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Welcome to the 2023 edition of Rochester Cyclocross – two days of UCI Men's and Women's elite and Junior Men's and Women's 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.

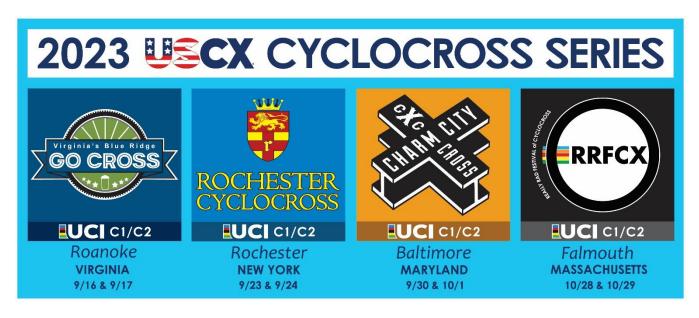
Our course is challenging and diverse and the venue provides an excellent host location for a UCI level event — with spectator and amateur parking right next to the course. For big teams with vehicles and rigs to display, there is a dedicated, level-ground, parking lot area in the center of our venue — right next to the finish line. Facilities both on course and off will be to everyone's liking as well. We also provide a "club row" for amateur riders/teams needing space for their team tents. Please note that the above spaces are available at an additional cost.

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 2023, Full Moon Vista Productions' intent is to produce one of the foremost cyclocross race weekends in the United States.

2023 USCX CYCLOCROSS SERIES

For 2023, we are excited to be the second race in the 3rd year of the USCX Series. The Men's and Women's UCI ELITE C1 & C2 races will be GCN+ (Global Cycling Network), DISCOVERY + and EUROSPORT + – broadcast to audiences across the U.S. and abroad.



TECHNICAL GUIDE

Rochester Cyclocross (RCX) is the premier cyclocross race in New York State. This document provides the 2023 event's technical guidelines, information and regulations for officials, team personnel and athletes.

COURSE CHANGES on DAY 2

We will change the operation of the course in the following ways on day 2 only:

- The "technical side" of the course will be run in reverse with the use of our flyover.
- On the 1st lap only of each race, the course will be routed to the "north section" of the course so racers can start on the back half for the first lap. Please refer to course maps.

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OFFICIALS

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

UCI President – Philip Miller

UCI Commissaire 1 / Assistant Chief Referee – Gary Toth

Race Secretary – Dorothy Abbott

UCI Commissaire 2 - Scott Doel

Chief Judge – Alissa Weigand

Assistant Judge – Tim Williams

Pit Ref/Assistant Judge - Shaun Weigand

USADA Agent - TBD

GOVERNING REGULATIONS

The Rochester Cyclocross amateur races on September 23rd and 24th shall be held under 2023 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, Elite Women, Junior Men and Junior Women's races on September 23rd <u>C1</u> and 24th C2 shall be held under 2023 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 at the event for \$15.

To compete in any of the UCI fields, riders must possess a valid UCI international license.

NOTE: a valid UCI license MUST be acquired pre-event.

A rider's 2023 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, 2024.

2023-24 UCI Categories by age:

Elite Men: 2005 or earlier
Elite Women: 2005 and earlier
Men's Junior: 2006 and 2007
Women's Junior: 2006 and 2007

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

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

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

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

On-Site Registration, operational schedule:

Registration opens @ 6:30 a.m. each morning and closes @ 1:30 p.m. each afternoon.

For location, please refer to the course maps on pages 11 & 12 of the Tech Guide.

*Regarding the registration requirement for the UCI Junior Men & UCI Junior Women:

Riders must have their date of birth, gender and citizenship/permanent resident status verified. Having verified this information, a *free* UCI ID is issued. If a UCI ID is not currently displayed on your license, log into your USA Cycling "My Account" and look for this in your Profile link. If these items are not listed or are incorrect, please do the following to update your account:

Create a copy of your Birth certificate or Passport/Permanent Resident Status (Green Card) and Mail, email (membership@usacycling.org with the subject of: UCI ID Documents for USA Cycling Member) or fax (719-434-4300) it to USA Cycling

A UCI ID is your lifelong, internationally unique, identity number to confirm your racing status and maintain your privacy in internationally published registration and results documents.

YOU DO NOT NEED TO REPRINT OR PURCHASE A NEW LICENSE ONCE YOUR ACCOUNT IS UPDATED

UCI REGISTRATION

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

UCI Races (ELITE MEN & WOMEN):

- Early-bird PRE-REGISTRATION (until 9/5 @ 11:59pm EST) on bikereg.com for \$70
- PRE-REGISTRATION ONLY (from 9/6 to 9/19 @ 11:59pm EST) on bikereg.com for \$80
- Registration closes at 11:59pm EST on September 19, 2023.
- Valid UCI license required for all riders
- NOTE: If the UCI Commissaire permits a late entry, registration fee will be \$90
- Sign-in at the UCI booth at Race HQ for UCI Elite Women will close @ 1:30 p.m. each day
- Sign-in at the UCI booth at Race HQ for UCI Elite Men will close @ 1:30 p.m. each day
- Riders and support staff <u>must</u> pick-up bib numbers & credentials before closing, prior to race start EACH DAY.

UCI Races (JUNIOR MEN 17-18 & JUNIOR WOMEN 17-18):

- Early-bird PRE-REGISTRATION (until 9/5 @ 11:59pm EST) on bikereg.com for \$60
- PRE-REGISTRATION ONLY (from 9/6 to 9/19 @ 11:59pm EST) on bikereg.com for \$70
- Registration closes at 11:59pm EST on September 19, 2023.
- Valid UCI license required for all riders
- NOTE: If the UCI Commissaire permits a late entry, registration fee will be \$80
- Sign-in at the UCI booth at Race HQ for UCI Junior Women will close @ 11:35am each day
- Sign-in at the UCI booth at Race HQ for UCI Junior Men will close @ 12:35am each day
- Riders and support staff <u>must</u> pick-up bib numbers & credentials before closing, prior to race start **EACH DAY**.

PLEASE NOTE - THERE WILL BE A COURSE PREVIEW ON FRIDAY AS FOLLOWS:

UCI COURSE PREVIEW FROM 4:30pm to 6:00pm

AMATEUR COURSE PREVIEW FROM 6:00pm TO 7:30pm

(There is no registration fee, but athletes must sign a waiver at registration or on BikeReg.com)

USAC REGISTRATION

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

Amateur Races:

- Early-bird PRE-REGISTRATION (until 9/5 @ 11:59pm EST) on bikereg.com for \$60
- PRE-REGISTRATION (from 9/6 to 9/19 @ 11:59pm EST) on bikereg.com for \$70
- DAY-OF REGISTRATION (after 9/19) for \$80 (if fields are still open)
- JUNIOR Early-bird PRE-REGISTRATION (until 9/5 @ 11:59pm EST) on bikereg.com for \$30
- JUNIOR PRE-REGISTRATION (from 9/6 to 9/19 @ 11:59pm EST) on bikereg.com for \$30
- JUNIOR DAY-OF REGISTRATION (after 9/19) for \$40 (if fields are still open)
- Valid USAC or UCI license required for all riders
- One-day licenses for Category 5 Men, Category 5 Women, Juniors, Single Speed, at event for \$15.
- 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.

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(There is no registration fee, but athletes must sign a waiver at registration or on BikeReg.com)

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 maps on pages 11 & 12 of the Tech Guide.

SECONDARY PRO TEAM PARKING

Limited overflow is available for <u>smaller elite team vehicles</u> 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 maps on pages 11 & 12 of the Tech Guide.

ATHLETE FREE PARKING

We have made parking available, for free, in the parking lots off of Kendrick Road (right next to the course and a three minute walk to registration). Specific location of free parking can be found on pages 11 & 12 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 \$50 or space for a 10x20 tent for \$75. 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 maps on pages 11 & 12 of the Tech Guide.

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

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

Please make your reservations by September 3rd. After September 3rd we cannot guarantee rooms rates or availability

We have 2 partner hotels for the race weekend.

Courtyard Marriot Brighton	Home2Suites by Hilton (Rochester Greece)
33 Corporate Woods Drive, Rochester NY 14623	400 Bellwood Drive, Rochester NY 14606
Get full details about the Courtyard Marriot Brighton here	Get full details about <u>Home2Suites Rochester here</u>
Rooms are \$159/night for racers	Use <u>this link</u> To get 15% off their standard room rate

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

- The 2023 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 flyover 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.

JUNIORS 9-10, 11-12 and 13-14 COURSE NOTE

Juniors age 9-10, 11-12, and 13-14 do not race on the entire course. For these youngest racers, the lap is cut down to eliminate some of the most technical features. Please see the map on page 13 for complete detail.

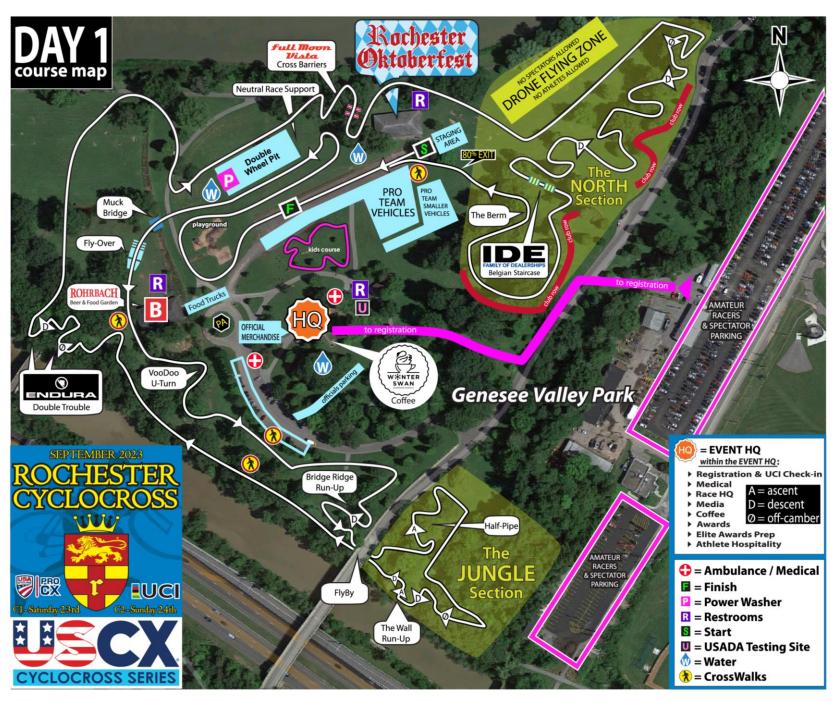
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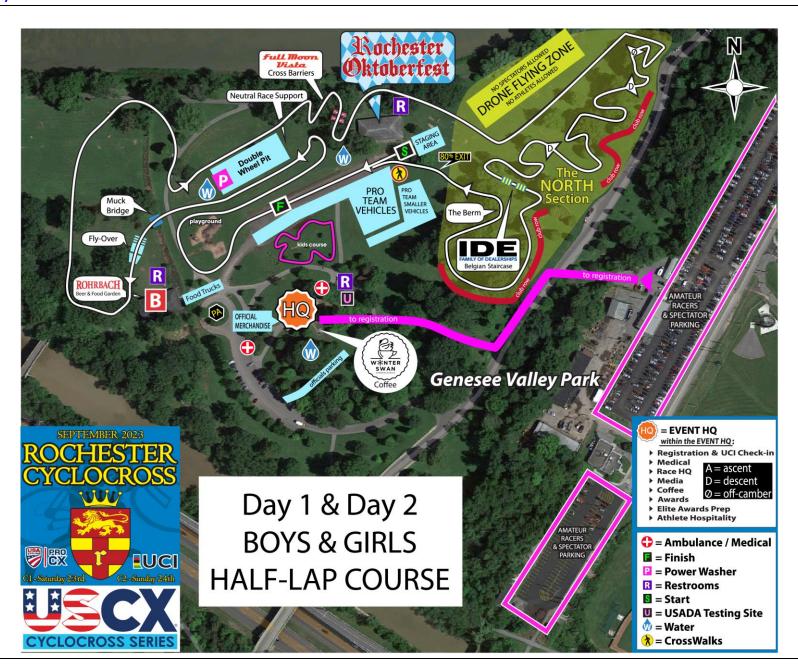
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COURSE MAPS Course may change due to weather conditions. Please note the location of **Start** and **Finish** lines.

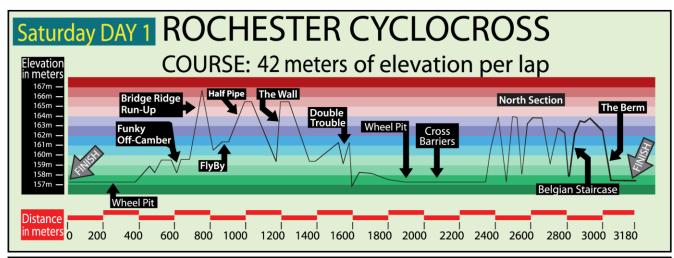
Race course is 3180 meters in length and 139 feet/42 meters of climbing per lap.



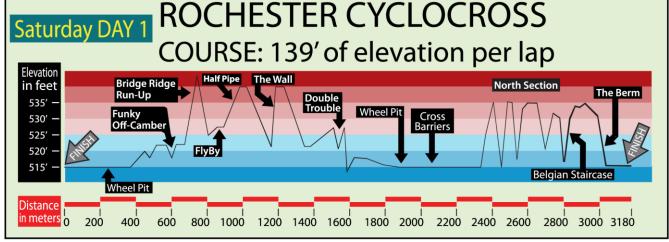




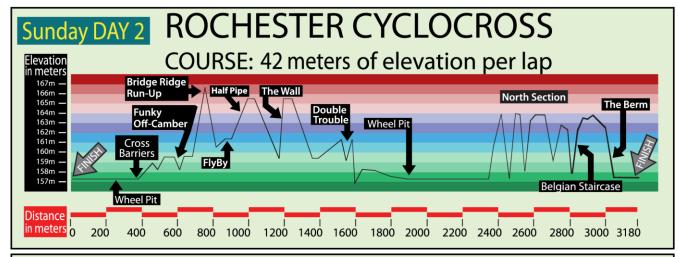
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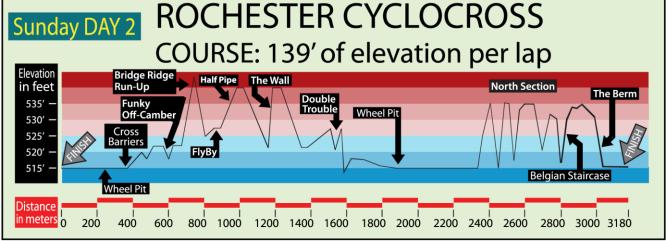




METERS







RACE PALMARES

2022 Elite Men SATURDAY C1:

1st - Vincent Baestaens (Spits CX Team)

2nd – Curtis White (Steve Tilford Foundation)

3rd - Caleb Swartz (Giant ENVE)

2022 Elite Men SUNDAY C2:

1st – Vincent Baestaens (Spits CX Team)

2nd – Curtis White (Steve Tilford Foundation)

3rd – Eric Brunner (Blue Competition Cycles)

2022 Elite Women SATURDAY C1:

1st - Annemarie Worst (777 CX Team)

2nd - Caroline Mani (Alpha Groove Silverthorne)

3rd - Austin Killips (Nice Bikes)

2022 Elite Women SUNDAY C2:

1st - Annemarie Worst (777 CX Team)

2nd - Madigan Munro (Trek Factory Racing)

3rd - Caroline Mani (Alpha Groove Silverthorne)

2021 Elite Men SATURDAY C1:

1st – Vincent Baestaens (Group Hens / Maes)

2nd - Kerry Werner (Kona Factory CX)

3rd - Stephen Hyde (Steve Tilford Foundation)

2021 Elite Men SUNDAY C2:

1st – Vincent Baestaens (Group Hens / Maes)

2nd - Stephen Hyde (Steve Tilford Foundation)

3rd - Kerry Werner (Kona Factory CX)

2021 Elite Women SATURDAY C1:

1st - Maghalie Rochette (CX Fever p/b Specialized)

2nd – Clara Honsinger (Team TIBCO / Silicon Valley Bank)

3rd - Caroline Mani (Pactimo Fierce)

2021 Elite Women SUNDAY C2:

1st - Maghalie Rochette (CX Fever p/b Specialized)

2nd – Clara Honsinger (Team TIBCO / Silicon Valley Bank)

3rd - Caroline Mani (Pactimo Fierce)

2019 Elite Men SATURDAY C1:

1st - Vincent Baestaens (Group Hens / Maes)

2nd - Diether Sweeck (Pauwels)

3rd – Stephen Hyde (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

2019 Elite Men SUNDAY C2:

1st – Curtis White (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

2nd - Diether Sweeck (Pauwels)

3rd - Stephen Hyde (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

2019 Elite Women SATURDAY C1:

1st - Maghalie Rochette (CX Fever p/b Specialized)

2nd – Clara Honsinger (Team S&M)

3rd - Kaitlin Keough (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

2019 Elite Women SUNDAY C2:

1st - Maghalie Rochette (CX Fever p/b Specialized)

2nd – Clara Honsinger (Team S&M)

3rd - Rebecca Fahringer (Kona / Maxxis / Shimano)

2018 Elite Men SATURDAY C1:

1st – Stephen Hyde (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

2nd – Kerry Werner (Kona Factory CX)

3rd – Tobin Ortenblad (Santa Cruz/Donkey Label)

2018 Elite Men SUNDAY C2:

1st - Stephen Hyde (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

2nd - Jeremy Powers (Aspire Racing)

3rd – Kerry Werner (Kona Factory CX)

2018 Elite Women SATURDAY C1:

1st - Maghalie Rochette (CX Fever p/b Specialized)

2nd - Ellen Noble (Trek Factory Racing)

3rd - Crystal Anthony (LIV Cycling)

2018 Elite Women SUNDAY C2:

1st - Maghalie Rochette (CX Fever p/b Specialized)

2nd – Ellen Noble (Trek Factory Racing)

3rd – Kaitlin Keough (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

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 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 SATURDAY C1:

1st - Ellen Noble (Aspire Racing)

2nd – Maghalie Rochette (CLIFF Pro Team)

3rd - Kaitlin Keough (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

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 Men SUNDAY C2:

1st - Jeremy Powers (Rapha-FOCUS)

2nd – Stephen Hyde (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

3rd - Danny Summerhill (Maxxis-Shimano)

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 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 Men SUNDAY C2:

1st – Vincent Baestaens (BKCP Corendon)

2nd - Cameron Dodge

3rd - Andrew Dillman (Cyclocross Network)

1st – Kaitlin Antonneau (Cannondale p/b Cyclocross World)

2nd – Meredith Miller (Noosa Professional CX)

3rd - Amanda Miller (Boulder Cycle Sport/Yogaglo)

2015 Elite Women SUNDAY C2:

2015 Elite Women SATURDAY C1:

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 Men SUNDAY C2:

1st - Danny Summerhill (United Healthcare)

2nd – Cameron Dodge (Scott Bikes)

3rd – Lukas Winterberg (Cannondale p/b Cyclocrossworld)

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 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 Men SUNDAY C2:

1st - Raphael Gagne (Rocky Mountain Factory)

2nd – Cameron Dodge (Scott Bikes)

3rd - Evan McNeely (Norco Factory Team)

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 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 - Trov 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 maps on pages 11 & 12)

- 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 at 7:00 a.m. and closes at 2:30 p.m. each day. *For location, please refer to the course maps on pages 11 & 12 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.

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



September 2023 Friday 22nd Schedule of Events

3:00 Adam Myerson TECH CLINIC - 90min - \$50 (registration required)

4:30 UCI Course Preview - 90min - FREE (registration required)

6:00 Amateur Course Preview - 90min - FREE (registration required)

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

Races both days – Saturday, September 23rd & Sunday, September 24th 2023. Same schedules for each day.



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START ORDER

Amateur races: (please refer to the course maps on pages 11 & 12)

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 **for pre-registered riders only** based on USCX standings and crossresults.com points. The first row of riders will be those who are listed in the USCX standings and present at the race, all subsequent rows will be done according to crossresults.com points. 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. Riders registering day of will fill in behind.

UCI Junior Men's races: (please refer to the course maps on pages 11 & 12)

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.

UCI rule 5.2.03 states that the start order for UCI junior men is determined by random draw until after the first update to rankings in done. The first update of rankings is done after the first World Cup in October.

After that point, the UCI ranking for junior men is determined by "summing the points won by each rider in international cyclo-cross events in the period from 1 September to 28 or 29 February."

Upon entering the starting grid, race officials will be checking the placement of your numbers and the width of your tires.

UCI Junior Women, UCI Elite Women and UCI Elite Men's races: (please refer to the course maps on pages 11 & 12)

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.

UCI ELITE RIDERS PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING: Because of our GCN livestream production, the Women's start will be delayed to 2:51 - please prepare accordingly and be patient. You are still expected to be on the line at 2:45. The GCN USCX program, which starts at 2:30 has a pre-race build up (which includes athlete profiles, racing competition, the course, USCX info and announcer commentary). The Men's start will be at 4:01 with a similar pre-race build up beforehand. Thank you for your support and understanding!

PIT REQUIREMENTS AND NEUTRAL SUPPORT

Each UCI rider is allowed two mechanics and one paramedical assistant. Each rider will be assigned a pit box and issued up to 2 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 maps on pages 11 & 12)

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.

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 bottled water will be 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 & the UCI Junior Women's and Men's races:

- 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 maps on pages 11 & 12) 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 2 trained first aid providers will be on course. (please refer to the course maps on pages 11 & 12)

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 3 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 23rd and 24th, the top 3 riders must proceed to the podium area. This includes ALL amateur and UCI events. The podium area is on a raised platform by the course FINISH LINE. The top three finishers must report to the stage for awards, podium pictures and potential interviews with the

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 a "UCI 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 (UCI Riders Only)

Podium finishers in the men's, women's and Junior Men's UCI races are asked to **report to the podium with his/her bike.** A "top 3" bike display is located adjacent to the awards stage. Bikes will not be taken onto or placed in front of podium, however. The objective is to have an opportunity for UCI Top 3 bikes to be photographed while not obstructing the awards ceremony and under the final discretion of the UCI Commissaire. *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**.

- UCI awards podium ceremonies will be held immediately, but no later than 15 minutes, after the finish of each race on both days.
- There will be a FULL podium for UCI U23 Men and Women immediately preceding the Elite awards presentations. U23 athletes should be prepared for podium presentations immediately following their race.
- Amateur awards podium ceremonies will be held approximately 15 minutes after the completion of each race on both days.

POST EVENT PRESS CONFERENCE (UCI RIDERS ONLY)

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:

<u>Field</u>	<u>Prize Purse</u>
Category 4 Men	Medals
Category 5 Men	
All Junior Boys & Girls	Medals
Men & Women Single Speed	Medals
All Masters Women	Medals
All Masters Men	Medals
Cat 2-3 Women	Medals
Cat 2-3 Men	Medals

UCI PRIZE LIST AND UCI POINTS

Prize purses and UCI points scheduled for Saturday, September 23rd & Sunday, September 24th are as follows:

The UCI Women's, UCI Men's and UCI Junior Men's prize purses meet the requirements for both the 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 included in the Prize Money listed below. It will be deducted from the prize money paid to riders.

Prize amounts listed are in USD and will be updated prior to 9/10/23.

Saturday Elite ME/WE Purse and Points (C1)

Sunday Elite ME/WE Purse and Points (C2)

<u>Place</u>	Prize USD	Points	Place	Prize USD	<u>Points</u>
1	1557	80	1	390	40
2	801	60	2	201	30
3	557	40	3	135	20
4	406	30	4	101	15
5	335	25	5	96	10
6	279	20	6	90	8
7	245	17	7	85	6
8	223	15	8	79	4
9	196	12	9	73	2
10	168	10	10	68	1
11	146	8	11	62	1
12	112	6	12	56	
13	101	4	13	51	
13 14	90	2	14	46	
	79	1		40	
15 16		1	15 16		
16	56		16	29	
17	56		17	29	
18	56		18	29	
19	56		19	29	
20	56		20	29	

UCI Junior Purse and Points (Saturday and Sunday)

Prize USD	Points
	30
112	20
79	15
68	12
56	10
56	8
56	6
46	4
46	2
46	1
35	
35	
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	79 68 56 56 56 46 46 46 35 35 35

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.

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 23, 2023 (UCI C1) Sunday, September 24, 2023 (UCI C2)

USA Cycling Permit #2023-7853

UCI Classification: C1 / C2

Start Times: See schedules for each day

Registration Area: located within the EVENT HQ - (please refer to the course maps on pages 11 & 12).

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 Express Rochester

717 East Henrietta Road, Rochester NY 14623 U.S.A.

Media/Press Tent: located within EVENT HQ - (please refer to the course maps on pages 11 & 12).

Awards: located at the awards stage within EVENT HQ – (please refer to the course maps on pages 11 & 12).

Post Event Press Conference: located at Media/Press within EVENT HQ - (please refer to the course maps on pages 11 & 12).

