

Subject: Ready2Roll Cycling - 2019 Ride 3, Waifs, Feb 9, 8:00 am

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To: Steve Matthews

**Ride 3 departs promptly at 8:00 am
from Waifs this week!**

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Good morning! We'll keep today's note focused on the weekly ride details...

The maps this week will be slightly delayed due to a local connectivity issue (weekend or a coffee). The maps will be ready and will be online late Thursday or Friday.

This week, we are doing something new, and something classic, as we wrap up our first quarter of the season. This will be our last 54-mile ride for a while as we'll make one final trip around the Strawberry/Pulhawa/Brockshire loop, or two trips, if you want to ride 54 miles.

Read on for the weekly details - please note to bring cash this week, if you want to contribute before/after the ride and help support the Waifs Knights of Columbus. See the details below...

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The ride this week will offer three route options, a 22-mile, out and back, short option for our beginners (separate start after the long, rugged plus a 22-mile and a 34-mile option. This is still only Ride 1 as the cut-off for the 54-mile option will occur just past mile 27 at 10:15 am. You need to be lined up in one the first four rows, average 17 mph and spend 2 minutes, or less, at #52 and #53 to make the cut-off.

Directions to the Start, Waifs Knights of Columbus Hall, 765 Columbus Rd, Waifs

This week, we're heading to a new start location for most of us - Waifs, Texas. Waifs is located on FM 2001 about 11 miles west of Pulhawa so, to get there, you just take the same route you took to Ride 1 which was to take the Highway 201way to the Grand Parkway (or take the Grand Parkway to the West Park Tollway. Then, continue west on the Westpark Tollway. The tollway ends and turns into FM 2001 into Pulhawa (traffic light). Continue on FM 2001 about 14.5 miles past Pulhawa (4.5 miles past Strawberry). There is a stop sign at the intersection of FM 2001 and FM 1458. FM 2001 made a slight right-hand lay to the left at this stop sign but you proceed straight (after stopping) to get into Columbus Road. The Waifs KOC Hall is just over half a mile down on the right.

There is some parking on the right but this will fill quickly and early with volunteers and very early arrivals. Most of the parking will be on the left, grassy area which has an entrance on the left lined up with the main entry to the KOC Hall on the right. This area is basically over fairly wide area of parking so cars will enter and go left or right (we'll have some parking volunteers helping) and park, as close as we reasonably can, on the left or right.

There will be overflow parking which we will describe in the Friday update as well. Please do support if you aren't already. PLEASE use the support feature on our website on the Communication/Classifieds area.