

2023 InSayer Mountain Bike Race includes eBike Race

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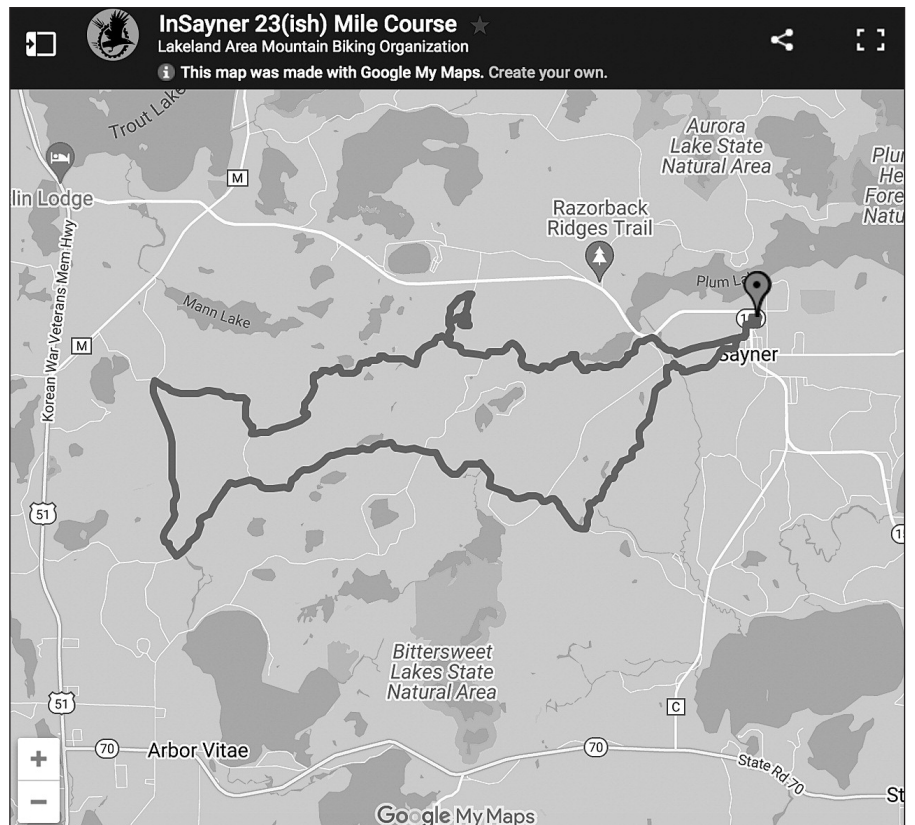
Registration is now open for the InSayer Mountain Bike Race and eBike Race. The race, which takes place on Saturday, June 10, is a fundraiser for the Musky Mountain Bike Trails. There are two routes available to riders which travel through some of the most beautiful scenery in the Northwoods in the Northern Highland American Legion State Forest.

The Sayner Community Building is the headquarters for the race, located at 545 WI Highway 155 in

Sayner. Racing starts at 8:30 a.m. on June 10. Those looking to participate must register by 4:59 p.m. on Friday, June 9.

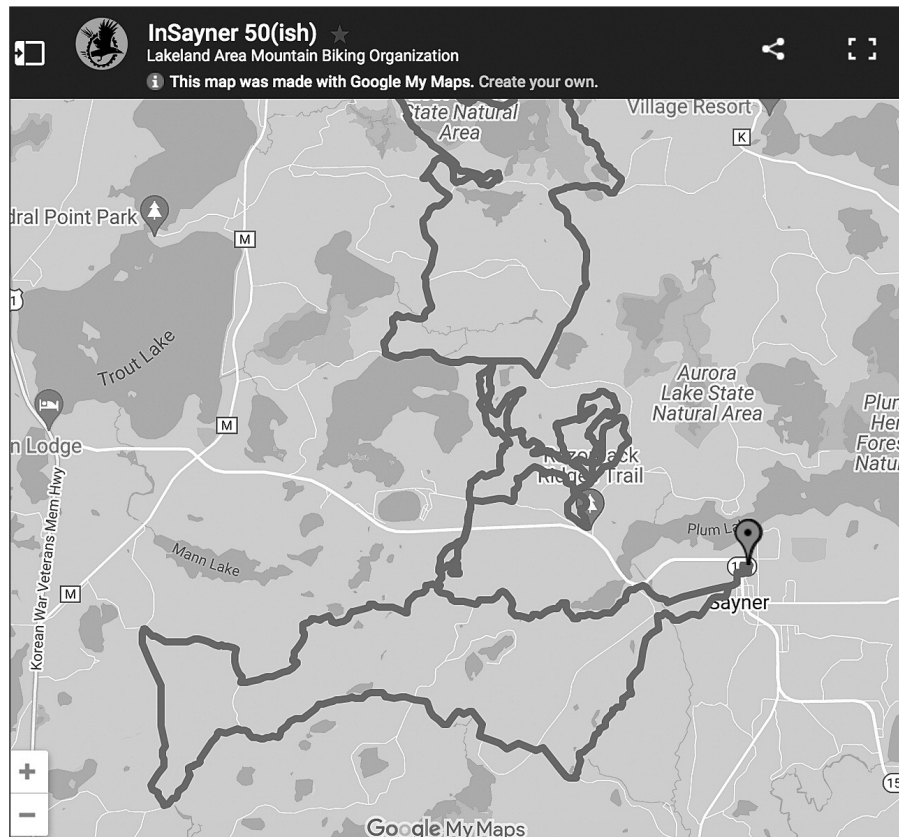
The Long Race

The long race, according to organizers, is recommended only for those who are "InSayne." It is a 50-mile run described as torture on a bike, not for the faint of heart. For riders up to the challenge, though, this challenging course will offer all the best, from riding snowmobile trails, sweet stretches of downhills, and old ski run, and all types of roads from logging roads to gravel roads and



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This 25-mile shorter course in the InSayer Bike Race offers up a great challenge for those who may not be used to a 50-mile adventure.



The 50-mile long bike course is ready to challenge racers registered for the InSayer Bike Race.

even a short stretch of blacktop.

The eBike Race

The eBike race follows the same route as the long race. eBikes must be Class 1, peddle assist (no throttles), and should not exceed 20 miles per hour. Bikers are allowed to carry one extra battery. eBike racers will not be racing against traditional mountain bikes and will start their race first.

The Short Race

The short race is also a brutal backwoods adventure, but only less than half the length, at 23 miles. This race trail also brings riders through some of the best the Northwoods has to offer, in both trails and scenery, but riders should be warned, while the scenery may be nice, the ride will still be a challenge. The race starts at

the Community Center in Sayner and travels the snowmobile trail to Musky Mountain. From there, riders head to Plum Vitae Road and on to another snowmobile trail. Next comes a few miles on and off of Vandercook Road before heading on the Klondike Road. Ross Lake Road is next and then back to the snowmobile trails to the finish line.

Other information

Riders will be on their own on the trail during the race. A GPS is required of riders. In the event of an emergency, riders should call 911. The short route will be marked. However, marking on the long route will be less. The cost is \$45 per rider for any race.

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Boulder Junction fishing experts offer free seminars

Boulder Junction fishing guides are ready to share some of their best fishing secrets with you at the free fishing seminars on the following Sunday evenings at 7 p.m. in People's Park. All seminars are held outside at the People's Park next to Peepelures on Hwy. K (Main Street) unless noted otherwise*.

Some picnic benches are available, or you can bring your own chair and sit on the lawn. In the case of inclement weather, it will be up to the presenting guide to determine if the seminar will still take place.

Seminars are free to the public. No reservations are necessary, just come and enjoy!

- Sunday, May 28: Kayak Fishing 101 with Jim Riley of Northern Wisconsin Kayak Fishing.
- Sunday, June 11: Spring Walleye Fishing with Erv Keller Guide Service & Mike Errington's Guide Service.
- Sunday, June 18: Summer Fly Fishing for Bass with Bill Sherer's Northern Adventure Fly Fishing Guide Service.
- Sunday, June 25: Family Fishing 101 (Boulder Bear Motor Lodge) with Bob's Manitowish Guide Service.*
- Sunday, July 2: Jigging for Walleyes with Marty Clauson Fish-

ing Adventures.

- Sunday, July 9: Summer Small-Mouth Bass Fishing with Mike Errington's Guide Service.
 - Sunday, July 16: Round Robin Fishing Questions with Four Area Guides with Bob's Manitowish Guide Service; Erv Keller Guide Service; Mike Errington's Guide Service and Marty Clauson Fishing Adventures.
 - Sunday, July 23: Summer Game Fishing (Boulder Junction Motor Lodge) with Mark Blawas from Figure 8 Guide Service.
 - Sunday, July 30: Summer Musky Fishing with Steve Roginske of Last Resort Guide Service.
 - Sunday, August 6: Summer/Fall Fly Fishing for Musky with Bill Sherer's Northern Adventure Fly Fishing Guide Service.
 - Sunday, August 20: Late Summer Game Fishing with Bob's Manitowish Guide Service.
 - Sunday, August 27: Musky Fishing 101 (Pool at Acorn Lodge) with Erv Keller Guide Service and Mike Errington's Guide Service*.
 - Sunday, September 3: Preparing for Fall Musky & Bass Fishing with Mark Blawas from Figure 8 Guide Service.
- For more information on fishing and events in the "Musky Capital of the World," visit boulderjct.org or call 1-800-GO-MUSKY.



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