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ALL DAY MUSIC, 45TH ANNUAL BOGUS BASIN HILL CLIMB RACE THIS SATURDAY AT BOGUS BASIN

Bogus Basin Road will be closed above the Highlands Hackberry Subdivision from 9:15am – 11:00am

BOISE, Idaho – August 16, 2017 – This Saturday, August 19th, marks the return of a long-time summer tradition in Boise: The 45th Annual Bogus Basin Hill Climb. Over 200 cyclists are expected to participate in the event, a 16-mile sprint from the base of Bogus Basin Road up to the Simplot Base Lodge area. Last year, 207 individuals competed in the 16-mile road race division. The winner, 24 year old Allan Schroeder, reached the finish line in just 54:46. The event also includes a 21-mile dirt division, which starts at the 8th Street extension.

This marks the second year of a partnership between event sponsor George's Cycles and Bogus Basin Mountain Recreation Area. George's donates a portion of every entry fee to Bogus Basin to help fund future trails on the mountain. This year, George's owner Mike Cooley expects the contribution to exceed \$6,000.00. "We plan on using these funds for future trail construction on the mountain," said Bogus Basin General Manager Brad Wilson. "We appreciate the generosity of great partners like George's Cycles."

Also planned for Saturday: an all-day Music on the Mountain event, featuring four different bands, sponsored by 10 Barrel Brewing Co. Visitors to the nonprofit recreation area will get a first look at the new landscaping, including an acre of lawn and the nearly complete base area plaza. "The addition of an acre of new lawn, and our nearly completed base area plaza is going to be a wonderful surprise for our guests to see this weekend," said Wilson. "It will be a great place to enjoy the music, have a meal, and explore the mountain."

Bogus Basin Road will be closed above Highlands Hackberry Subdivision to the top from 9:15am – 11:00am for the Hillclimb. Live music will play from 10:30am until 7:00pm. The Simplot Lodge will be open for full food & beverage service, and Fun Zone activities, Deerpoint Chairlift and Bike Shuttle will operate from 11:00am – 7:00pm.

For more information, visit www.bogusbasin.org.

BOGUS BASIN SCHEDULE OF EVENTS: SATURDAY, AUGUST 19th

MUSIC SCHEDULE:

10:30am – 11:45am	Neal & Friends
12:00pm – 1:45pm	Buckskin
2:00pm – 3:45pm	Soul Serene
4:00pm – 7:00pm	Jupiter Holiday

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