

2009 Tour De Bondville Ride Day Information Sheet



VERY, VERY, VERY IMPORTANT –

Contrary to all previous e-mails you have received from me, the after ride party is no longer at Three Peaks Inn. The Three Peaks Inn has become a victim of the economy and has closed it's doors. But in every dark cloud, there is a silver lining. The after ride party has been moved to Grizzly's in the Stratton Mountain Base Lodge. Grizzly's is the primo après ski gathering place, so it stands to reason that it should also be the primo après ride gathering place for the Tour De Bondville.

Date: Saturday July 25, 2009

Start / Finish

Location: The Starting Gate Ski Shop

Located 3/10ths of a mile east of the Stratton Mtn.
access road on route 30 in Bondville, VT.
802-297-1213

Start time: 8:45am

Please try to arrive at the starting gate sometime before 8:45 am. Leave yourself a few minutes to pump up your tires, fill your water bottles, change your shoes etc. I will explain a few things about the ride and we need to take a group picture before we start. The goal is to be on the road by 9am.

Ride: There will be a 50 and 25 mile route to choose from. We will have route sheets with directions and mileage at the start for both rides. There will be two feed stations along the route. There will be plenty of drinks and assorted energy food for everyone. I Promise nobody will have trouble finishing this ride due to hydration or nutrition issues.

Showers: For those of you who are traveling from afar, we have arranged for locker room and showers to be available at the Stratton Sports Center for \$4 per person so you can freshen up before the after ride party. We will have printed directions to the Stratton Sports Center at the Start.

After Ride Party: The after ride party has been moved to Grizzly's in the Stratton Mountain Base Lodge. Festivities will start at 2:30pm. You can park in the main Stratton parking lot, go into the base lodge and go upstairs to Grizzly's.

When you get to Grizzly's, please be sure and check in to get your T-shirt, Raffle ticket and wristband. You will need a wristband to get food & drink. Raffle tickets are for free. You do not have to purchase any raffle tickets. They are included in your registration fee. Thanks to the generosity of our sponsors, we have lots of really great raffle prizes to give away. You must be present to win.

I am looking forward to seeing all of you on ride day.

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