

# DIRT CLUB CYCLOCROSS

~ Saturday, October 22nd, 2011 ~

**Southern California Prestige Series of Cyclocross**



**DEMO BIKES AVAILABLE! FREE BEGINNERS CLINIC! PRIZES IN ALL RACES!  
FREE KIDS RACING! TRI-TIP BBQ! LIVE MUSIC!**



Presented by SG Productions / SGBC

Held under pending ABR permit #

Race Hotline #: (805) 896-0673

Location:



**@The World Famous Dirt Club!**

Off CA State Highway 154, north of Los Olivos, CA, drive 1.33 miles up Zaca Station Road to the open cattle gate on the right, follow the signs to Charlotte's Meadow. (There is no address to Map Quest)



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Start	WAVE/CATEGORIES	TIME	Places-Awards	Pre-Reg Entry Race day + \$5
8:00AM	<b>BEGINNER'S CX CLINIC</b>			<b>FREE</b>
9:00A	*Jr. Boys 10-14; 15-18; *Jr. Girls 10-14; 15-18; *Race together scored separately.	30 min	Top 3 – Prizes EA. Category	\$10.00
9:01A	<b>Youth Under 10</b>	One Lap	Top 3 - Awards	FREE
10:00A	<b>Men C: CX 4 - Beginner</b> *Not eligible for Series Points.	35 min	Top 3 – Prizes	\$20.00
11:00A	<b>Masters Men 35+ B; 45+ B: CX 3/4</b> *Combo race day prizes. Scored separate for Series Points.	40 min	Top 5 – Prizes	\$30.00
11:01A	<b>Masters Men 55+: CX 1-4</b>	40 min	Top 3 – Prizes	\$30.00
11:02A	<b>Masters Women 35+; 45+: CX 1-4</b> *Combo race day prizes. Scored separate for Series Points.	40 min	Top 3 – Prizes	\$30.00
12:00P	<b>Masters Men 35+; 45+A: CX 1-4</b> *Combo race day prizes. Scored separate for Series Points.	45 min	Top 5 – Prizes	\$30.00
12:01P	<b>Men B: CX 3/4</b> *Scored separately for Series & UG Points CX 3; CX4	45 min	Top 5 - Prizes	\$30.00
1:00P	<b>Single Speed Men A: CX1-4</b>	40 min	Top 3 – Prizes	\$30.00
1:01P	Single Speed Men B: CX3/4	40 min	Top 3 – Prizes	\$30.00
1:02P	Single Speed Women All: CX1-4	40 min	Top 3 - Prizes	\$30.00
1:50P	<b>KIDS CROSS RACE</b>	<b>Short laps</b>	<b>Awards to all!</b>	<b>FREE</b>
2:00P	<b>Elite Women A: CX 1-4</b>	40 min	Top 6 – \$500	\$30.00
2:01P	<b>Women B: CX 3/4</b>	40 min	Top 3 – Prizes	\$30.00
2:02P	<b>Women C: CX4 – Beginner</b> *Not eligible for Series Points.	40 min	Top 3 – Prizes	\$20.00
3:00P	<b>Elite Men A; U23: CX 1-4</b> *Scored separately for Series Points & Cash Purse	60 min	Top 6 - \$500	\$30.00

## \* Race Details and Prestige Series Information \*

**PRESTIGE SERIES INFO:** [www.SoCalCross.org](http://www.SoCalCross.org) -- Questions? E-MAIL: [dot@socalcross.org](mailto:dot@socalcross.org)  
**DIRT CLUB CYCLOCROSS INFO:** [www.ridesb.com](http://www.ridesb.com) – Questions? E-MAIL: [hecktone@yahoo.com](mailto:hecktone@yahoo.com) or  
TEXT (805) 896-0673

GOOGLE MAP DIRECTIONS: Not Available ... sorry, there's no official address for The Dirt Club, however if you just take US 101, 5 miles north of Buellton to CA State Hwy. 154 and then turn north onto *Zaca Station Road* and drive *1.33 miles to the open cattle gate on the right, and follow the blue and white "Charlotte's Meadow" signs you'll find the race with out any problems!*

**Course:** 2.75 KM in length - This course is on an operating cattle ranch that is used for mountain bike racing and has become known as The Dirt Club. The course consists of mostly dirt and dirt farming roads, while taking advantage of the natural elevation surrounding the venue. There will be one long, steep run up, one barrier section and one log run up section. There will also be a mix of technically challenging bike handling sections and fast straights.

**THE VENUE:** The Stump Grinder Dirt Club is a private mountain bike area located in the middle of Central CA Wine Country. It's boasts some of the finest single track riding anywhere, with it's 12 miles of XC trails, 2 DH runs, a dual slalom course and a pump track. With outdoor showers and an unlimited source of firewood it's a great camping location during races of all types. If you wish to Campout on site either Friday or Saturday night, for this event the \$20 cost will be waived!

**REGISTRATION:** Save \$\$\$, save time and pre-register on-line at: [www.sportsbaseonline.com](http://www.sportsbaseonline.com) **Online registration closes Thursday Sept 16th at 11:59PM (Pacific)**. Race Day registration is available opens at 7:00am and closes 20 minutes prior to each race category start. Series discount passes available \$25/race 10 race pass. Go to: [www.SoCalCross.org](http://www.SoCalCross.org) Click on the registration link. Each time you register online, you will be entered to win a Ridley CX frameset from Sportsbase Online!

**ENTRY FEES:** Pre-Registration entry is \$30.00. (add \$5 for race day entry) for all CX categories except Men C/Cat 4 Beginner and Women C/Cat 4 Beginner MEN and WOMEN race for \$20 (add \$5 for race day entry) and Juniors (racing age 10-18 yrs) race Junior race for \$10. Juniors must pay regular entry fee for category races if NOT entering Junior race. Additional race entries are just \$5.00/per race after higher entry fee is paid.

**RULES:** Event held under American Bicycle Racing Permit. All 2011 ABR rules apply. Event will be held rain or shine, no refunds. Cyclocross and Mountain Bikes (no bar ends) are welcomed. Bike and wheel changes are allowed in the designated pit areas. Riders must wear helmets when on the bike at all times. Riders shall stay on the course or existing trails. Please respect the venue and local residents. No feeds are allowed on course except under discretion of the race officials. Sleeveless jersey/shirts are not allowed.  
**Warming up on the Course** Once the last rider has crossed the line in the current active wave, the officials will allow riders to **"pre-ride"** the course so they can become familiar with route. Once the next race has started, they need to withdraw from the course before the first rider passes them. There should be enough time for them to complete one lap. As in the past, these riders cannot cross the finish line.

**CATEGORIES & UPGRADES:** Please race in the category that you would at a USA Cycling sanctioned event. As a general rule, Road and MTB riders who race Cyclocross should be racing in categories as listed below. The Prestige Series strongly discourages sandbagging. Please upgrade when eligible.

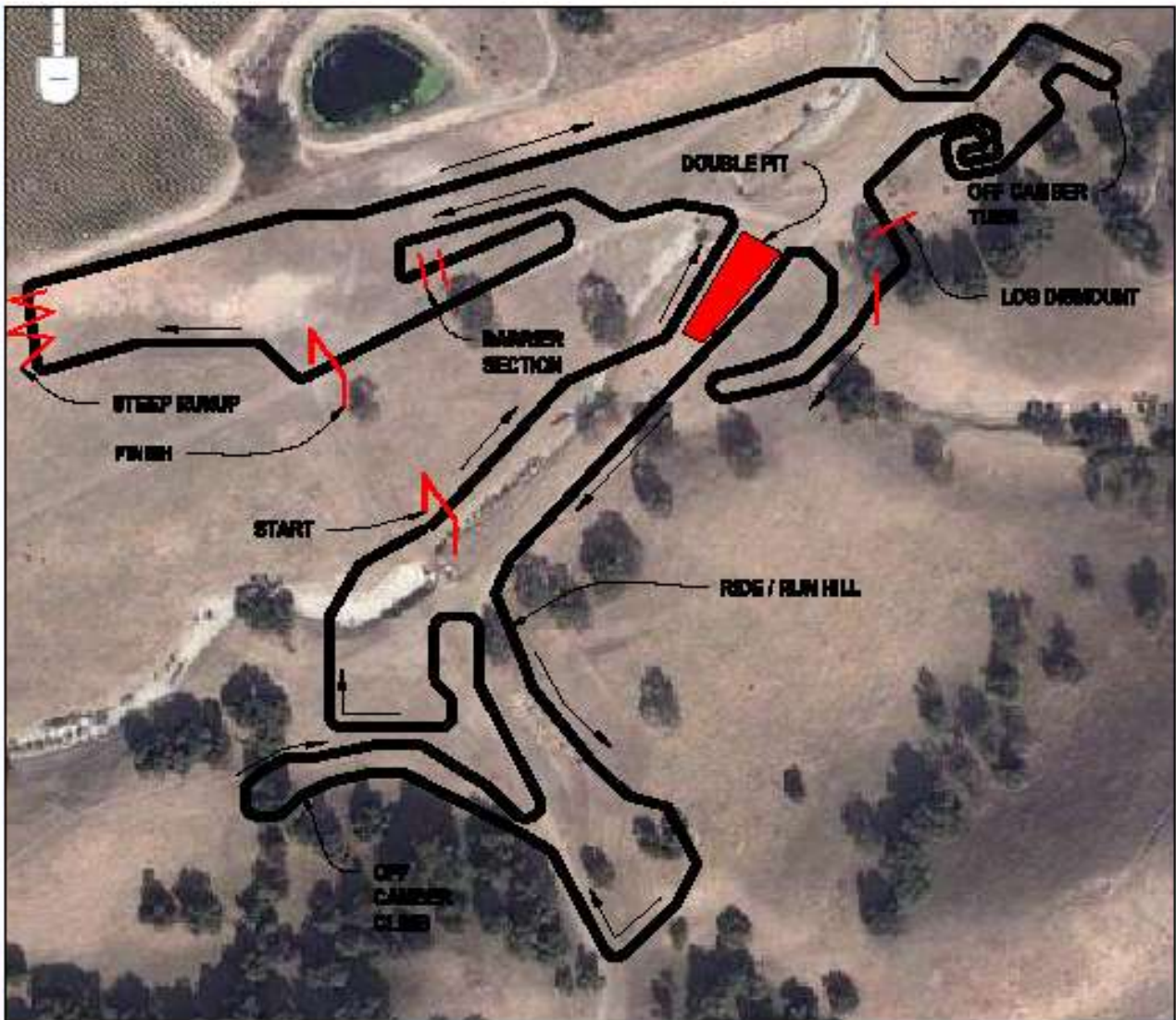
Cyclocross Cat 1: Road Pro or Cat 1; MTB Pro

Cyclocross Cat 2: Road 2; MTB 1

Cyclocross Cat 3: Road 3; MTB 2

Cyclocross Cat 4: Road 4 or 5; MTB 3; Beginners

**CYCLOCROSS RACING AGE:** A rider's racing age for the 2011-12 Cyclocross Season is the 'racing age' they'll be the year of the CX World Championships which take place in January 28-29, 2012 **Your racing age for the cyclocross season running September 2011 through January 2012 is your age as of 12/31/2012.** Youth born 2003 or later. Juniors 10-14 born 1998-2002. Juniors 15-18 born 1994-1997. Masters 35+ born 1977 or earlier; 45+, 1967 or earlier; 55+, 1957 or earlier.



**COURSE LENGTH: 2.78km**

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** The course consist of mostly dirt and dirt roads, while taking advantage of the natural elevation changes surrounding the venue. There will be one long steep run up, one barrier section, and one log dismount section. There will also be a mix of technically challenging bike handling sections and fast straights.

## **DIRT CLUB CROSS COURSE #1**