

Sherar's Falls Scenic Bikeway

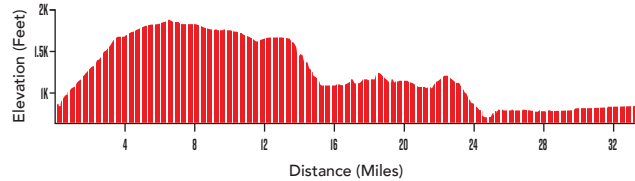
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This Oregon State Parks recognized ride, starts at 853 ft in Maupin and climbs up to 1730 ft. Enjoy rolling miles through wheat fields, a descent into the Tygh Valley and a ride up the White River. Refuel at Tygh General Store, then head east, back down the White River, toward the Deschutes. Take a nice break at White River Falls State Park, and walk to the scenic waterfall overlook. (It's even easy in bike shoes!) Descend to Sherar's Falls, the ride's namesake, a historical river crossing and current Native American fishing spot. Picnic your way 9 miles up the Deschutes River to Maupin.

Water: Maupin City Parks, Tygh General Store, White River Falls State Park

Distance: 33.4 mi **Road Surface:** Pavement

Elevation Change: +1727 ft



Maupin - Bakeoven - Shaniko

Out and Back Route

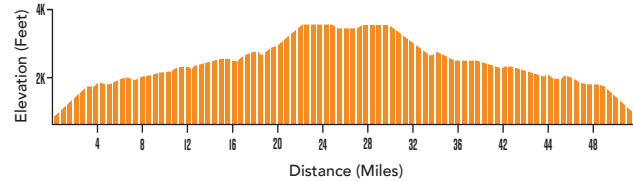
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This ride offers great climbing, a much rewarded descent and a cool ghost town to boot! Start in Maupin at 853ft and climb steadily out of the Deschutes River canyon in the first 4 miles. Cruise along, gradually upward for the next 13 miles to Bakeoven proper (2250ft), an old stage stop. Another climb to the Bakeoven Summit (3516ft) and you are nearly to Shaniko. Enjoy a rest in Shaniko, a ghost town with 20 permanent residents. Fill with water, grab an ice cream and get ready for your descent back to Maupin. Remember all the climbing you did? Now you get to enjoy your just reward!

Water: Maupin City Parks, Shaniko Public Restrooms

Distance: 52.2 mi **Road Surface:** Pavement

Elevation Change: +3404 ft (out), -3404 ft (back)



Maupin - Grass Valley

Out and Back Route

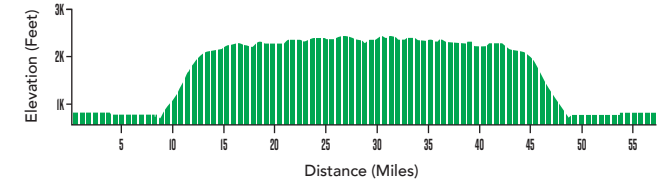
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Do you like steep climbs? Are you looking for bragging rights? This is the ride for you! Start in Maupin, ride 9 flat miles down the Deschutes River to Sherar's Falls, then climb up out of the Deschutes River canyon, east, toward rolling Sherman County wheat fields. The ascent is steep, has very sharp corners and places with very minimal shoulder. However, there is little to no traffic! Once on top, roll along through wheat fields with gorgeous mountain views. Refuel in Grass Valley, then return back to Maupin.

Water: Maupin City Parks, Grass Valley Country Market

Distance: 30.8 mi **Road Surface:** Pavement

Elevation Change: +2784 ft (out), -2784 ft (back)



Sherar's Falls - Macks Canyon

Out and Back Route

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This ride is perfect for everyone! It is our area's best gravel ride and do-able for the whole family. Start at Sherar's Falls, or just below Buck Hollow, on the Deschutes River Lower Access Road. This mostly flat ride has only two hills with impressive vistas of the river as your reward. The scenery abounds with train trestles, mountain sheep, great camping and even pit toilets along the way. Bring all water and fuel with you, and also your fishing pole. This is a great #fishcycle ride!

Water: No Water Sources On Route

Distance: 35.2 mi **Road Surface:** Gravel

Elevation Change: -811 ft (out), +811 ft (back)



Hunt Park-Shadybrook Loop

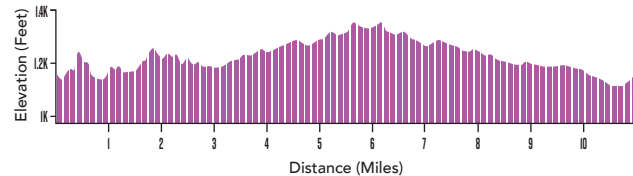
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Even your kids can ride this one! This is a nice "pleasant afternoon" ride. Enjoy rolling paved roads as you roll past small farms and massive oak tree stands. Spot grey squirrels, deer, bobcats and farm-raised alpacas. Start this loop at Tygh General Store or Hunt Park; both have good parking. Camp overnight at Hunt Park--both full-hook up RV and tent spaces are available. Hunt Park is also home to the Wasco County Fair in late August, one of the oldest in the state of Oregon. This loop can be ridden in either direction.

Water: Tygh General Store, Hunt Park

Distance: 11.0 mi **Road Surface:** Pavement

Elevation Change: +503 ft



Pine Hollow Loop

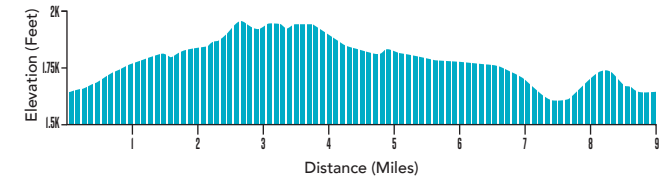
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This is a great summer ride! Ample pine trees provide lots of shade and the Pine Hollow Reservoir is always close by to cool off. This easy ride circles the man-made Pine Hollow Reservoir, and offers nice views of the top of Mt Hood. Deer and squirrels are abundant. Start at the Wamic Store or Sportsman's Pub & Grub. Both offer water, food and parking. If you have extra time, catch the lawn-mower races at the Pub or golf 9-holes at Pine Hollow Golf Course; both are really fun summer activities!

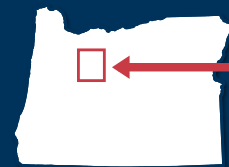
Water: Wamic Market, Pine Hollow Lakeside Resort

Distance: 8.9 mi **Road Surface:** Pavement

Elevation Change: +453 ft



Maupin Scenic Bikeways



Enlarged Region



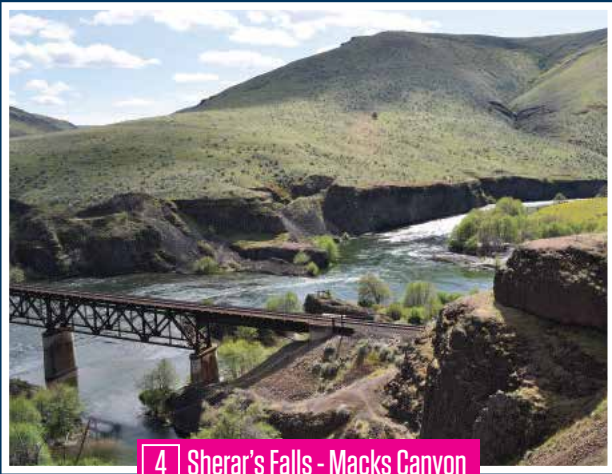
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6 Pine Hollow Loop

