

Important – If you plan to ride, please notify the Ride Leader (not the Webmaster) by the TUESDAY before the Thursday ride. Also please indicate if you are staying for lunch or not.

Ride Location: Bull Point Plan Plantation, 97 Bull Point Dr., Seabrook, SC [MapLink]

Date: Thursday, Oct 29, 2015

Time: 10:30 a.m. Please arrive by 10:15 to gear up.

Directions to Start: Take 278 off the island to Hwy 170. Take a right (north on 170) and drive for 17.7 miles. Left on Parris Island Gateway and drive for 1.2 miles. Left on Trask Pkwy and drive for 12 miles. Bear left at the intersection of Hwy 17 and Hwy 21. You will be heading back to Hilton Head/Savannah Bull Point gate is on your left. A gate pass will be waiting for you. Proceed past the gate to the clubhouse. Alternate Route: Take I-95 north to exit 33. Keep to the right off the exit toward 17 N and 21 S - Trask Parkway - toward Beaufort. Bull Point Plantation is 7.5 miles on the right. Look for the ACE Basin sign on your right just before the gate, and the white fence. Turn right into Bull Point, tell the guard at the gate you are with Don Barrett. Parking will be in the country club parking lot, where Don Barrett, the developer of Bull Point, will meet us.

Ride Description and/or Information: Bull Point is a pristine park-like 700-acre gated community whose grounds have been traveled by Yemassee Indians, Englishmen, American Revolutionaries, Federal troops, Confederate soldiers, and African slaves. The history of Bull Point dates back to the beginning of English settlement of South Carolina in 1670. The ride starts at the clubhouse and proceeds through the beautiful streets of Bull Point. This will be a somewhat short ride no more than 6 miles. We will not ride across Hwy 17 as originally planned to see Old Sheldon Church due to traffic on Old Sheldon Church Road, but instead we will drive in our cars to Old Sheldon Church. Bring your cameras. After lunch, we have an optional ride on the latest segment of the Spanish Moss Trail which starts at the corner of Parris Island Gateway and Trask Pkwy. This is a very beautiful section of Spanish

Moss Trail and I think you will believe it is worth it even loading and unloading bikes an extra time. Park in the parking lot on the corner of Parris Island Gateway and Trask Pkwy in the closed building supply store.

Lunch Restaurant and Directions: Lunch will be at Low Country Produce at 1919 Trask Pkwy, Seabrook. [MapLink] Place your lunch order at the cash register and find a seat. <u>www.lowcountryproduce.com/</u>

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Comments: Bull Point was originally part of Tomotley Plantation. Read more about Tomotley Plantation at this link. <u>http://south-carolina-</u> <u>plantations.com/beaufort/tomotley.html</u> For information and images of Old Sheldon Church, see this link. <u>http://discoversouthcarolina.com/products/3460</u>