

# RUN ANNOUNCEMENT

Anza - Borrego

Run Date	2.15.20		
Trail Leader	Craig Woolbert, co leaders = Jon Hart, Mike Wallace and Robert Gabrielson		
RSVP Required?	Yes, Please	<a href="mailto:craighb2@gmail.com">craighb2@gmail.com</a>	714-856-2605
Vehicle Limit	15 max	Having more than 15 vehicles will make Sand Stone Canyon, A one way back track trail, very difficult	
Radio	CB Channel 4		HAM: DD1 146.580
Permits Required	No		
Members	Bring your Club Membership Card to expedite Club Liability Waiver requirements.		
Guests	Please Sign <u>BOTH</u> SIDES of the Participant Agreement and bring with you.		
Reminder/ Weather	BEWARE of RATTLESNAKES, Bring lunch and extra water, chairs, basic tools, Flashlight, Head light for Mud caves, shovel, camera, extra weather appropriate clothing, etc. Looks like it's going to be in the mid 70's on 2.15.20.		
Cautions	Rattle snakes, Tarantulas, coyotes, water and mud crossings, landslides, tippy, slippery sections.		
Trail Rating	Most of the trails will be easy. Some sandy washes with mild steep hill climbs. Most 4 wheel drive vehicles will not have a problem. Sandstone Canyon is Moderate to possibly difficult. Must have a short wheel span. Really nothing larger than a (4) door JK. It's a narrow canyon of sometimes 15 ft wide with a few challenging obstacles. It's also a 1 way in and 1 way out trail.		
Meeting Location	X L gas station. 525 Palm Canyon Drive Borrego Springs, CA 92004		
Meeting Time	Gather: <b>7:30</b> Leave: 8:00		
Trailhead Coordinates	Canyon Sin Nobre at approx. 9:30 am. <b>32.82995, -116.17035</b> Elevation: 1,198 ft		

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<b>Special Equipment</b>	<b>Sway Bar disconnects, High Ground clearance 33" tire minimum and at least 1 locker. Skid plates and rocker guards are needed on this trail. A good spare tire. Tire and Body damage always possible.</b>
<b>Trail Description</b>	<b>Trail head will be Canyon Sin Nobre. From there will go to (4) points of interest. #1 Mud Caves. There are at least 22 caves, some up to 1,000 feet in length and 80 feet in height.<sup>[1]</sup> Many of the caves are easily accessed. The caves were created by water flowing through a thick deposit of silt. Hiking head lamps are great to have. (1) hour max stay at the Mud Caves. Stop #2 is Diabo Drop off where we will have lunch. #3 is Sand Stone Canyon. 2.3 miles one-way drive. Highly experienced 4wd may be required. It's a Sandstone slot Canyon with incredible sculptured canyon walls. #4 (if there is time) will be the Wind Caves. It's a 1.25-mile round trip hike that climbs 250 feet to a sandstone formation with wind-eroded pockets that are fun to explore.</b>