



Tour de Ocho Millas
Saturday, September 10
Bottomless Lakes State Park
Roswell, NM

Register Online at:
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Bike the historic eight mile loop around Bottomless Lakes State Park that was once home to "America's most incredible road racing circuit" called the Las Ocho Millas. (Road and Track, August 1967)



Sun Country



6th Annual
Xcel Energy Tour de Ocho Millas

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Tour de **OCHO** **MILLAS**



POWER STOP
After the Drop

Bottomless
Lakes State Park

POWER STOP
On Top



START/FINISH



PRE-RACE BRIEFING

PACKET PICK-UP

Rider bags can be obtained on September 9, 2016 from 5:00pm-8:00pm, at Comfort Suites, 3610 N. Main, Roswell, NM. Comfort Suites offers a discounted price for riders in the TdOM event. Reservations can be made on the [tourdeochomillas](http://tourdeochomillas.com) website link.

START/FINISH

The Xcel Energy Tour de Ocho Millas will begin with a mass start from the Lea Lake Recreation Area at 8:00am. Out of courtesy to faster riders, please allow all metric century riders (8 loops, 64 miles) to line up and start first. Other riders, please line up and depart last. Water, restrooms, and first aid will be available at the Start/Finish line throughout the event. The course will close precisely at Noon for cyclists to complete their current lap.

BIB NUMBERS

Official numbers must be worn on the backside of jersey and must be visible at all times in order to receive first aid and rest stop support. Helmets are required for all riders. A helmet numbered sticker must be placed on the front of the rider's helmet. These numbers are also used for identification with event photography.

TIMING TAGS

Professional timing for Tour de Ocho Millas is provided by CCR Timing (ccrtiming.com). An electronic tag will be provided for each rider, and can be obtained at packet pick-up or on the day of the race. The timing tag should be worn on the rider's shoe and remain in a loop, not flattened out. Results will be available at the conclusion of the event. Awards will be given based on timing data.

POWER STOPS

Power stops will be available along the route, offering water and restrooms if needed. At the Power Stop on Top, after the challenging uphill climb, volunteers will offer bottled water as cyclists ride by. The Power Stop After the Drop, on the descending lower road, has a self-serve Water bottle refill station and available restrooms.

SAG CYCLES

SAG motorcycles will be on the course throughout the event to assist with any problems that may arise. All SAG motorcycles will be connected by radios to the onsite ambulance, parked at the finish line.

SAFETY TIPS-PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

- Stay right. Pass only on left. The only exception is the Tour Finish (see below).

- NEVER cross the center yellow line.
- Verbally indicate that you are passing. “Passing.”
- Use hand and verbal signals when exiting or slowing down. “Slowing,” “Stopping.”
- Verbally indicate any road hazards or “Trash.”
- Approved helmets are required for ALL riders. No exceptions!
- Although traffic is minimal during the event and required to travel one-way clockwise, please assist motorists in passing as soon as possible.

TOUR FINISH

Since cyclists will be riding various distances (8 mile loops), it is imperative that all cyclists end their tour by moving quickly off the course to the LEFT after the finish line. Make sure to cross the timing mat BEFORE exiting to the left. This will be the only place where cyclists will be allowed to pass on the right (in order to avoid cyclists leaving the course). Again, please use vocal signals “Exiting,” “Passing on the right.” Check in at the timekeeper’s table before heading to the Awards ceremony.

AWARDS

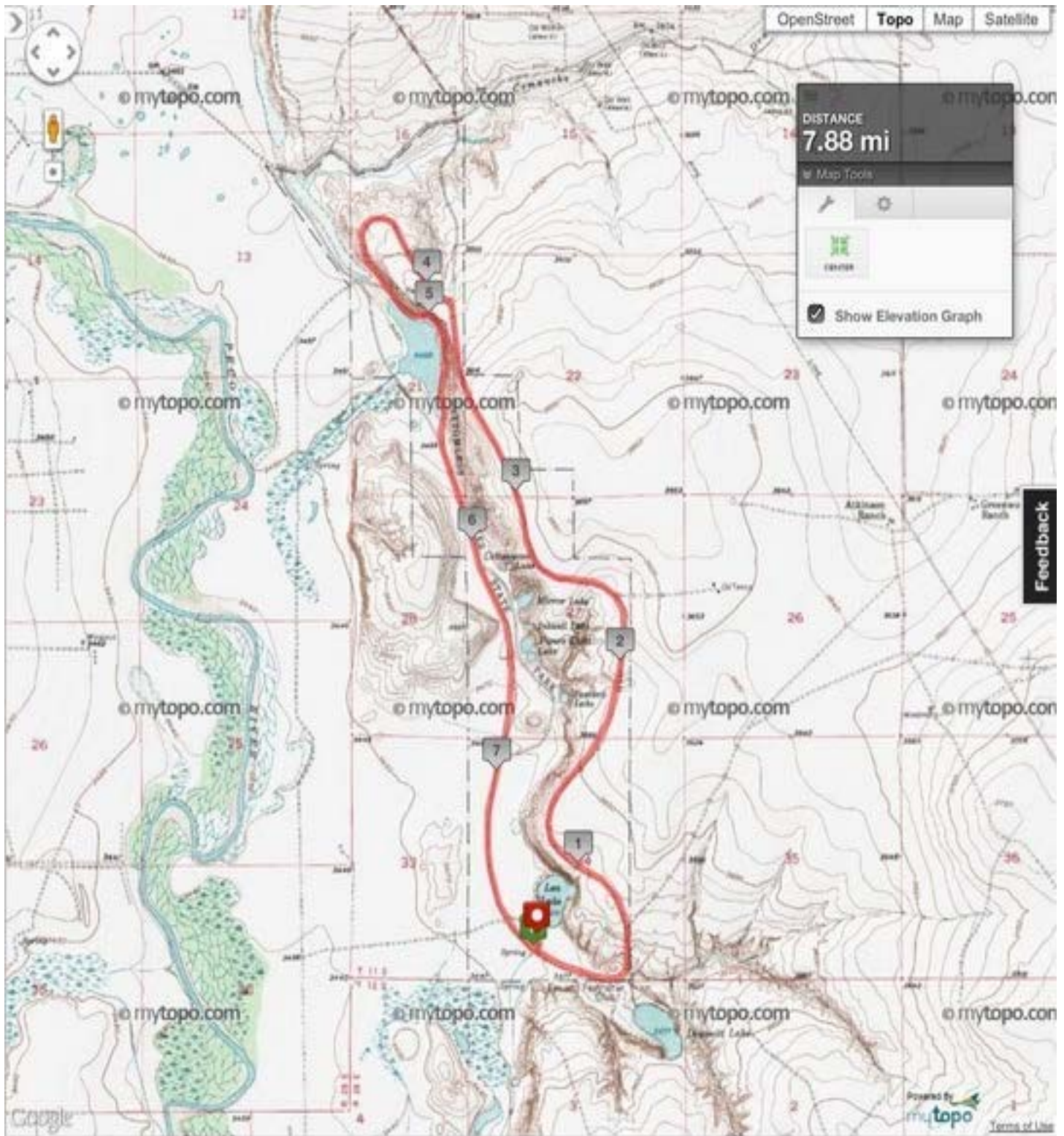
- Fastest loop by a man
- Fastest loop by a woman
- Fastest metric century by a man
- Fastest metric century by a woman
- *Ocho Award* for anyone completing eight loops (metric century) in the allotted time.

ON-SITE VENDOR

Food and drink will be available for individual purchase from a local sponsoring vendor.

REFLECTIONS & RECOVERY MINISTRY

Make sure to stop by the Reflections & Recovery booth to find out about this wonderful ministry and how you can help. Visit our website at reflectionsandrecovery.com. Thank you for your participation in the 2016 Tour de Ocho Millas, benefiting Reflections & Recovery!



MEDICAL Problems?

If you need medical assistance the following are available:

Emergency - Dial 911

Available 24 hours

Lovelace Regional Hospital—Roswell

(575) 627-7000

117 E. 19th Street

Roswell, New Mexico 88201

Available 24 hours

Eastern New Mexico Medical Center

(575) 622-8170

405 W. Country Club Road

Roswell, New Mexico 88201

Available 24 hours

On Site First-Aid

Start/Finish Line Ambulance



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