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Missoula 'Cross!

MBRA Cyclocross Series Race #9

Sunday, November 9, 2008

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USCF Official: Tim Bechtold

<u>The Course</u>: This criterium-like course is flat and fast, with lap lengths of 3k (approx. six minutes). It features a nice mix of surfaces (60% dirt/gravel, 25% asphalt, 15% grass), and a few, minor technical challenges. It's a great opportunity for beginners to try out the sport, and for experienced 'crossers to race with intact groups. The venue is spectator-friendly, too, with numerous locations to view the action up close. Come out and join the fun!

Location: Dept. of Natural Resources & Conservation (DNRC) campus, Spurgin Road at 27th Avenue.

<u>Directions</u>: From the North (I-90) or South (Hwy. 93), take Reserve to Spurgin (six blocks north of South Ave.). Head west on Spurgin for two blocks. Entrance/parking is on 27th Avenue; ½ mile east of Rolling Thunder venue.

Race Schedule:

Registration/Check-In

9:00-10:15 a.m.

Division	Start*	Duration	Prizes [†]	Places
Men Cat 4	10:30 a.m.	50 minutes	\$60	3
Men Master B (40+)	10:30 a.m.	50 minutes	\$60	3
Women Cat 1/2/3	10:30 a.m.	50 minutes	\$85	3
Women Cat 4	10:30 a.m.	50 minutes	\$60	3
Junior Men	10:36 a.m.**	45 minutes	merchandise	3
Junior Women	10:36 a.m.**	45 minutes	merchandise	3
Men Cat 1/2/3	12:00 p.m.	60 minutes	\$85	3
Men Master A (40+)	12:00 p.m.	60 minutes	\$85	3

^{*}individual divisions will have separate, staggered starts

<u>Rules</u>: All USA Cycling rules apply. Racers must wear helmets while racing and warming up/down. USCF/NORBA annual or one-day licenses are required and may be purchased on-site (remember that one-day license holders may only race as Cat. 4s or Master Bs...). Mountain bikes are welcome, but please remove your bar-ends. Please bring/use your permanent MBRA numbers, if you have one.

Fees: \$20 pre-registration (via SportsBaseOnline: https://www.sportsbaseonline.com/ltem.aspx?item_id=2862); \$23 day-of-race. Juniors race for free! One-day licenses available for \$10. Entry fee includes USCF insurance and MBRA surcharge.

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^{**}juniors will start after other divisions have completed one lap

[†]promoter reserves the right to adjust prizes and race groupings as conditions and attendance warrant