



Hello Gravelly-30 unPAvers!

We hope you are as excited as we are for your ride and adventure on the amazing gravel roads of the Susquehanna River Valley. There will be around 1,000 friends participating in unPAved this year and 75 in the new Gravelly-30. We're very excited to have our 30-mile course finally be a legit gravel ride! In fact, Dave rode it this weekend and posted a preview of it on our [Instagram Story](#).

Our whole team has worked hard to put together a fun weekend with lots to do, so take a few minutes to read over all of everything. Those that do always have a better time – and that's what this is all about!

For an audio version for *most* of what you need to know, check out the "[unDAved](#)" episode of Mid-Atlantic Gravel, Travel & Dirt podcast.

There's tons going on before and after the Big Day. Check out the earlier emails and the [website](#) for all your pre and post event resources.

- [Friday Dispatch](#)
- [Saturday Dispatch](#)

**[Welcome from the Susquehanna River Visitors Bureau](#)** This page is full of great information when visiting the area. Whether you are looking for last minute accommodations or something fun for the kids, this is your spot.

And keep this email handy when you get on site for answers to most of your questions!

## Weekend Extras

- [unGraveled](#): Join us on Friday night to reconnect with old friends and make some new ones. The Pub Crawl starts at 6 pm and goes until 10 pm, where we will gather at Bull Run and hand out swag and prizes to those who visited at least 3 places. **Sponsored by**

**SRAM, New Trail Brewing, and Bull Run Tap House!** Print Your Pub Crawl passport at the end of this document, bring it with you Friday and take it with you to all the establishments you visit.

- **[unGraveled Games](#)**: Starting at 8 pm on Friday at Bull Run Game Room, **SRAM** will be hosting Sprint Races. The Winner will win a Ruby Gravel Fork. We will also have other great prizes to hand out. And your first round of beer is on SRAM!
- **[Gravel Film Festival](#)**: Showing from 5:30-7:30 pm on Saturday at the Campus Theater. Tickets can be purchased in advance on our [reg page](#) or at the door for \$10. Light snacks, beer, and beverages are included. Theater concessions will be available as well.

## Packet Pick-Up

**What You Get:** Each rider will get a swag bag (this can be used as a drop bag), a number plate with an embedded timing chip (to go on the front of your bike), two stickers with your bib number (one for your dropbox and one that goes on the left side of your helmet), and 2 raffle tickets.

**Packet Pick-Up: Option #1** - Saturday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm at the HQ tent at the Lewisburg Fall Festival located at [White Pine Alley Parking lot and Blackberry Alley](#). You will want to access the unPaved HQ either on Blackberry Lane or 4th Street. There is plenty of parking in the neighborhood south of Market St., but Market St. is closed for the Lewisburg Fall Festival. You could also park at the [Miller Center](#) and ride over to downtown for the most stress free experience.

**Packet Pick-Up: Option #2** - Sunday 8:00 am - 10:00 am at the start at RB Winter State Park.

Please look up your name on the [official roster](#). If you know your bib number it will help speed up the process.

**Waivers must be signed online *before you get your number*.** If you have not done this, log onto [BikeReg](#) and sign your waiver. Anyone without a signed waiver will need to fill out a paper form (and we don't like killing trees for that).

## Merchandise

If you pre-purchased merch it will be available in the Merchandise Tent, next to HQ, at the Fall Festival on Saturday, at the Packet Pick-Up location on Sunday, and under the unPAved tent at the DONEpaved Party.

We will also have a great selection of new merch if you are still looking for a memory item or some fresh, and warm, clothes.

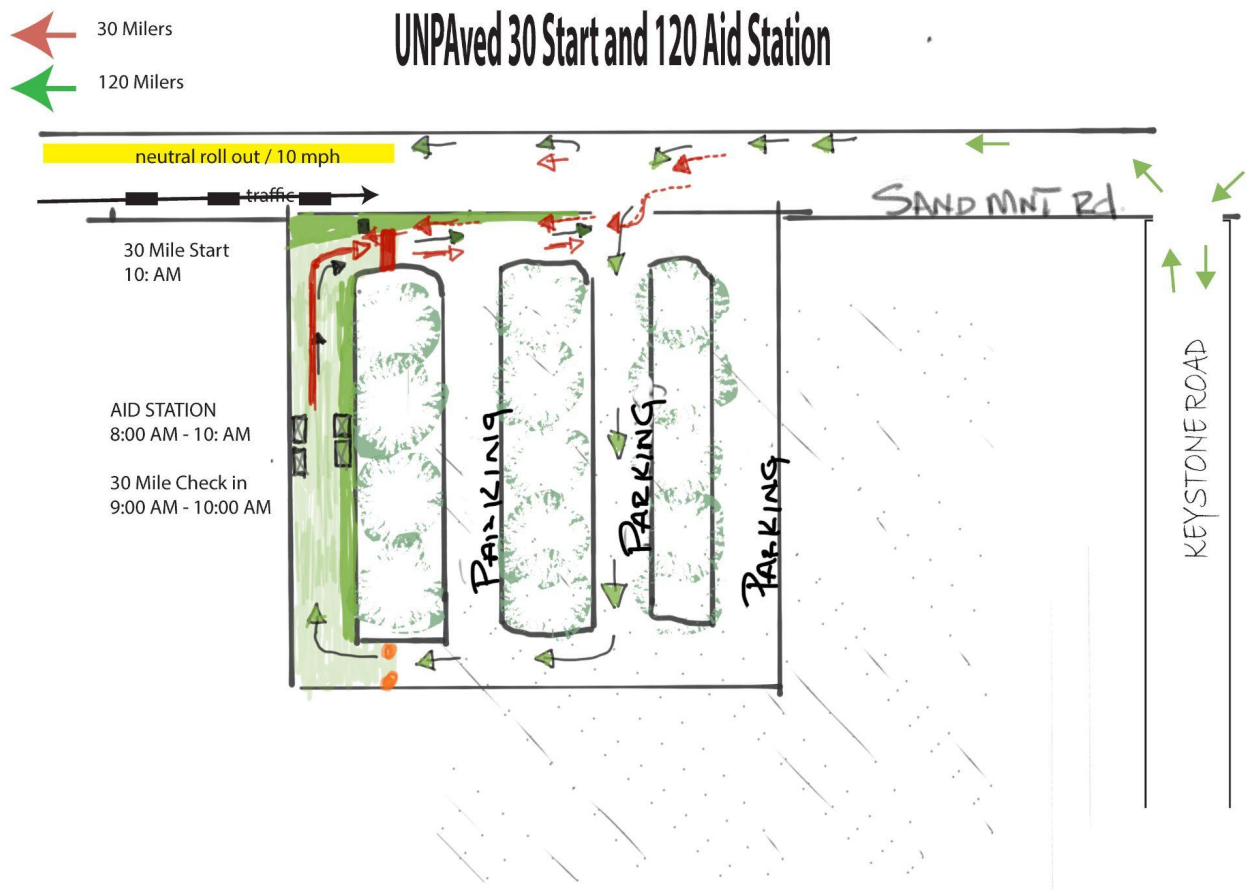
## Remote Start and finish

Your start time is 10:00 am. This is a mass start. Your timing chip will not activate before 10, so if you roll out early we WILL NOT track your time.

In order to pull off our first all-gravel 30-mile ride, we needed to have it start remotely at [RB Winter State Park](#) snowmobile lot. It takes approximately 25 minutes to travel to the start. It is very important that you enter the park via Sand Mountain Road. This is the most direct way to the start area. Please drive slow, and watch for 120-mile riders on this road.

### DIRECTIONS FROM THE MILLER CENTER TO RB WINTER STATE PARK

From the Miller Center head west to Fairground Rd., go north to Buffalo Road (Rte. 192) and turn left (heading west). Drive 20 minutes to Sand Mountain Road (you will go past the main entrance sign and the reservoir), make a hard right (not up the hill) and go a ¼ mile to the Snowmobile Lot. Park and make your way to the very southern isle where you will see the start arch. Check-in tents are in this area.



## The Route and Safety

While most of those taking on a big gravel ride are practiced in using GPS devices, and all our courses are available on [our website](#), the course is well marked with orange arrows and signs. Always follow only the **ORANGE** arrows.

The course is on open roads with car & horse traffic. Abide by the rules and laws of the road, and treat cars & horses with respect.

If you have been following [our Socials](#) you might have noticed a change to the course. Download the Gravelly-30 Course and load it to your device.

<https://gropromotions.com/2023/09/29/course-downloads-and-timing/>

**“Oh No! I can’t finish.”** If you are saying this, turn around. There are no short-cuts or alternate-routes on the 30-miler.

You do have 4-hours to complete the ride.

*If you bail, please check in with someone so we know you're not on course  
PLEASE and THANK YOU!*

## Segments and Timing

- **Your Loop** is the Grey Unicorn (sponsored by **SRAM**) and it’s 25 miles with plenty of ups and downs, but not too gnarly.
  - There is an Aid Station in the middle of this loop and if you stop the clock is still running at this one.
- You will get a segment time, but this is a non-competitive event with no prizes.
- Save and share this link so friends and family can see your progress: [LIVE TIMING LINK](#)

**Note, this link is not live until the race starts.**

## Ride Support

- **The Grey Unicorn Aid Station**  
**Supported by SRAM.** This station is at mile 17 and will have basic items to get you through the next stretch. If you don’t get enough, you have the option to stop back in RB Winter again.
- **RB Winter Water Station**  
The state park has free water at the bathrooms. You will pass by the water spigot twice. Take advantage and fill up.
- **Medics, Motos and Marshals**  
There’s going to be support all over the course, so keep an eye and ear out for them in case of an emergency. Also help each other out. While this is a competitive event, nothing is more important than your fellow riders. Thanks.

- **Showers at the Miller Center**

You can sign up for a special day pass to access the showers and other amenities after your ride or anytime during the weekend: [DAY PASS ACCESS](#)

- **Bike Wash at the Miller Center**

We will have a bike wash station set up at the Miller center. It will be on the south side of the building next to the Rail Trail. Sponsored by MUC-OFF

## Rules to Follow (Pretty Please with a Whoopie Pie on Top)

1. Don't be a Dick!

We know, it's a bad word and we don't like using such language. So don't cross that line and we'll treat you with nothing but respect & love. Do cross that line that we get mad enough to use our bad words, and you won't be welcome back. Plus you'll have to deal with everyone on the internet! #spiritofgravel

It's Rule #1, and it goes a long way, but there are more rules, too...

- Safety first! While this is a timed event the prizes aren't worth injury, or worse. Take care of yourself and each other out on course.
- Course is open roads, with car & horse traffic. Abide by the rules and laws of the road, and treat cars & horses with respect. They are bigger than you.
- Safety third! Do not crash on the big descents! DO NOT cross the "yellow line" (mid-point of unmarked roads) especially when descending.
- No urinating or defecating on course! There are porta-johns at every Aid Station. Will result in disqualification & permanent ban from future events.
- No cutting the course or creating your own shortcut.
- No flying drones without prior approval from event organizers and DCNR.
- No bottle feeds at Aid Stations. If you want support you must come to a stop and put your foot down or dismount.
- No spectators, team or staff allowed on course.
- You are expected to fix your own equipment in case of mechanicals.
- No littering on course, at aid stations or in town.
- Must wear an approved helmet at all times.
- Racers must have a number affixed to the front of their bike, and a number fixed to the back of their body, during the event.
- You must finish on the same bicycle you started on.
- No e-bikes or fixed-gears on the unPAved courses.
- Race directors, medics, and aid station captains may remove any rider from the event that they feel is a hazard to other participants or themselves.

## Your Finish

We did not want you to have to wait to head to the DONEpaved to get your reward. It will be waiting at the RB Winter Park. We have a finish line team just for you! When you are done, you will be treated to a cold beverage (not beer, that comes later), some warm yummy food, and of course a Whoopie Pie.

However, if you want to get into the action on the drawings and the beer, head back to the **Miller Center** for more fun between 3 pm and 9 pm. You will get a beer coupon at packet pick-up to use here. (NO ALCOHOL IS ALLOWED IN PA STATE PARKS)

[More DONEpaved Party details here!](#)

## Fun Stuff

We have some fun things planned for you guys and ways to win swag and prizes.

- **Raffle:** You will be given raffle tickets when you pick up your packet. Choose which baskets you would like to win at the DONEPaved Party on Sunday. Drawings start at 5 pm and go every 30-minutes until they are handed out.
- **DONEpaved Party Games:** Save your strength and plan to get a little rowdy and we will give you free stuff. Sometimes just for showing up!

See youse, y'all & yinz this weekend



Win Prizes!

## HOW TO PLAY

- Hit up 3 or more locations listed (make sure you get this ticket hole-punched)
- Fill out your contact information
- Turn your ticket in to Cimarron & Dave at The Bull Run Tap House before 10pm!

GET UNRAVELED  
2023

DOWNTOWN LEWISBURG, PA  
Friday October 6th, 6:00-10:00pm

Visit 3 locations  
and turn in your  
ticket to win prizes

**PUB CRAWL**  
BROUGHT TO YOU BY



**BRASSERIE LOUIS**  
101 Market Street

**BRENDAN'S TOWNE TAVERN**  
600 Market Street

**BULL RUN TAP HOUSE**  
605 Market Street

**CIVIL WAR CIDER**  
606 Market Street

**HUNGRY RUN DISTILLERY**  
323 Market Street

**JACKASS BREWING COMPANY**  
2268 Old Turnpike Road

**LEWISBURG HOTEL**  
136 Market Street

**MATTY'S SPORHOUSE GRILL**  
74 Walter Drive

**TREVINA**  
434 Market Street

TURN-IN YOUR COMPLETED PASSPORT AT  
**BULL RUN TAP HOUSE**

Name:

Phone Number:

Email: