# Bryce Conquer the Mountain Adventure Race - Email #1~

The Conquer the Mountain Adventure Races are only four weeks away! Are you getting ready for an awesome weekend of adventure racing? We are! We have a great course for you to run/trek, bike, paddle, and navigate your way around on Saturday and Sunday, May 22 & 23, 2021, at Bryce Resort in Basye, Virginia.

**PARKING:** There will be an area designated for our racers to park located near the main entrance to the Resort and within a short walking distance to the start/finish line. Look for our REV3Endurance volunteers who will be directing our racers to the gravel parking lot near the tennis courts. You will have access to your cars before you start the race. Check-in, and the start and finish areas are all located in the same area, just inside the Shenandoah Room in the Main Lodge. This is a new building at Bryce Resort and will be our headquarters for the race all weekend long. The address is 1982 Fairway Dr, Basye, VA 22810.

### **DIRECTIONS:**

Bryce Resort - 1982 Fairway Dr, Basye, VA 22810

<u>Directions</u> from 81 South verses GPS

Turn right onto State Rte 703, 1.4 miles

Turn left onto State Rte 614, 1.1 miles

Turn right onto VA-263 W, 9.1 miles

Turn right onto Resort Dr to Bryce Resort 1.5 miles

We will be releasing the Rules of Travel (ROT) for all races on Monday night, May 19th on our Facebook page and website for all participants to review. We will send out our final racer email that same evening with any updates.

All event information including schedule, required gear, and logistics can be found on the REV3Endurance website under your specific event. Here are the direct links:

24 Hour Adventure Race 6-8 Hour Adventure Race Sprint & Family Adventure Race Aqua Blaze Adventure Race

Make sure you read all the information on your event page. If you have any questions, feel free to email christi@rev3endurance.com.

### **MANDATORY GEAR:**

Mandatory gear will not be checked during check-in, but we will do random checks on gear during the race. Penalty points will be given for any missing items. Please refer to the gear list for items you will need on course. This list is not all-inclusive of items you will need to complete

the race. You will be out in the elements for the entire race. Bring other equipment as appropriate to get you through the event.

Please note: Each race has its own mandatory gear list. Please reference our website to view the gear necessary for your event. We have added a few items to the mandatory gear list for the race so be sure to check that out before race day.

#### **WEATHER:**

The weather in May is typically 70-80 degrees during the day. Remember to pack sunscreen, lip balm, sunglasses, rain jacket/windbreaker and insect repellent.

### **RACE DAY SCHEDULE:**

## Friday Night (May 21, 2021)

## Early check-in for all races

May 21st, 6PM-8PM at the Bryce Resort Shenandoah Room REV3Endurance is working on a live outdoor music option and s'mores fire pit outside the Shenandoah Room from 7PM-9PM for racers, family and friends 8PM-9PM, 24 Hour Race Pre Race Briefing

## 24 Hour & 6-8 Hour Adventure Races (Saturday, May 22, 2021)

Race Day Itinerary - Saturday May 22, 2021:

- 6:00 am 7:20 am: Race packet pickup and transition set-up at Bryce Resort in the Shenandoah Room
- 6:00 am Bike drop area opens, marked area at the bottom of the ski lift outside of the Shenandoah Room
- 6:00 am 7:20 am: Bike Drop at the bottom of the ski lift for transport via ski lift to the top of the mountain. BIKES MUST BE DROPPED OFF BEFORE 7:20 AM
- 7:20 am: Pre-race brief (Mandatory for all team captains) (6-8 Hour Race)
- 8:00 am: Race Wave 1 Start (All 24 Hour racers will start in this wave)
- 8:15 am: Race Wave 2 Start
- 8:45 am: Race Wave 3 Start
- 9:15 am: Race Wave 4 Start
- Early Packet Pick-up is Saturday May 22nd, 12:00 pm 3:00 pm at Bryce Resort in the Shenandoah Room (Agua Blaze & Sprint\Family Race)
- 5:00 pm: Racers must be off the course 6\8 Hour Race
- 5:30 pm: Awards ceremony 6\8 Hour Race

## Aqua Blaze & Sprint/Family Adventure Race (Sunday, May 23, 2021)

• 7:00 am - 7:45 am: Race packet pick up at Bryce Resort in the Shenandoah Room

- 7:45 am: Pre-race briefing (Mandatory for racers, Aqua Blaze)
- 8:00 am: Race start (Agua Blaze)
- 8:00 am: All 24 hour racers off the course
- 8:15 am: Bikedrop area opens, marked area at the bottom of the ski lift
- 8:45 am: 24 Hour Racers Awards (Rolling awards for racers that need to leave)
- 8:50 am: Bike Drop at the bottom of the ski lift for transport via lift to the top of the mountain. ALL bikes must be dropped BEFORE 8:50 AM
- 9:00 am: Pre-race brief (Mandatory for all team captains)
- 9:30 am: Race start
- 12:30 pm: Racers must be off the course
- 1:00 pm: Awards ceremony
- 1. Everyone will need to complete a USARA waiver!
- 2. Pick up your race day t-shirt.
- 3. Review the maps and Rules Of Travel (ROT) and strategize.
- 4. Attend the pre-race brief.
- 5. Get ready to race!

## \*\*\*\*FORMS\*\*\*\*

Race Rules to follow and observe - Please Read

Read & Review Race Waiver - Form to download and sign

Each team member, please **print out and complete USARA form** and bring it to check-in. Race packets cannot be given out until all forms are completed.

Racers will be required to purchase a race-day USARA membership for **\$8.00**. Please bring exact change or check. USARA Race Day Insurance Form

#### LODGING:

Preferred Lodging option - <u>Shrine Mont</u> - 2.5 miles from the race starting line offering cottages, hotel style and bunk house options. Located at 217 Shrine Mont Circle, Orkney Springs, VA 22845. Contact Shrine Mont directly for reservations and mention REV3Endurance Bryce Conquer the Mountain weekend.

Rustic camping option available at Bryce Resort (grass field near starting line) \$10.00 per person for the weekend (Bryce Airport) walking distance to the starting line. RESERVATIONS REQUIRED. Access to water, port a jons and some shower options may be available - RSVP to <a href="mailto:christi@rev3endurance.com">christi@rev3endurance.com</a>

For other additional lodging options - Click here for - <u>Visit Shenandoah County</u> Accommodations

As always, contact us with any questions at christi@rev3endurance.com. We're looking forward to seeing you on the mountain!

Registration will remain open until Saturday, May15 at midnight. If you have any friends who are interested in racing they can use the code "REV3ALUMNI" to save 20% off the current price. These are great opportunities to ask questions and hear other racers discuss the upcoming CTM races. We have two more sessions scheduled before race day.

# Open Q & A Via Zoom with Race Director Mike Spiller April 22, 2021 May 13, 2021

**Topic: CTM Event Meetings** 

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