



Trail roots
MOUNTAINBIKE

Liability Declaration

This declaration applies to participants in an event conducted by Trail Roots or by a third party acting on behalf of Trail Roots. Each participant is responsible for assessing whether their health permits participation in the event and, where appropriate, for consulting a doctor beforehand. Participants under the age of 18 require the written confirmation and consent of their parents or legal guardians. Each participant must ensure that their equipment is in proper working order and must wear a helmet throughout all sporting activities. The helmet must comply with ANSI/Snell standards, the current TÜV/GS standards, or UCI regulations. Participation is at the participant's own risk. By registering, the participant expressly confirms that they are aware of the specific risks associated with a cycling event and that there are no health concerns that would prevent their participation.

Liability

The liability of Trail Roots, including liability towards third parties, is limited to intent and gross negligence. This also applies to companies and assistants engaged by the organizer. Trail Roots shall not be liable for damage other than damage resulting from injury to life, body or health unless such damage is caused by an intentional or grossly negligent breach of duty by Trail Roots, its legal representative or its vicarious agents. This declaration applies both to services provided by Trail Roots free of charge and to paid services. Cycling activities take place on both public and private roads and trails. Trail Roots points out that any public-law or private-law restrictions or prohibitions on use must be respected by participants. Each participant shall be personally responsible for any violation of such restrictions or prohibitions. Where public roads or paths are used, every participant must comply with the applicable road traffic regulations.

Risks

The participant acknowledges that cycling activities take place outdoors and, in some cases, in terrain similar to alpine environments, and acknowledges the objective risks associated with such terrain. The participant agrees to adapt their riding behaviour to the respective external conditions. The participant acknowledges that, particularly in rough or difficult-to-oversee terrain, the condition of trails and paths may change significantly within a very short period of time and agrees to adapt their riding behaviour accordingly.

Protective Equipment

Trail Roots recommends the use of protective equipment such as protectors, gloves and similar items. Each participant is personally responsible for deciding whether to use such protective equipment.

Right to Give Instructions

During events, participants are required to follow the instructions of the guide. If a participant fails to comply with such instructions, the guide shall be entitled to exclude that participant from further participation in the event. Participants who are under the influence of alcohol or whose ability to react is otherwise impaired, for example by medication, drugs or similar substances, are prohibited from participating. The participant further confirms that they have sufficient private liability insurance to cover any damage caused to third parties or to Trail Roots. If a participant is excluded from the event due to physical or technical problems, the participant shall bear the costs of return transport as well as the risks associated with accidents and transportation.

Copyright / Recording of Tracks

Any reproduction, editing, distribution or other form of exploitation beyond the limits permitted by copyright law requires the written consent of Trail Roots. This applies to images, screenshots, training materials, exercises and other teaching materials. Uploading such content or recorded tracks to platforms such as Komoot, Strava or similar platforms is prohibited. Rental Bikes / Technical Condition of Participants' Own Bicycles If the participant takes part using their own bicycle, the participant confirms that the bicycle is in technically sound and fully functional condition. Trail Roots has no duty to inspect the bicycle and does not carry out a technical inspection.

Photographs

The participant grants Trail Roots the right to use photographs taken during Trail Roots events and consents to the publication of such photographs. The copyrights and rights of use relating to texts, graphics, images, design and source code are held by Trail Roots. The non-commercial creation, use and distribution of copies in electronic or printed form is permitted provided that the content remains unchanged, the source is stated as www.trail-roots.de, and no third-party rights are affected. By signing below, the participant confirms their agreement to the conditions of participation. This consent shall remain valid until revoked in writing.