Redlands Bicycle Classic Returns

The Redlands Bicycle Classic will return to its host cities of Redlands, Highland and Yucaipa on March 12 through March 17. As the longest continuous running stage race in American bicycle racing, the event has earned the title of “Where Legends Are Born.” With its combination of time trials, circuit races and para-cycling events, future Olympic and Tour de France athletes have been drawn to the annual competition for decades.

This year, we invite you to come cheer on these incredible athletes who have traveled from all over the world to participate. Cyclists will be in our neck of the woods on March 14 at the San Manuel Village for the City of Highland Circuit Race. The women’s circuit race will begin at 8:45 a.m. and the men’s race will follow at 11 a.m.

If this will be your first race attendance, here are a few terms to know:

**Stage race:** A multi-day race comprised of daily “stage” races (time trial, road race and criterium) in which the cumulative time at the end of the stages determines the winner

**Mass start:** When all participants in the race start at the same time

**Time trials:** Athletes race against the clock to make it to the finish line in the fastest time

**Circuit races:** A mass-start road cycle race that is a minimum of three miles in length where riders race multiple laps on the same course

Crowds especially enjoy watching BMX stunt performances and the school dual where local students challenge their peers to a bike race on the race course. For more information on the Redlands Bicycle Classic and to view the full schedule visit www.redlandsclassic.com.

Calendar of Events:

**March 12-March 17:**
2019 Redlands Bicycle Classic

**March 14:**
City of Highland Circuit Races (2019 Redlands Bicycle Classic) at San Manuel Village

**March 25:**
Spring break begins for Belvedere Elementary and Serrano Middle schools

**March 30:**
Highland Citrus Harvest Festival in Historic Highland

**April 4:**
Inland Empire 66ers first home game at San Manuel Stadium, 7:05 p.m.

**April 8:**
Belvedere Elementary and Serrano Middle schools return from spring break
Local Hidden Treasure: Patton State Hospital Museum

Visitors entering the museum are greeted by a large photograph of the original Patton facility. The hospital's architecture resembled a palace situated in the middle of a large green pasture below the foothills, without a gate in sight. Much of the building was torn down in the mid-20th century due to major damage caused by an earthquake.

A walk through the 1200-square-foot space includes items from a time capsule buried in December 1964. Another display encases artifacts dug up after rain storms, such as old glass prescription bottles, lipstick cases from the early 1900s, and various trinkets.

In its early days, occupational therapy adopted a Quaker concept that work gave one purpose. A classic Singer Featherweight sewing machine, shoe stretcher, loom and a toaster that made up to 720 pieces of toast at a time are among the items on display that were once used by patients and staff.

Tours of the Patton State Hospital Museum are approximately one hour and are scheduled by appointment only. Since Patton is still an active psychiatric hospital with 3,000 employees, tours of the grounds and exterior photos are not permitted. Schedule your tour by emailing PSHMuseum@dsh.ca.gov or call (909) 425-7301.

Thank you for Keeping the Neighborhood Clean!

We take pride in doing our part to make sure the Reservation and surrounding areas are well-maintained. Since 2008, our Colton-based friends at Classic Landscape have worked with us to help make this possible.

Last year, Classic Landscape crews did the maintenance work along Highland Avenue, from the freeway off ramp west of Arden to Orange avenues, including the perimeter of Patton State Hospital. We can also thank the team at Classic for keeping the landscaping in the median and along the perimeter of Victoria Avenue looking great.

“We are proud of our longtime relationship with San Manuel to help take good care of the streets of our community through our beautification work,” said Mike Medlin, owner of Classic Landscape.

Traditional service provided by Classic Landscape includes planting and grooming vegetation, clearing debris, trash removal and repairing irrigation to make our public street look their best.

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