



Ride the Keweenaw Enduro Race Sunday May 29, 2022

Information/Rules

- All racers must register/check-in to receive your number plate and timing chip at Grant Township Park in downtown Copper Harbor no later than 10:00 AM.
- **Expert start – 10:00 AM at the Grant Township Park. Pre-race meeting at 9:50 AM.**
- **Sport start - 11:00 AM at the Grant Township Park. Pre-race meeting at 10:50 AM.**
- Racers must complete each stage in a set order according to your race class.
- Racers may choose their own route to get to the start of each timed stage. Suggested transitions are recommended but not required.
- Racers may not ride uphill on the timed stages.
- Racers must use the same bike for the whole event. NO E-BIKES.
- Racers must ride their bikes for the whole event (no vehicle shuttles).
- Racers will be released onto timed stages at no less than 30 second intervals.
- Slower racers must get out of the way for faster racers to pass on timed stages. Faster racers, please announce when you are approaching a fellow racer. Be courteous.
- No aid will be provided on course. Riders must carry their own water and supplies.
- Time cut-off: No one may start a timed downhill stage after 1:05 PM
- **You must return your timing chip after your final stage at the Community Center to have your times recorded! No chip = DNF. We'll have a bucket.**

In case of a crash or injury:

- If you come upon a racer who has crashed, make sure they are ok. If they say they are ok, continue racing. If they are not ok, or do not respond, please stop to assist and assess the situation. Stay with the injured racer. Gather as much information as you can and stop the next racer. Relay the information to them and have them complete the stage in a safe manner and pass the information off to the volunteers at the start or end of the stage if there is an injured racer on course.
- A racer who has lost significant time on a stage while assisting an injured rider may be granted a chance to re-ride the stage.
- Racing will be stopped on a stage if the medical volunteers are dispatched. The overall time cut-off will be extended if necessary at the discretion of the race officials.

Stage Descriptions (more details on subsequent pages)

- West Woopidy Woo (Sport & Expert). From near the top of the trail to the bottom!
- Red Trail (Sport & Expert). Rugged and technical, just how we like it.
- Overflow (Expert only). B-lines only. Give us a break, we want to ease back into it...

Wave Times & Stage Orders

You must begin your race and each subsequent stage in the following order according to your race class (Sport or Expert) and assigned Wave. Each stage must be started within the time period given for your class/wave. Don't try to skip to a different stage or you may be disqualified. You will **NOT** be released by officials at the race start, please plan to leave the start at your assigned time. Ride the race in the order given to help keep congestion to a minimum!

Stage	Expert Class		
	Wave 1	Wave 2	Wave 3
Race Start @ Park	10:00 AM	10:20 AM	10:40 AM
Stage 1: West Woopidy Woo	10:30 - 10:55	10:50 - 11:15	11:10 - 11:35
Stage 2: Red Trail	11:00 - 11:25	11:20 - 12:45	11:40 - 12:05 PM
Stage 3: Overflow	11:35 - 12:00 PM	11:55 - 12:20 PM	12:15 - 12:55

Stage	Sport Class		
	Wave 1	Wave 2	Wave 3
Race Start @ Park	11:00 AM	11:20 AM	11:40 AM
Stage 1: West Woopidy Woo	11:30 - 11:55	11:50 - 12:15 PM	12:10 - 12:35
Stage 2: Red Trail	12:00 PM - 12:25	12:20 - 12:45	12:40 - 1:05

Times given are for when you must start each stage.

Expert Course Description:

Start: Donny Kilpela Park in Downtown Copper Harbor

Pickup your number plate and timing chips before the racers meeting at 9:50 AM in the park.

Transfer route to Stage 1, 2.5 Miles

Turn left out of the park and head along US41 towards Brockway. In .7 miles turn left and head up Brockway Mountain Drive. After 1.6 miles of pain turn left at the dip towards the On the Edge bridges. In .1 miles turn right onto West Woopidy. The stage will start just ahead of you! Caution: Be prepared to see traffic on US 41 and Brockway Mountain Drive, including but not limited to cars, trucks, campers, motorcycles, side by sides and who knows what. Be careful and follow the rules of the road.

Stage 1 description, West Woopidy, 1.1 Miles

A nice flowy stage to start your day. West Woopidy is fast and fun the whole way down. There are a few jumps along the way with available ride arounds. You will hit two small climbs, but they are short and easy. Stay off the brakes and cruise your way to the finish!

Transfer route to Stage 2, 1.7 Miles

Continue on West Woopidy past the Bullwinkle junction. In .2 miles turn right onto Garden Brook and start climbing the hill. In .5 miles cross the road and head up the Keweenaw Mountain Lodge driveway. Head past the Lodge on the dirt road next to the golf course. The Mountain Lodge is a great place to grab a cup of coffee or snack, and to refill your water bottle. After .6 miles turn left into Red Trail. Follow the singletrack for .3 miles to the start of the stage.

Stage 2 Description, Red Trail, 1 Mile

A tough, technical, physical stage. Lots of loose rock and bedrock along the way. There is plenty of opportunity to open up the bike and just hold on for the ride. The large roll down at the switchbacks will be closed for safety. Expect one brutal climb to really put your legs and lungs to the test. We have taken pity on you though. This year the stage will end right before the second climb near the end of the trail.

Transfer route to Stage 3, 3.7 miles

Follow Red Trail out and in .1 miles bear right to stay on Red Trail. In .3 miles take a left onto Manganese Road. Head down Manganese Road and in 1 mile turn left onto US 41. In .7 miles turn left and head up Brockway Mountain Drive. After 1.6 miles you will arrive at your final stage on your right hand side.

Stage 3 Description, Overflow .9 Miles

Hello old friend, we've missed you! We figured what better to welcome Overflow back into our lives by sending racers down it as soon as possible. The start is flowy and fast. For the enduro we are skipping the bridge gap jump, and heading for the B-line. The stage then gets fast with a healthy dose of jumps, flow, steep, loose and chunk. What could be better. Near the end of the stage you will be heading left onto the B-line at Man Pants.

Transfer route to back to town, .8 miles

Turn right onto US 41 and pedal the .8 miles back to the start! That's it... you're done!!! There will be a drop off for your timing chips near the Community Center back in the park.

Sport Course Description:

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Transfer route to the end 1.4, miles

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