

Join RPI Cycling for an exciting weekend of racing on some of Rensselaer County's finest roads. Top the weekend off by racing through the streets of the Historic Collar City in our 9-Corner Crit.

USAC Men 3/4 and 4/5 as well as Women Open criterium races will take place after the collegiate races on Sunday. Double up on races for twice the pain and twice the crazy.

Registration:

Pre-registration will take place on bikereg.com. Service surcharges may apply. Registration tables will be near the start/finish line each day. Registration opens at 7:00 AM and closes 20 minutes before the start of each race. Day-of registration will incur a \$5 late fee. The right is reserved to split/combine categories as necessary.

Women's Racing:

New non-collegiate women's racers with 1-day or first-time category 4 license may enter the collegiate women's intro category. All other collegiate categories are open only to full-time students with valid USAC collegiate licenses.

Licenses:

USA Cycling Collegiate and general yearly and one-day licenses will be available for sale on site. No refunds or exchanges for any reason.

Hotels and Housing:

Please contact the ECCC Host Housing Coordinator for information regarding host housing. If you wish to stay in a hotel, there are many in the area of the criterium course.

Aero Equipment:

Per ECCC rules, no aero equipment (other than apparel, including helmets) will be allowed.

Medical Services:

On site paramedic and EMT will be present for all races. St. Mary's and Samaritan Hospitals are a short drive from all courses.

Prizes:

The winner of each criterium race on <u>Sunday</u> will recieve a yellow "Tour de Troy" t-shirt. Red shirts will be available for purchase. Go for yellow!

Held under USA Cycling Permit. All USAC rules apply.

Chief referee: Alan Atwood



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4.9 mile ITT, \$10 per racer Saturday, March 26th 8:00 AM Start

Directions for Saturday races: Address: Calhoun and 40, Melrose, NY

From North on 187: Take exit 12 for NY-67 toward Ballston Spa/Malta. Turn left on 67. At fourth traffic circle, turn right NY-67 E/State Hwy 9/US-9 S. At traffic circle, turn left onto NY-67 E. Turn right at North Main St. Turn left at NY-67 E/Williams St. Turn right at Country Rd 121/N Linden St/Rose Ln. Slight left at Calhoun Dr.

From South on 187: Take exit 23 to 1787 N towards US-9 W/Albany/Troy. Take exit 9E to merge onto NY-7 E toward Troy/Bennington. Turn Left at 10th St. Continue on NY-40 N/Oakwood Ave. Turn right at Plank Rd. Take first left onto NY-40 N/Leversee Rd. Course will be on Calhoun Dr. which intersects with NY-40.

From West on 190: Take exit 1N to merge onto 187 N. Take exit 7 for NY-7 E toward Troy/Cohoes. Merge onto NY-7 E. Turn Left at 10th St. Continue on NY-40 N/Oakwood Ave. Turn right at Plank Rd. Take first left onto NY-40 N/Leversee Rd. Course will be on Calhoun Dr. which intersects with NY-40.

From East on 190: Take exit B1 onto 190 W, then exit 6A to 1787 N towards Troy. Take exit 9E to merge onto NY-7 E toward Troy/Bennington. Turn Left at 10th St. Continue on NY-40 N/Oakwood Ave. Turn right at Plank Rd. Take first left onto NY-40 N/Leversee Rd. Course will be on Calhoun Dr. which intersects with NY-40.

Individual Time Trial		
8:00 AM	Mens D	
To Follow	Womens C	
To Follow	Men Intro	
To Follow	Womens Intro	
10 Minute Break		
To Follow	Mens A	
To Follow	Mens B	
To Follow	Mens C	
To Follow	Womens A	
To Follow	Womens B	

Racers will start every 30 seconds.

The Hudson River ITT is a flat and fast 4.9 mile out and back along the Hudson river. There is some slight rolling along the course, but no appreciable elevation change. Road will be closed to all but local traffic. However, all riders must respect yellow line rules while on the ITT course.



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Circuit Race

7.5 mile loop, \$15 per racer Saturday, March 26th 10:30 AM Start

Directions:

See directions for Saturday races on ITT Page



	Circuit Race			
10:30	Mens C	5 laps / 37.5 miles		
10:35	Mens D	3 laps / 22.5 miles		
10:37	Mens Intro	2 laps / 15 miles		
12:15	Women A/B	5 laps / 37.5 miles		
12:20	Womens C	3 laps / 22.5 miles		
12:22	Womens Intro	2 laps / 15 miles		
2:15	Mens A	7 laps / 52.5 miles		
2:20	Mens B	6 laps / 45 miles		

*Intro racers will meet at the staging area 30 minutes prior to the start of their race for an off-course clinc.



The Circuit course is a 7.5 mile clockwise loop. It is scenic ride with a flat start/finish next to the parking, registration, and staging area. The first mile of the course is flat. After the first right hand turn is a rolling descent and short climb curving left, before the course winds its way down Pinewoods to a sweeping right onto Riley Rd. Hard right onto River road from the flat bottom of Riley Rd. The section of the course along the rive is flat and fast sprint to the last turn, another hard right. Returning to Pine woods the last section of the course features a 150 foot climb to the start finish.

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X7-Corner Criterium

0.67 mile loop, \$15 per racer Sunday, March 27th 8:30 AM Start

Directions:

Address: Monument Square, Troy, NY 12180

From North on 187: Take exit 7 to Route 7, take exit on right to 6th ave, turn right on Federal St., then second left onto River St. Follow about 300 yds. to race course.

From South on 187: Take exit 23 to 1787 N toward US-9W/Albany/Troy. Take exit 8 and turn right onto Hudson Ave. At traffic light, turn right onto Albany Ave. After crossing Green Island Bridge, take next right onto River St. Follow about 300 yds. to race course.

From West on 190: Take exit 1N to merge onto 187 N. Continue by following directions from *North* on 187.

From East on 190: Take exit B1 onto 190 W, then exit 6A to 1787 N towards Troy. Continue with directions from *South* on 187 above.



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8:30	Mens D1	20 Minutes	
To Follow	Mens D2	20 Minutes	
To Follow	Mens C1	30 Minutes	
To Follow	Mens C2	30 Minutes	
To Follow	Men Intro	20 Minutes	
To Follow	Womens C	30 Minutes	
To Follow	Womens Intro	20 Minutes	
To Follow	Mens B	45 Minutes	
To Follow	Womens A/B	50 Minutes	
To Follow	Mens A	60 Minutes	
3:30	USAC Men 4/5	45 Minutes	
4:20	USAC Women Open	45 Minutes	
5:10	USAC Men 3/4	60 Minutes	

*Intro racers will meet at the staging area 30 minutes prior to the start of their race for an off-course clinc. Field limits for USAC races are 75 for the Men 4/5 and Women Open race and 100 for the Men 3/4 race. **Prizes are course t-shirts**.

Due to an unfortunate turn of events, we had to change our race course to 7 corners instead of the original 9. The new course will allow for a more exciting finish and quite a bit more tactics.

This will be a counter-clockwise course, and will be entirely closed to traffic.

This will definitely be a race to see. Great spectating will be had from every corner of the course.

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