

# UNH CYCLING Presents:

## ECCC Conference Championships at Highland Mountain Bike Park October 6 & 7, 2018



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# SATURDAY, October 6<sup>th</sup>

## STXC and ENDURO

STXC and Team Relay: The loop will be the same as last year; a fast singletrack descent dumps riders onto double track. A quick swooping uphill brings riders back to the start at under 1 mile per lap.

Enduro: A few different stages than last year and separate courses for A&B racers and C racers.

### Men's A, B, Open and Women's A, Open Racers

- Stage 1: Faux Pine to Stumpline
- *Transfer 1: Racers will take 820 to Beaver Fever back to the parking area. They will then take the lift and ride down fancy feast to lower fancy feast.*
- Stage 2: Lower Fancy Feast
- *Transfer 2: Racers 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: Jack Rabbit Run to Lower Maiden
- *Transfer 3: Racers will take the lift to the ODB trailhead.*
- Stage 4: ODB to ODC to Reef Around to Lower Threshold

### Men's C, Women's B and High School Racers

- Stage 1: Easy Rider to Doctors Orders (finish at Beaver Fever)
- *Transfer 1: Racers will take beaver fever back to the parking lot. They will then take the lift to the top of the mountain. They will then ride Upper Fancy Feast to Lower Fancy Feast.*
- Stages 2 & 3: Will be the same as Stages 2 and 3 raced by the A and B riders.

***Men's C, Women's B and High School Racers will not race Stage 4.***

## The Schedule

- 7:00AM Registration Opens at Highland Lodge
- 8:00AM Team Relay
- To follow 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
- 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



# SUNDAY, October 7<sup>th</sup>

## XC and DH

XC: The same course used last year but in the opposite direction. The lap starts on a single-track climb that includes rock rollers and bridges. Racers will then descend technical singletrack that dumps out onto a fire road. The final stretch of singletrack brings riders back towards the Highland Mountain base area to the finish line. *Approximately 3.5 miles per lap.*

DH: Due to its 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.*

Coffee, donuts and crullers will be available onsite in the morning courtesy of Lil's Café in Kittery, Maine. **THEY WILL BE FREE!**

### The Schedule:

- 7:00AM Registration Opens at Highland Lodge
- 8:30AM XC First Wave
  - Women's A and Open XC – 3 laps
  - 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 – 4 laps
  - Men's B XC – 3 laps
- 11:00AM Registration closes for the day
- 1:00PM Downhill Begins
  - Men's C, B and Open, A, Women B, A
- **ECCC FINAL AWARDS CEREMONY TO FOLLOW**



## The Cost:

- Cross Country: \$20.00/racer
  - Short Track: \$20.00/racer
  - Team Relay: \$20.00/team
  - Downhill: \$20.00/racer
  - Enduro: \$25.00/racer
  - Lift Tickets are required for both Enduro and DH events.  
Cost of lift tickets \$36.
    - CHECKS ARE NOT ACCEPTED FOR LIFT TICKETS
- A \$5 late fee is charged for day-of registration
- **ALL** riders must sign the Highland Mountain Bike Park waiver and wear a wristband (a valid ID must be shown when purchasing/receiving a wristband)
- **Waivers must be signed in the Highland Lodge prior to purchasing a lift ticket**
  - Waivers can be accessed here:  
<https://www.highlandmountain.com/waiver-policy/>
  - **Racers under 18 years old must have their waiver signed by a parent or guardian.**
- 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>

## Lodging:

- <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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