



**2019 Wrangle in Warda
Texas Interscholastic Mountain
Bike League, Race #3**

Texas Interscholastic MTB League
220 Piedmont Hills Pass
Austin TX 78732
www.texasmtb.org

**Sunday, March 31st, First Start Time: 9:00 AM
Bluff Creek Ranch, Warda, TX**

RACE DESCRIPTION

The course features primarily tight and twisty single track with moderate climb. Riders will be doing multiple laps (approximately 5 miles per lap), see below for lap counts.

PRE-RIDE: Course is open for pre-ride Saturday afternoon (2:00 PM–6:00 PM) and Sunday morning (7:30 AM–8:30 AM). We recommend all riders pre-ride the course. *Please pass course workers with great care.*

DIRECTIONS: <http://www.bcrwarda.com/directions.html>

FEES:

- Children 6 & under free.
- Age 7 and up \$5 per day use. Please bring cash. No checks. No credit cards.
- Camping is at no cost.

ACCOMODATIONS:

- Camping at Bluff Creek Ranch is available. The bunkhouse is available at Bluff Creek Ranch.
- Primitive camping spots are first come first serve.
- [Hotels near La Grange, TX](#)

NEW THIS RACE:

Feed volunteers must now wear a league supplied lanyard to be granted access to the Feed Zone during the race. Teams will be provided with one lanyard per feed zone volunteer that they are entitled to per the rule book (rule 10.12). Pick up your lanyards at the Registration tent on Saturday between 1-4pm. If you lose your lanyard you may purchase a replacement for \$5 at the Registration tent.

CONCESSIONS:

To support the growth of the League's scholarship program, the Concession tent will be offering snacks and lunch on both Saturday and Sunday.

GRiT PRE-RIDE:

The course will be open from 1 - 2PM for a GRiT pre-ride. All female athletes, coaches, moms, sisters, and any other interested female, gather to do a pre-ride lap together. Meet at 12:30PM ready to ride at GRiT in-field tent and we will roll out as a group at 1PM. All speeds welcome! For more information, see <http://www.texasmtb.org/grit-texas/> or email grit@texasmtb.org. Additionally, a 2nd GRiT pre-ride will be held 5-6PM during the General Pre-Ride. The course will remain open to all riders. Meet at the GRiT tent at 4:45.

VOLUNTEER

Volunteers make our events possible. If you'd like to contribute to any Texas League event, please email volunteers@texasmtb.org or visit our [Sign Up website](#).

Volunteering before 3/29/19 at 9 AM, earns you ability to participate in the Volunteer Reward Program. Each shift earns 100 points. If you volunteer at each race through the season, 250 bonus points will be earned. Each 100 points is worth \$5 at the Merchandise or Concessions tent.

OTHER IMPORTANT NOTES

- All League merchandise will be available at the Merchandise Tent.
- No gasoline generators inside the team Pit Zone area, please, and no open fires.
- No dogs off leash please.
- Those petitioning for exceptions to category placement must do so in the required timeframe before the race. Same-day petitions will not be considered. Petitions must be received 1 week before the event.
- Please pack out what you pack in. No garbage receptacles will be provided.
- Please familiarize yourself with the league's weather refund policy: <http://www.texasmtb.org/weather-policy/>

Category	Start Time	Laps	Approx. Distance
WAVE 1 - STAGING STARTS at 8:45AM			
Varsity Girls	9:00 AM	3	15 Miles
JV Girls	9:03 AM	2	10 Miles
Sophomore Girls	9:06 AM	2	10 Miles
Freshman Girls	9:09 AM	2	10 Miles
8 th Grade Girls	9:12 AM	1	5 Miles
7 th Grade Girls	9:15 AM	1	5 Miles
6 th Grade Girls	9:18 AM	1	5 Miles
WAVE 2 - STAGING STARTS at 9:45AM			
8 th Grade Boys	10:00 AM	1	5 Miles
7 th Grade Boys 1	10:03 AM	1	5 Miles
7 th Grade Boys 2	10:06 AM	1	5 Miles
6 th Grade Boys	10:09 AM	1	5 Miles
WAVE 3 - STAGING STARTS at 10:45AM			
Varsity Boys	11:00 AM	4	20 Miles
JV Boys 2	11:03 AM	3	15 Miles
JV Boys 1	11:06 AM	3	15 Miles
Sophomore Boys	11:09 AM	2	10 Miles
Freshman Boys 1	11:12 AM	2	10 Miles
Freshman Boys 2	11:15 AM	2	10 Miles

Note: final lap count decision per category will be finalized and confirmed at the start of each race.

We hope you will stay after the race for the award ceremony.

REGISTRATION INFO

Note: Registration will be open Saturday, March 30, 2019 from 1:00 to 4:00 PM. There is NO race day registration. The Registration deadline is 4:00 PM, Saturday, March 9, 2019.

All riders will need to register in the Pit Zone online. Contact your Coach / Team Director to get registered. Independent riders contact Registration Services, info@texasmtb.org.

On-site registration:

On-site registration will result in a late fee of \$10 for League Registration and \$10 for Race Registration. All racers must register by **4:00 PM, Saturday, March 30, 2019**. To make race day more enjoyable, register in advance online!

Missing Forms:

Waivers are available online in the Pit Zone. If you have not mailed in your registration forms by race day, riders and their parents will need to fill out paper waivers at the registration tent. If you are unsure if you've submitted the forms, please check the Pit Zone. Contact Registration Services (registration@nationalmtb.org) with questions or problems.

2019 Race Pricing

	Cost	Late Fee At Race
League Registration Fee	\$40	\$10*
High School Race Fee (per-race)	\$40	\$10*
Middle School Race Fee (per-race)	\$20	\$10*

*late fee goes into effect the at 11 PM CST the Tuesday before the race

Mail checks to:

Texas High School MTB League
Attn: Race Registration
2414 6th Street
Berkeley, CA 94710

When mailing check, please write the name of the rider on the check. Credit Cards may be used online.

2019 Wrangle In Warda Race Course

- We are looking at a couple options to provide some variation in the course for 2019. This will be decided by 3/30/19 at 5 PM.
- The race course is 5.3 miles in length and includes all trails at Bluff Creek Ranch, except trails 11, 12, 13 and 14. After descending Gas Pass, the course will go around Hay Meadow and up Mule Trace to the cattle guard at the beginning of the BMX trail.
- The skills student athletes will want to focus on are braking, turning and your ready position.

