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September 2018

RACE TIME!

The temperatures are dropping so that means racing season in Arizona!
Here are three races to check out across the state.



Arizona Bicycle Classic: Jake's Corner - Payson October 20th

This semi-annual event takes you through some of the best scenery in Arizona with 28, 56, or 78 mile routes. All three routes start at Jake's Corner, near Payson and pass through the Tonto Basin. Those that take the longer routes will pass by Roosevelt Lake and ride over the blue bridge, the longest two-lane, single-span steel arch bridge in North America. Riders will enjoy stocked refreshment stations, course SAG and sweep support as well as a post-ride lunch.

El Tour de Tucson: Tucson November 17th

El Tour de Tucson is held annually the Saturday before Thanksgiving. Cyclists of all levels and ages come out for southern Arizona's largest participatory sporting event. El Tour has distance races of 100, 75, 50, or 25 miles as well as a fun ride of 10, 4, 1, or a quarter mile. The race takes riders on a loop of Tucson with routes highlighting the mountain backdrops of the Sonoran Desert, and word is there is a new route this year! Post-race, riders collect their medallions and congregate at the El Tour Downtown Fiesta - a party complete with music, vendors, and a beer garden.



Valley of the Sun Stage Race: Sun Valley February, 2019

This three day event unites professional and amateur road cyclists of all skill levels and ages. Held in February, this race attracts over 800 participants in 23 categories. Cyclists compete in a time trial, road race, and criterium for cash and prizes. The race begins in Sun Valley and loops around the greater Phoenix area. Last year, the race was chosen as a host for the U.S. Paralympics Cycling Series and hosted 50 hand cycle riders.

Southern Canal Path

TRAIL OF THE MONTH

This multi-use 9.3 mile gravel trail located in Mesa is a great way to enjoy the natural beauty the Phoenix area has to offer. While the southern stretch of the trail passes through residential areas, it opens into the vast desert landscape. It is a wide trail with a slight uphill. Be sure to bring drinking water as there are no amenities on the trail.

The Southern Canal Path links into four other trails: the Tempe Canal Path and the Consolidated Canal Path on the southern end; the Arizona Canal Path at the northern end; and the Eastern Canal Path at its midpoint in Mesa.

Make sure to check out the small botanical garden near the parking lot to stretch your legs and enjoy more beauty before or after your ride!

Parking can be found at:

Park of the Canals: 1710 N. Horne Mesa, AZ 85203



Cranks & Gears

ROADWAY RIDING



According to Arizona Statute 28-815, a bicyclist should ride as close to the right-hand curb or edge of the roadway as possible if they are unable to maintain the speed of traffic. Of course, there are **a few exceptions to help keep you safe.**

1. If overtaking or passing another bicycle or vehicle traveling in the same direction.
2. If preparing for a left turn at an intersection or into a private road or driveway.
3. If necessary to avoid fixed or moving objects, parked vehicles, pedestrians, animals, or surface hazards.

TOP FIVE



We had a great time at our college Tailgate! Thank you to everyone who joined us!



Our client came to us after being turned down by three other attorneys. He proceeded through an intersection that had no light due to a power outage and was struck by another vehicle, causing him to hit a third vehicle. He was found to be at fault for the accident and there were multiple parties in this case trying to collect from the insurance policies, which made it a very difficult case. After nonstop negotiations, the insurance company agreed to the full policy limits and we reduced his medical liens by over 50%! A big win!



We had a paint night at Be an Artist. Who knew we had such a talented group on our team?!

Our client was moving to the left lane for an emergency vehicle when she was rear ended. She thought she had GAP insurance but after investigating, her GAP claim was denied because she did not turn in all her documents within the required time period. GAP insurance is the difference between the actual cash value of a vehicle and the balance owed on financing. If your car is worth less than you owe, you want to have GAP coverage so that if you are in an accident, GAP insurance will cover what you owe in financing. We worked hard to get all her medical bills reduced and fought hard to put a large settlement in her pocket.



Taco Tuesday! We had a great dinner at Rubio's.

AIRPARK BIKES SHOP OF THE MONTH



Airpark Bikes opened its doors 26 years ago in 1992. Before opening its doors, owner Steve Driscoll, a graduate from Chaparral High School, worked at a bike shop and then as a mechanic. So what makes Airpark Bikes in Scottsdale a success?

Their inventory. You can see it, touch it, and most of the time, it's in stock. You can also customize your bike and build it exactly how you want it. With high end selections like Wilier, Cipollini, Santa Cruz, Yeti, De Rosa, and more, you can get high quality for your customized bike. The team is very helpful and knowledgeable and can answer your questions and give you advice.

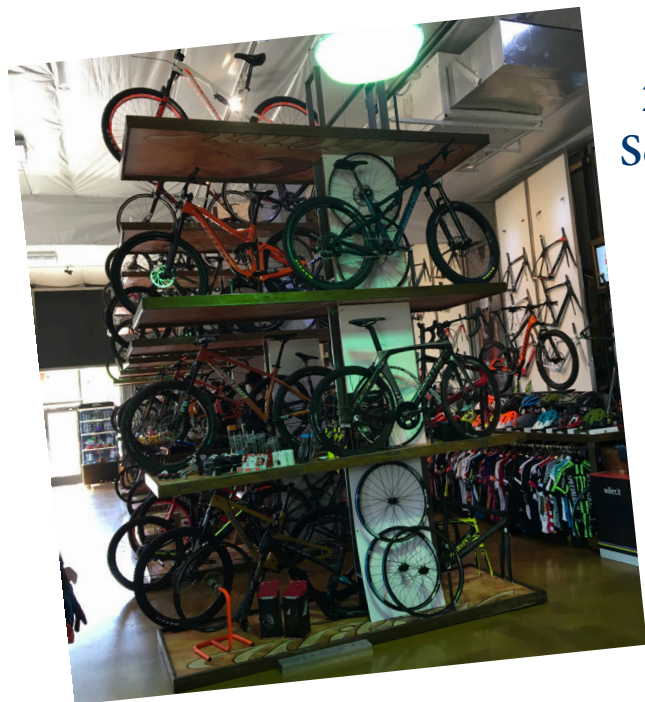
Airpark Bikes also provides rentals for both street and mountain bikes. They also host demo days where you can test out different bikes - even \$10,000 bikes! They do tune-ups in 24 hours and some problems can be fixed right on the spot. Building your custom bike can take 7-10 days as long as all the parts are in stock.

Although the internet has affected business, Steve is able, in many cases, to match prices which is how he has retained customers and grown his business. He is also willing to help install and service parts that a customer may have gotten elsewhere.

Airpark Bikes is also very involved with the community and is a major sponsor for Team Winded. Their JetSet team came in first at the last Tour de Scottsdale and they are involved with the Penske and Discount Tire cycling teams.

On Sunday, October 7th, Airpark Bikes will host their annual BBQ on their patio. Be sure to stop in for some BBQ, meet the crew, shop, and watch the riders coming in from the race.

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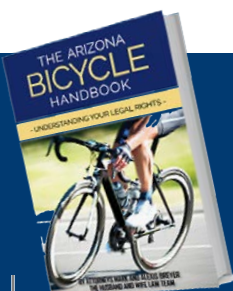
SPEAKING OF CYCLING...

Coros Omni Smart Cycling Helmet

This innovative helmet not only keeps you safe in style, it keeps you connected so you never have to miss a beat. The Coros Omni Smart Cycling Helmet has features that exceed current "smart" helmets to ensure safety and convenience. It comes with a keypad that you mount to your stem so you can use hands-free bluetooth to take calls as well as a wind resistant microphone. Using the Coros app on your phone, you can link it with MapMyRide and log your ride data. You can also set up a destination and have the helmet help guide you there! With bone conduction technology, you can listen to music while keeping your ears open. The bright red rear lights will light up as you brake to notify others around you. The helmet can detect a collision and send a GPS alert to your emergency contact.



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