



# Black Hills South Dakota - 2025

## Notes:

Due to limited number of ride leaders and cabins, this trip's size is limited and a non-refundable deposit is required. Once slots are gone, the trip will be closed.

**Two Trail Passes required on this trip!!! See below**

595 miles from Lakeville

Approx 9 hrs

1. Take I-35 South to I-90 West (exit 13B, about 65 miles)
2. I-90 West for about 509 miles
3. Take US-16 Bypass South (exit 61, about 9 miles)
4. Take US-16 West (Left turn, about 19 miles)
  - a. Head toward Mount Rushmore & Hill City
5. Take SD-44 W (about 12 miles)
6. Take US-385 N (about 14 miles)
7. Turn left onto Custer Peak Rd / Forest Rd 216
8. At Mystic Hills Hideaway campground turn left onto McAvoy Place
9. Arrive at Kevin's Cabins

21749 McAvoy Place, Deadwood

605-366-0568

<https://goo.gl/maps/o2PW4q2qZ8EPdt6B7>

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When: Sept 25-29 (25<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> are travel days, 3-4 are ride days)

General Location: South of Deadwood, SD.

Trail Length: hundreds of miles, plan on 65-85 miles per day

Food: Breakfast at cabins – volunteer chiefs needed.  
Lunch: plan trailside  
Dinner: at cabins – volunteer chiefs needed

Fuel: Area gas stations, non-oxy, expect \$3-5 per gallon.  
Ethanol Gas maybe available on site, price TBD

Trail Difficulty: easy to moderate trail riding



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### Lodging:

Cabins: Contact Corey, space is limited,  
\$100 non-refundable deposit required

Camping: Kevin's Cabins also has campsites, contact Corey to make reservations.

Note: limited number of sites with hookups

### Trail Passes (2): Corey coordinator??

Black Hills Motor Vehicle Permit - \$25

SD Temporary Motor Vehicle Permit - \$51.50

### Maps:

We will be in the Northern Hills district. It is recommend everyone with A Smartphone install the Avenza App and the Northern Hill map, even if you're not leading. It's a large area, easy to get lost in.

<https://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/blackhills/maps-pubs/?cid=FSEPRD533421>

### Riding Gear to Bring:

Dust mask and goggles, expect both dust and mud

Rain Suit (rain comes fast, hard, and cold)

Warm clothes, plan for 40°-75° days

Bring layers that can be added or shed

Note: light snow is always possible this time of year

Or we could be sweating in t-shirts but not likely.

Footwear: mud is not deep however it is very sticky.

I bring regular boots and rubber boots and adjust each day

Spare fuel can: if you have it, bring it, limited gas stations on the trail

Water – nowhere to get water on the trail, carry 2x what you need

**More details to follow as the trip gets closer.**