

Goat Track Gambol - A 200 km Audax ride.



Start: 6:30 am Saturday, 24th June. Anzac Park, Toowong.

Route: ridewithgps.com/routes/5941678 (Garmin compatible gpx/tcx files can be downloaded here)

Registration: goo.gl/Hir6UI

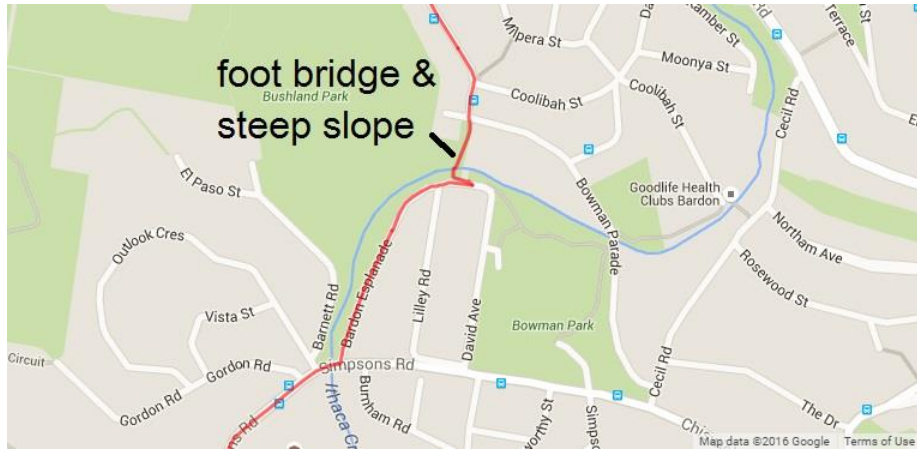
Checkpoints: Mt Glorious Rainforest Café (42.8 km); Marburg: (104.2 km); Yamanto (158.6 km); Toowong (203.0 km)

Ride Organiser: Mark Riley (0416 802834/ m.riley@uq.edu.au)

Description:

The ride has 2570 m of ascent, slightly more than average for an Audax ride around Brisbane, but most of this occurs in the first ¼ of the ride.

In Bardon (4.2 km) there is a tricky bit that crosses a foot bridge that connects the end of Bardon Esp with Davies Dr. The steep path after the bridge can be slippery with leaves.



The Goat Track (31 km) has 3 km of well packed dirt. The road is one-way (going up) and has very little traffic.

Mt Glorious Rainforest Café (Control 42.8 km) Make sure you fill your water bottles, the next opportunity is Fernvale. The descent off the back of Glorious is steep (after the red warning signs). If you haven't ridden this before take care, it can get away from you. There can be water on the road, even if it hasn't rained.

Fernvale (87 km) The route turns right just as you enter Fernvale, but go in if you need food/water. There are toilets/water in the Park.

Marburg (Control 104.2 km) Cnr Queen & Edmond St: General Store, toilets across the road.

Rosewood (115 km): Water/food/toilet.

At 135 km, take care as Sugarloaf Rd crosses the Cunningham Hwy. On the far side Mutdapilly Dip Rd is dirt for 2 km.

Yamanto (Control 156.8 km) There is a McDonalds as well as many other food options here.

Info for non-Audax Riders:

Lighting rules apply on this ride. You must have two independent front lights and two independent rear lights. A reflective vest must be carried and worn after sunset (see Audax website for full rules).

A **Brevet card** and **cue sheet** will be handed out at the beginning of the ride.

A **time limit** (total elapsed time) of 13 hr 20m applies (7:40pm).

Please contact/text RO (Mark Riley 0416 802834) **if you withdraw** during the ride.