

2018
TECHNICAL GUIDE V2

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Welcome to the 2018 edition of Rochester Cyclocross – two days of UCI Men's and Women's elite racing (C1 Saturday & C2 Sunday) and plenty of amateur categories as well.

Genesee Valley Park is Monroe County's largest park, is located about 3 miles from the City of Rochester and was designed by famed landscape architect Frederick Law Olmstead. Olmstead's other great works include New York City's Central Park. With the park's rolling landscape and old-growth trees, this park has gorgeous natural terrain perfect for our international-caliber course. Conveniently located within the city limits and just outside of the campus of the University of Rochester - it's minutes from the airport, restaurants, shopping, hotels and bike paths.

Our course is challenging and diverse and the venue provides an excellent host location for a UCI level event – with spectator and amateur parking right next to the course. For big teams with vehicles and rigs to display, there is a dedicated, level-ground, parking lot area in the center of our venue – right next to the finish line. Facilities both on course and off will be to everyone's liking as well. We've also added a "club row" to provide amateur riders/teams a space for their team tents. We're excited to introduce this new venue to the cycling world and we know this will be a fitting and challenging kickoff to the 2018 UCI/USAC ProCX calendar.

TECHNICAL GUIDE

Rochester Cyclocross (RCX) is the premier cyclocross race in New York State. This document provides the 2018 event's technical guidelines, information and regulations for officials, team personnel and athletes.

FULL MOON VISTA PRODUCTIONS MISSION STATEMENT

Full Moon Vista Productions is upstate New York's premier event promotions company and our objective is to provide riders and spectators alike a phenomenal event and world-class experience. For 2018, Full Moon Vista Productions' intent is to produce one of the foremost cyclocross race weekends in the United States. We also produce the 2018 Toronto Cyclocross UCI event (which is 3 hours from Rochester and the weekend of September 1st & 2nd).

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OFFICIALS

Should questions arise regarding officiating, results or scoring, please contact the appropriate official.

Commissaire International UCI / Chief Ref – Shawn Farrell

Commissaire Member – Phil Miller

Assistant Chief Referee – TBD

Chief Judge – Jeff Poulin

Race Secretary – Dorothy Abbott

Pit Ref – Tim Williams

Assistant Judge – Gary Toth

USADA Agent – TBD

GOVERNING REGULATIONS

The **Rochester Cyclocross** amateur races on September 8th and 9th shall be held under 2018 USA Cycling regulations.

Address: ***USA Cycling***
210 USA Cycling Point, Suite 100
Colorado Springs, CO 80919-2215
www.usacycling.org / Tel. 719.434.4200

The **Rochester Cyclocross** UCI Elite Men's and Women's races on September 8th **C1** and 9th **C2** shall be held under 2018 UCI regulations. The UCI Scale of penalties shall apply.

Address: ***Union Cycliste Internationale (UCI)***
Ch. De la Melee 12
1860 Aigle
Switzerland
www.uci.ch / Tel. +41 24 468 58 11

LICENSING AND PARTICIPATION

All riders in the amateur fields must possess a valid USAC or UCI license. One-day USAC licenses will be available for Category 5 (Men and Women), Juniors, Single Speed and Fat Bike riders at the event for $10.

To compete in the Elite Men's and Women's fields, riders must possess a valid UCI international license.
NOTE: a valid UCI license MUST be acquired pre-event.

A rider's 2018 racing age, according to UCI 5.1.01
The category to which the license holder belongs on 1 January of the civil year following will be used for his/her participation in events for the whole season, or in other words, a rider's racing age for all categories is determined by his/her age on December 31, 2019.

2018-19 UCI Categories by age:

Men Elite:	2000 or earlier
Women:	2002 and older

U-23 men and Elite Men shall ride in the same event.

Junior Men 17-18 may NOT compete in the Men's Elite competition.

On-Site Registration, operational schedule:
Opens @ 7:50 a.m. each morning and closes @ 3:00 p.m. each afternoon.
For location, please refer to the course map on page 10 of the Tech Guide.

REGISTRATION

Please note: the on-site registration is located in the EVENT HQ – refer to the map on page 10.

UCI Elite Riders:

- **PRE-REGISTRATION ONLY** on bikereg.com for **$50**
- **Registration closes at 11:59 p.m. on September 5, 2018.**
- Valid UCI license required for all riders

Sign-in for Elite Women and Men will close 1 HOUR PRIOR TO RACE START. Riders and support staff must pick-up bib numbers and credentials 60 minutes prior to race start **EACH DAY**.

PLEASE NOTE: There will be a course preview on Friday from 4:30pm to 6:00pm

Amateur Races:

- Pre-registration on bikereg.com. Pre-registration closes at 11:59 p.m. on September 5, 2018.
- Pre-registration fee is **$40**
- Day of registration fee is **$50** (if fields are still open)
- Juniors registration fee is **$10.00**
- Valid USAC or UCI license required for all riders
- One-day licenses for **Category 5 Men, Category 5 Women, Juniors, Single Speed** and **Fat Tire** at the event for $10.
- All other riders must possess a valid annual license.

Registration/sign-in closes **30 minutes prior to each race – NO EXCEPTIONS.** If a rider has pre-registered but has not picked up his/her bib number 30 minutes prior to race start, the promoter reserves the right to reassign the bib number to another rider.
Riders must sign-in and pick up new bib numbers for each day of racing.

PRO TEAM PARKING

Elite Teams may park adjacent to the finish line and start area by reservation only for **$200** for the weekend. Register on BIKEREG.COM to reserve your space (limited spots available, first come, first serve). This area is flat and within a crushed-stone parking lat. Water is available next to the lot. *For locations, please refer to the course map on page 10 of the Tech Guide.*

SECONDARY PRO TEAM PARKING

Limited overflow is available for *smaller elite team vehicles* on the grass next to the parking lot for **$100** for the weekend. Register on BIKEREG.COM to reserve your space (limited spots available, first come, first serve). *For locations, please refer to the course map on page 10 of the Tech Guide.*

ATHLETE PARKING

Athlete parking is available in the parking lots off of Kendrick Road (right next to the course and a three minute walk to registration). There may be a charge for parking this year. Specific location of athlete parking can be found on page 10 of the Tech Guide.
Permission for parking lot usage was granted by the University of Rochester Medical Center and rented for the weekend from U of R Parking Lot Services. Please be respectful and "leave no trace". THANK YOU!

CLUB ROW

We have limited space available for amateur team tents for the weekend. Amateur athletes/teams can purchase space for a 10x10 tent for **$75** or space for a 10x20 tent for **$125.** Both options require athletes to park their vehicle(s), for free, in the parking lots off of Kendrick Road (right next to the course and a two minute walk to CLUB ROW). Areas MUST be clean and orderly all weekend. Register on BIKEREG.COM to reserve your space (limited spots available, first come, first serve). *For locations, please refer to the course map on page 10 of the Tech Guide.*

DIRECTIONS ***(the race venue location is: Genesee Valley Park, Moore Road (intersection @ 247 Elmwood Ave), Rochester, New York 14623)***

From Host Hotel (the Holiday Inn Downtown Rochester – 3.6 miles & 10 min drive time): Turn left onto State Street heading south. Continue straight onto Exchange Blvd and take a left onto Ford Street. Turn right onto Mt Hope Ave and take a right onto Elmwood Ave.
PRO TEAMS – take a left onto Moore Road (Genesee Valley Park) and follow the signs to Pro Team parking.
AM RACERS – take a left onto Kendrick Road, take your next right into the University of Rochester parking lot.

From the East: Take I-90 West (NYS Thruway) and exit at Exit 46 and continue onto I-390 North. At the I-590/I-390 split, STAY LEFT and CONTINUE ON I-390. Take Exit 17 Scottsville Road/Rt 383 and turn left onto Scottsville Road. Vere Right onto Elmwood Ave.
PRO TEAMS – take a right onto Moore Road (Genesee Valley Park) and follow the signs to Pro Team parking.
AM RACERS – take a right onto Kendrick Road, take your next right into the University of Rochester parking lot.

From the West: Take I-90 East (NYS Thruway) and exit at Exit 47 for I-490 East. Take I-490 East for about 19 miles and take Exit 9B onto I-390 S (towards the airport). Take Exit 17 Scottsville Road/Rt 383 and turn left onto Scottsville Road. Vere Right onto Elmwood Ave.
PRO TEAMS – take a right onto Moore Road (Genesee Valley Park) and follow the signs to Pro Team parking.
AM RACERS – take a right onto Kendrick Road, take your next right into the University of Rochester parking lot.

From the South: Take I-390 North towards Rochester. At the I-590/I-390 split, STAY LEFT and CONTINUE ON I-390. Take Exit 17 Scottsville Road/Rt 383 and turn left onto Scottsville Road. Vere Right onto Elmwood Ave.
PRO TEAMS – take a right onto Moore Road (Genesee Valley Park) and follow the signs to Pro Team parking.
AM RACERS – take a right onto Kendrick Road, take your next right into the University of Rochester parking lot.

HOTEL INFORMATION

Our sponsor hotel is the **Holiday Inn Downtown Rochester**, 70 State Street, Rochester NY 14614. Located 3.6 miles from the race course, the Holiday Inn is in the heart of Downtown Rochester.

Rooms prices are being finalized for $101 per night and will include the following amenities:

- Free wireless internet throughout the hotel, including guest rooms
- Wake-up service
- Video Express Check out
- Complimentary Airport Shuttle
- One King bed or two queen beds

Reservations can be made by:

- Calling the Holiday Inn Downtown Rochester at 1.866.826.2831. Use reference # "**cyclocross**".
- Using the website at www.holidayinn.com. Use the online code/reference # "**cyclocross"**.

Please make reservations by September 1st. Hotels will sell out.

EVENT (venue @ GENESEE VALLEY PARK) and HISTORY (previous venue @ ELLISON PARK)

- The 2018 ROCHESTER CYCLOCROSS event will be a UCI Class 1 for Saturday and a UCI Class 2 for Sunday. The race venue @ Genesee Valley Park has diverse and amazing terrain. The amenities and parking are superb for a large scale international event – perfect for UCI cyclocross.
- The race venue for The ROCHESTER CYCLOCROSS moved to Genesee Valley Park in 2016 and was a UCI Class 1 for Saturday and a UCI Class 2 for Sunday.
- The Ellison Park Cyclocross (our previous venue) began in 2008 as the first sanctioned cyclocross event in a Monroe County Park. The event was awarded a 1-day Class 2 UCI event in 2010 and advanced to a 2-day Class 2 UCI in 2012. In 2014 and 2015 the event was granted Class 1 status on Saturday and C2 on Sunday.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The 3.2 km course is grassy, diverse, has punchy small climbs and descents and has some unique woods sections as well. Each lap of the course contains approximately 139 feet of vertical climbing per lap. The race course includes 1 man-made barrier/planks set, one natural barrier obliging riders to dismount their bikes, multiple run-ups, a rolling platform on a descent to either ride over or jump from and a Belgian staircase. The double-sided pit is located at mid-point on the course and is clearly labeled.

Overall, the course contains a variety of terrains including grass covered slopes, a section of paved path that is 3 meters wide, as well as dirt sections. The course winds through a section of old growth evergreens and uses numerous natural features as technical challenges.

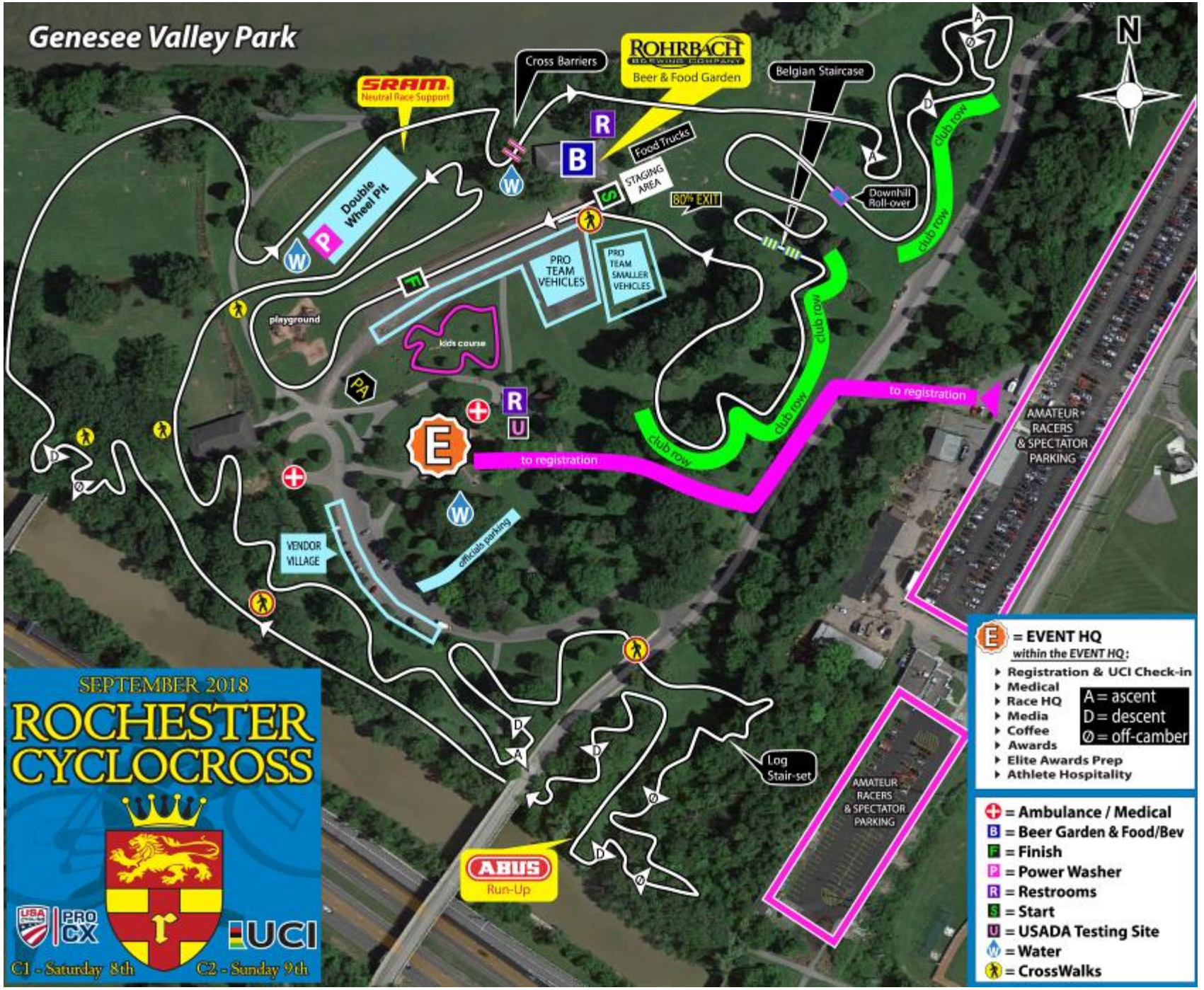
The course is designed in a “U” formation to accomplish simple access to Registration/EVENT HQ and easy spectator flow while having as few crosswalks as possible.

The Start section is separate from the race course and is only used for the start of each race. The start is located by the finish line.

COURSE MAPS Course may change due to weather conditions. Please note the location of **Start** and **Finish** lines.

Upon athlete and team manager arrival, please go to EVENT HQ/Registration as soon as possible.

Race course is 3180 meters in length and 139 feet/42 meters of climbing per lap.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Downhill Roll-over
club row
Double Wheel Pit
PRO TEAM VEHICLES
PRO TEAM SMALLER VEHICLES
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AMATEUR RACERS & SPECTATOR PARKING
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PRO CX
UCI
C1 - Saturday 8th
C2 - Sunday 9th
= EVENT HQ
within the EVENT HQ:
Registration & UCI Check-in
Medical
Race HQ
Media
Coffee
Awards
Elite Awards Prep
Athlete Hospitality
A = ascent
D = descent
Ø = off-camber
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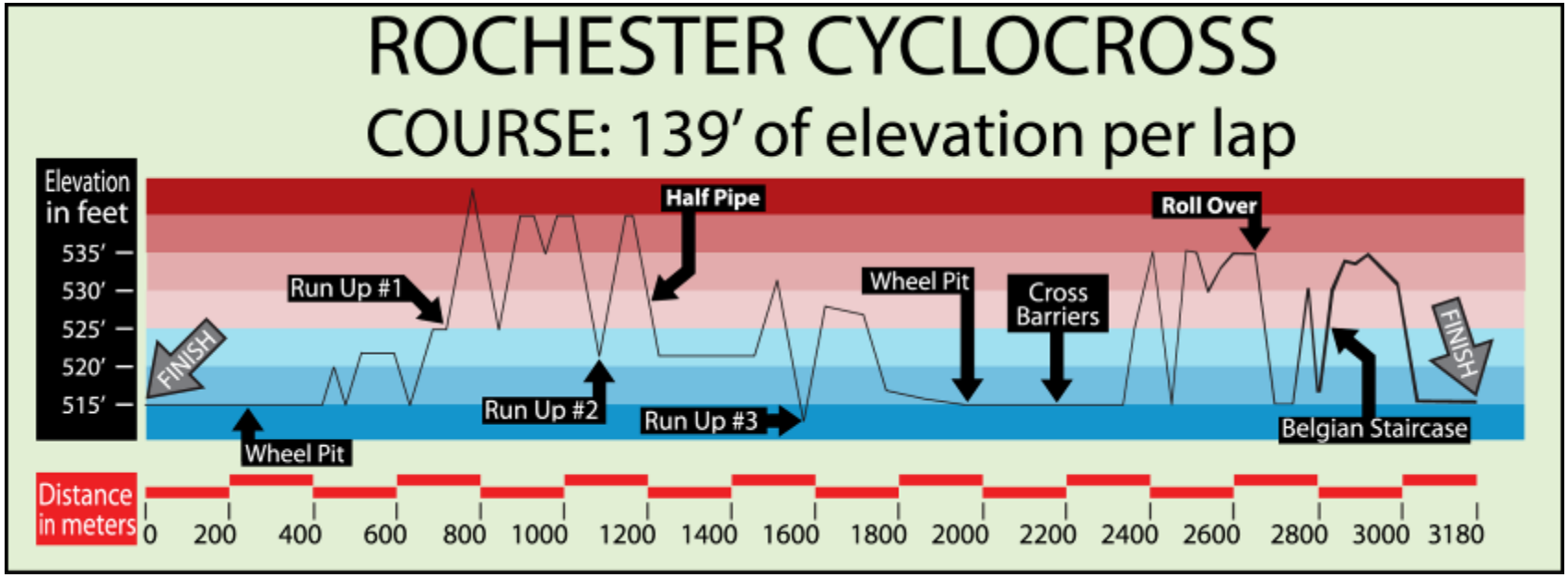
= Beer Garden & Food/Bev
= Finish
= Power Washer
= Restrooms
= Start
= USADA Testing Site
= Water
= CrossWalks


ROCHESTER CYCLOCROSS
COURSE: 139' of elevation per lap
Elevation in feet
535'
530'
525'
520'
515'
FINISH
Wheel Pit
Run Up #1
Run Up #2
Half Pipe
Run Up #3
Wheel Pit
Cross Barriers
Roll Over
Belgian Staircase
FINISH
Distance in meters
0 200 400 600 800 1000 1200 1400 1600 1800 2000 2200 2400 2600 2800 3000 3180

RACE PALMARES

2017 Elite Men SATURDAY C1:
1st – Stephen Hyde (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)
2nd – Rob Peeters (Pauwels Sauzen)
3rd – Jeremy Powers (Aspire Racing)

2017 Elite Women SATURDAY C1:
1st – Ellen Noble (Aspire Racing)
2nd – Maghalie Rochette (CLIFF Pro Team)
3rd – Kaitlin Keough (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

2017 Elite Men SUNDAY C2:
1st – Kerry Werner (Kona Factory CX)
2nd – Stephen Hyde (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)
3rd – Rob Peeters (Pauwels Sauzen)

2017 Elite Women SUNDAY C2:
1st – Kaitlin Keough (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)
2nd – Maghalie Rochette (CLIFF Pro Team)
3rd – Emma White (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

2016 Elite Men SATURDAY C1:
1st – Jeremy Powers (Rapha-FOCUS)
2nd – James Driscoll (Raleigh Clement)
3rd – Stephen Hyde (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

2016 Elite Women SATURDAY C1:
1st – Kaitlin Antonneau (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)
2nd – Emma White (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)
3rd – Amanda Miller (Boulder Cycle Sport/Yogaglo)

2016 Elite Men SUNDAY C2:
1st – Jeremy Powers (Rapha-FOCUS)
2nd – Stephen Hyde (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)
3rd – Danny Summerhill (Maxxis-Shimano)

2016 Elite Women SUNDAY C2:
1st – Caroline Mani (Raleigh Clement)
2nd – Rebecca Fahringer
3rd – Kaitlin Antonneau (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

2015 Elite Men SATURDAY C1:
1st – Jeremy Powers (Rapha-FOCUS)
2nd – Dan Timmerman (Stan's NoTubes Elite CX)
3rd – Cameron Dodge

2015 Elite Women SATURDAY C1:
1st – Kaitlin Antonneau (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)
2nd – Meredith Miller (Noosa Professional CX)
3rd – Amanda Miller (Boulder Cycle Sport/Yogaglo)

2015 Elite Men SUNDAY C2:
1st – Vincent Baestaens (BKCP Corendon)
2nd – Cameron Dodge
3rd – Andrew Dillman (Cyclocross Network)

2015 Elite Women SUNDAY C2:
1st – Meredith Miller (Noosa Professional CX)
2nd – Kaitlin Antonneau (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)
3rd – Crystal Anthony (Boulder Cycle Sport/Yogaglo)

2014 Elite Men SATURDAY C1:
1st – Jeremy Powers (Rapha-FOCUS)
2nd – Danny Summerhill (United Healthcare)
3rd – Cameron Dodge (Pure Energy/Scott Bikes)

2014 Elite Women SATURDAY C1:
1st – Caroline Mani (Raleigh/Clement)
2nd – Meredith Miller (Noosa Professional Cycling)
3rd – Courtenay McFadden (GE Capital/American Classic)

2014 Elite Men SUNDAY C2:
1st – Danny Summerhill (United Healthcare)
2nd – Cameron Dodge (Scott Bikes)
3rd – Lukas Winterberg (Cannondale p/b Cyclocrossworld)

2014 Elite Women SUNDAY C2:
1st – Caroline Mani (Raleigh/Clement)
2nd – Maghalie Rochette (Luna Pro Team)
3rd – Meredith Miller (Noosa Professional Cycling)

2013 Elite Men SATURDAY C2:
1st – Raphael Gagne (Rocky Mountain Factory)
2nd – Zach McDonald (Rapha-Focus)
3rd – Anthony Clark (JAM Fund/NCC)

2013 Elite Women SATURDAY C2:
1st – Laura VanGilder (Van Dessel p/b Mellow Mushroom Pizza)
2nd – Mo Bruno Roy (Bob's Red Mill p/b Seven Cycles)
3rd – Natasha Elliot (Rare Vos Racing - Stevens)

2013 Elite Men SUNDAY C2:
1st – Raphael Gagne (Rocky Mountain Factory)
2nd – Cameron Dodge (Scott Bikes)
3rd – Evan McNeely (Norco Factory Team)

2013 Elite Women SUNDAY C2:
1st – Laura VanGilder (Van Dessel p/b Mellow Mushroom Pizza)
2nd – Mo Bruno Roy (Bob's Red Mill p/b Seven Cycles)
3rd – Natasha Elliot (Rare Vos Racing - Stevens)

2012 Elite Men SATURDAY C2:
1st – Nicolas Bazin (Big-Mat Auber 93)
2nd – Jonathan Page (Unattached)
3rd – Justin Lindine (Redline)

2012 Elite Women SATURDAY C2:
1st – Helen Wyman (Kona Factory Racing)
2nd – Gabriella Day (Rapha-Focus)
3rd – Patricia Buerkle (Edlow Intl./Bike Beat)

2012 Elite Men SUNDAY C2:
1st – Nicolas Bazin (Big-Mat Auber 93)
2nd – Jeremy Durrin (JAM Fund/Northhampton Cycling)
3rd – Troy Wells (Clif Bar)

2012 Elite Women SUNDAY C2:
1st – Helen Wyman (Kona Factory Racing)
2nd – Gabriella Day (Rapha-Focus)
3rd – Nicole Thiemann (Team CF)

2011 Elite Men C2:
1st – Nicolas Bazin (Big-Mat Auber 93)
2nd – Ian Field (Hargroves Cycles)
3rd – Tom Van Den Bosch (Aa Dringk/Leontien.NI)

2011 Elite Women C2:
1st – Helen Wyman (Kona Factory Racing)
2nd – Joyce Vanderbeken (Cycling Vermeeren)
3rd – Carolyn Popovic (Unattached)

2010 Elite Men C2:
1st – Justin Lindine (Bikereg.com/Joe's Garage/Scott)
2nd – Derrick St. John (Garneau/ Club Chausseures/Ogilvy)
3rd – Cory Burns (Full Moon Vista)

2010 Elite Women C2:
1st – Natasha Elliot (Garneau/Club Chausseures/Ogilvy)
2nd – Rebecca Blatt (Silver Bull/Central Wheel)
3rd – Nicole Thiemann (Team CF)

LOCATION OF OFFICIALS, SECRETARIAT, ACCREDITATION ISSUE POINT, REGISTRATION & PRESS/MEDIA TENTS

The included course map illustrates the location for: *(please refer to the course map on page 10)*

1) The OFFICIALS' area is located immediately adjacent to the FINISH line on a raised platform.
2) The SECRETARIAT and PRESS/MEDIA area is located within the EVENT HQ - it is equipped with tables, chairs, and internet access for the officials/press/media to use.
3) The ACCREDITATION issue point and REGISTRATION is located within the EVENT HQ.

On-Site Registration, operational schedule: Opens @ 7:50 a.m. & closes @ 4:00 p.m. each day.
For location, please refer to the course map on page 10 of the Tech Guide.

TIMING, SCORING AND RESULTS

Timing and scoring will be done using a computer program by our timing staff. In addition to the staff and computer program, a high-speed camera will also be present at the finish line. The timing equipment and staff will be located in the officials' tent on a custom raised platform immediately adjacent to the finish line and truss.

Results will be posted on the Results Board in EVENT HQ. Results will also be posted on the race website at www.rochestercyclocross.com.

RACE NUMBERS

Proper number placement is crucial for correct scoring and accurate results.

Bib numbers must be clearly displayed and properly placed. Riders will be provided with an example of correct bib number placement at registration.

Riders with long hair must be sure their number is not obscured.

Forearm numbers should be placed as illustrated in the image to the right.

Do not fold or cut bib numbers! Riders with improperly pinned numbers will be sent to the back of the starting grid unless they are corrected.



EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS

Approved helmets required for all riders

Riders in the amateur races may ride cyclocross or mountain bikes, provided bar ends are removed.
Disc brakes are acceptable.

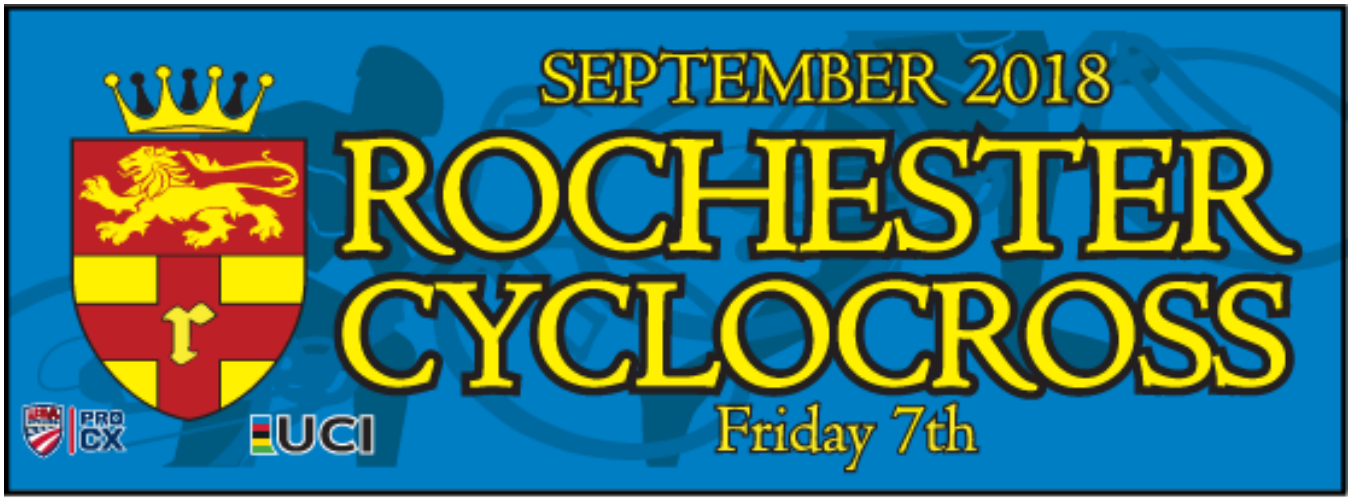
Fat Bikes must meet the following requirements:

- Tires must be a MINIMUM of 3.8 inches wide (tires that don't declare the size printed on the tire could be measured) and cannot be studded
- Rims must be a MINIMUM of 50mm wide (rims that don't declare the size printed on the rim could be measured).
- No 29" or larger wheeled bikes are allowed in the Fat Tire category.

Changes to UCI Cyclocross rules have resulted in the following equipment requirements:

- Disc brakes are permitted in UCI events
- Tire width is reduced to a maximum of 33 mm for UCI events
- Feeding is not permitted during the race. However, bicycles and spare bicycles may have a water bottle on the frame.

SCHEDULE AND TIMES OF FRIDAY EVENTS



Friday SCHEDULE of EVENTS

3:30	Cross Clinic	100 min	- registration required
4:30	Elite Course Preview	90 min	- free, but registration required
6:00	Amateur Course Preview	45 min	- free, but registration required
6:20	Course meeting for UCI	25 min	- UCI officials & Pro Teams invited

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SCHEDULE AND TIMES OF RACES (same schedule of events each day)

Races both days – Saturday, September 8th & Sunday, September 9th 2018. Same schedules for each day.



SCHEDULE - SAME BOTH DAYS

8:50	Cat 5 Men	30 minutes	Medals
8:51	Juniors 9-14	30 minutes	Medals
9:45	Cat 4 Men	40 minutes	Medals
9:46	Cat 4/5 Women	40 minutes	Medals
10:45	Single Speed	40 minutes	Medals
10:46	Fat Tire	40 minutes	Medals
10:47	Cat 1,2,3,4,5 Women	40 minutes	Cash/Merch
10:48	Juniors 15-18	40 minutes	Medals
11:50	Masters Men (35+)	40 minutes	Medals
11:51	Masters Men (45+)	40 minutes	Medals
11:52	Masters Men (55+)	40 minutes	Medals
12:50	Cat 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 Men	45 minutes	Cash/Merch
12:51	Cat 3 Men (scored sep)	45 minutes	Medals
1:45	Elite W Course Preview	25 minutes	
2:20	Elite Women	40 to 50 minutes	UCI C1/C2
3:20	Elite M Course Preview	25 minutes	
3:30	Kids 8 & under	10 minutes	Medals
4:00	Elite Men	60 minutes	UCI C1/C2

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START ORDER

Amateur races: *(please refer to the course map on page 10)*

The start staging area is located before the finish straight. Riders are advised to be in the vicinity of the Start Staging Area at least 15 minutes prior to race start time.

Rider call-ups/start grid position will be done based on Crossresults.com standings. If riders are not present with 10 minutes to start and miss their call-up, they will lose their start grid position. Concerns about start order should be addressed with the Registrar no less than 30 minutes before the start of the respective event.

Elite Women and Elite Men's races: *(please refer to the course map on page 10)*

The start staging area is located before the finish straight. Rider call-up will begin about 10 minutes before race start. Riders not present who miss their call-up will lose their start grid position. Call-ups will be in a generally numeric order.

The start order is determined:
1) Per the latest published individual UCI Cyclocross Classification.
2) Unclassified riders by random draw established by the commissaires

Confirm your ranking points with the Race Secretary when you pick up your bib number each day.
Upon entering the starting grid, race officials will be checking the placement of your numbers and the width of your tires.

PIT REQUIREMENTS AND NEUTRAL SUPPORT

Each Elite rider is allowed two mechanics and one paramedical assistant. Each rider will be issued up to 3 pit passes with their corresponding rider numbers at sign-in. No other personnel shall be allowed in the Pit Zone. Anyone receiving a pit pass must show a USAC/UCI license and have it recorded with the number of the rider(s) they are supporting. (NOTE: any valid USAC/UCI license is acceptable, except one-day licenses)
(for Pit placement, please refer to the course map on page 10)

Race staff will provide pit pass badges prior to packet pick up at sign-in. All credentials MUST be picked up 1 hour prior to the start of the race. Race staff and officials will check for credentials in the pit and any individual found without proper credentials will be asked to leave the pit area.

Neutral Support will be available for all riders in the pit area for both days. A USAC certified mechanic will be available.

Two powered pressure washers will be utilized by staff operators on-site in the pit area.

SRAM NRS is our official neutral race support company.

FEEDING

Riders may not take food or beverages offered by spectators from the beer garden/food court or any other places on the course. Doing so may result in disqualification.

HOT WEATHER RACING

In the event of exceedingly warm racing conditions (to be determined by our UCI Commissaires) which can and has happened in early September, race management will have a water mist just past the 1st exit of the wheel pit and/or cold water tubs available after the race finish (located just past the finish line).

LAPPED RIDERS

Please be courteous and move to the side when being lapped, do not contest or interfere. The Chief Referee can and will pull lapped riders, but it is our intent to allow all riders to finish each event. For the Men's and Women's UCI events, the 80% rule may be applied at the President's discretion.

Early bell option for USAC events

- Lapped riders will be left in the race but are not to interfere with the leaders on course.
- The lap cards will change to 1 lap-to-go based on (the scheduled time of the race)-(the average lap time X 1.3).
- Some riders may see the cards change from 3-to-go to 1-to-go and will get the bell before the leaders on the course.
- Riders caught by riders who got the bell will finish when the lap cards display 0 laps-to-go.
- Riders are placed by time if on the same lap as the leaders, or "@ Laps Incomplete" if they do not complete the full race distance.
- Riders abandoning will be listed as DNF in the results.

EVENT MEDICAL STAFF

Local ambulance services and the county sheriff have been informed of the event. An ambulance will be on standby on Moore Road within the park *(please refer to the course map on page 10)* for the treatment of minor injuries for athletes, staff and spectators. First aid will be available in the Medical area located within the EVENT HQ. At least one doctor and 4 trained first aid providers will be on course. *(please refer to the course map on page 10)*

HOSPITALS

Strong Memorial Hospital (.5 miles / 2 minutes) – 601 Elmwood Ave, Rochester, NY 14642 585.275.2100

Highland Hospital (2.1 miles / 6 minutes) – 1000 South Ave, Rochester, NY 14620 585.473.2200

POLICING AND SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS

County sheriff deputies and park security have been notified and will be available throughout the event.

There will be a minimum of 4 crosswalks on the course and these will be manned by course marshals on both sides of the course throughout the event.

Security personnel will be located at the beer garden/food court under the large pavilion by the finish line.

ANTI-DOPING

The **Rochester Cyclocross** is subject to UCI/USADA anti-doping Examination Regulations and all competitors and team personnel must abide by these regulations. Any riders with a nonnegative test result (following any adjudication process) will forfeit any prizes won at the event.

Anti-doping control will be within the Monroe County Sheriff Command Center located by EVENT HQ. The list of riders required to report will be posted on the Results board prior to the finish of the race. The racers will be required to report to anti-doping control within 30 minutes after the finish of the event.

It is the responsibility of the rider and/or his/her team personnel to ensure that he/she reports to anti-doping within the required time.

PODIUM ETIQUETTE AND CHANGING AREA

Immediately following the completion of each race on both September 8th and 9th, the top 3 riders must proceed to the podium area. This includes ALL amateur and elite events. The podium area is on a raised platform within EVENT HQ. **The top three finishers must report to the stage for awards, podium pictures and potential interviews with the professional announcer.**
Riders are advised to have podium bags ready prior to the race (a podium bag typically contains a clean jersey and any essentials to prepare for awards and photos). If riders have support staff, they may assist their rider in the changing/preparing but support staff is not allowed on the podium stage. There will be an "Elite Awards Prep" tent located within the EVENT HQ.

Prize money may be withheld from a rider who does not report for the podium ceremony. It is a rider's responsibility to be present for the awards presentation. All podium finishers **must wear his/her race/team kit for podium pictures – please note that riders are allowed additional/warmer team clothing in cold weather.** ***This is your opportunity to support your sponsors and the event sponsors!***

BIKE PODIUM DISPLAY (Elite Riders Only)

Podium finishers in the men's and women's elite races are asked to **report to the podium with his/her bike.** A "top 3" bike display is located **adjacent** to the awards stage. ***Again, this is another opportunity to support your sponsors and the event sponsors!***

AWARDS CEREMONY PROTOCOL

The riders that must report to the podium are the Race Winner, 2nd and 3rd place.
Note that failure to attend awards ceremonies results in **200CHF and forfeiture of prizes for a C1 event**, **100CHF and forfeiture of prizes for C2 event.**

- Elite awards podium ceremonies will be held immediately after the finish of each race on both days.
- There will be a podium for 1st ME U23 Rider & 1st WE U23 Riders each day (immediately following the ME awards and the WE awards).
- Amateur awards podium ceremonies will be held approximately 15 minutes after the completion of each race on both days.

POST EVENT PRESS CONFERENCE

Top 3 athletes should go straight from the Awards Ceremony to the Press Conference.
The Press Conference and interviews will be held at the Awards Stage
Riders shall remain in the podium area briefly after their ceremony for potential interviews.
Riders should then report to anti-doping if required.

AMATEUR PRIZE LIST

Prize purses for amateur races are as follows:

Field	Prize Purse
Category 5 Men	Medals
Category 4 Men	Medals
Category 4/5 Women	Medals
Juniors (9-14)	Medals
Single Speed	Medals
Fat Tire	Medals
Masters Men (35+)	Medals
Masters Men (45+)	Medals
Masters Men (55+)	Medals
Cat 1-5 Women	$70/$55/$40/$30/$25/$20
Juniors (15-18)	Medals
Cat 1-5 Men	$70/$55/$40/$30/$25/$20
Cat 3 Men	Medals

UCI PRIZE LIST AND UCI POINTS

Prize purses and UCI points scheduled for Saturday, September 8th & Sunday, September 9th are as follows:

The Elite Women's and Elite Men's prize purse meets the requirements for both the 2018 USAC Pro CX Race Calendar as well as the UCI C1/C2 prize purse amounts.

> **NOTE:** The rider's contribution to the Cycling Anti-doping Foundation (CADF) of 2% has been deducted from the Prize Money listed below.

Saturday Elite ME/WE Purse and Points (C1) **Sunday Elite ME/WE Purse and Points (C2)**

Prize amounts listed are in Euros. USD amounts will be updated upon receipt of conversion rates.

Place	Prize	Points
1	1443	80
2	742	60
3	515	40
4	376	30
5	309	25
6	258	20
7	227	17
8	206	15
9	180	12
10	155	10
11	134	8
12	103	6
13	93	4
14	82	2
15	72	1
16	52	
17	52	
18	52	
19	52	
20	52	

Place	Prize	Points
1	361	40
2	186	30
3	124	20
4	93	15
5	88	10
6	82	8
7	77	6
8	72	4
9	67	2
10	62	1
11	57	
12	52	
13	46	
14	41	
15	36	
16	26	
17	26	
18	26	
19	26	
20	26	

PAYMENT PROCEDURE

Individual event prize money for all amateur races will be paid on site following each event. In case of extenuating circumstances, checks may be mailed to riders who do not collect their prize money. All tax forms can be obtained at registration. No money can be paid unless you have provided the following current information on a W-9 form (US Riders):

Social Security Number or Tax ID Number
Exact name of payee to receive payment
Mailing Address

All prize-winners who are non-resident aliens and who have not provided evidence that they are exempt from withholding tax, must complete an IRS W8 which is available on-site at registration.

For Elite Women and Elite Men winning money, checks will be mailed once results are received from USADA. In the event that USADA is not in attendance, prize monies will be paid out on race day. All tax forms must be completed at registration. No money can be paid unless you have provided the following current information on a W-9 form (U.S. Riders):

Social Security Number or Tax ID Number
Exact name of payee to receive payment
Mailing Address

All prize-winners who are non-resident aliens and who have not provided evidence that they are exempt from withholding tax must complete an IRS W8 which is available on-site at registration.

Prize money cannot be awarded through wire transfer. If electronic transfer of funds is necessary, race management will make arrangements for payment through Paypal or Venmo.

Event Name: Rochester Cyclocross

Event Venue Location: Genesee Valley Park
Moore Road
Rochester, New York 14623 U.S.A.

Event Production Company Location:
Full Moon Vista Productions
1239 University Ave STE 2
Rochester, New York 14607 U.S.A.

Dates: Saturday, September 8, 2018 (UCI C1)
Sunday, September 9, 2018 (UCI C2)
USA Cycling Permit #2018-TBD

UCI Classification: C1 / C2

Start Times: See schedules for each day

Registration Area: located within the EVENT HQ - *(please refer to the course map on page 10)***.**

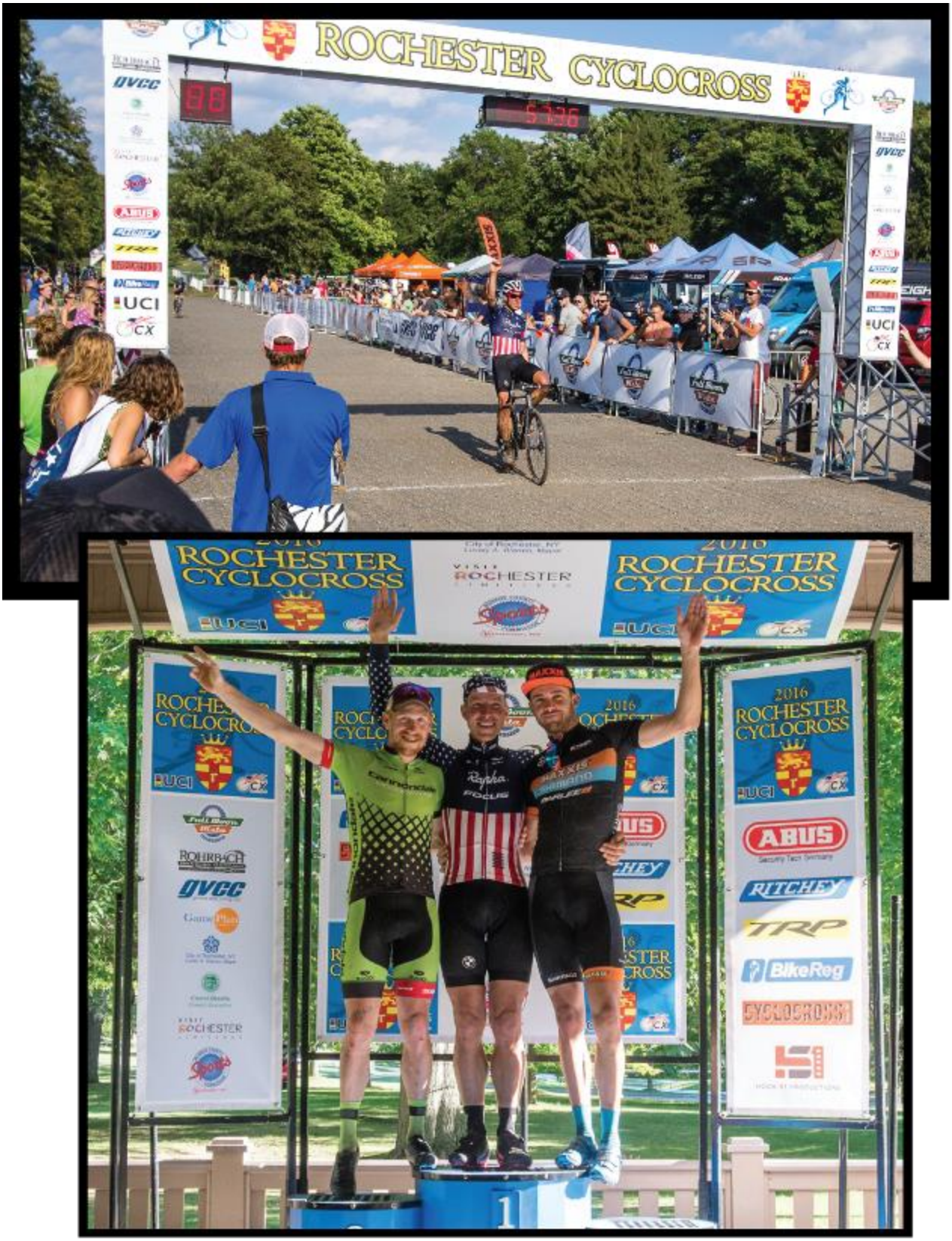
Anti Doping:
Rider Numbers will be posted on the Results Board located adjacent to EVENT HQ.
Anti-doping control will be within the Monroe County Sheriff Command Center located by EVENT HQ.

Hotels: The host hotel is the - Holiday Inn Downtown Rochester
70 State Street
Rochester New York 14614 U.S.A.

Media/Press Tent: located within EVENT HQ - *(please refer to the course map on page 10)*.

Awards: located at the awards stage within EVENT HQ – *(please refer to the course map on page 10)*.

Post Event Press Conference: located at Media/Press within EVENT HQ - *(please refer to the course map on page 10)*.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