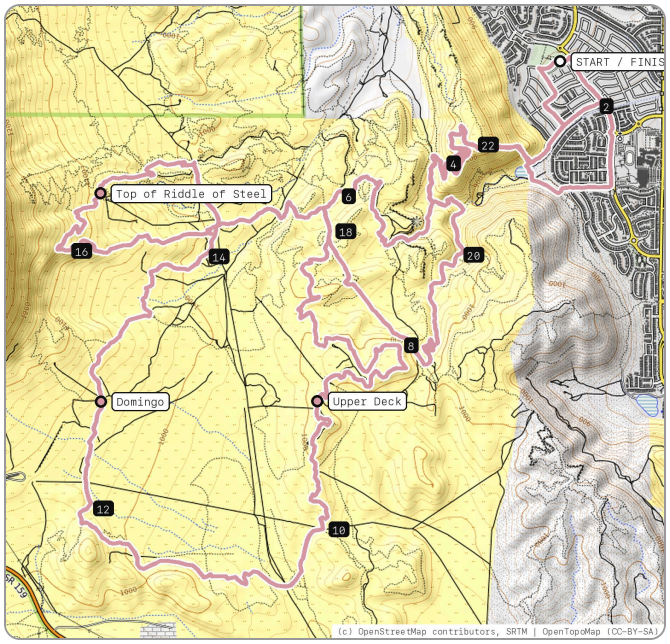
RIDE 12 · WEST SUMMERLIN / BEAR'S BEST · INTERMEDIATE ·

Long Riddle

The big lap: Upper Deck along the ridge, Gypsum Grind up, Domingo down, then Blombi up and Riddle of Steel all the way home.

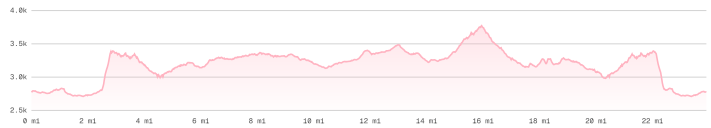
Good to ride today. High 64°F, dry trail.

⚠ **Not yet ridden by us.** This line was routed from OpenStreetMap trail data and hasn't been ridden end to end yet. Trail access and direction can change: check posted signs and the land manager before you ride.



25	3,658	3,773
MILES	FT CLIMB	FT HIGH POINT
3:55	**Low**	
EST. MOVING	CHUNK (0%)	

singletrack 88% · dirt road 5% · pavement 7%



Get the GPS file

Scan with a friend's phone, or tap below. Then open it in your ride app.

https://bsqrd-designs.com/dirt/long-riddle/

GETTING THERE

Park at Mesa Park

5401 Mesa Park Dr, Las Vegas, NV 89135

- Start and finish are the same spot. Follow the cue sheet and the arrows on the map.

CUE SHEET

0.0	Singletrack connector SINGLETRACK	0.4 mi
0.4	Oak Bend Drive PAVEMENT	0.2 mi
0.6	Harvest Green Lane PAVEMENT	0.4 mi
1.0	Singletrack connector SINGLETRACK	0.2 mi
1.2	Street PAVEMENT	0.4 mi
1.6	Singletrack connector SINGLETRACK	0.5 mi
2.1	Harvest Green Lane PAVEMENT	0.4 mi
2.5	Singletrack connector SINGLETRACK	2.1 mi
4.5	The Circus SINGLETRACK	0.7 mi
5.2	Singletrack connector SINGLETRACK	1.6 mi
6.8	Upper Deck SINGLETRACK	3.6 mi
10.5	Singletrack connector SINGLETRACK	0.4 mi
10.9	Gypsum Grind SINGLETRACK	1.2 mi
12.1	Singletrack connector SINGLETRACK	0.2 mi
12.3	Gypsum Grind SINGLETRACK	0.1 mi
12.4	Domingo SINGLETRACK	2.4 mi
14.8	Dirt road DIRT ROAD	0.4 mi
15.2	Blombi SINGLETRACK	0.8 mi
16.0	Riddle of Steel SINGLETRACK via Top of Riddle of Steel	2.2 mi
18.2	Singletrack connector SINGLETRACK	1.6 mi
19.8	The Circus SINGLETRACK	1.9 mi
21.7	Singletrack connector SINGLETRACK	2.1 mi
23.8	Street PAVEMENT	0.4 mi
24.2	Singletrack connector SINGLETRACK	0.4 mi
24.6	Street PAVEMENT	0.4 mi
25.0	Back at Mesa Park	

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Longest ride here. Upper Deck has a few short rocky spots and some ridge riding with big valley views; the rest is mostly smooth desert tread.
- The south end gets within a few hundred yards of Blue Diamond Road (SR 160) but never crosses it.
- Riddle of Steel is one-way eastbound (downhill). The real climbs are Gypsum Grind near SR 160 and Blombi; Domingo is the reward in between.
- Four-plus hours of sun with no shade or bailout water. Cool months only, or a very early start.
- Skips Happy Ending on purpose: public trail maps (checked Oct 8, 2026) list it as downhill-only and double black.

RIDE SMART

- **Water:** plan on about 3 L for this ride. There's none on the trail.
- **Signal is spotty.** Tell someone your route and your time back.
- **Emergency:** call 911 and say "Long Riddle ride, parked at Mesa Park, West Summerlin / Bear's Best", plus the coordinates from Locate me.
- **Wildlife:** give horses, burros and anything with horns room, and never feed them.
- **Stay on trail.** Desert crust and mountain soil take decades to heal.