



CYCLO-CROSS
MADISON, WI

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Jan 9-13
2013

RACING AGE

Your racing age is determined as of December 31, 2013.

CITIZENSHIP

Junior 17-18, U23, Elite: Must be a United States citizen or member of US Armed Forces.

Masters, Singlespeed, and Juniors 16 and under: May be a United States citizen or permanent resident.

LICENSING

National Championships: Riders must have an annual USA Cycling license in order to compete. Riders may register for championship events before December 1 ONLY if they have a 2012 USA Cycling annual license. Riders must have a 2013 USA Cycling annual license prior to picking up their packet at race registration. 2013 USA Cycling annual licenses may be purchased beginning on December 1, 2012.

Non-Championships: Riders may have an annual USA Cycling license or purchase a one-day license at race registration.

CATEGORY REQUIREMENTS

(Riders are eligible to compete based on their category at time of registration)

ELITE		
Male		Categories 1-2
Female		Categories 1-3
U23		
Male		Categories 1-3
Female		Categories 1-3*
*The U23 Females are being ridden with the Elite Female race, so the U23 follows the Elite Female category requirement.		
MASTERS		
Male	30-54	Categories 1-3
Male	55+	None
Female	30-44	Categories 1-3
Female	45+	None
JUNIORS		
Male	17-18	Categories 1-3
All Other Male & Female		None
SINGLESPEED		
Male & Female		None
COLLEGIATE		
Male & Female		Category A

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ONLINE REGISTRATION

ONLINE REGISTRATION OPEN – Wednesday, November 7, 2012 @ 11:00am ET	
Juniors, Non-Championship	\$50
Elite, U23, Masters, Singlespeed	\$65
Collegiate	\$50
ONLINE REGISTRATION FEE INCREASE – Monday, December 10, 2012 @ 11:59pm ET	
Juniors, Non-Championship	\$65
Elite, U23, Masters, Singlespeed	\$85
Collegiate	\$50
ONLINE REGISTRATION CLOSE – Friday, January 4, 2013 @ 11:59pm ET	
ONSITE REGISTRATION FEE – Begins Tuesday, January 8, 2013 @2:00pm CT (Madison, WI time)	
Juniors	\$90
Elite, U23, Masters, Singlespeed	\$125
Collegiate	\$90
Non-Championship	\$80

REGISTRATION & PACKET PICK-UP LOCATION

Location TBD	
ONSITE REGISTRATION & PACKET PICK-UP TIMES* (all times local to Madison, WI)	
Tuesday, January 8, 2013	2:00pm-6:00pm
Wednesday, January 9, 2013	8:30am-2:00pm
Thursday, January 10, 2013	8:30am-2:00pm
Friday, January 11, 2013	8:30am-2:00pm
Saturday, January 12, 2013	8:30am-2:00pm
Sunday, January 13, 2013	8:30am-2:00pm

*Registration will close the night before each event. Day-of registration is not allowed.

Call-up Procedures

Call-ups will be determined by methods specific to each class. Priority is indicated by numerical order below (next page). In order for riders to maintain their seeded call-up position using their USA Cycling ranking, a rider MUST pre-register online. Participants registering on-site (late) will forfeit their USA Cycling ranking position call-up and instead be called up in random order behind all the seeded rows. The exception to this rule will be for these riders: the 2012 National Champion of their age-group, the 2012 National Champion from the younger age-group moving up to the next age-group, and the top-seven finishers from 2012. UCI rules mandate that riders must pre-register (online) in order to maintain their call-up position for Juniors 17-18 Males, U23, and Elite classes.

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ELITE/U23	
1	Defending National Champion from previous year (same class)
2	Order of UCI rankings as of Monday, January 7, 2013 at 11:59pm ET
3	USA Cycling Rider Rankings as of Monday, January 7, 2013 at 11:59pm ET
4	Riders without pre-reg, UCI or USAC ranking points will be called-up by random order
JUNIORS	
1	Defending National Champion from previous year (same class)
2	Finishers 2-7 returning to the same age class from the previous year's National Championships
3	The National Champion from the next younger age class the year before if he/she has since moved to the next age class
(4-Male 17-18)	<i>Order of UCI rankings as of Monday, January 7, 2013 at 11:59pm ET</i>
4 (5)	USA Cycling Rider Rankings as of Monday, January 7, 2013 at 11:59pm ET
5 (6)	Remaining riders will be called-up by random order after the first four (4) methods
MASTERS	
1	Defending National Champion from previous year (same class)
2	Finishers 2-7 returning to the same age class from the previous year's National Championships
3	The National Champion from the next younger age class the year before if he/she has since moved to the next age class
4	USA Cycling Rider Rankings as of Monday, January 7, 2013 at 11:59pm ET
5	Remaining riders will be called-up by random order after the first four (4) methods
COLLEGIATE	
1	Defending National Champion from previous year (same class)
2	Conference Champion, as determined by each Conference Director (in random order)
3	One rider per team, called one team at a time, in order of the Team Omnium results from the 2012 National Championships, followed by teams that did not attend in random order. Once each team has one rider called to the line, the method will be repeated until all riders have been staged.
RULES	
Elite, U23, Juniors 17-18	UCI rules will be applied
Masters & Collegiate	UCI rules will be applied: exception that the 33mm tire width rule will not be enforced. Riders must have no larger than 35mm tire & compete on CX bike. No flat bars. No spiked or studded tires.
Singlespeed	UCI rules will be applied: exception that the 33mm tire width rule will not be enforced. Riders must have no larger than 35mm tire & compete on CX bike. No flat bars. No spiked or studded tires. Riders must have a free wheel, one cog, and drop bars.
Junior 16 and younger	USA Cycling rules. No spiked or studded tires. No other bike restrictions.

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Collegiate Requirements

- To compete, all riders/teams must bring this form with them to packet pick-up:
http://www.usacycling.org/forms/collegiate/collegiate_nationals_eligibility_form.pdf
- To register for the event, each rider's [Conference Director](#) must first check off that the rider has met the conference's season participation requirements, where applicable.
- Teams may enter a maximum of eight men and eight women into the event.

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