

# SHARE MONTHLY

January 2012

## Upcoming Events:

- **Next SHARE Meeting**  
Monday Feb 6th, 6:30 PM  
at REI 2962 El Camino  
Real, Tustin in the Commu-  
nity room.
- Feb 4th Trail Work with the  
IRC at Buck Gully  
[http://  
www.irlandmarks.org/  
activities/sign-up.aspx?  
id=9250](http://www.irlandmarks.org/activities/sign-up.aspx?id=9250)
- Feb 11th Valentine's Day  
Beginner Mountain bike  
Ride @ 9:00 AM Irvine Re-  
gional Park Lot # 16
- Mar 17th Endurostuff  
Mountain Challenge Race  
[http://endurostuff.com/  
Endurostuff/  
Mountain\\_Challenge.html](http://endurostuff.com/Endurostuff/Mountain_Challenge.html)
- Apr 28th 50 Mile Ride to  
benefit Project Rwanda  
<http://50mr.com>
- Questions about this News-  
letter- email  
[sharemtb@gmail.com](mailto:sharemtb@gmail.com)

## 2012 Membership Drive

We have officially kicked off the our 2012 membership drive and with your help we hope to make this years effort the best ever. If you know already that you want to join SHARE for the first time or renew your membership, skip to the hyperlink at the end to either use Active.com or PayPal registration. If you would like to learn more about SHARE, read on. SHARE was founded in 1988, 23 years ago, and has been a strong

and consistent voice in the Orange County mountain bike community. SHARE has Park Representatives that work with land managers at local Orange County and State Parks to promote mountain biking, creating and improving the trails we all love to ride. Benefits of a SHARE Membership? They include discounts at The Path Bike Shop, Rock n Road Cyclery, Two Wheels One Planet,

JAX Bicycle Center-Irvine, O C Bike Garage and crankbrothers on-line store.

How to join SHARE for the first time or renew your membership?

[Click here](#)

\$30 for Individual Membership  
\$40 for Family Membership  
\$50 for Affiliate Membership  
\$250 for Lifetime Membership

It's the members of SHARE that make the club, sure we have a great trailer full of tools to build and fix trails but we your help. There are quite few positions that we would like to fill with some dedicated volunteers. These roles vary in their time commitments but at a minimum we would like you to attend the monthly meetings and be able to provide a status report to the Board members. Some positions do require a bit more of your time but we can allow you to work with others to

## Volunteers Needed!



get the job done. We are looking for members to be park representatives to be our eyes and ears in our parks and work with the land managers on projects in the parks. The park reps also help

plan rides and events in their park and give the club a positive spin. Positions that do require a bit more of a commitment are Membership Coordinator and Event Coordinator are a couple examples. We also are getting ready for the board member elections and are looking to fill a couple of those positions. If you would like to help out in any of these roles, please let us know by sending us an email to [sharemtb@gmail.com](mailto:sharemtb@gmail.com) We look forward to getting some new members to help us out.

## SHARE Online

Have you checked out SHARE's Website? How about our Facebook page? Are you a fan yet? We also have a Twitter feed for up to the minute SHARE news.

**Website:** <http://sharemtb.com>

**Facebook:** [Share Mountain Bike Club](#)

**Twitter:**

<http://twitter.com/SHAREMTBOC>

## Children In The Wilderness

Steve Lopushinsky from Turville Photography has kindly offered to present us with a slide show. He will be showing images taken during the past three years of mountain biking through Botswana, Zimbabwe and South Africa as part of an international fundraising effort for Children In The Wilderness which is based in Johannesburg, South Africa.

Please join us March 5th at REI in Tustin at 6:30 pm in the community room for a virtual trip of a lifetime.



## Poker Ride

We have set the date and want you to write it down so you don't miss it. May 19th is the date and we will return to Irvine and Santiago Oaks Regional Parks. Guess who is also coming back?



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