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Belt Creek Bicycle Race

A One-Day, Two-Stage Bicycle Race, Omnium Scoring

Saturday, May 12, 2007 - \$500 Cash Purse - MBRA and LAJORS Series Race

RACE DESCRIPTION: Road Race: A moderately challenging course to test your early season fitness. The race follows an out-and-back course along quiet secondary roads through rural areas east of Great Falls. The route has rolling terrain with a few 200-300 foot climbs. The long course has a 500 foot climb. Women race in their own group. Distances: Category 2,3 - 61 miles. Juniors – see table below, all other categories - 45 miles. Time Trial: The 5 mile course climbs 700 feet.

<u>DIRECTIONS</u>: <u>Time Trial</u> Stage at the Centerville community park, To locate Centerville, proceed east out of Great Falls on US 89 for 5 miles and turn right (south) on MT 227 for 5 miles to Centerville. Registration opens at 9:15 am. Race starts at 10:30 am. Start at 30 sec intervals in order of registration. **Free lunch** served to racers in Centerville. <u>Road Race</u> Stage at City Park in Belt, located where shown on the map below. Registration reopens in Belt at 12:30 pm. All categories staggered start at 1:30 pm. Awards after the race at Belt Creek Brew Pub in downtown Belt.

<u>SAFETY</u>: Riders must **obey all traffic laws** and wear a helmet at all times when racing and warming up. The courses will be **open to traffic** so always remember that **you** are responsible for your safety on the highways.

MISCELLANEOUS: LAJORS qualifier race. MBRA race divisions apply. Montana Cup Points Series Event - number fees apply (\$15 season, \$2 one-day). USA Cycling rules apply. One Day (\$10) and Annual licenses will be available. Two stage or RR **registration fee \$25**. Junior racers \$0. Time Trial only fee is \$10 plus license. **Race day registration** only. All ages and abilities can enter. Junior guardians must sign waiver. Promoted by the Echelon Cycling Club. Call Rich West, (406) 467-3673 info.

<u>SCORING</u>: Omnium Scoring. Points awarded for placings in TT and RR. Highest cumulative points wins. Racers do not have to enter both events to be eligible for overall prizes. **Divisions:** Sr 1& 2, 3; 4&5; Mstr A&B, Junior, Wmn 1& 2, 3; 4. Road race fields grouped depending on entries.

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LAJORS Junior RR Distances	
Jr M 10-12 Jr W 10-12 Jr M 13-14 Jr W 13-14 Jr M 15-16 Jr W 15-16 Jr M 16-17 Jr W 16-17	15 miles 30 miles 15 miles 30 miles 30 miles 45 miles
FREE LUNCH TO ALL PARTICIPANTS AWARDS CEREMONY IN BELT	

