

62.5 mile ride (100 KM) route

Go south on Ocoee (turns into Broad St., back into Ocoee, and then becomes Blue Springs Road);

Optional SAG at Blue Springs Recreation area (RH side of road at 7.65 miles);

Turn RH out of SAG and continue south. Turn RH at Hungry Hollow (stays Blue Springs Road) at 10.77 miles;

At Weatherly Switch, go straight across (becomes Red Clay Park Road/Old Weatherly Switch Trail) at 12.84 miles;

Turn RH onto Red Clay Road at 13.13 miles. Optional SAG at Red Clay State Park at 14.86 miles;

Turn RH out of SAG and go 15.67 miles (Georgia State Line). Go straight across at Godfrey Lane/Red Clay Road;

Becomes Red Clay Road in Georgia – keep going straight south to town of Cohutta (follows RR tracks);

Turn RH at Wolfe St. at 17.62 miles and turn LH at Cohutta Varnell Road at 17.79 miles;

Hard turn RH onto Forrester Road (easy to miss, look for White House across field on RH side) at 21.48 miles;

Turn LH onto Lowe Road at 22.47 miles;

Turn LH at Standing Road (easy to miss, look for fork in road – take LH downhill) at 22.56 miles;

Turn RH at Lake Kathy Road easy to miss (no sign but dead end – with Shadow Ridge drive straight ahead) at 24.11 miles;

Lake Kathy road turns into Stewart drive. Go straight across Mt. Vernon – now becomes Crum Road at 29.64 miles;

Crum Road becomes Wilhoit. Turn RH on Red Clay Road at 30.83 miles;

Turn RH on Westleyan Road (easy to miss) at 31.77 miles (becomes Carson Road);

Go straight across Mt. Vernon Road (easy to miss, becomes Old Tunnel Hill) at 32.48 miles;

Turn LH on Chattanooga at 33.48 miles;

Turn LH at Parrot Road (easy to miss – sign in trees after fast downhill run, just pass Bryant Road) at 34.70 miles;

Parrot bears RH into Apison at 35.60 miles. Turn LH onto Dry Valley Road at 35.80 miles (return to Bradley County);

Turn LH onto Red Clay Road at 36.91 miles. Turn RH onto Old Lead Mine Valley Road at 37.15 miles;

Turn RH onto Weatherly Switch at 38.30 miles. Turn LH onto Lead Mine Valley Road at 39.75 miles (SAG stop);

Turn LH onto Blue Springs Church Road at 45.24 miles. Turn LH onto Powell Drive at 46.77 miles;

Turn LH onto Tunnell Hill Road at 46.72 miles. Turn RH onto Candies Creek at 49.73 miles;

Turn RH onto Rakestraw at 50.38 miles (get ready, killer hill – 9% grade);

Turn RH on Old Alabama at 51.55 miles. Turn RH onto Old Chattanooga Pike at 54.70 miles; and

Turn LH onto Ocoee St. at 60.10 miles. Take Ocoee back to Church at 63.70 miles.

End of ride (Congratulations, you just burned 4,790 calories).

Note: 2,684 feet in elevation gain over length of ride and minimum time required for an experienced rider is at least 2 hours and 37 minutes. For an inexperienced rider, double time.