

July 2022

Important Dates:

Weekly- Sunday Lawn Concert rides

July 5 Latitude Racing Lil Riders' Ride

July 9 West Texas Trail Alliance, Scenic

Mt. Trail Clean up

July 16 & 17 Bike MS

July 23 Tour De Gap

Aug 26-28 HHH

Aug 17 Cyclefest sponsorships due

Sept 17-18 Fort Davis Cyclefest



President-Eric Burkhart

Vice President-Jason Haislip

Mountain Bike Director – Stephen Mitchell

Secretary – Cameron Hamer

Treasurer – Kye King

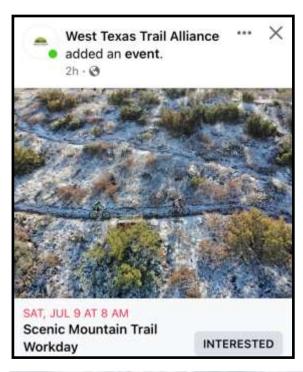
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Cyclefest Chairman – Bob Haskell

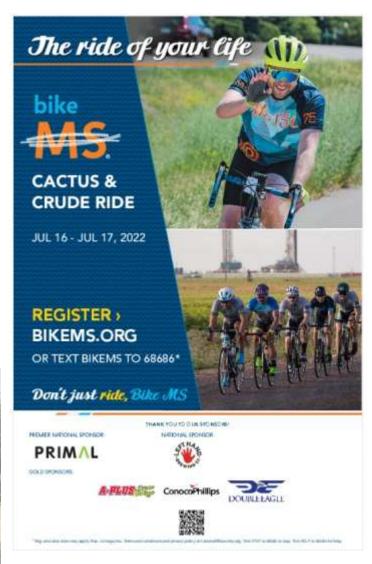
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The Thomason Street bike lane in Midland is nearing completion. This is a 1.5 mile (3 mile out and back) add to my Tradewinds, Beal Park route. Thank you to the City of Midland!

-Kathy Hester



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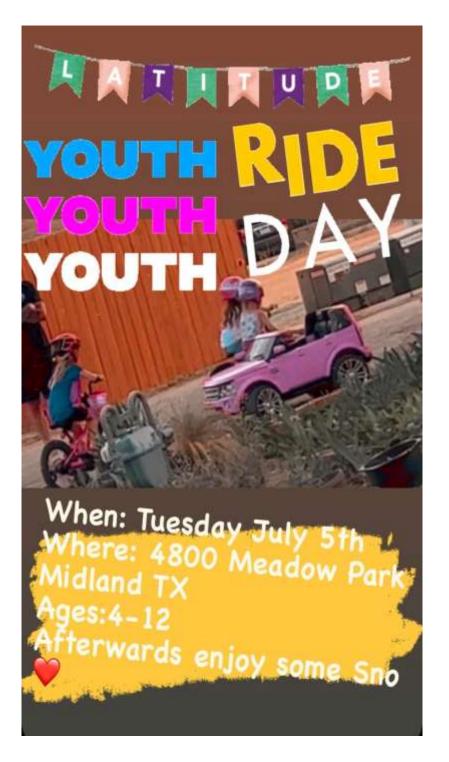


June 5th WEATHERSTONE

July 10th TREATY OAK June 12th SMALL TOWN

July 24th July 17th TALL CITY BAND MIDLAND HISPANIC CHAMBER OF COMMERCE June 26th
THE CROAKIN TOADS
Armed Percer &
First Responders Night July 31st UNSWEET T'S Family Hight

Editor's note: Jeannette Harris with Latitude Racing is sponsoring and organizing this event. They plan to have the Lil Riders Ride bi weekly.



"Little" announcement

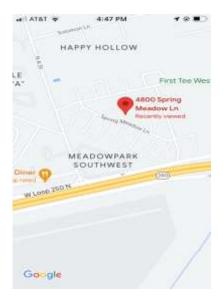
So we spend our Wednesday's and Thursday's on adult racing. We would like to expand this commitment to our youth. Building educated riders starts with our young riders. One thing I know is that kids love to ride bikes. We want to give our youth a chance to ride as a group in a safe and friendly environment.

Bring your young rider out next **Tuesday**, **July 5th** @6:30 pm. Location will be 4800 Spring Meadow Lane. This is a short loop and we will have volunteers watching for traffic, which is very minimal. ALL riders MUST wear a helmet. All are welcome. Our hope is to have a mini podium for age groups that participate to give them that special feeling of what racing is all about.

Afterwards, we will provide hotdogs for each participant . We will have Sno as well. For more information, please DM me. Please

bring plenty of water for your little rider.

Let's share our love for riding with the ones that matter most.





Cyclefest needs you!

Cyclest is PBBA's largest yearly fundraising event. Cyclefest has been a contributing to the Texas cycling community for 44 years. Please help us make it a success in 2022! Funds raised from this road event help support the Odessa Mountain Bike Park and Midland Trail so even mountain bike riders benefit.

Bob Haskell stepped up to direct Cyclefest 2021 and is directing for 2022. Jennie Banta has the 2022 Cyclefest Jersey designed.

Text Kathy Hester at 432-638-7038 or email Khester 4205@gmail.com to volunteer. There are volunteer opportunities before and during the event.

Before: Door prizes , goody bag items, raffle items, transport items to Fort Davis (anyone have a cargo trailer?)

HELP SECURE SPONSORS !!! Contact Roberta SoloRio at robertasolorio@gmail.com for details. Much of the Cyclefest profit comes from sponsorship while registration fees cover expenses of the event. We encourage all members to help solicit sponsors.

Sponsorship payment levels for t-shirt:

____\$ 1000 Platinum sponsor 3 1/2 inch logo
____\$ 750 Gold sponsor 2 1/2 inch logo
____\$ 500 Silver Sponsor 1 1/2 inch logo
____\$ 250 Bronze sponsor name listed in 18 pt. font

During Cyclefest:

We are looking for a photographer to cover the event. Any leads?

Friday: setting up registration, sorting t shirts, transporting equipment to Fort Davis, working registration, helmet raffle.

Saturday: put out signs, morning registration, SAG, Saturday lunch: music/sound system, door prize tickets, jersey and t-shirt sales.

Sunday Hill Climb: registration, monitor cars allowed to observatory, route persons, pass out water and prizes, clean up Sunday after: closing, packing and loading.











Results:

https://www.webscorer.com/race?raceid=279731...



The Rockstacker Challenge returned to the Odessa MTB Park on June 11. Eric Burkhart organized the race. Dan and Shauna Saxton provided the timing expertise.









More photos posted at Friends of the Permian Basin Facebook page

MOUNTAIN BIKING - Steve Mitchell

Our local trails are in pretty good shape right now. However, they can always use some more attention. For the most part its just cleaning the trails of big rocks, raking sand out of corners, and cutting back vegetation. We will be scheduling some workdays at all the parks over the next few months. If you are a member that uses the trails, please participate. In the meantime, next time you go for a ride at one of the parks, consider bringing a rake, hoe, or loppers and work for 30 minutes on a section of trail that needs attention.

MIDLAND TRAIL PARK

The park finally received some much-needed rain a couple weeks ago. The rain in Midland was significant enough to create some flooding in the draw that runs through the park. The good news is that the lake filled back up and the trails were packed down. We also had our first opportunity to see if the bridge constructed on the north side of the park would hold up to the fast-moving water and debris funneling through the draw. The bridge survived although a lot of debris piled up against the north side. Flatland Energy Services graciously provided an excavator to remove the debris free of charge.

While we had the excavator at the park, we also built the dirt hill that will be used for the starting point of the jump line. Salazar services brought out a water truck and sprayed down the dirt while the excavator built and packed the new hill. Thanks to Abel Salazar with Salazar Services and Landon Hamer with Flatland Energy Services for contributing their time and equipment to these projects at no cost to the PBBA.



















Rattlesnake Gravel Grind:

110 mile riders: Cliff Coleman, Tom Elliott, Vic Aguirre, Eric Burkhart, Spencer Schott

66 mile riders: Jason Haislip, Justin Harrison, Brian Younger, Erin Reedy, Zach Jones, Sebastian Haynes, Shawn Harris, And Manny Pena

32 miles: Janette Harris, Katie Briscoe, Matt Rodriguez







Thank you to Patty Pena for rider list and many of the above photos.



Team Peyton's Bikes 24 hour in the Canyon 4 man team.



Congratulations to Team Peytons Manny Pena for his qualification into the UCI gravel world championship in Italy.



Thank you to Yum Yum's Tropical Snow for the delicious treats after the Peyton's Wednesday night ride!



Looks like there is another Harrison cyclist. Anson, age 7, rode eleven miles in Greentree. Anson is the grandson of Tom Harrison and nephew of Justin.

June 1 Rained out



June 8, 2022



June 15, 2022



June 22, 2022



June 29, 2022

