

## The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Tour De Bemidji is ON for 2020. Saturday, February 29<sup>th</sup>!!!

(FKA Tour De Bemidjski)

Here are the details:

Join fellow skiers on a tour of the Bemidji Area Cross Country Ski Club trail systems, including Lake Bemidji State Park. New in 2020, we will **start at Movil Maze at 8:00 on Saturday, February 29<sup>th</sup>**. Skiers are encouraged to **carpool** to reduce the amount of vehicles at various trailheads. We had close to one vehicle for every skier last year and that was crazy! We will meet back at Movil Maze for a pizza lunch- time TBD (I am working on a sponsorship to have lunch covered). This is a self supported day of skiing, so plan ahead with hydration/food. The route/plan is to hit the trails in this order:

- Movil Maze 8:00 start
- Fern Lake Trails
- High School Trails
- Montebello Trails
- Lunch at Movil Maze Lodge
- Buena Vista Trails
- Three Island (South)
- Hobson
- Lake Bemidji State Park

It will be a full day of skiing. It is not a race and we wait at the trailhead until all skiers return before heading to the next trail system. People interested in joining the tour later in the day can text my cell (Nate: 218-766-2889) for an update. I'll do my best to respond. In 2019, the tour was approximately 40 kilometers. Expect the same distance +-10k in 2020, depending on conditions and **general attitude of the tour organizer** 😊.

Ski the whole thing or just a part of it and of course, a shorter route will be available at every trail system for anyone wanting to do less than the full distance. I'll send an abbreviated notice to Rachel and Pat for social media and the website. If anyone has a contact at SkinnySki, it might be nice to get it on their site as well. At this point, there is no cost for the event. I'll try to attach a few photos from last year's tour.

Spread the word!

