

AEA DART POPULAIRE TO SAN YSIDRO

LOGISTICS OVERVIEW

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OVERVIEW

- 120 km (~75 mile) point to point ride ending in San Ysidro (San Diego P.O.) sponsored by San Diego Randonneurs (RUSA)
 - Lunch provided at finish control (CBTL)
- Sunday November 19 from 0700 to 1500
- Teams consist of from 3 to 5 bikes,
 - 3 RUSA members from a team must finish to get RUSA credit
 - 4 current RUSA members are interested in joining a team; only I am AEA Cycling Club member
- Two routes are proposed
 - Oceanside start -- submitted for approval
 - San Clemente start -- approved

SELECTING A ROUTE (OCEANSIDE)

- Somewhat more climbing overall but more distributed and avoids Torrey Pines climb
- Able to use COASTER on return trip
 - No bike reservation required
 - Arrives Oceanside 8:16 pm
 - Free parking at Oceanside Transit Center (or at your motel if arriving on Saturday evening)

SELECTING A ROUTE (SAN CLEMENTE)

- Less climbing overall but includes Torrey Pines climb
- Must use Amtrak on return trip
 - Bike reservation required – no additional charge but only 6 slots per train
 - Evening trains do not stop at San Clemente!
 - Amtrak 791 arrives San Juan Capistrano 8:16 pm
 - 7 mile ride back to San Clemente in the dark or
 - Arrive in San Juan Capistrano Saturday, park, and ride to San Clemente motel
 - Parking at San Clemente station -- \$1.00 if arrive Sunday morning
 - Overnight parking at San Juan Capistrano station -- 32 spaces, \$0.25 per hour

SIGNING UP FOR THE DART

- Prospective riders must complete the following 4 tasks at least 7 DAYS prior to the ride.
- 1. Click on the following link to register with the Club.
- https://ridewithgps.com/auto_approve?code=gesz9mN2yAaqnnW4&id=43631&type=Event
- 2. Register and pay the RUSA event registration fee of \$15.00 using the link below.
- http://sdrandos.com/brevets/2017/RUSADART2_reg.html
- 3. Complete and sign the waiver and return to the team captain by email, along with required information: (a) name, address, and RUSA #, (b) emergency contact information (name & phone number)
- 4. Read the rules at <https://rusa.org/dartpopulairerules.html> and send the team captain an e-mail acknowledging that they read and understand the rules.
- 5. Let Mel Cutler know which route you prefer and if you have flexibility



QUESTIONS?