

2008 MICHIGAN MTB TIME TRIAL RACE SERIES INFO.

"13th ANNUAL" MICHIGAN MTB TT SERIES:

April 13 Pontiac Lake (USAC-MTB Race) Waterford, MI
 May 18 Owaspippe (Just North of Muskegon) Whitehall, MI
 June 22 T.K. Lawless Vandalia, MI
 July 27** Stony Creek Park (MMBA-CPS #5) Shelby Twp., MI
August 17 Ft. Custer Rec Area Augusta, MI

** STONY CREEK TT IS A 2008 MMBA CHAMPIONSHIP POINT SERIES EVENT

The "13th Annual" Michigan Mountain Bike Time Trial Race Series consists of 5 races. (Contact Tailwind for a copy of the TT Series Categories, Point System, and Rules.) Everyone who rides a race in the TT Series will have their points tabulated. You must ride in 3 or more TT Series races to be eligible for an **Overall TT Series Award**, and we total the points of your 4 highest point finishes for overall standings.

NOTE: The Pontiac Lake TT will be held under USAC rules as it is also Race #1 in the Tailwind USAC MTB State Championship XC Series. Elite & Expert racers in the PLRA-TT require Annual USAC MTB License.

For information on other TAILWIND events including the **2008 MICHIGAN USAC STATE CHAMPIONSHIP XC SERIES**
 Tailwind : 248/634-6178 E-mail: tailwind@tir.com Web: www.tailwind.net

Overall Series Age Group Champions in the USAC Championship XC Series win a FREE ENTRY to the 2008 ICEMAN!!!

!!! START TIMES !!! (Eastern Time Zone, DST)

STARTING FORMAT FOR 2008 - Category Start Time Blocks

Elite Racers 10:01-10:14
 Expert Racers 10:15-10:39
 Sport Racers 10:40-11:29
 Beginner Racers 11:30-12:14
 Single Spd./Tand. 12:15-12:30

Pre-Registered racers start first, then Day-Of racers start in the order they register (still within their Category Start Time Block).

All Racers (Pre-Registered & Day-Of) Start Within Their Category Start Time Blocks

Note: Start Time Blocks may be different at other Time Trial locations (see race flyers).

Riders start Two At A Time at 30 second intervals.

The **SPECIALIZED Kids Race** will be on a special short loop at 12:30 pm.

Race day Registration & Number Pick-up opens at 8:30AM

(Must register at least 15 Minutes before your Category Start Time Block ends)
 All racers must sign a waiver at registration. Racers under the age of 18 must have the waiver signed by a parent or legal guardian.

HELMETS ARE REQUIRED FOR ALL EVENT PARTICIPATION!!!

AWARDS

\$400 Cash Purse for Elite Men Racers (Pay top 5 Finishers)
 \$300 Cash Purse for Expert/Elite Women Racers (Pay top 5 Finishers)
 Medals to top 5 Finishers in all other Categories
SPECIALIZED KIDS RACE at 12:30 pm: Medal to EVERY Kids Racer
 Plus a Special KIDS Drawing for cool SPECIALIZED items at finish line!

FORT CUSTER MTB TIME TRIAL

**Ft Custer
Recreation Area**

5163 Ft Custer Dr
Augusta, MI 49012
(N of I-94 Bet. Battle
Creek & Kalamazoo)

269/731-4200



— REGISTRATION FORM —

Ft. Custer MTB Time Trial - Sunday August 17, 2008

MICHIGAN MTB TIME TRIAL SERIES RACE #5 - THE GRAND FINALE

— PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION CLEARLY —

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Age on 12/31/08 ___ M ___ F ___ Phone (____) _____
 Team / Sponsor _____
 Emer.Cont. _____ Phone(____) _____
 E-Mail: _____ DOB: M ___ D ___ Y ___

REGISTRATION FEE — (Note: No Refunds on Race Registrations)

Post Mark by 8/11: \$25 ___ **After 8/11:** Elite \$35 ___ Other \$30 ___

14-Un Racer: \$10 ___ 2nd Race Cat: \$10 ___ Kids Race is FREE

Kids Race at 12:30p is FREE (Kids Race Sign Up is at the Race)

Please Make Check Payable To: **TAILWIND, Mail To:**

Tailwind - P.O. Box 368 - Davisburg, MI 48350

You may register ON-LINE at: www.tailwind.net - OR - www.BikeReg.com
 On-Line registration closes at 11:59 pm on Thursday, August 14

RACE CATEGORIES

Please Mark Appropriate Age Group and Category
 Age Group Is Determined By Your Age on Dec. 31, 2008

<p>ELITE Men: _____ Women: (Elite / Expert) _____</p> <p>EXPERT Men: 18 & Under _____ 19-29 _____ 30-39 _____ 40-49 _____ 50 & Over _____</p> <p>SPORT Women: 24 & Under _____ 25-39 _____ 40 & Over _____ Men: 14 & Under _____ 15-18 _____ 19-29 _____ 30-34 _____ 35-39 _____ 40-44 _____ 45-49 _____ 50 & Over _____ Clydesdale: 200 lbs+ _____</p> <p>TANDEM All _____</p>	<p>SINGLE SPEED Exp./Elite All Ages _____ Sport/Beg All Ages _____</p> <p>BEGINNER Women: 14 & Under _____ 15-29 _____ 30 & Over _____ All: 10 & Under _____ Men: 11-14 _____ 15-18 _____ 19-29 _____ 30-39 _____ 40-49 _____ 50 & Over _____ Clydesdale 200 lbs+ _____</p>
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SPECIALIZED KIDS RACE

Short Loop Mass Start Kids Race
 Held at 12:30 pm — FREE!

A MEDAL TO EVERY RACER!

PLUS: Special KIDS RACE Drawing for
 Swell Prizes From SPECIALIZED!

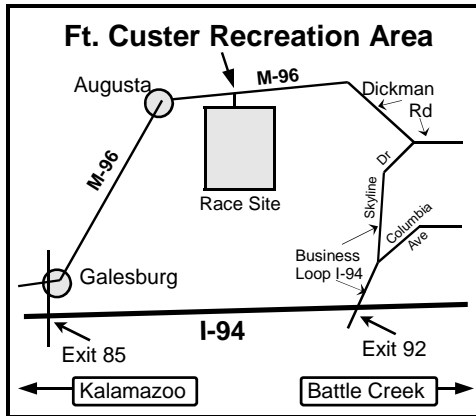
FT. CUSTER RECREATION AREA

Ft. Custer is located north of I-94 between Battle Creek and Kalamazoo. From I-94 take Exit #85 or #92 and go north to M-96. The park is just east of Augusta on M-96.

A State Park Vehicle Permit is required
\$6 Daily, \$24 Annual

To reserve a campsite, call Michigan State Park Reservations at:
800/447-2757

Park Address: 5163 Ft. Custer Drive — Augusta, MI 49012



COURSE INFORMATION

We thank the Southwest Chapter of the MMBA for doing a SUPER job of developing and maintaining the trails at Ft. Custer. This Time Trial will use the Green Loop combined with much of the familiar (and much loved!) Red Loop traditional trail. The race course is a challenging 13 mile loop that is about 75% singletrack with plenty of passing areas. It includes many of your favorite sections like the Trenches and Granny's Garden that have become the hallmark of the Ft. Custer trail system.

All racers do one complete loop.

Questions, More Information?

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ENTRY FEE & REGISTRATION

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PRIZE DRAWINGS

After the time trial, there will be drawings for great gift giveaways. You must be present to win, and all who register to race are eligible. *Fill out a card and drop it in the "Prize Mail Box" at registration.*

RESULTS & SCORING

Results available at the race, and posted on-line at: www.tailwind.net. Race Series standings will be posted at each race.

THANKS

THANK-YOU's go to the Southwest Chapter MMBA for taking care of these trails, to the park management & staff, to the volunteers who help make this event run smoothly, and of course to all of our sponsors and racers!

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