

# 2025 Spring Ride Checklist

This year we will be heading to the Bentonville, Arkansas region. This area has quickly become the Mecca of mountain biking in the US. We will be able to ride three different trail systems in this area over the three days that we will be riding. This area is adding many miles of trails each year and I am looking forward to checking them out.

\*We leave April 23<sup>rd</sup> from Christ Covenant Church. There is enough parking there to leave your vehicle while we are gone. Loading/ Check In starts at 5:30 PM. We will return in the very early hours of Sunday, April 27<sup>th</sup>.

\*Cost: \$110 Send a check, or you can pay online while registering on the website. Send checks to the following address: 2<sup>nd</sup> Mile Adventures, 2562 Walton Blvd, Box 317, Warsaw IN 46582

\*\*A T-shirt will only be guaranteed for those who register before April 7<sup>th</sup>. A few extras will be purchased, but I cannot guarantee that I will have your size if you register later.

- Bike (If you need a bike please contact me at: [nate@2ndmileadventures.org](mailto:nate@2ndmileadventures.org))
- Biking Shoes
- Helmet (This is a required item – you must have a helmet to ride the trails)
- Water bottle or camelback
- Biking clothes (layered clothing – weather is cool in the morning and warms up in the afternoon)
- Spare bike tube(s) (we bring a spare 29” tire – if you’d like to bring an additional tire you can)
- Bike pump or Co2 cartridge
- Tire Levers
- Tent (if you DO NOT want to sleep on the bus there is tent camping available)
- Sleeping bag
- Snack food (you’ll need cliff bar or power bar like snacks for the ride)
- Money for food while traveling, and for food in town for lunch and dinner one day.
- Lunch for yourself for two days. This may be eaten out on the trail, so plan on having a way to carry this with you. Once we leave the campground in the morning, we will not be returning until late in the afternoon.
- Warm clothes (sock hat, gloves, jacket/sweatshirt, etc. for temps that get down into the low 40’s at night and early morning) This area can have temps that range from a low of 30 to a high or 70. Keep an eye on the weather as the time gets closer.
- Toiletries (There are flush toilets and showers at the campground) As we learned last year on Fall Trip, you may want to pack TP for the trail if needed 😊
- Flashlight or headlamp

**\*If you have any questions about items on this list or something you didn’t see on the list please contact:**

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