

2015 SERIES

Race 5 ♦ Sunday, November 8 White Tank Mountain Regional Park Waddell, AZ



10115 E Bell Rd, Ste 107 #210, Scottsdale, AZ 85260
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COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course is a 5.2 mile loop with roughly 325 feet of climbing per lap. This is a fast rolling course with several large wash crossings and multiple small "g-out" drainage crossings. The course starts and finishes in the Competitive Track parking area. Start out heading northwest out of the parking lot on a singletrack trail. Follow this trail until it intersects a small doubletrack and heads west. Continue west and then north (approximately 1 mile) on this doubletrack until it passes through a large wash (caution, lots of sand). Proceed through the wash and continue north through the fourway intersection. Continue north for 0.5 miles. Continue straight past the tech trail junction to stay on the doubletrack for another 0.35 miles. Take a left at the "Y" split and continue for 0.1 miles. Stay to the left at the next "Y" split and continue for 0.5 miles. Turn right (don't go up the switchbacks) and continue 0.75 miles. Continue straight through a threeway intersection and follow this for 0.6 miles. Veer left through this "Y" intersection and proceed through the large wash (caution, lots of sand and rocks). Follow this winding doubletrack for 0.83 miles back into the parking area. Google map of race venue and course is available at <https://goo.gl/PQInIU>.

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

White Tank Mountain Regional Park is located at 20304 W White Tank Mountain Rd, Waddell, AZ 85355 (623-935-2505). From central Phoenix, take I-10 west 18 miles to Loop 303. North on Loop 303 to Olive Ave. West 4 miles on Olive Ave to the White Tank Mountain Regional Park entrance. Once inside the park, stay on White Tank Mountain Road until it dead ends into the Competitive Track parking area.

Please be aware of road construction and road closures that may cause visitors to the park to take detours. The Arizona Department of Transportation will be improving the Loop 303 corridor to create a six-lane freeway with three general-purpose lanes in each direction between I-17 in Phoenix and I-10 in Goodyear. The Loop 303 improvement project consists of several phases of construction, beginning and ending at different times during the next several years. You can find more information on ADOT's Area Projects webpage (<http://goo.gl/xgB7di>).

PARKING

Parking will be available in the Competitive Track parking area. **NO PARKING ALLOWED IN THE PIT ZONE.**

ACCOMMODATIONS

Camping is available on site and reservations are recommended. Camping in the parking area is \$10 per night and is considered primitive camping, i.e., no power, no running water. The fee for developed campsites is \$30 per night and includes electrical/water hookups, dump station, restrooms, picnic tables and grills. One RV or two tents per spot; the park

won't count heads. Extra cars are \$6 each. The \$6 park entry fee is waived for campers (first car). Visit Maricopa County Parks' website (www.maricopacountyparks.org) to make your reservation.

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 (www.arizonamtb.org/volunteer/).

OTHER IMPORTANT NOTES

- Park entry fee \$6 per vehicle; exact change is appreciated.
- 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.

2015 RACING FEES

	<i>Cost</i>	<i>Late Fee at Race</i>	<i>Total Day of Race</i>
NICA Registration Fee	\$10	-	\$10
League Registration Fee	\$40	\$10*	\$50
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

<i>Category (Number Plates)</i>	<i>Start Time</i>	<i>Laps</i>	<i>Approx. Distance</i>
GIRLS			
Wave 1 - Varsity Girls (1-49)	8:00 a.m.	4	20.8 miles
Wave 2 - JV Girls (100-199)	8:05 a.m.	3	15.6 Miles
Wave 3 - Sophomore Girls (400-499)	8:10 a.m.	2	10.4 Miles
Wave 4 - Freshman Girls (700-799)	8:15 a.m.	2	10.4 Miles
BOYS			
Wave 1 - Varsity Boys (50-99)	10:00 a.m.	4	20.8 miles
Wave 2 - JV Boys (200-299)	10:05 a.m.	3	15.6 Miles
Wave 3 - Sophomore Boys (500-599)	10:10 a.m.	3	15.6 Miles
Wave 4 - Freshman Boys (800-899)	10:15 a.m.	2	10.4 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 Wednesday, November 4. 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 Roxanne Worrell (roxanne@arizonamtb.org).

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

- Pit Zone information entered
- Release forms completed and received by NICA (once per season)
- NICA, League and Race registration fees paid

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 League Director Mike Perry (mike@arizonamtb.org).

MISSING FORMS

Waivers are available online in the Pit Zone. If you have not completed 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 (registration@nationalmtb.org) with questions or problems.