



Haulback Race Guide

June 21, 2025

Race Day Schedule

Staging: 9:40am

Start Time: 10:00am

After Party: 1:00pm

Awards: 4:00pm

Registration

Waivers are [online](#) and linked to on our website. Racers must sign waiver prior to registration.

Every racer must go to registration Friday night or Saturday morning to:

- 1) pick-up race plate
- 2) pick-up timing chip
- 3) confirm the [online waiver](#) has been signed

Friday June 20:

4:30 – 6:00 PM at Day Time Cycling – 39666 Government Road #102, Squamish BC

Saturday June 21:

7:00 – 9:00 AM – Hop Creek Farm - 41060 Government Rd, Brackendale, BC
(afterparty and race parking location)

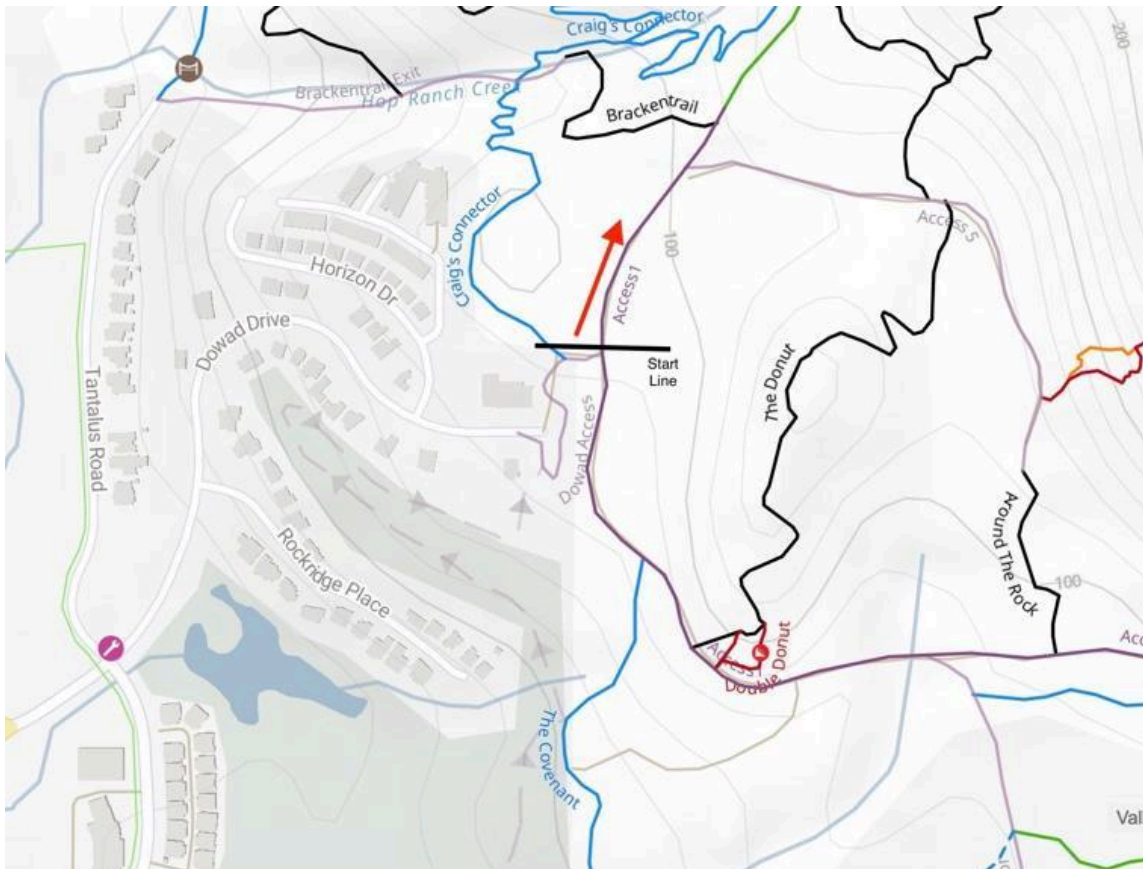




Start Line

Start Line: About 500 meters below the start of Jack's Trail. Just up from Dowad Drive.

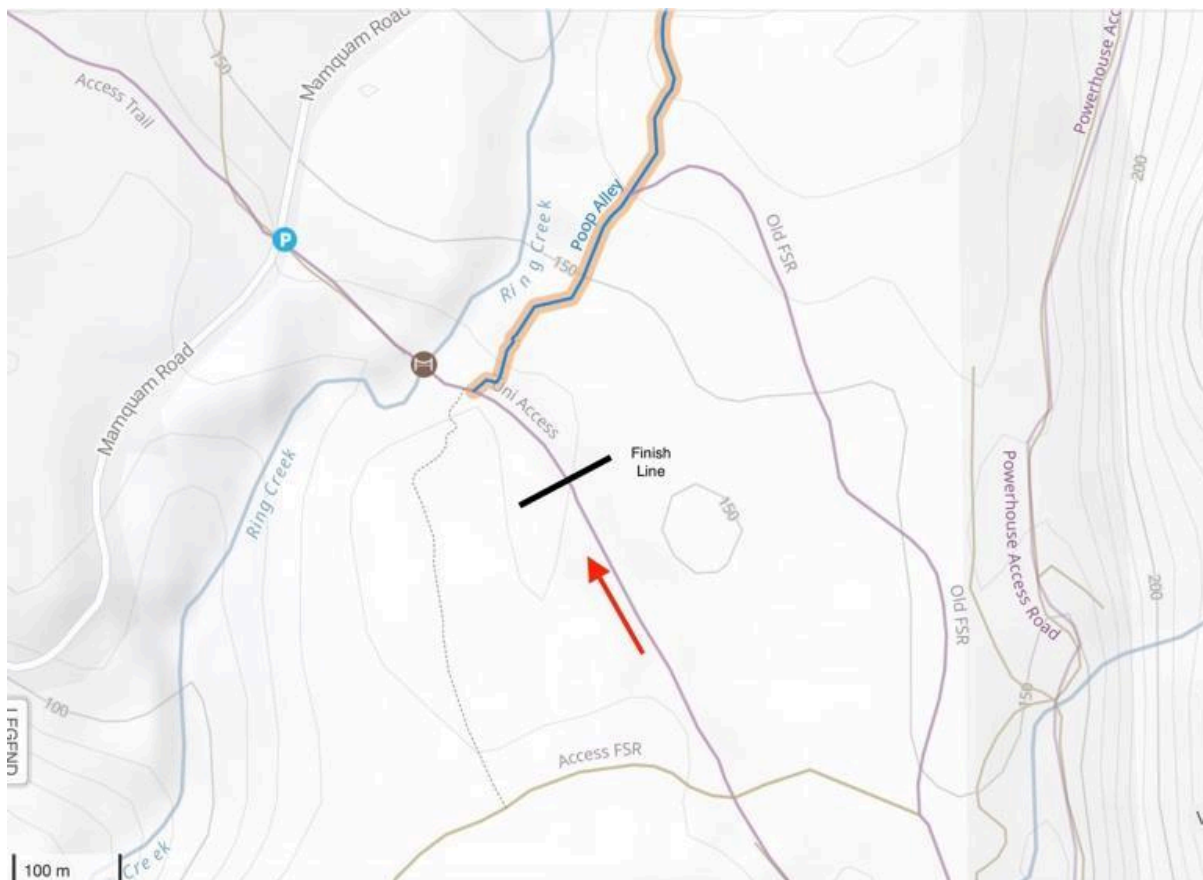
Start Line Location Pin Drop: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/hwbGStipKJaM7aL29>





Finish Line

The **finish line** is located under a fallen tree, about 200 meters from *Carpenter Sons Bridge*. Racers will exit *Hoods in the Woods*, enter *Poop Alley*, then halfway through *Poop Alley* make a left onto an old single track trail, then a couple right hand turns on some double track toward the finish, located under the fallen tree on an old logging road.





Finish Line: Under this fallen tree, on an old logging road. (see map)

Parking

Please DO NOT park on, or near, Dowad Drive or Skyridge development. This will risk us losing our permits and our ability to put on race next year.

We recommend parking at Hop Creek Farms (location of Saturday morning registration and the After party); or, if you're local, simply riding from home.

Porta-Potty Locations

Porta-Potties: There will be a porta-potty at Hop Creek Farms (registration area) and the Finish Line. There will not be porta-potties at the start line. Please plan accordingly.





The Course

The course is 31.33 kilometers, consists of 1218 meters of elevation, and includes challenging trails and trail features.

Strava link: <https://www.strava.com/routes/3334277972014057802>

Ultimately it is each racers responsibility to know the course, the difficulty of the trails and trail features, the distance and duration, and to ride safely and responsibly.

The course includes trails that have multiple line options. If a line is marked by arrows, the racer **MUST** take that line. Otherwise, all lines are open on race day.

Feedzone

Although we consider this race to be self-supported, there will be one feed zone thanks to **Nesters Market**. It will be located at kilometer 18.5 and includes bananas, oranges, chips, and pickles. There will be water and Coca-Cola.

Timed Descent

The course will include a timed downhill sponsored by **OneUp** on Angry M.

The Race Start

The start of the race is tight and becomes single-track quickly. We ask racers to self-seed appropriately and to be safe during the start of the race.

Bottle Drop

Thanks to volunteers we will be offering a bottle drop. Bottles must be dropped off at the registration tents, located at Hop Creek Farms, on Saturday morning *before* 8:45 AM. Bottles will be taken up to the feed zone to be picked up mid-race. *Racer must write their name on their bottles.*





Course Marking & Signage

Follow these signs on course.



Kiewit Construction and Northside Connector FSR

The 2025 course is taking place on an active working road. **Racers should expect to encounter trucks on course** – particularly on the Northside Connector (before Man Boobs, after All About Yew, and after Angry Midget). The road is **not** closed to vehicles. Safety is our number one concern and rules of the road apply.

In the very unlikely event of an emergency on the Kiewit site, we will need to pause the race to allow for the emergency response to take place.

After Party

We are very excited about the After Party at **Hop Creek Farms** - 41060 Government Rd, Brackendale, BC. Website + Map: <https://g.co/kgs/GANomsf>

Each racer will receive a meal and two beer tickets. The afterparty will begin at 1:00 PM and the legendary **Papa Josh** will be funk'ing it up, so come ready to party!

There will be limited meals available for purchase for non-racers. Please plan accordingly.

Please plan your ride to and from the afterparty accordingly.





Race Etiquette

We ask all racers to play fair and be respectful on race day. Allow room for passing, stay on course, and have fun.

On the timed descent if someone catches you, please move out of the way (this may require you to pull over and stop), as they are faster than you (otherwise they would have not caught you). You need to let them pass as soon as you can safely do so. This ensures everyone can race their race, be safe, and have fun!

Please do not litter! Carry out what you carry in. If you drop a bottle on course, be sure to go back Sunday morning to pick it up. Gel wrappers: make sure they stay in your pocket and are disposed of either at the feedzone or finish line – *we do not want tossed out on course!*

Categories

Open Men and Women
Junior (under-19) Men and Women
50+ Men and Women
Timed DH Men and Women

Social Media @thehaulback

Please share your stoke by tagging [@thehaulback](https://www.instagram.com/thehaulback) and using the hashtag **#Haulback** and **#Pedalhardpartyharder**

Medical

If you come across an injured racer we ask you to stop and help that racer until they are stable or in the care of the medical team. The time that a racer spends helping someone injured on course will be taken off their finish time after the race.

For First-Aid on course: Russ Joel 604-848-4904





Results

Results will be available at <https://zone4.ca/results/>

Camping options

<https://squamish.ca/discover-squamish/camping/>

