Texas AFCT 2019 Annual Ride Calendar

March:

1. <u>March 16th – Riverside Ride</u> Victoria Texas (2.5 hours from San Antonio)



Please join us for the Riverside Ride through the rolling hills of northwest Victoria County, presented by the Kiwanis Club of Victoria.

Fully Supported rides of 6 (10k), 20, 30, 40, 50, 62 and 100 miles! Choose the distance that suites your riding style.

www.riversideride.com

2. March 30th – LBJ 100 Stonewall, Texas (1.5 hours from San Antonio)



A fundraising event for the National Park Service at the 30, 42, & 62 mile distances

http://www.lbj100.bike/

April:

3. <u>April 13th – Ride to Remember (Ride Marshall Duties--Max Participation)</u> Poth, Texas (1 hour from San Antonio)



Route Distances: 12, 22, 44 and 66 Miles. The City of Poth will host the 10th Annual "Ride To Remember" Bicycle Ride and 5K Run/Walk in cooperation with the Alzheimer's Association and the Poth Economic Development Corp.

http://www.cityofpoth.org/blog/ride-to-remember/

4. <u>April 19-21 – Easter Hill Country Tour</u> Kerrville, Texas (1 hour from San Antonio)



Route Distance: vary from 20 to 100 miles in length to suit every riding taste. The event will be Friday, Saturday & Sunday, April 19-21, 2019. Event headquarters and all of the ride starts will be at Schreiner University.

http://ehct.com/

5. <u>April 28th, Fiesta Wildflower Ride</u> San Antonio, Texas



Join us for Fiesta San Antonio's only bicycling event! Participants will bicycle along scenic roads on routes ranging from 2 0miles to 60 miles. Riders can expect a memorable experience with local police protection helping to keep the roads safe, SAG support, bike mechanics, fully stocked rest stops, and a NEW BIGGER BETTER FUN Fiesta style finish party. In 2018 over 1800 athletes participated from Texas and beyond. All pre registered riders will receive a limited edition FIESTA MEDAL commemorating the event, an event water bottle, event tee shirt, collectible bib number, maps and goodies from our sponsors.

Riders must register by April 10th to be guaranteed a tee shirt, medal, and water bottle. After that time these items will be distributed as supplies hold out.

http://www.fiestawildflower.com/index.htm

May:

6. <u>May 18th – Real Ale Ride (Ride Marshall Duties--Max Participation)</u> Blanco, Texas (1 hour from San Antonio)



The Real Ale Ride is Bicycle Sport Shop's most popular event rolling through the scenic hills of Blanco, TX on Saturday, May 18, 2019. It's a ride for all cyclists, with distances of 15, 30, 50, 65, and 80 miles to choose from.

https://www.bicyclesportshop.com/realaleride-info

7. May 27th, AF Texas Team "Memorial Day Ride" to Veterans Hospital (Max Participation) Comfort, Texas (1 hour from San Antonio)

Around 39.6 mile round trip from Comfort to Kerrville's Veterans Hospital for a visit.



June:

8. <u>June 1st – Texas 4000</u> Lampasas, Texas (2.5 hours from San Antonio)



The 2019 Texas 4000 ATLAS Ride Presented by BHI is a celebratory cycling event on June 1, 2019 in Lampasas, TX. The ATLAS Ride is a kick-off to the summer and an opportunity for friends, family, and members of the community to ride with the 2018 Texas 4000 Team on day 1 of their 70 day journey from Austin, TX to Anchorage, AK!

With 25 and 50 mile ride options, every level of cyclist can join us to bike through the hill country while raising money and awareness for our mission to cultivate student leaders and engage communities in the fight against cancer. Enjoy beautiful views, rolling hills and the wildlife of the Texas Hill Country.

https://www.texas4000.org/event/atlas-ride/

9. <u>June 8th – Tour de Agua (Ride Marshal Duties—Max Participation)</u> Dublin, Texas (4.5 hours from San Antonio)



Route Distances: 9, 25, 41 and 66 miles. Proceeds from this ride benefit Kids Across Cultures, which carries out health, education, and clean water initiatives around the world. www.kidsacrosscultures.org.

www.rideforthechange.com

July

10. <u>July 4th - Fourth of July Parade (Max Participation)</u> Comfort, Texas (1 hour from San Antonio)



0800 show with warmup ride to Kerrville and back

11. <u>July 21st - 27th - RAGBRAI</u> Iowa - AFCT 25th Anniversary



Ride across Iowa

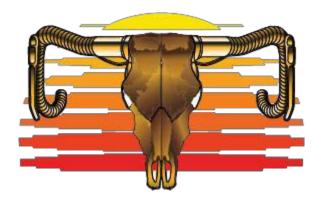
Average distance is 472 miles, 7 day trek across Iowa from Missouri river to Mississippi river, featuring the oldest, longest, and largest recreational bicycle tour in the world!

http://ragbrai.com

August:

12. <u>August 24th – Hotter'n Hell Hundred (Ride Marshall Duties—Max Participation)</u>

Wichita Falls, Texas (7 hours from San Antonio)



Hotter'N Hell Hundred is one of the oldest and largest cycling events in the nation. Over 13,000 riders from across the globe come to Wichita Fall. Route Distances: 10K - 25 mile -50 mile -100K - 75 mile -100 mile.

http://www.hh100.org/

September:

13. <u>September 14th – Conquer the Coast</u> Corpus Christi Bay, Texas (2.5 hours from San Antonio)



Here, your adventure has only begun as you continue to make your way through all the quirky little towns in between that line the shores of Corpus Christi Bay. Portland, Aransas Pass, Ingleside and Port Aransas all offer their own unique flair to the Coastal Bend and promise spectacular views along the way. The Port Aransas Ferry connects you to Mustang & Padre Island where the true test begins. Some call it the "Toughest 18 Miles in Texas" as this stretch of Mustang Island is what it's all about. It's what separates the joy riders from the cyclists. A quick jump across the Intercoastal Waterway and you hit Ocean Drive. Easily one of the most scenic drives in all of Texas. Route Distances: 10 mile, 21 mile, and 66 mile.

http://www.conquerthecoast.org/

14. <u>September 21st - Mamma Jamma Ride</u> Martindale, Texas (1 hour from San Antonio)



Route Distances: 15, 25, 40 and 65 miles. The Mamma Jamma Ride is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization dedicated to helping those facing breast cancer and their families.

Our amazing community of cyclists, volunteers, sponsors, and beneficiary organizations come together each year to host one of the best supported and most fun bike rides in Texas. Located on the banks of the San Marcos River, Martindale is eight miles east of San Marcos. This charming Texas town opens up its historic Main Street to host a street party for ride participants and spectators. The surrounding countryside offers scenic views, friendly neighbors, and lovely country roads for our cyclist.

mammajammaride.org

15. <u>September 28th - Wheelmen 100</u> Adkins, Texas



Route Distances: 7, 25, 44, 66 and 100 miles. The San Antonio Wheelmen Bicycle Club is joining Earn-A-Bike to put on a fundraising ride to benefit Earn-A-Bike, a non-profit organization dedicated to preventing obesity-related diseases and inspiring healthy life habits. Location: Texas Pride Barbecue

www.wheelmen100.com

October:

16. October 12th – Tour de Honey
Beeville, Texas (2 hours from San Antonio)



Route Distances: 30, 50 and 65 miles plus a 30 mile chip timed race. The annual Tour de Honey will take cyclists through the beautiful country side of Beeville Texas and Bee County. The routes are gentle rolling with a few hills that will test those legs and push your endurance level. Bee County has some of the most well maintained county roads you'll find anywhere.

Each participant will be fed a warm lunch after the days event to help refuel those tired bodies. We will also have some music and a finishing medal at the finish. There will be age divisions for both men and women with first, second and third place medals for each division.

www.beevillestingers.com

17. October 26th – Bike the 'Burg Fredericksburg, Texas (1.5 hours from San Antonio)



Bike the 'Burg is a scenic bicycle rally in Fredericksburg, Texas. This incredible Texas Hill Country riding experience will feature several route options to accommodate all skill levels. Rest stops will be located along the cycling routes at four of the scenic Gillespie County Country Schools, including the Doss Community Center. They will be stocked with refreshments and home baked goods to fuel your ride! Please join us for a day of outdoor fun for the whole family!

Proceeds from Bike the 'Burg directly benefit Ambleside School of Fredericksburg.

Route options are 14, 34.5, 48, and 65 miles.

www.biketheburgtx.com