

PELOTONIA®

# Spectator Handbook



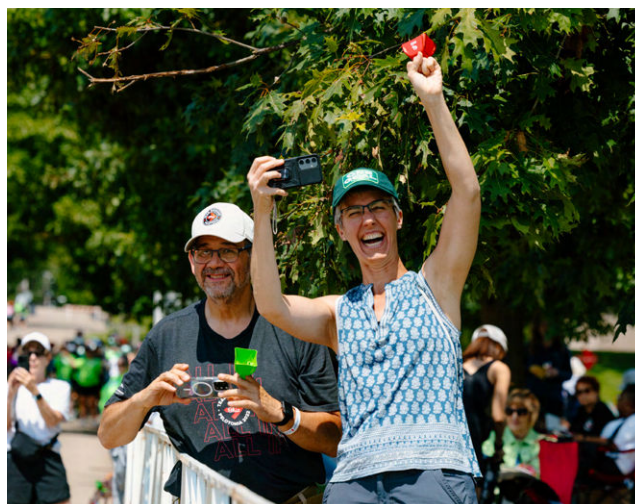
As a Spectator, your energy, cheers, and signs, are part of what fuel participants. Find everything you need to spectate safely and confidently below. For more visit [pelotonia.org/cheer](https://pelotonia.org/cheer).

## Spectator Do's

- **DO** celebrate participants at the start & finish lines.
- **DO** review routes in advance to avoid driving on or over them.
- **DO** download the Pelotonia Tracker app to follow your participant's progress.
- **DO** be patient and always follow the direction of parking staff.
- **DO** refer to the Spectator Handbook for more information.

## Spectator Don'ts

- **DON'T** try to access rest stops. In the interest of safety these are for participants, Volunteers, and safety staff only. Participants are only encouraged to pull to the side of the road if they need medical or mechanical assistance.
- **DON'T** try to meet your participant along the route at any time. This can be a safety issue for everyone. Only registered participants will be permitted onto the routes and trail.



## Frequently Asked Questions

### How can I contribute if I don't want to Ride or Volunteer?

There are many ways to be part of Pelotonia's mission to fund cancer research. If riding or volunteering isn't the right fit this year, consider becoming a Challenger — a fundraiser who contributes to the cause through personal goals instead of participating in Ride Weekend or Gravel Day. Please visit [pelotonia.org](https://pelotonia.org) to learn more and register.

### What happens if my participant is injured during Ride Weekend or Gravel Day?

Your participant's safety is our top priority. If a Rider is hurt or otherwise unable to finish the Ride, support vehicles or First Aid volunteers will provide appropriate care and contact EMT services if necessary. If a participant is transported to a medical facility, their designated emergency contact will be notified immediately. If a participant can't finish but doesn't need emergency transport, a support vehicle will transport them to the nearest finish area where you can pick them up or they can take a shuttle back to a start location.

### Where and how can I cheer on my Rider or Runner/Hiker?

Cheer on Riders at designated spirit stations and at finish lines! Use alternate roads to avoid the route and park away from it to keep Riders safe (all route maps can be viewed at [pelotonia.org/routes/](https://pelotonia.org/routes/)). Follow all directions from law enforcement, Volunteers, and signage for guest parking. Rest stops, including the lunch stop, are off-limits to guests for Rider safety. Spray painting public roads is strictly prohibited by law.

During Gravel Day, guests are welcome to cheer on Riders along the route, and cheer on Riders, Runners and Hikers as they finish at Snow Fork Event Center. Again, use alternate roads to avoid the routes (all route maps can be viewed at [pelotonia.org/routes/](https://pelotonia.org/routes/)) and Spectators should avoid arriving to Snow Fork between 8:15am-10:00am as cyclists take off.



### What accessibility accommodations are available for Spectators?

Pelotonia is committed to providing an inclusive experience and furthering accessibility for all Spectators regardless of ability, both apparent and non-apparent.

Accessible parking and restrooms are available at all start and finish venues, as well as other accommodations across our events. Please note that Gravel Day is an outdoor event, terrain is not even and may be challenging for those with mobility restrictions and aids such as wheelchairs, walkers, or canes. Visit [pelotonia.org/accessibility](https://pelotonia.org/accessibility) for more information about accessibility at Pelotonia events.

### How can I track my participant and know where they are on the route?

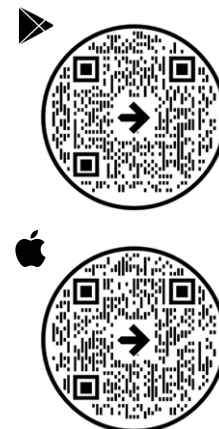
All Spectators can download the "Pelotonia Tracker" from the Apple or Google Play store on your mobile device. With the app, you can view your participant's progress throughout the Ride or Run/Hike, receive push notifications when they arrive at or leave rest stops, and get an alert when they're approaching the finish line.

To follow a participant, Spectators should download the app to their mobile device, then follow the below instructions:

1. Open the app and select your event (Ride Weekend or Gravel Day).
2. Tap "Tracker" at the bottom of the screen.
3. Use the search icon to find your participant by name.
4. Tap their name to add them to your main screen and subscribe to push notifications.



### "Pelotonia Tracker" app download



## Recommended Ride Weekend Spectator Locations:

### DOWNTOWN — BROAD STREET METHODIST CHURCH

501 E Broad St, Columbus, OH 43215

Cheer on your 17-, 23-, 46-, and 100-mile Riders as they ride downtown at the Broad Street Methodist Church Spectator experience. Join fellow Spectators for this fun cheering location, which will include a DJ for music and energy!

## Picking up Riders on Ride Weekend

Please plan your route to avoid the course, and do not travel along it to reach the venue.

Look for areas marked "Guest Parking" when you arrive.

### NORTH BANK PARK AND MCFERSON COMMONS

218 West St, Columbus, OH 43215

Many garages surrounding North Bank Park and McFerson Commons will be accessible to use if your Rider is starting from Downtown Columbus.

**Please note:** Spring Street and Long Street between Hocking Street and Marconi Blvd. will both be closed during Pelotonia Ride starts, and the 17-mile finish celebration, with no vehicular access available.

#### Estimated Finish Window:

| 17-mile (Sat.) |
|----------------|
| 9:15am-12:30pm |

### NEW ALBANY SCHOOLS

6600 E Dublin Granville Rd, New Albany, OH 43054

All Spectators should access the finish venue by using the New Albany Road exit from 161 and traveling north toward off-site parking.

Continuous shuttles will run between the finish venue and the off-site parking throughout the day.

#### Parking Locations (see maps on pages 5 & 6):

- Offsite Parking Address: 6500 New Albany Road E., New Albany, OH 43054
- ADA only: 6443 New Albany-Condit Rd, New Albany, OH 43054

#### Estimated Finish Windows:

| 23-mile (Sat.) | 27-mile (Sun.) | 65-mile (Sun.) |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 8:30am-12:00pm | 9:30am-12:00pm | 9:30am-1:45pm  |

### DOWNTOWN GRANVILLE

100 W Broadway, Granville, OH 43023

Cheer on your 66- and 100-mile Riders from downtown Granville!

#### START AND FINISH VENUES (LISTED ON PAGE 4)

### ABERCROMBIE & FITCH CO.

7907 Central College Rd, New Albany, OH 43054

Guests will not be permitted to enter Fitch Path from Smith's Mill, as this entrance will be closed to vehicular traffic and accessible for cyclists only.

Continuous shuttles will run between the finish venue and the off-site parking throughout the day.

#### Parking Locations (see maps on pages 7 & 8):

- Offsite Parking Address: AEP Ohio, 8400 Smith's Mill Road, New Albany, OH 43054
- **Please note:** Due to construction in the area, guests will still have a short and scenic walk through Abercrombie's campus to the finish line celebration. Any guests with limited mobility should use the Central College address for accessible parking.
- ADA and Limited Mobility Only: 7907 Central College Rd, New Albany, OH 43054

#### Estimated Finish Window:

| 46-mile (Sat.) |
|----------------|
| 8:45am-1:30pm  |

### KENYON COLLEGE

Lowry Center, 221 Duff Street, Gambier, OH 43022

All Kenyon Spectators MUST approach guest parking near the Lowry Center from 229. Please take care when approaching guest parking on Kenyon's campus as you may need to cross the route to access parking areas. Follow the direction of parking attendants at all times.

#### Parking Location (see map on page 7):

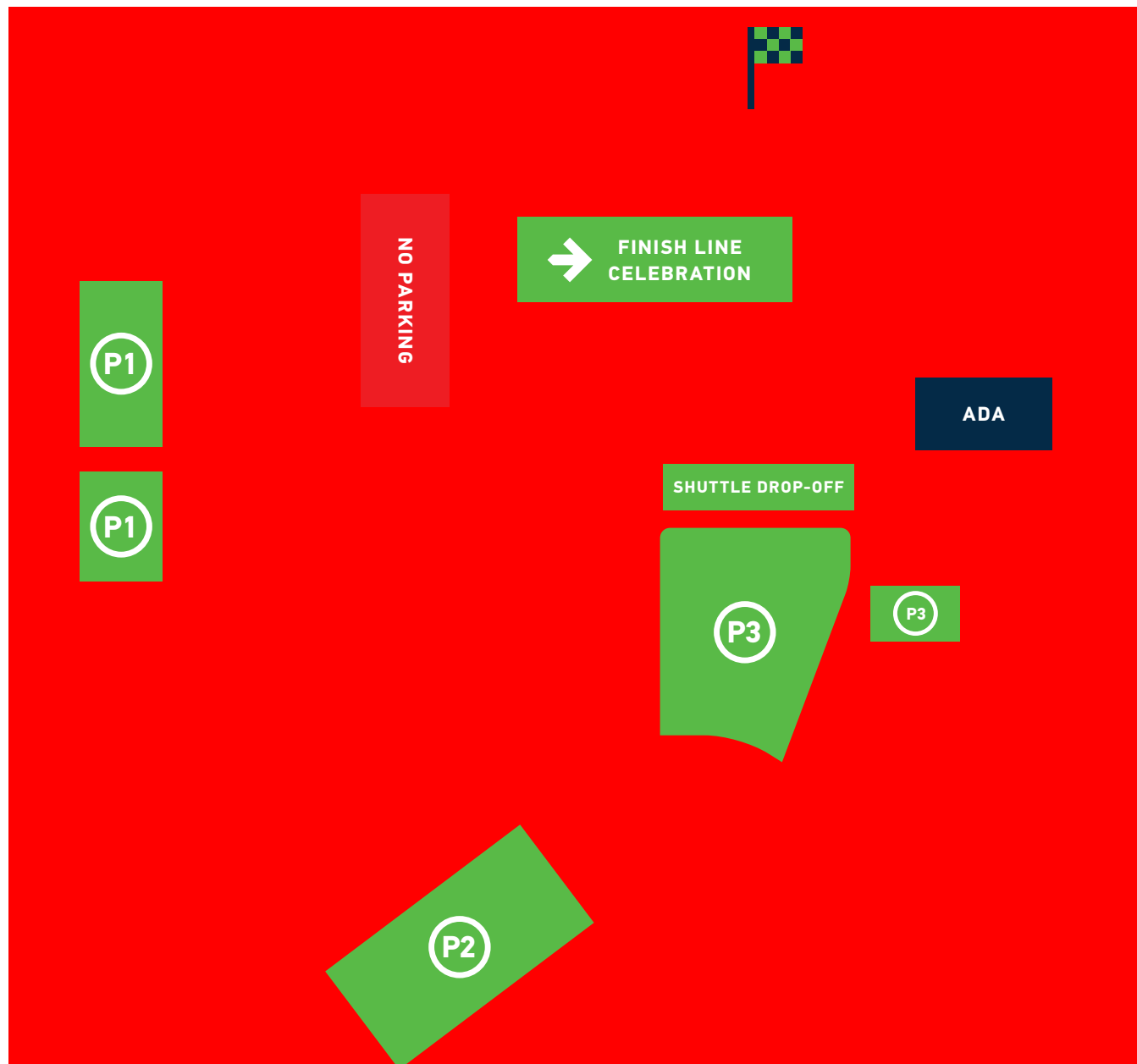
- 291 Athletics Lane, Gambier, OH 43022

#### Estimated Finish Windows:

| 66-mile (Sat.) | 100-mile (Sun.) |
|----------------|-----------------|
| 10:30am-4:00pm | 11:00am-6:00pm  |

# RIDE WEEKEND SPECTATOR PARKING MAPS

## New Albany Schools Parking



**P1:** 7600 FODOR RD, NEW ALBANY, OH 43054

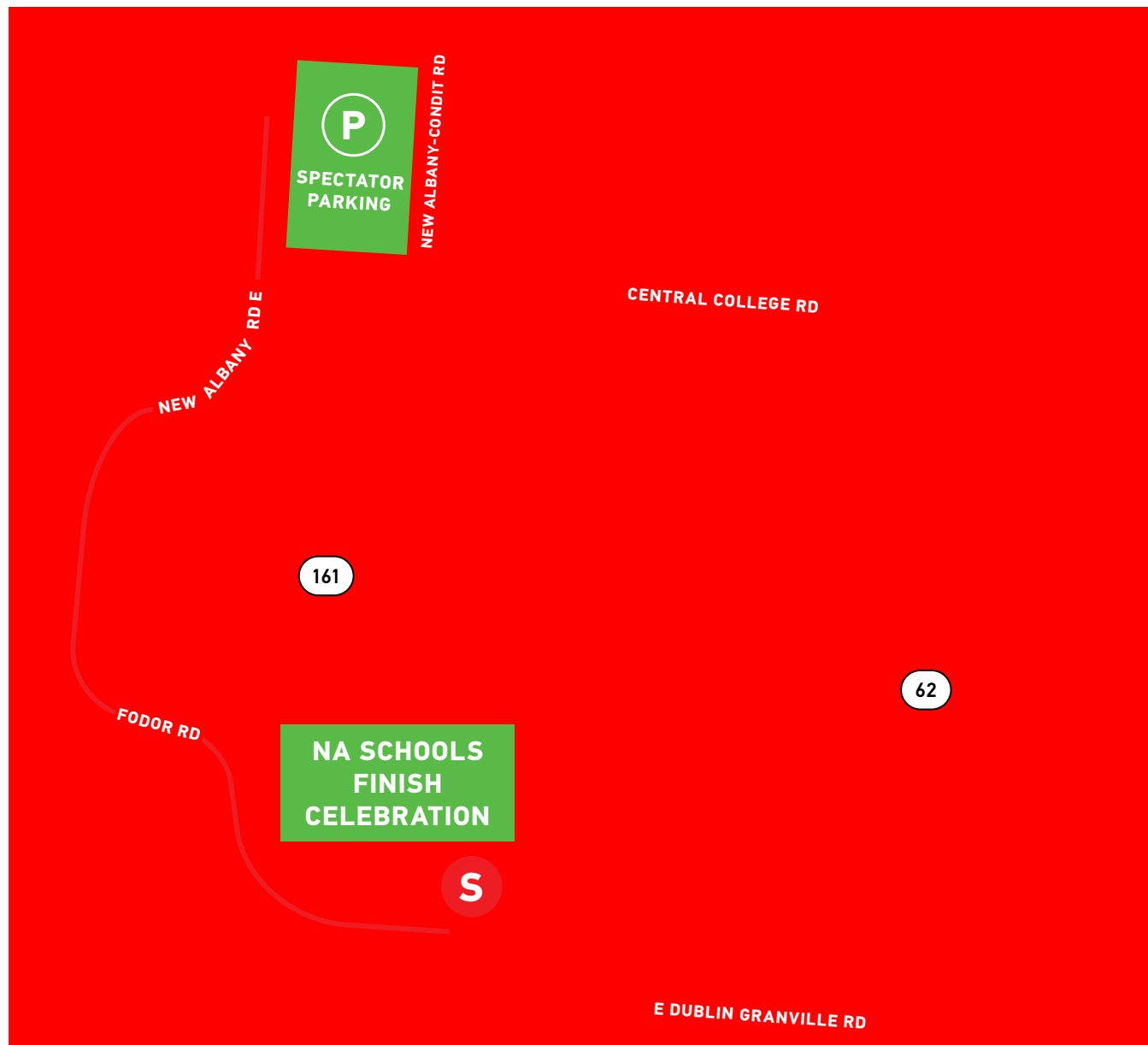
**P2:** 150 W MAIN ST, NEW ALBANY, OH 43054

**P3:** 6600 E DUBLIN GRANVILLE RD, NEW ALBANY, OH 43054

**ADA ONLY:** 6443 NEW ALBANY-CONDIT RD NEW ALBANY OH 43054

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## New Albany Schools Off-Site Shuttle Parking



**P** SPECTATOR PARKING: 6500 NEW ALBANY RD E. NEW ALBANY, OH 43054

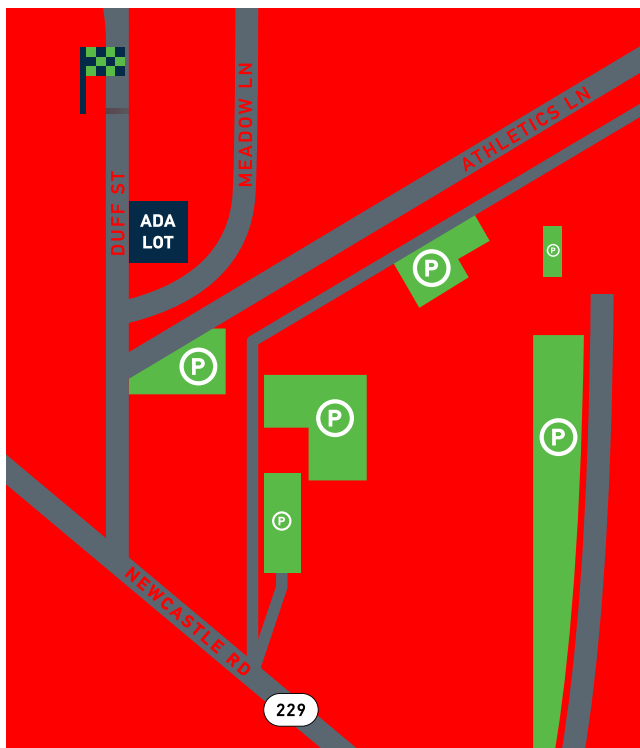
**S** NEW ALBANY SCHOOLS DROP-OFF AND PICK-UP LOCATION

**—** NEW ALBANY SCHOOLS SHUTTLE ROUTE

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## Kenyon College Parking

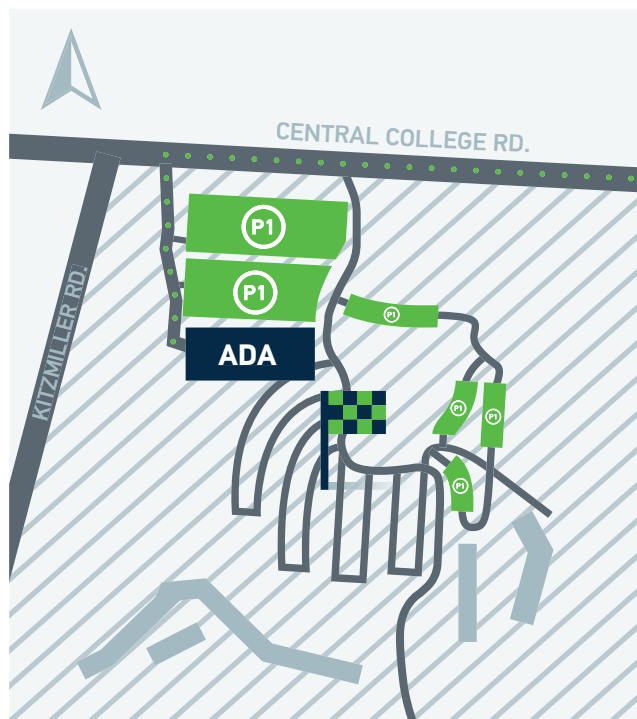
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## Abercrombie & Fitch Co. Parking

7907 Central College Rd, New Albany, OH 43054

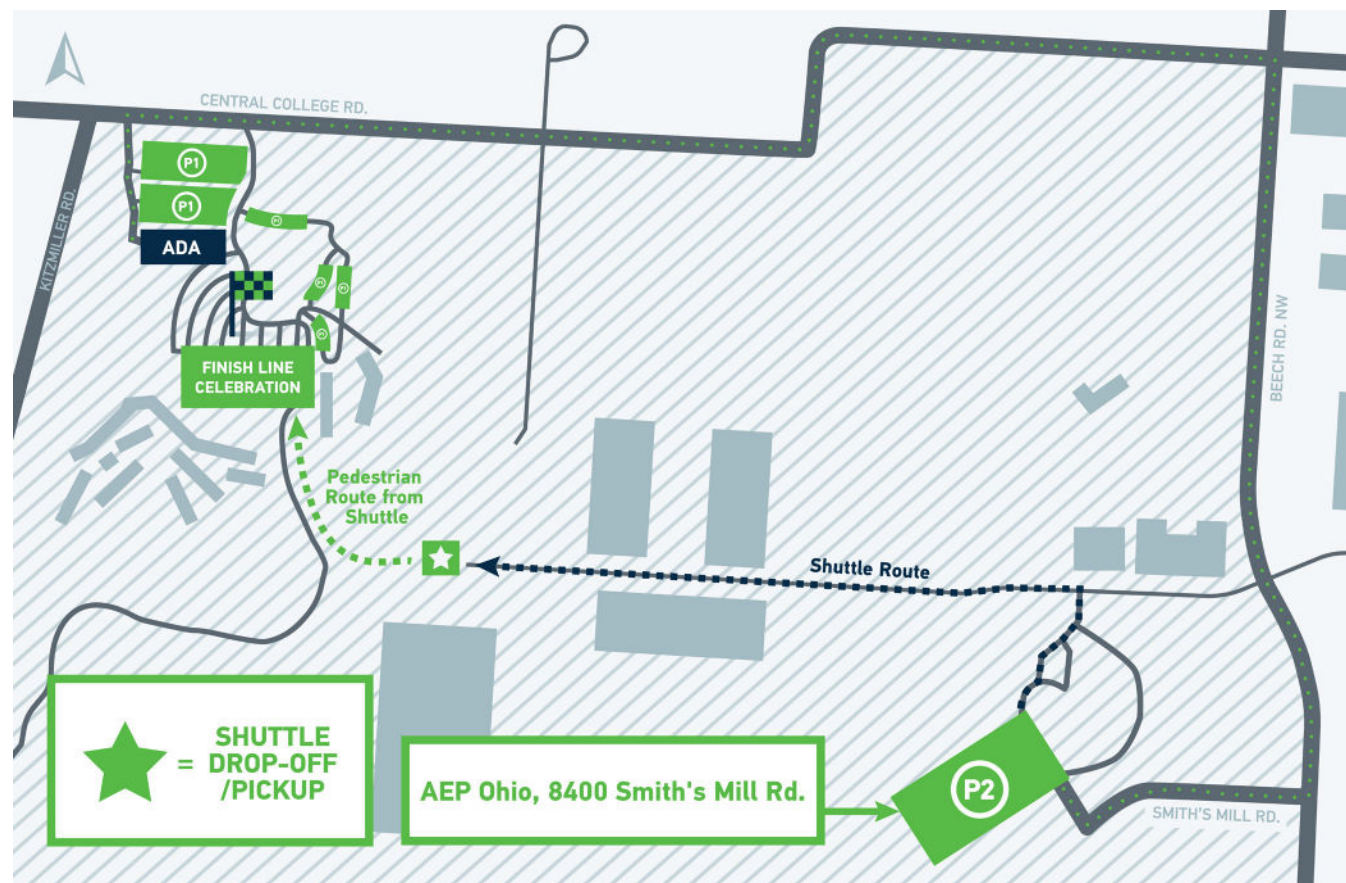
(ADA and Limited Mobility Parking - limited spots available)



## RIDE WEEKEND SPECTATOR PARKING MAPS

### Abercrombie & Fitch Co. Offsite Parking

AEP Ohio, 8400 Smith's Mill Road, New Albany, OH 43054



## Spectators at Gravel Day

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2 – COMMUNITY GATHERING

All guests who are attending on Friday night, including all camping guests, should enter Snow Fork at the main property entrance (5685 Happy Hollow Road, Nelsonville OH 45764). At the fork in the road once inside the venue, camping guests who have chosen late departure sites should continue to the left for campsite check-in, and camping guests who have chosen early departure sites, as well as all other guests, should continue to the right and follow signage and direction of parking staff for event parking. alternative roads to keep the route as clear of cars as possible.

### DRIVING DIRECTIONS

Spectators should make every effort to travel along alternative roads to keep the route as clear of cars as possible.

## Picking up Participants at Gravel Day

### SNOW FORK EVENT CENTER

Snow Fork Event Center should be accessed via the designated vehicle entrance near 5879 Happy Hollow Road. Please use caution when traveling to the venue, as Riders will be utilizing the roadways around the venue.

Please follow the direction of all Pelotonia Volunteers and parking attendants to safely access the venue.

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3 – GRAVEL DAY

All Participants, Volunteers, and guests arriving on Gravel Day (Saturday) may use the main Snow Fork access point until 8:15am. After that time, all vehicles and guests will instead enter the venue via the alternate access near 5879 Happy Hollow Road, Nelsonville OH 45764, for Rider safety. If you reach the main gate after 8:15am, continue south on Happy Hollow Road and follow event signage and direction of parking staff to the alternate location. Please note that once the first Riders have started at 8:30am, there will be cyclists along Happy Hollow Road near both the main and auxiliary entry points, so please use extreme caution when arriving to and departing Snow Fork Event Center!

### Estimated Finish Windows for Gravel Riders

| 11-mile         | 25-mile        | 48-mile        |
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| 10:00am-11:30am | 10:30am-1:00pm | 12:00pm-4:00pm |

### Estimated Finish Windows for Mountain Bikers

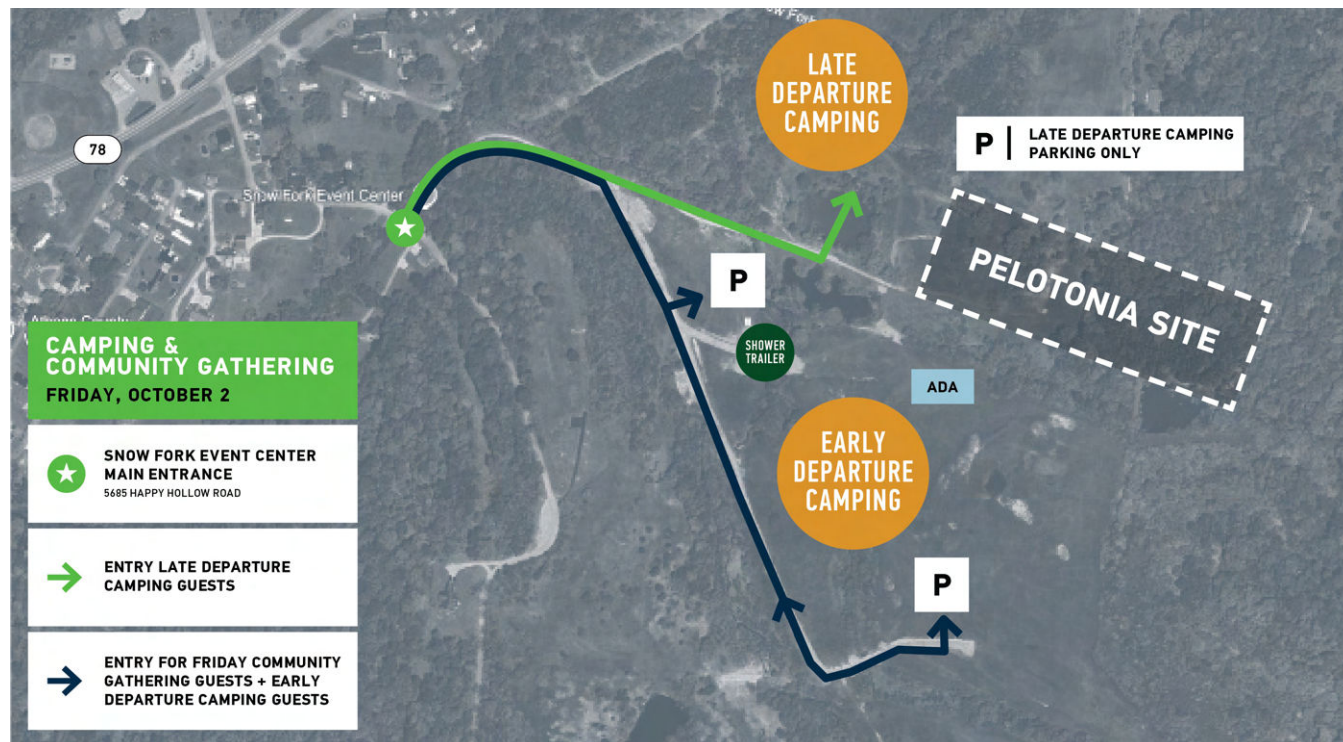
| 10-mile        | 24-mile        |
|----------------|----------------|
| 9:30am-10:30am | 10:45am-2:45pm |

**Please note:** The Trail Run/Hike course will close at 2:30pm so all runners and hikers will start their final lap by this time.



# GRAVEL DAY SPECTATOR PARKING MAPS

## Friday, October 2 – Community Gathering Parking Map



## Saturday, October 3 – Gravel Day Parking Map

