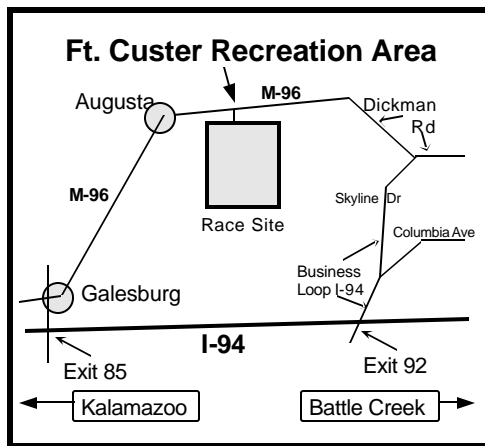


FT. CUSTER RECREATION AREA

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.

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



COURSE INFO.

The Southwest Chapter of the MMBA has used funding from races at Fort Custer Recreation Area to do a SUPER job of developing and maintaining the trails here. 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.

ENTRY FEE & REGISTRATION

Race day Registration & Number Pick-up: 8:00a to 10:00a

Pre-registration **Post marked by August 21:** \$20 **After August 21:** \$25
14 & Under Categories: \$10 Kids Race is FREE!

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.

RESULTS & SCORING

Results will be available on race day, a copy will be mailed to each racer and also posted on-line at: www.tailwind.net. Current Michigan MTB Time Trial Point Series standings posted at each race.

AWARDS

\$300 Cash Purse for Men's Elite Racers (Pay top 5)
\$200 Cash Purse for Women's Expert Racers (Pay top 5)
Medals to top 5 Finishers in all other Categories
Medals to EVERY Kids Racer

2000 MICHIGAN MTB TIME TRIAL RACE SERIES INFO.

RACE DATES for 2000:

April 16**	Yankee Springs	Middleville, MI
May 14	Brighton Rec Area	Brighton, MI
June 11	T.K. Lawless Park	Vandalia, MI
June 25	Bloomer Park	Rochester, MI
July 23	Stony Creek Park	Shelby Twp., MI
August 6	T.K. Lawless Park	Vandalia, MI
August 27**	Ft. Custer Rec Area	Augusta, MI

**** THESE TWO RACES ARE MMBA/FESTINA CHAMPIONSHIP POINT SERIES RACES**
The **"Fifth Annual" Michigan Mountain Bike Time Trial Race Series** consists of 7 races. Classes & scoring for this series will be similar to the MMBA Championship Point Series. (Contact Tailwind for a copy of the point system and rules.) Everyone who rides a race in this series will have their points tabulated. You must ride in 3 or more series races to win an award in the *Overall Time Trial Point Series*, and we will total the points for your 4 highest point finishes.

Overall Time Trial Series awards will be presented at this race.

This Event is being held in conjunction with DIRTSTOCK 2000!

HELMETS ARE REQUIRED FOR PARTICIPATION!!!

For more information, contact:

Tailwind Enterprises: 248/634-6178

E-Mail: tailwind@tir.com **Web:** www.tailwind.net

START TIMES

PRE-REGISTERED RIDERS start by category, ELITE riders going first!

Start Times for pre-registered riders will be posted at registration. Riders registering after August 21 will be assigned start times based on the order they register in and will start **after** the pre-registered riders.

Riders go Two At A Time at 30 second intervals starting at 10:01

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.

Note: A Special Drawing for a CANNONDALE CAAD4 Mountain Bike Frameset will take place AT THIS RACE! You must be present to win...

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!