

# TOPAZ 600

## 2 or 3-Day Dual Sport or Adventure Bike Tour

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New late snow melt date **July 14-15-16**

**Start/Finish at Topaz on Hwy 395 at Ca/Nv state line  
Make Reservation NOW, Motel Will Soon Fill**

- Each entry includes a ride T-shirt
- Download of Garmin GPS tracks available at sign-in
- No rider Limit, Walk-Up entries welcome
- Topaz Lodge Motel or Full Hookup RV Park
- Thursday & Friday night sign-in 8-11 PM @ Topaz Lodge
- Friday & Saturday morning sign-in 7-8 AM also @ Topaz Lodge

***We have Five all day loops plus Two half day loops,  
you choose the 2 or 3 you want to ride;***

**Carson Loop (240 Mi, 100 Mi on gas)** Up Hwy 4 over 9,000 ft Ebbetts pass to Bear Reservoir for Lunch & Gas, then back over 8,500 ft Carson Pass (Hwy 88), then over 9,000 ft Forestdale Divide & Blue Lakes, back to 88, to 395, then thru Pine Nuts back to Topaz. A dawn to dusk very tough ride with lots of Single Track. New Clockwise Loop, Not suitable for Adventure Bikes.

**Markleeville Loop (65 Mi)** Lots of slow Single Track on way to Markleeville (35 Mi) for early lunch/gas then fast (30 Mi) way back to Topaz for early departure home. This is a very tough ride with lots of Single Track. Not suitable for Adventure Bikes.

**Sonora Loop (216 Mi, 90 Mi on gas)** Up over 9,000 ft Ebbetts pass (Hwy 4) to Connell for lunch & gas then down to Hwy 108 and back over Sonora Pass, then past the Marine base to Burcham Flat road back to Topaz. This loop is suitable for Adventure Bikes going all Easy Ways but has several miles of single Track on Hard Ways.

**Mt. Patterson Bodie Hills Adv Loop (165 Mi, 110 on gas, optional 25 Mile loop to Aurora)** Over Desert Creek, thru ghost towns of Masonic & Bodie, to Lunch at Virginia Lake, then Gas in Bridgeport. Fun fast Dual Sport Loop using all county roads, suitable for Adventure Bikes.

**Mt. Patterson Bodie Hills DS Loop (195 Mi, 125 Mi on gas)** Ricky mine Trail, then thru ghost towns of Pine Grove, Aurora, & Bodie, to Lunch & Gas in Bridgeport. Then thru Masonic & Belfort to 10,700 ft. Mt. Patterson. This loop has many miles of single track and rough 2-track jeep roads. Not suitable for Adventure Bikes.

**Mt. Patterson DS Short Loop (145 Mi, 75 on gas)** Over Mt Pat thru Belfort to Lunch & Gas in Bridgeport. Thru Masonic then Ricky mine Trail back. Skip Gas/Lunch for 90 Mi 1/2 day Loop for early departure home.

**Smith Valley Loop (145 Mi, 114 Mi on gas)** Toward Mt Pat but then down Desert Creek and through Smith Valley around the Pine Nuts through Carson Valley to lunch & gas in Markleeville then back to Topaz. All county roads, suitable for Adventure Bikes.

**For Information; call (775) 884-0399 [Jerry.Counts@SBCGlobal.net](mailto:Jerry.Counts@SBCGlobal.net)**

# 2017 Topaz 600 Entry Form DualSportWest.com

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Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First)

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Bike \_\_\_\_\_

In emergency, contact: \_\_\_\_\_  at event, or  by phone at ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Check one:

- I will be riding alone and will be responsible for my own safety.  
 I will be riding with the riders listed below and we will be responsible for each others' safety.

I understand that this self guided tour uses only state and county highways. I understand that my vehicle must be street-licensed, meet all vehicle code requirements, and comply with state liability requirements.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle T-Shirt size: S M L XL XXL (If none circled, you get XL)

Check the appropriate box:

- Mail in 2-day entry \$110 No refunds after 7/2  
 Mail in 3-day entry \$125 No refunds after 7/2  
 Early discount if postmarked before 6/18 Deduct \$10  
 Late Fee if if postmarked after 7/2 or Walk-Up Add \$10

Check the two or three loops you want to ride.

- Carson DS Loop  
 Markleeville DS 1/2 day Loop  
 Sonora Adv or DS Loop  
 Mt. Patterson Adv Loop  
 Mt. Patterson DS Loop  
 Mt. Patterson Short DS 1/2 day Loop  
 Smith Valley Adv Loop

MAIL:

- Entry Form,  Check payable to Countdown,  Discount Coupon, &  Business size self addressed stamped confirmation envelope

To: COUNTDOWN, 3785 Meadow Wood Rd. Carson City, NV 89703

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## TOPAZ MOTELS:

Make reservation NOW, this is prime season and our block of rooms at Topaz Lodge will only be held until 6/14

Topaz Lodge Motel (800) 962-0732 Mention "Dual Sport" for \$90 group rate before June 15th.  
Topaz Lodge RV Park (775) 266-3337  
Best Western Topaz (800) 385-2399, (775) 266-4661 then "0"

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Reminders of deadlines for group rates at motels.

Notice of any additions or schedule changes.