

2023 LOEBMWR Riding Challenge

Riding Challenge Rules

- 1. Ride to the location, get a pic of you, or your bike, with the bridge.**
 - 2. Submit to the scorer via email, RidingChallenge@loebmwr.org.**
 - 3. Scoring sheet is available online to check your progress.**
 - 4. There is a maximum total of 89 points. The top 10-point totals get ride awards. A minimum of 25 points gets a ride pin**
 - 5. All locations are accessible on paved roads unless otherwise noted**
 - 6. The challenge runs from now until November 30, winners will be announced at the Christmas party.**
 - 7. Most of the bridges listed are on light traffic roads, off the beaten path. Ride to some place you have never been, explore a bit, have fun, and ride safe.**
1. Pecos river flume Carlsbad, NM “Where the river crosses over itself.”
 2. Pecos River bridge, Villanueva , NM
 3. Pecos River bridge, San Jose, NM Close to the Santa Fe Trail crossing. Pre 1937 Rte 66
 4. Abandoned Pecos River Bridge Terrero, NM
 5. Green bridge, former Pecos River Bridge at Las Cruces Farm & Ranching Museum
 6. John Dunn Rio Grande Bridge, Easy Rider movie shooting location. (GS dirt) El Prado, NM
 7. The Taos Gorge Bridge was built in 1964 to replace the John Dunn Bridge
 8. Rio Grande bridge at Lyden on NM 582- Ride slow on the the road south past many Mesa Pietra Petroglyphs
 9. Ohkay Owingeh Rio Grande bridge, 10-ton limit. I know from personal experience that it would hold more!
 10. Espanola bridge with streetlights from the 1930’s.
 11. Otowi bridge. Many large, and heavy pieces of equipment crossed this bridge for the Manhattan Project
 12. *Old Alameda Ave Rio Grande Bridge Now a walking bridge. From the dirt parking lot. Freebee to all who participate in the Challenge because of traffic concerns.*
 13. Old Rio Grande bridge at Radium Springs
 14. Old Iron San Juan River bridge, Shiprock, NM Take your pic from the Burger King parking lot. View the murals on the other side of the river!
 15. Animas River, Cedar Hill bridge
 16. Old Rte 66 Wooden Bridge, San Jon, NM (GS dirt?)
 17. Rte 66 bridge, over Plaza Larga Creek on the Frontage Rd
 18. Pre 1937 Route 66 bridge over Santa Fe River, La Bajada, NM (easy dirt)
 19. Route 66 Rio Puerco bridge, have a Laguna Burger while you are there.
 20. Route 66 bridge over the BNSF RR tracks. Ride over it!
 21. Route 66 concrete bridge, Laguna Pueblo
 22. Rio San Jose Pony Truss Bridge

23. D&RGW RR Navajo River bridge & water tank
 24. Rio Chama C&TS RR bridge, Chama, NM from Cemetery Rd (hardly any dirt)
 25. Lobato Trestle Cumbres & Toltec Scenic RR NM 17
 26. Mexican Canyon RR Trestle Cloudcroft, NM Cloud Climbing Railroad
 27. BNSF RR bridge Black River Bridge Malaga, NM
 28. BNSF RR Bridge, south of Bosque del Apache
 29. EP & SW RR Concrete Arch Bridge Rodeo, NM (GS dirt)
 30. Pecos River RR bridge, Ft Sumner
 31. Old US 60 Bridge over the Rio Puerco, Bernardo, NM
 32. Taos Jct, Rio Grande Bridge, Pilar, NM Who was governor when it was built?
 33. Historic Rio Felix Bridge, Hagerman, NM
 34. Red, Iron Gila River Bridge, Cliff, NM Take a hike across it.
 35. San Francisco River bridge, Glenwood, NM
 36. 5 Mile bridge over Largo Canyon (GS dirt)
 37. Grant Avenue Concrete bridge, Santa FE, NM "Bridge of the Hidalgos."
 38. Mora River Bridge, Watrous, NM. Stop at the Watrous coffee shop on your way to the confluence of the Mora & Sapello Rivers.
 39. High Canadian River Bridge, Logan NM
 40. Nose Rock Canyon bridge, interesting name! A little dirt.
 41. Red Willow bridge. A little more dirt
 42. La Jara Arroyo bridge US 64 - Great view of the bridge coming down the hill eastbound
 43. Old US 84 abandoned concrete bridge, (dirt or very short hike)
 44. Nogal Canyon bridge, I-25 from the vantage point listed on the map.
 45. Old Percha Creek bridge, Hillsboro, NM scenic turnout.
 46. Middle Percha Creek bridge, Kingston, NM
 47. Variadero concrete bridge, Rio Conchas, NM 104
 48. Stark Weather Canyon, Love the name, old & new bridges Reserve, NM
 49. Bridge over Omega Canyon from the vantage point listed, or from here 35.880279, -106.324506
 50. Rio Hondo Bridge, Lincoln County
- EXTRA CREDIT BRIDGES 5 points each**
51. Chevelon Creek, slot canyon bridge, west of Joseph City, AZ
 52. ½ mile long Canadian River wagon bridge, Canadian, TX
 53. Gila River concrete arch bridge, Threeway, AZ