



2018 ROUND 3 ~ June 16 & 17

HOOT OWL RIDGE ~ Hughesville, MO

Presented by: WARRENSBURG CYCLE

This weekend is Rothganger's race - last year was the first ever race on this sweet piece of property. We are flipping the direction of last year's trail and adding in three section of brand new stuff (so new it only has one tire track on it).

Some portions of the course are nearly rock-free with lots of line choices. The new stuff is more typical Missouri, meaning it has some rock in it and lots of it is cut through cedar groves. If you have ever cut trail in cedars (and done it properly) you know how much we enjoyed cutting our way through them in 95 degrees!

The trail will be somewhat different from Saturday to Sunday, so there will be some fresh stuff for day 2.

The 50 course is completely separate from the big track, although we may use the same start area for everyone. The 50 track is a little longer this year, but still probably one of our easier kids' courses - green ribbon on this track.

65/85/Ladies share some big bike track and have some of their own stuff too - fun course with a little bit of everything.

There is some grass track this time and it is all mowed. The mowed stuff is the track – no 25 foot allowance in there. Where it isn't mowed, the grass is 3 feet deep and you can't see what is laying in there, so don't go out there. We mowed it for a reason.

It's going to be hot. Drink plenty of water – stay in the shade – pay attention to your body – and to your fellow riders. Highly recommend using a hydration system of some sort.

Last weekend, the dirt was in good shape – some places were a little dry. It rained at the track Tuesday morning – around an inch – so the woods should be really good by the weekend.

The Rothganger family is doing concessions – please support them!

Due to the expected heat, we are changing up Sunday's schedule...

Sunday

7:30 AM – 12:00 NOON	Signup
7:45 AM	Rider's Meeting
8:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Open practice
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Short course race (now 60 mins)
11:30 PM - 12:00 PM	Long Course practice
12:30 PM – 2:00 PM	Long Course race (now 90 mins)

**Awards ceremony follows Long Course race

Sign up before you practice – come to the riders' meeting – respect the property – no riding after dark.

For first-timers to MORE, please take a minute to read through our Rules, and look over our Classes/Numbering lists. Every series does things a little differently than others, so it's important that prior to race day that you are informed. One thing to note is that riders are required to display the appropriate number and background color on all three number plates during our events. If you don't have the correct setup, generics are available at signup for \$3/set of three.

Please make sure that your pets are on a leash at ALL times and remain at your vehicle.

Directions: From Sedalia, take US 65 North for 10 miles. At Kemp Rd, go East for 2.3 miles. Turn right onto Sinkhole Rd and go 0.6 miles. Race entrance is on the left.

Looking forward to seeing everyone THIS weekend for MORE fun!!

