UNH CYCLING Presents:
ECCC Conference Championships at Highland Mountain Bike Park
October 7 & 8, 2017

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USA Cycling Permit #: 2017-2718
SATURDAY, October 7th
STXC, TEAM RELAY and ENDURO

STXC: Similar to last year’s popular course. A fast single track
descent dumps riders onto some double track that is good for
passing. A quick swooping uphill brings them right back to the
start at just under 1 mile per lap.

Team Relay: Will use the same course as the STXC. Teams of 4
will do 6 laps.

Enduro:

- **Stage 1**: Riders will take the lift to the top of the mountain.
The stage will start on Easy Rider, continue down to Doctor’s
Orders, and finish at Beaver Fever.

- **Transfer 1**: Riders will take Beaver Fever back to the parking
lot and then ride the lift to the top of the mountain. They will
then ride upper Fancy Feast down to lower Fancy Feast.

- **Stage 2**: The stage will start just before the bridge over
Cat’s Paw on lower Fancy Feast and end next to the dirt
mine before merging with Cat’s Paw and Cat Scratch Fever.

- **Transfer 2**: Riders will take the lift back to the top of the
mountain and ride Upper Happy Hour to Shillelagh down to
Jack Rabbit Run.

- **Stage 3**: Riders will take Jack Rabbit Run down to lower
Maiden Voyage. The stage will end just before the lift.

- **Transfer 3**: Riders will take the lift to the top of the
mountain and take Upper Happy onto the Klunker access
road and up to the intersection of lower Threshold and Reef
Around.
Stage 4: Riders will take Reef Around and then take a left hand turn into Paddy Glades and then onto the lower portion of the Dual Slalom course. The stage will end before the intersection with Cat’s Paw, Fancy Feast and Cat Scratch Fever.

The Schedule

- 7:00AM Registration Opens at Highland Lodge
- 8:00AM Men’s C STXC – 20 min
- To follow Men’s B STXC – 25 min
- To follow Women’s B STXC – 20 min
- To follow Women’s A STXC – 25 min
- To follow Men’s A STXC – 35 min
- To follow Team Relay
- 9:00AM Enduro Practice Begins
- 10:30AM Registration closes for the day
- 12:00 PM Enduro Practice Ends
- 12:30 PM Enduro Riders Meeting @ Base Lodge
  - MANDANTORY MEETING FOR ALL ENDURO RACERS!
- 1:00PM Enduro Starts
  - Riders can do stages in any order they want
- 4:00PM Enduro ends
- **UNFORTUNATELY, THERE WILL BE NO BBQ THIS YEAR**
TRAIL TO XC NETWORK. No easy way to lift base. Expect long delays if assistance is needed. Ride at your own risk.

WRISTBANDS AND WAIVERS REQUIRED TO RIDE THE PARK. No trespassing. This area open during park hours only.

Easiest way back to Highland — Beaver Feaver

STAGE 1 — EASY RIDER — DOCTORS ORDERS

STAGE 2 — FANCY FEAST

STAGE 3 — JACK RABBIT RUN — MAIDEN VOYAGE

STAGE 4 — REEF AROUND — SLALOM
SUNDAY, October 8th
XC and DH

**XC:** The same course used last year. The lap starts on single-track that brings riders to a fire road section. The loop continues onto technical singletrack, followed by a fast and fun downhill section with rollers, berms, and bridges. This brings riders back through the Highland Mountain base area to the start/finish line. *Approximately 3.5 miles per lap.*

**DH:** Due to it’s history, Maiden Voyage will be the downhill track again this year. You can’t have the championship downhill race on anything besides classic New England tech! The race will start at the entrance to Maiden Voyage and end at the bottom before the lift.

**Racers will report back to the start immediately after their first run to do a second run if they choose. Only one run is necessary to score, however each rider may start and finish the course twice. The fastest time will count.**

**The Schedule:**

- 7:00AM Registration Opens at Highland Lodge
- 8:30AM XC First Wave
  - Men’s C XC – 2 laps
  - Women’s B XC – 2 laps
- 9:00AM DH Practice Begins
- 10:00AM XC Second Wave
  - Men’s A and Open XC – 5 laps
  - Men’s B XC – 4 laps
  - Women’s A XC – 4 laps
- 11:00AM Registration closes for the day
- 1:00PM Downhill Begins
  - Men’s C, B and Open, A, Women B, A
The Cost:

- Cross Country: $17
- Short Track: $17
- Downhill: $17
- Enduro: $20
- Team Relay: $20
- Lift Tickets cost $34 and are available for purchase at the Highland base lodge. Required for both Enduro and DH events
  - CHECKS ARE NOT ACCEPTED FOR LIFT TICKETS

- $5 Late fee is charged for day-of registration
- Pre-registration can be done on www.bikereg.com
- ALL riders must sign the park waiver and wear wristband (must show a valid ID when purchasing wristband)
  - PLEASE USE THIS LINK TO SIGN THE WAIVER: https://www.smartwaiver.com/w/5876b0ef5febb/web/
- All racers must hold an annual USA Cycling Collegiate license or purchase a one-day license for $10 at the registration table
Directions and Hotels:

GPS Directions to Highland:

- Highland Mountain Bike Park: 75 Ski Hill Drive Northfield, NH 03276
  [http://highlandmountain.com/visit/directions](http://highlandmountain.com/visit/directions)

Lodging:

- [http://highlandmountain.com/visit/eat-sleep](http://highlandmountain.com/visit/eat-sleep)
- Camping in the Highland Parking lot is free but there will be NO open fires, and NO alcoholic beverages. Highland will have security on staff during the ECCC weekend. **ALL CAMPERS MUST SET UP THEIR TENTS ON THE LEFT SIDE OF THE PARKING LOT AS YOU FACE THE LODGE.**
- **Super 8 Tilton:** 7 Tilton Road, Tilton NH, 03276
  - 10 minutes from Highland, cost effective
- **Hampton Inn & Suites:** 195 Laconia Road, Tilton NH, 03276
  - 13 minutes from Highland
- **Holiday Inn Express and Suites Tilton – Lake Region:** 75 Tilton Road, Tilton NH, 03276
  - 10 Minutes from Highland

Hospitals:

- **Franklin Regional Hospital:** 15 Aiken Avenue Franklin, NH 03235
  (603) 934-2060
- **Lakes Region General Hospital:** 80 Highland Street Laconia, NH 03246
  (603) 524-3211
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