



2019
RACE INFO PACKET
SATURDAY OCT 5TH 2019

ABOUT:

Baja Bike Race is a 73mile race and gran fondo taking you on a journey through the Valle de Guadalupe, Mexico's wine country! You start 4 blocks from the border of the United States in the Magical town of Tecate and finish in the coastal city of Ensenada. The Tecate to Ensenada route has history taking you back to 1969 and ended in 1993. We brought back this amazing route in 2015 because this is something not to be missed. During your ride, you will experience just over 4000 feet of climbing with gorgeous scenery!

RACE SCHEDULE

6:00am: Registration-check in opens 7:40am: Registration-check in closes

8:00am Race starts

10:00am Finish line fiesta begins

10:40am First riders expected at finish line

1:40pm Award Ceremony

2:00pm Route closes

2:50pm Raffle

4:00pm Finish line fiesta ends

SAG STOP CLOSURE TIMES

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SAG #1 - KM27.8 // 10:00AM

SAG #2 - KM 47 // 11:30AM

SAG #3 - KM 57.5 // 12:00PM

SAG #4 - KM 73 // 12:45PM

SAG #5 - KM 94 // 1:30PM

PRICING:

\$40 early bird

\$50 thru August 18th

\$60 thru September 15th

\$70 thru October 4th

\$80 race day

WHAT IS INCLUDED IN MY FEE?

- Official race T-Shirt
- Finishers medal
- Live track timing linked to Facebook and Twitter
- 5 water/aid stations with Powerade and Carb boom gels
- Beer mug for top 3 in all age categories
- Prize purse for top 3 overall
- · Free secured bike parking
- SAG van
- Beer (if over 18yrs old)
- · Finish line fiesta

Race Age Categories:

MENS:	WOMENS
Masters 65+	Masters 65+
55-64	55-64
40-54	40-54
30-39	30-39
25-29	25-29
18-24 under 18	18-24
under 10	under 18

IKing & I Queen of the Hill Clydesdale | Athena

Prize Purses:

1st place: \$750 2nd place: \$500 3rd place \$250

Overall Males / Females.

TRANSPORTATION

There will be a shuttle service available to get you to the starting line if you are staying in Ensenada or back to the starting line after the race. Available for purchase when you buy your race entry or at our online store. we will be selling onsite but spaces are limited. Secure your spot and buy online with your race entry or at our online store. Price: \$24 usd each way (including bicycle)

Pick up location:

Pre-Race: San Nicolas Hotel and Casino Post-Race: Finish line fiesta

Pre-race shuttle Schedule:

4:00am - Check in/Bike loading time 5:00am - Depart Ensenada Don't be late!

Post-race Shuttle Schedule:

2:30pm - Check in/Bike loading time 3:00pm - Depart Ensenada Don't be late!

BAG DROP

We will be providing a free bag drop at the starting line. We will provide you with a bag for you to place your items in. Your bag will be waiting for you at the finish line.

START CORRALS

Baja Bike Race features corral staging to facilitate a safe and efficient event experience for all participants at all levels of experience. The first corral will be for pro racers and highly experienced riders To qualify, you must finish the course in 3hrs less. Past Baja Bike Race results, registration projected finish times and results from Athlinks.com will be used to provide qualifying times. Please make sure you visit Athlinks to check your results to verify.













RAFFLE / BENIFICIARY

We will be raffling off many products and all proceeds will be going to Hope Sport. Hope Sports is devoted to a two-pronged mission: I) To engage professional athletes in community service, providing them with an opportunity to connect meaningfully to a world beyond their athletic career, and 2) To build homes for low-income families in Baja California. Our program joins its two major themes by bringing together teams of active and recently retired professional athletes who provide the manual labor to build homes for the poor. Through their collective efforts, individual athletes and sports teams collaborate on projects that inspire them live with a greater purpose and heart of service.

<u>Community:</u> We bring athletes together for a shared purpose over the course of one weekend. Our trips are perfect for teams looking to deepen relationships and enhance communications.

<u>Purpose</u>: We help athletes live purpose driven lives and to be people who leave a legacy and make a difference in the world. We encourage purpose based identity.

SUPPORT:

This event is fully supported by the State of Baja California Mexico as well as the Federal toursim board of Mexico. Our goal is to increase the sport of cycling across the neighboring country of Mexico and increase tourism. BajaBikeRace is based in San Diego, Ca and American/Veteran owned. A special thanks to all that support us!

Identity: In one weekend athletes will build a home for a family in need and forever be impacted. In giving hope to others, athletes receive more than they give.

Hope Sports builds homes to provide immediate impacts in six areas:

- I) Financial: Throughout Latin America, the typical cost of a home is 5.4 times higher than working families' average wages and 30% of all families live in dwelling crudely constructed from scrap materials, plastic and rubbish.
- 2) Educational: A child without a home is three times more likely not to attend school with direct consequences for future employability and self-reliance. The poorest children are, tragically, practically predestined to repeat the cycle of poverty into which they are born.
- 3) Health: Homeless children are twice as likely to suffer from asthma and other chronic health conditions. Simply moving from dirt to a concrete floor reduces the rate of chronic childhood diarrhea by 43%.
- **4) Social:** Children without shelter suffer anxiety, depression, social withdrawal and a variety of accompanying

mental health issues at vastly higher rates than the norm. Homeless children are twice as likely to experience persistent hunger and four times as likely to have delayed development. These and other issues affect homeless children's ability to form and keep peer relationships and also prevent those children's integration into mainstream society.

- **5) Emotional:** Homeless children have higher rates of self-harm and exhibit difficulty forming trusting relationships with adults and with other children. The real impact of a childhood without adequate shelter and personal security is manifest in emotional complications that can last a lifetime.
- **6) Functional:** Families struggling to keep their children safe, warm and dry at night have little opportunity to prepare for or invest in a brighter future. Providing adequate housing for a family allows its adults to seek and retain better employment and provide greater long-term support for themselves and their children.

SO PLEASE JOIN IN THE RAFFLE AND HELP US HELP HOPE SPORTS! EACH RACE ENTRY GETS YOU I RAFFLE TICKET























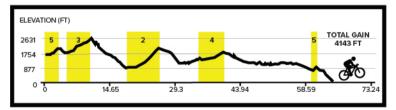








SELEVATION & CLIMB DATA



www.BAJABIKERACE.com







LOCATION: PARQUE DE LA BANDERA (FLAG POLE) **TIME:** 2:00PM ROUTE CLOSING TIME

SCAN FOR GOGGLE MAPS LOCATION





HOW DO I GET MY BIB/CHIP? DONDE RECOJO MI NUMERO?

You can pick up your packet early or on race morning. It is *highly recommended* that you pick it up prior to race day.

Puedes recoger tu número un día antes o la mañana de la carrera. Recomendamos recogerlo el dia anterior a la carrera.

FRIDAY Oct 4th VIERNES 4 de Oct

ENSENADA

San Nicolas Hotel & Casino 10:00am-1:00pm

TECATE

Parque Miguel Hidalgo (Starting line) 5:00pm-7:00pm



START/FINISH LINE ROUTE SALIDA/META RUTA

DOWNLOAD GOOGLE ROUTE HERE: http://bit.ly/2ovzi8B

STARTING LINE SALIDA

TECATE, B.C. MEXICO | College | Col

FINISH LINE META



For more information: www.BajaBikeRace.com



WHERE DO I PARK IN TECATE? DONDE ME ESTACIONO EN TECATE?



LOCATIONS / HOURS UBICACION / HORARIOS

- **1)** 6:00AM-8:00PM // \$40 PESOS
- 2) 6:00AM-8:00PM // \$50 PESOS
- **3)** 6:00AM-8:00PM // \$50 PESOS
- **4)** 6:00AM-8:00PM // \$50 PESOS
- **5)** 6:00AM-8:00PM // \$50 PESOS
- **6)** 6:00AM-8:00PM // \$50 PESOS

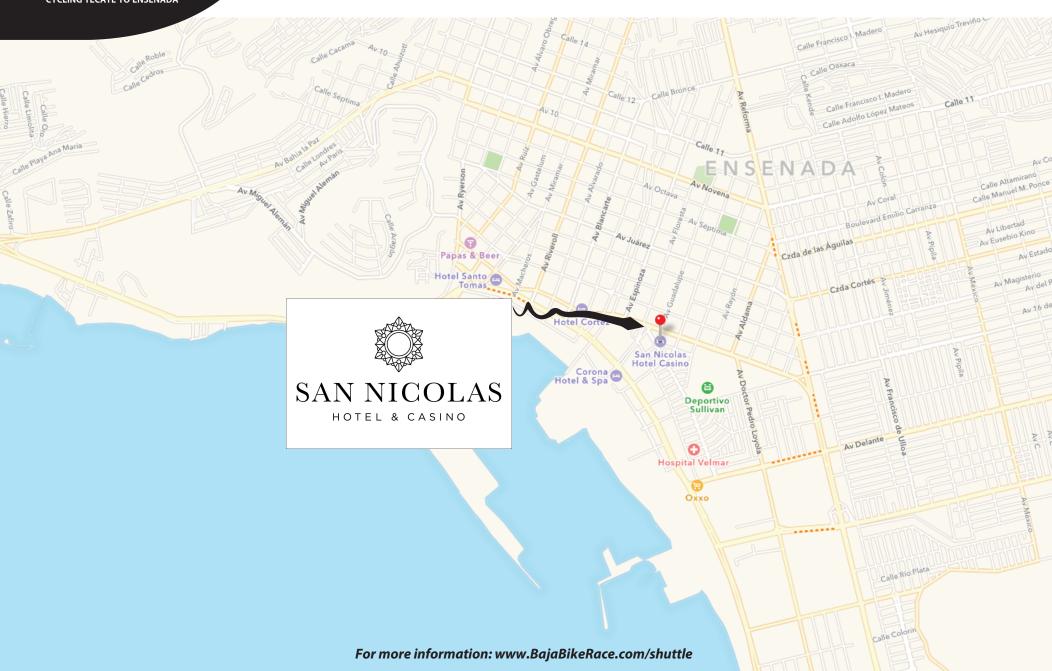
***Prices are subject to change

You can park anywhere you can find a spot. If you perfer a private secured lot, here are some options. More options available on the U.S. side of the border.

Puedes estacionarte donde gustes pero si prefieres un estaciona miento privado, aquí hay unas opciones. Más opciones disponibles en Estados Unidos.



MORNING SHUTTLE AND PACKET PICKUP LOCATION #1





Is there transportation or a shuttle service?









Best Buddy Transportation Service:

Bring a friend that isn't interested in cycling but would love to experience all that Baja California has to offer and make them shuttle you. \$ FREE

ABC BUSES

Services from San Diego to the Tecate Start Line and return with them from Ensenada finish line. \$70dlls Round Trip

Shuttle Service from Ensenada Before/After Race

Available for purchase when you buy your entry online or at our BBR online store. We will be selling onsite but spaces are limited. \$24dlls

Shuttle Service from Tijuana (Round Trip)

Call +664 609-2357 Please buy early as spots will be limited as race day approaches. Service provided by Mad Bikes Tijuana \$25dlls including your bicycle.