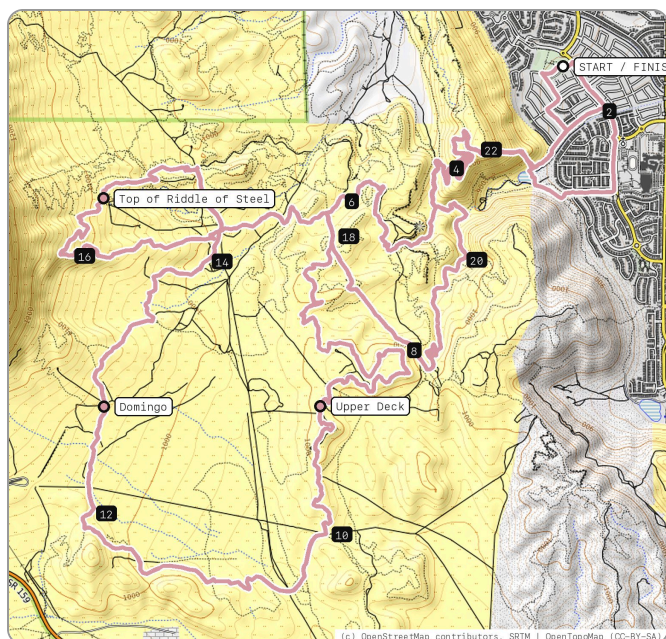


Long Riddle

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

Not today: Soaked: 0.89 in of rain in the last 48 hrs. Riding now ruts the trail for months. Give it a few dry days.

⚠ **Not yet rider-checked.** This line was routed from OpenStreetMap trail data and hasn't been ridden end to end yet. Cross-check turns against the trail signs or Trailforks.



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MILES

3,658

FT CLIMB

3,773

FT HIGH POINT

3:55

EST. MOVING

Low

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 via Top of Riddle of Steel	SINGLETRACK	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: Trailforks (checked Oct 8, 2026) lists 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.