, before passing under Pioneer Pkwy (tunnel #1) and connecting into the Legacy Trail. After roughly 2.5 miles, the trail again crosses under Pioneer Pkwy (tunnel #2), returning to Brownlow for the final 0.7 miles. Google map of race venue and course is available at

https://maps.google.com/maps/ms?msid=212100765523819636564.0004ff621ee8f1786a6ec&msa=0.

Pre-Ride

The course will be open for pre-ride Saturday afternoon (12-4 p.m.) and Sunday morning (6:30-7:30 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.*

DIRECTIONS

Pioneer Park is located at 1200 Commerce Dr, Prescott, AZ 86305 (928-777-1121). From central Phoenix, take I-17 north to AZ-69 in Cordes Lakes. Head northwest on AZ-69 N about 20 miles. Turn right onto Fain Rd, Fain will turn into AZ-89A S, which then turns into Pioneer Parkway. You'll drive just about 15 miles. Turn left onto Commerce Dr and drive down the hill approximately 0.7 miles to Pioneer Park. The venue will be on the right at the stop sign.

PARKING

Free parking will be available in the paved parking lot on the east side of Commerce Dr. NO PARKING ALLOWED IN THE PIT ZONE.

ACCOMODATIONOS

Hotel: Prescott has a variety of lodging optoins (<u>http://www.prescott.org/lodging.html</u>).

Camping: Camping is available on site, though adjacent to a sports complex rather than a traditional camping area with established sites. Campsites will be first come, first served and might be snug (a new multi-use athletic field – Kuebler Field – now occupies space formerly used during races so cooperation amongst everyone will be key). Campers, trailers and motor homes are encouraged to use the paved parking area on the east side of Commerce Dr, leaving the limited dirt space for tent campers. There are no RV hookups. There is some water available on site, but it's best to come prepared.

FOOD & BEVERAGE SERVICE

Concessions will be available on site from Singlespeed Coffee Roasters.

NEUTRAL 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 SRAM Neutral Support Zone.

VOLUNTEER

Volunteers make our events possible. If you'd like to volunteer for this event, or any of our other races, please contact Volunteer Coordinator Ardell Deliz (ardell.deliz@gmail.com) or visit our website (http://www.arizonamtb.org/volunteer/).

OTHER IMPORTATN NOTES

- □ No gasoline generators and no open fires.
- □ Keep dogs on leashes at all times.
- Please pack out what you pack in; no garbage receptacles will be provided.

2014 RACING FEES

| | Cost | Late Fee at Race | Total Day of Race |
|-------------------------|------|------------------|-------------------|
| League Registration Fee | \$50 | \$10* | \$60 |
| Race Fee (per race) | \$35 | \$10* | \$45 |

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

RACE CATEGORIES & WAVE START ORDER / TIMES

| Category (Number Plates) | Start Time | Laps | Approx. Distance |
|------------------------------------|------------|------|------------------|
| GIRLS | | | |
| Wave 1 - Varsity Girls (001-049) | 8:00 a.m. | 3 | 16.4 Miles |
| Wave 2 - JV Girls (100-199) | 8:05 a.m. | 3 | 16.4 Miles |
| Wave 3 - Sophomore Girls (400-499) | 8:10 a.m. | 2 | 11.1 Miles |
| Wave 4 - Freshman Girls (700-799) | 8:15 a.m. | 2 | 11.1 Miles |
| BOYS | | | |
| Wave 1 - Varsity Boys (050-099) | 10:00 a.m. | 4 | 21.8 Miles |
| Wave 2 - JV Boys (200-299) | 10:05 a.m. | 3 | 16.4 Miles |
| Wave 3 - Sophomore Boys (500-599) | 10:10 a.m. | 2 | 11.1 Miles |
| Wave 4 - Freshman Boys (800-899) | 10:15 a.m. | 2 | 11.1 Miles |

Note: final lap count decision per category will be finalized and confirmed at the start of each race. We hope you will stay after the race for the award ceremony.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

We recommend avoiding long lines and late fees by taking advantage of early registration via the Pit Zone. Online registration closes at midnight on Sunday, September 7. Riders registering "day of" at the race venue must register at least one hour before the race starts. On site race registration will be open 12-4 p.m. Saturday during pre-ride and 6:30-10 a.m. Sunday. Questions about race registration should be directed to Registration Manager Javier Ochoa (javier@arizonamtb.org).

In order to race, you need to meet Race Ready status. Race Ready Checklist:

- □ Pit Zone information entered
- □ League Fee and Race Fee paid
- □ Release forms mailed or faxed in (once per season)

ON SITE REGISTRATIN & LEAGUE FEE PAYMENT

On site registration will result in a late fee of \$10 for League Registration and \$10 for Race Registration. All racers must register at least one hour prior to their start time. *To make race day more enjoyable, register in advance online!*

All riders need to be invited to register in the Pit Zone online. Contact your Team Director to be invited. Independent riders contact Registration Manager Javier Ochoa (javier@arizonamtb.org).

PETITIONS FOR CATEGORY PLACEMENT

Those petitioning for exceptions to the category placement must do so by Wednesday, September 3, at 5 p.m. Petitions must be emailed to League Director Mike Perry (mike@arizonamtb.org). RACE DAY PETITIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

MISSING FORMS

Waivers are available online in the Pit Zone. If you have not mailed in your registration forms by race day, riders and their parents will need to fill out paper waivers at the registration tent. If you are unsure if you've submitted the forms, please check the Pit Zone. Contact Registration Services (<u>registration@nationalmtb.org</u>) with questions or problems.

Still need to submit your signed participation waiver?

- □ Fax registration to: 510-779-5597
 - or
- E-mail a PDF scan to: registration@nationalmtb.org