

The Next Loop Endurance Series 3.1 Mile Loop at Eddie D Jones Park

We start off at the **gate for the RED TRAIL**...going the opposite direction from the trailhead (we need the distance to the **GREEN TRAIL**).

We head southeast down the gravel road and then we go to the stop sign. Take a left and we're gonna go up to the entrance to the **GREEN TRAIL**. We enter the **GREEN TRAIL** at .13 miles.

At .28 miles the **GREEN TRAIL** intersects the **RED TRAIL**. We turn left on the **RED TRAIL** (this would be the 8 mile mark on the Red Trail on the park map). At .4 miles we come to a clearing to cross to keep going on the **RED TRAIL**.

To add .14 miles (to make it come out to 3.1) we'll turn left, go down and around patch of trees, then come back to the trail marker. That puts us at the Red Trail at .52 miles. That's the end of any additions to the trails for distance.

We're gonna follow the **RED TRAIL** (to just past 9 1/2 mile on the park trail map) to where we're going to join the **BLUE TRAIL**. *There are no other trail crossings on this route, so no confusions.*

At .85 miles we pass the 8 1/2 mile mark on the RED TRAIL.

At 2.19 miles we cross the gravel road off the **RED TRAIL**. We take a left. Go up 20 or 30 yards and hit the **BLUE TRAIL**.

The **BLUE TRAIL** is a shared horse trail /hiking trail so it's a wider path. This will be a good fast run for the finish.

At 2.28 come back out to the gravel road you take an immediate right turn on the **BLUE TRAIL**. You shortly turn back on the trail.

At 2.43 the **BLUE TRAIL** comes out next to the road and take a right go down a little bit. Don't go up on the road! Stay on the trail. At 2.45 it turns back to the trail turns back to the right into the woods.

At 2.5 trail comes out on the next to the road...again, stay off the road! At 2.55 turns right back off the main road onto the trail.

At 2.68 we're coming up to a maintenance shed. Go off to the left just a little bit and re-enter the trail and we can see the staging area just up ahead.

At 2.77 cross the gravel parking lot.

We're will cross the street and circle the staging area to the stop sign and the gravel road we started on towards the finish line ahead.