



INAUGURAL *Bike Ride*

Saturday, October 1

**7:30am-3:30pm
[Return approximate]**

The inaugural IBAT bicycle ride will take place on Saturday, October 1, and the route is attached. Riders will leave the resort at 7:30am and carpool to Medina, which is one hour away. Beginning in Medina at 9:00, riders will choose from a 42 mile or a 20 mile out and back course. The 20 mile course is rolling and the 42 mile route is hilly. The goal is for all riders to return to Medina by 12:30, and then (if you're interested) we'll go on to Bandera for BBQ (Dutch treat). We should be back at the resort by 3:30.

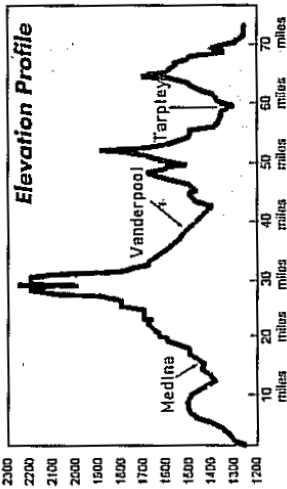
This is NOT a race. All interested riders are welcome...no one will be left behind or by themselves. There will be support vehicles following the riders providing refreshments and assistance if you need help fixing a flat or you need a ride back to our starting point.

**For more information or if you need to rent a bike, contact
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**IBAT's 37th Annual Convention
October 1-4, 2011
Westin La Cantera Resort
San Antonio, Texas**

BANDERA CLASSIC



Miles & Directions

- 0.0 Head north on Main St., also called Texas 16 and Texas 173, from the corner of Pecan St.
- 0.3 Turn right (north) onto Texas 173 where it diverges from Texas 16 at the stoplight.
- 0.8 Turn left (west) onto Ridge Route Rd., also named FM 3240.
- 8.0 Turn left (west) at stop sign T intersection onto RM 2828.
- 11.4 Turn right (north) on Texas 16 (2 lanes, flat, some traffic, no shoulder).
- 13.1 Enter Medina; pass a few stores with soda machines as well as the Cider Mill and Country Store, in the next mile.
- 14.0 Turn left (west) onto RM 337, crossing the Medina River and heading toward the mountains. This is a lovely section, with creek crossings, limestone cliffs, and outcroppings. Very hilly.
- 26.0 Cross Duncan Creek and start a steep 1-mile climb, followed by 3 miles of up and down along the top of the "Ridge Route."
- 29.7 Begin a long, steep descent with great views.
- 34.3 At stop sign T intersection, turn left (south) onto RM 187 at Vanderpool. The next 8 miles are fairly flat, with beautiful crossings of the Sabinal River.

The Lost Maples General Store is to the right here, on RM 337 in 1.1 miles.

