



Mountain Bike Trip 2019 Moab Utah and Area

Come and enjoy some of the best riding the south west United States has to offer!

For 2019 there will be two options for adventure. Depending on interest, there is the option to travel down from B.C. in the Cycle Logic van, hitting some of the best trails along the way to Las Vegas where the rest of the party will be collected at the Airport on September 22. This extended trip will leave B.C. approx. 4-5 days prior. Once we know the number of people interested in the extended trip we will release an itinerary.



Sunday September 22 Day 1 Each person will travel, from their nearest servicing airport , to Las Vegas international airport. Once all have arrived your bikes will be built and the vans will be loaded for the drive to Moab. Our stay in Moab will be 4 nights with secure and private garage storage for bikes and gear. We will likely get in later in the day and will have time to shop for supplies and prepare for the following day.



Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and the majority of Thursday will be spent riding some of the best trails Moab has to offer. Our main goal will be to ride the Whole Enchilada which starts at high altitude. We will choose the best day weather wise to do this ride and will plan the other rides around this. Mag 7, The Whole Enchilada, Amasa, and Captain Ahab and Slick Rock are the trails we will aim to ride.



Slickrock at dusk



Upper Porcupine Rim / Whole Enchilada

Each evening we will have the opportunity to enjoy the many excellent dining opportunities such as The Moab Brewing Company and authentic Mexican. Our accommodation also has a full kitchen for those that would prefer to stay in and cook their own meals. For breakfast, eat in before we start the day or head to the eclectic café to get your fill of their amazing banana nut french toast! There will also be opportunity for those that didn't get enough during the day to head out in the evening as well for night rides.



On our final day in Moab (Thursday) we will pack and do one of the shorter rides such as Slick Rock or The Klondike Bluffs. We will then make the drive back towards Las Vegas and spend three nights in Hurricane. Hurricane is a top notch riding area that is lessor known than Moab and will also provide a base for an excursion to Zion national park.



The Whole Enchilada!



Final 1000ft climb to the summit



Burro Pass. Our Summit! 11200ft.

We will arrive in Hurricane in the late afternoon Thursday and will try to fit in a night ride. The Gem trail is a favorite trail to ride at night as it is a reasonably smooth trail with limited exposure. Friday we will ride the Goose Berry Mesa trail network which is kind of like rock crawling on a mountain bike. There are lots of short punchy climbs with very little in the way of sustained climbing. Saturday will be a choice between Zion National park or riding another local trail such as Guacamole.



Gem Trail



Goose Berry Mesa

For those that have never been to Zion National Park, it is a must see when in the area. There are a number of hikes from incredibly strenuous to easy and mellow. A few note worthy ones are Angel's landing and The Slot Canyon river hike on which you walk up the shallow river deeper and deeper into the canyon. Those that have experienced Zion may choose to go on another ride in the Hurricane area. Whether you choose the ride or Zion, you are sure to have a great time!



Slot Canyon River Hike Zion National Park



Zion National Park

On Sunday, our final day before departure, we will do a shorter ride and then make our way back to Las Vegas. It is a relatively short drive from Hurricane to Las Vegas and we will aim to arrive in the mid to late afternoon. The rest of the day and evening will be yours to explore the strip. We will be spending the night on the strip which is close in proximity to airport for the following day's departure.



Cost is set at \$3100 for the 8 days. This amount includes the following:

- Airfare for you and your bicycle to and from Las Vegas airport. Carry on luggage will be included, any further checked baggage will be extra.

- Accommodations, based on double occupancy when we are staying in a hotel. Couples may be able to change their room to one single king bed if available at our check in time.

- Van rentals and fuel as well as any and all shuttles during our stay in Moab.

- Two experienced guides familiar with the area's riding as well as it's amenities. Your bikes will also be packed for air travel and re-assembled on each end (Kamloops or Prince George). You will also have two bicycle mechanics who will be able to perform trail side repairs in the event of a mechanical failure.

- Food, drinks, and equipment as well as any bicycle parts required are not included in the fee. A list of essential and suggested items will be provided . A non refundable, non transferable deposit of \$1000 per person will hold a seat with the balance of \$2000 being due by August 23 2019.