

Kevin and i both finished day 1 (160 miles). the course was very dusty and quite technical at times. the transfer sections have some stretches of 1st gear rocks, rocks, and more rocks most on off-camber hills. kevin overheated his bike and dropped back 30 minutes trying to find water for his bike. he got a front flat also but rode it out. i had a couple of get-offs in the deep sandy tests but stayed on track with no route points. USA's casselli is in the lead overall! USA's top club rider after day one is jeff o'leary

LOTS of Sand!!!! And rocks!!!! Not much road at all!!!! Im not sure but I

think Lucas has 0 route points dropped and Kevin was 30 down due to the boiled radiator, plus a few at the pits to change tire and filter and engine oil!!!!