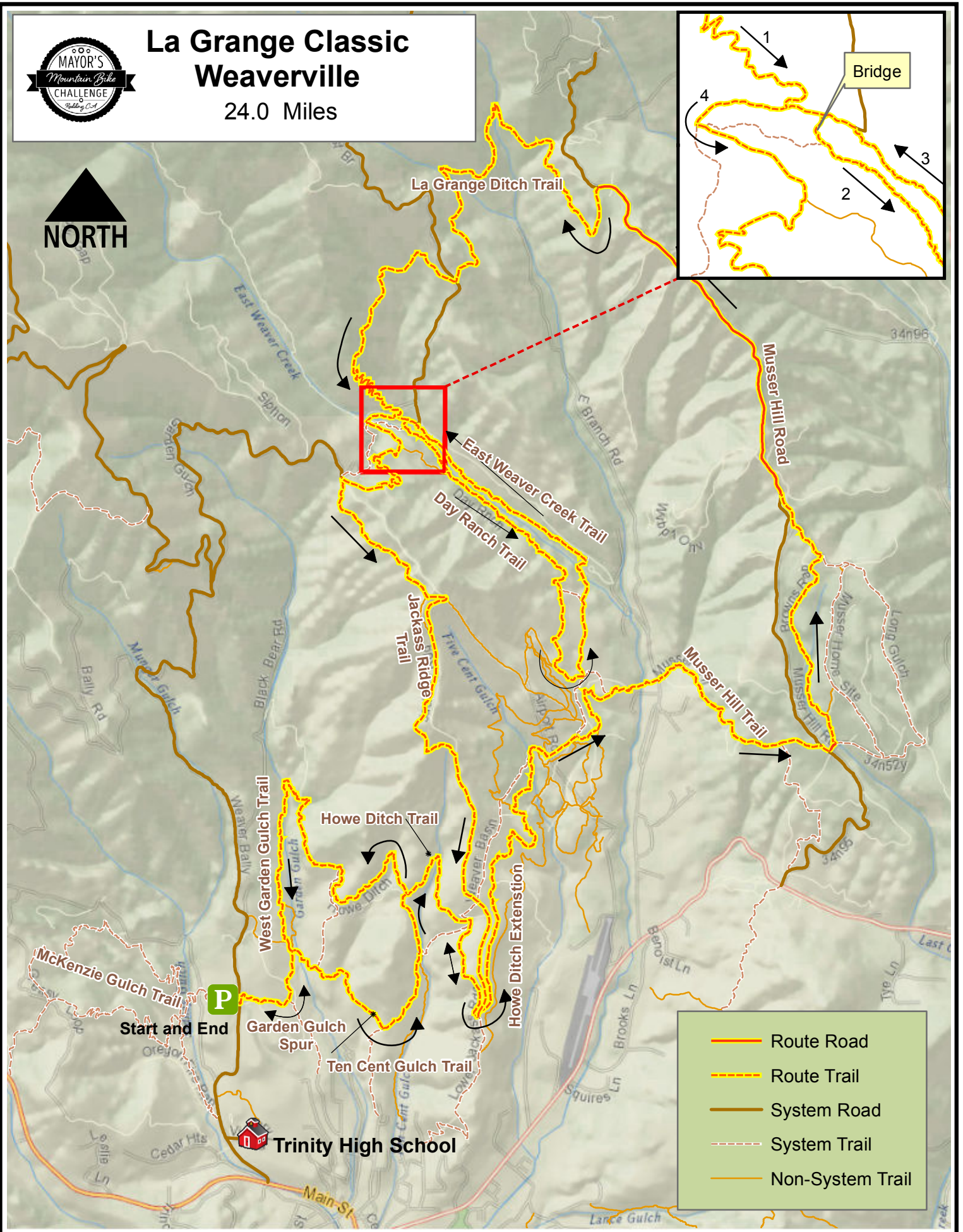
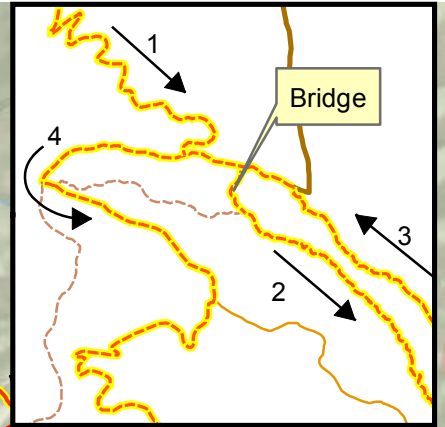




La Grange Classic Weaverville

24.0 Miles



- Route Road
- Route Trail
- System Road
- System Trail
- Non-System Trail

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Start at Trail Parking lot on Weaver Bally Road approximately ½ Mile past high school

PM 0.00 – Cross Weaver Bally Road to Garden Gulch Spur

PM 0.30 – Straight to West Garden Gulch

PM 0.4 – Right to Garden Gulch Tie Trail

PM 0.5 – Cross the creek and soon head up the hill.

PM 0.65 – At the top of the hill, you will hit a trail intersection, stay straight to Garden Gulch Trail

PM 1.15 – Trail Intersection – take a Left to Ten Cent Gulch Trail (locals call is the Shovel Trail).

PM 1.55 – Trail to the right – stay straight on the Ten Cent Gulch Trail, sharp climb ahead.

PM 1.80 – At the top of the climb you will come to an intersection (note the shovel on the post, hence the Shovel Trail you have just been on, take a right on to the Howe Ditch Trail. Stay on this trail for more than a mile.

PM 2.90 – Howe ditch ends, take a left onto the Jackass Ridge Trail and veer off to the right in 100 ft onto the unsigned Howe Ditch Extension (keep your eyes open, this can be hard to see...)

PM 4.45 – Stay in the ditch trail for awhile until it empties on to East Weaver Creek Trail, turn right.

PM 4.70 – Towards the end of a small climb you will see a spur trail to the right, take this right on a Unnamed Spur Trail

PM 4.80 – Continue left on to Serenity Trail (Ditch)

PM 5.0 – note the trail coming in from the left and crossing the ditch....stay straight and prepare to descend some towards East Weaver Creek

PM 5.15 – Right on Rainbow-Hansen Trail and cross bridge and up a short hill on to a paved Road (Rainbow lane, stay right)

PM 5.20 – Cross E. Weaver Creek Road and Start uphill on the Musser Hill Trail (note the new switchbacks to start your climb if you were here before).

PM 6.35 – The single track Musser Hill Trail will empty on to Musser Hill Road, take a right to the next dirt road to the left

PM 6.38 – Left on Musser Homestead Loop Trail (dirt road)

PM 6.42 – Left almost immediately on Musser Homestead Spur Trail and follow main trail/road

PM 7.70 – Right on Musser Hill Road (main gravel road)

PM 9.0 – just after you start to descend, note the picnic table to your left...good place to rest after the climb you just made.

PM 9.33 – Just after the Musser Hill Road starts to climb again, you will see a dirt road off to the left, that is the start of the La Grange Ditch Trail, take it and it will soon turn into a single track along the historic La Grange Ditch.

PM 10.3 – trail ends at a creek...cross it and the ditch trail takes off again up the hill on the other side.

PM 11.58 – After the ditch trail ends and turns into a fire road for a short distance it will intersect with a more heavily traveled dirt road, cross the dirt road and stay on La Grange Ditch Trail

PM 12.3 – note the ditch ends and steep descent is ahead. Take a couple minutes and appreciate the remains of the old ditch flume before attacking the switch backs.

PM 12.9 – your steep descent ends on an old road at the bottom of the grade, take a left and look for a single track trail that will take off to the right and cross the creek.

PM 12.95 – Look to right for trail down to bridge to cross East Weaver Creek

PM 13.0 – Stay on trail to the left and get ready for some fun

PM 14.0 - Pass trail on left

PM 14.5 - Four way intersection – Make sure you take the trail to the sharp left. (East Weaver Creek Trail)

PM 14.8 – Trail intersection – take the trail to the right and head down the hill towards the creek.

PM 15.0 - After crossing the creek and a very short climb you will hit a single track along the creekside of the campground. Turn left and head upstream, past a water tower and past the bridge you crossed a few minutes ago (PM 16.2) and past the La Grange Trail. .

PM 16.3 – at the end of the trail/road, cross the creek and your trail will take off on the other side.

PM 16.35 – after crossing the creek, take the trail in the middle (the fire road to the right heads up the hill, the trail to the left goes back down the creek, you want the one in the middle that take you up to Jack Ass Ridge).

PM 17.2 – the single track empties onto a fire road and then to a big open area intersecting several fire/logging roads. Look at the left and the sign for Jack Ass Ridge. Take that Trail and head to the south, get read to climb and then for a fun, fast descent along Jackass Ridge Trail.

PM 19.5 – go past the intersection of the trail to East Weaver – stay on the Jack Ass Ridge Trail which is largely a fire road at this point.

PM 20.00 – Look familiar, you are back to the Howe Ditch Trail, Turn right and backtrack on the Howe Ditch Trail

PM 20.5 – Pass the Jackass Ridge Spur Trail and stay on Home Ditch Trail

PM 21.1 – Pass the Ten Cent Gulch Intersection (remember the shovel?) and stay right to stay on the Howe Ditch Trail

PM 21.8 – the ditch trail intersects with the East Garden Gulch trail that takes off to the left (see the big rock below, locals call it Teachers Rock)...stay straight on the ditch trail). PM 22.3 – the trail crosses Garden Gulch creek and takes up on the other side...keep going, fun, swoopy, mild descent ahead.

PM 23.1 – the trail empties onto a fire road, take a left and then a quick right very soon back onto a single track trail.

PM 23.2 – stay on the mail trail, it will soon empty back onto the trail you were on before. Take that and head back over the little rise...you will be back to the parking lot soon.

PM 23.6 – Back at Parking Lot