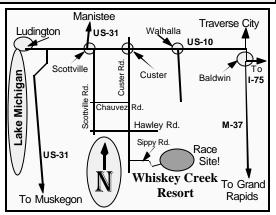
# Whiskey Creek Resort, Custer, MI

From I-75, take US-10 west towards Ludington. In Custer, turn left (south) onto Custer Rd. Go approx. 9-miles to Sippy Rd. and turn left (east). Go 2-1/2 miles (on dirt road) to Whiskey Creek Resort. From Grand Rapids, take M-37 north to US-

10, go west and follow

previous directions.



**Camping is Available:** Campsite-\$16 for 4-person site, same price plain or with water/electric hook-ups (*Whiskey Creek does not take reservations*). **Day Use Pass:** \$5 per Person (Under 14 Free). Both camping & Day Use Pass include use of showers, indoor swimming pool, sauna, and hot tub! Breakfast, lunch, dinner, or snacks at campground restaurant. **Day Parking Fee:** \$3 per Vehicle

Whiskey Creek Camp Resort - 5080 Sippy Road - Custer, MI 49405

#### Course Info & Race Times

**SATURDAY TIME TRIAL:** 12:00 Noon The Time Trial will be one loop of the XC Course. **The Catch:** Ride in opposite direction of Sunday's race!

**SATURDAY SHORT COURSE RACE: 4:00pm** The Short Course loop will be a fun, challenging circuit visible entirely from the Club House area. It has hills, turns, sand, grass and fast flats with room for passing around the entire course! Everyone rides the same distance with expected finish times around 20 minutes.

**SUNDAY XC RACE:** The XC Race loop is approximately 6 miles of fun-filled single-track and two-track trails with plenty of wide open passing areas. There are lots of hills (both up & down!) with many areas built in nicely for speed... *Come on out and Pre-ride, you will really enjoy it!* 

| Elite racers    | 🕇 5 laps             | 10:00a |
|-----------------|----------------------|--------|
| Expert racers   | 4 laps (Men & Women) | 10:00a |
| Sport/Tandem/SS | 3 laps (Men & Women) | 1:00p  |
| 14-Under Beg.   | 1 lap (Men & Women)  | 1:00p  |
| All other Beg.  | 2 laps (Men & Women) | 1:00p  |

The Kids race is FREE and will be on a special short loop at Noon.

NOTE: While only <u>Sunday's XC Race counts for MMBA-CPS Points</u>, we total elapsed times for all 3 races to decide Standings for *Overall Stage Race Awards*.

#### Entry Fee & Registration

#### Registration & Number Pick-up Sunday: 8:30a to 1/2 hr before each race

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| Pre-register by June 10: | XC Race \$25       | Race Two Saturday Events for:     | \$20 |
| Register after June 10:  | XC Race \$30       | Race Two Saturday Events for:     | \$25 |
| 14 & Under Categories:   | XC Race \$10       | Race Two Saturday Events for:     | \$15 |

Frequent Racer Plan: Pre-Register All 6 XC Races: \$120 14-Un Classes: \$55

All racers must sign a waiver at registration. Racers under the age of 18 must have the waiver signed by a parent or legal quardian.

A portion of the proceeds from this event go to the MMBA to help work towards land access and trail developement issues in Michigan. Please give them your support by

# 2001 TAILWIND CROSS COUNTRY RACE INFORMATION

#### RACE DATES for 2002 —

| MMBA #4 | June 16  | Whiskey Creek Resort | Custer, Michigan    |
|---------|----------|----------------------|---------------------|
| MMBA #5 | June 30  | Bloomer Park         | Rochester Hills, MI |
| MMBA #7 | July 21  | Ruby Campground      | Ruby, Michigan      |
| MMBA #8 | August 4 | Big "M"              | Manistee, MI        |
| MMBA#10 | Sept. 8  | Stony Creek          | Shelby Twp, MI      |
| MMBA#12 | Sept. 29 | Aspen Park           | Gaylord, MI         |

THESE 6 RACES ARE MMBA/FESTINA CHAMPIONSHIP POINT SERIES EVENTS! **Required:** Bicycle in proper working order <u>and</u> Lap Counting ability!

An ANSI Approved HELMET IS REQUIRED for Participation!!!

For more information, contact:

**Tailwind Enterprises:** 248/634-6178

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## **Results & Scoring**

Results available at the race, and posted on-line at: <a href="www.tailwind.net">www.tailwind.net</a>
<a href="www.tailwind.net">Check the BOX on your Entry Form</a> to receive a copy of Race Results by mail.

#### **Awards**

#### **Sunday's Cross Country Event:**

\$300 Cash Purse for Elite Open Racers (Pay top 5) \$200 Cash Purse for Elite 35 + Racers (Pay top 3) \$250 Cash Purse for Women's Expert Racers (Pay top 5) Awards to top 5 in all other Categories - Awards to EVERY Kids Racer

**Award Presentation:** Elite / Expert 1:30pm Sport / Beginner 3:30pm

#### Stage Race Overall Awards presented along with Category Awards

| Av | vards to Top | 3 in Each Catego | ry with Lowest Elapsed Tim | e for 3-Combined Races |
|----|--------------|------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|
|    | Elite        | All Ages         | Sport Men 18-Under         | Begnr Men 18-Under     |
|    | Expert Men   | 34-Under         | Sport Men 19-34            | Begnr Men 19-34        |
|    | Expert Men   | 35+              | Sport Men 35+              | Begnr Men 35+          |
|    | Advanced W   | omen (Sport/Exp  | ert-All)                   | Begnr Women-All        |

### **Prize Drawings**

Drawings for great gift giveaways from our sponsors will be approx. 3:15pm 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.

Festina has donated a fine watch to give away at this event!

#### **Thanks**

THANK-YOU's go to all of the volunteers who help make this event run smoothly, and of course to all of our sponsors. <u>SPECIAL THANKS</u> go to Scott Quiring who spent several L-O-N-G days working with me to design a CPEAT race course and got the trails ready to ride for this event!