Pow Wow General Information

To save everyone time we are encouraging everyone to pick up their event packets prior to the event. The time and location for the pickup will be announced when we are getting close to the event.

If you do not pick up your packet prior to the event you will need to arrive at the start at Black Star Canyon at 4:30 A.M. to receive your number plate.

If you plan on camping out at O'Neill Park the fee is \$15.00 dollars a night and are available by reservation (which we suggest you make ASAP before they sell out). The day use fees at the park where we are staging at are \$5.00. For more information on O'Neill Park see their web site at: <u>http://www.ocparks.com/oneillpark/</u>

The finish line is at the Parkers property approximately 1/4 mile up Trabuco Creek Road (dirt road) from Trabuco Canyon Road (paved).

Lunch will be provided by the Warrior's Society at the finish. No alcohol is allowed at the park.

WE WILL NOT HAVE SHUTTLES TO THE START – YOU MUST TRANSPORT YOURSELVES. The start will commence at 5:30 a.m. whether you are there or not.

As previously stated, you must transport yourself to the starting area at the end of Black Star Canyon Road. We will be providing a shuttle from the finish line back to the start at Blackstar Canyon Road between 2:00 pm and 5:00 pm for the people who left their vehicles at the start.

PLEASE CARPOOL

Remember that the start is at 5:30 and sunrise is at 6:54, but it starts to get lighter by 6:30, so you can expect to ride at least for an hour in the dark. We recommend that you use a small, battery powered halogen light for the first hour of the ride. Except for the fastest riders, most participants will be climbing Blackstar in the dark and the sun should be coming up by the time they reach the Main Divide.

Energy bars/gels, fruit, water and hydration mix will be provided at each Aid Station.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU CHECK OUR WEB SITE OR CALL THE INFO LINE IF IT IS EXPECTED TO RAIN THE DAY OF THE EVENT OR THE DAYS PRIOR TO IT.

IF WE HAVE YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS WE WILL EMAIL YOU IF THE EVENT IS RESCHEDULED. FOR THE LATEST EVENT NEWS CHECK OUR INFO BOARD AT:

http://www.warriorssociety.org/voices/

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