

Descenders win the Stagecoach Century Ultimate Team Time Trial

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The Descenders 4 man team won the January 17, 2009 winter Stagecoach 4-man team trial with a TTT record pace of 4 hours, 59 minutes. The team was lead by the endless horsepower of Rick Bienias, who has an enviable mountain bike racing resume (front in picture) . The team also included 3 of the Descenders’ mighty “Daves” – Dave Guidotti, Dave Ernst and Dave Voris (in order in the picture).

The Descenders were represented by 9 riders in total at the ride (including Mike Hodges, Dave Sheehan, Jim Broder, Rob Verfurth, and Dave Boyle). The 2nd Descenders 4 man time trial team met with some misfortune with multiple flats. Had it not been for the flats the club was within striking distance of a 1-2 finish.

We encourage San Diego cycling clubs/enthusiasts to enter this TTT race next year and widen the competitive field. It is a beautiful, safe, well managed ride.

