

Time to register for Rose to Toads bike ride

Registration is open for the 8th annual Rose to Toads mountain bike ride.

The ride is Sept. 2.

At more than 62 miles long with 8,000-plus feet of climbing and 10,000-plus feet of descent, Rose to Toads is one of the toughest mountain bike rides around.

One hundred percent of the proceeds go back to the organizations that build the trails featured on the ride: TAMBA, the Tahoe Rim Trail Association, the U.S. Forest Service-Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit, and Nevada State Parks.

It takes most riders all day to complete Rose to Toads, which showcases some of the best trails from Lake Tahoe's North Shore at Mount Rose all the way to the South Shore, ending on the famous Mr. Toads Wild Ride.

This ride is completely self-supported.

To register, go **online**.