

Sunday, July 24 Coca Cola Triple Crown Mountain Bike race plans

July 20, 2011

Here's an updated summary of plans for the Sunday, July 24 Coca Cola Triple Crown mountain bike race:

Date/time: Sunday, July 24. Day of registration: 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. (on-line registration available via

Durango Devo web site (Sarah to send link). Racing begins at 9 a.m.

Fee: \$25 for individuals (solo); \$45 for 3 person teams.

Categories: --solo: women and men newbie/beginner; citizen/sport; shredder/pro/expert; junior shredder (U14); master/50 plus; single speed

--team: all female; all male; co-ed; junior (U19); family

**Where appropriate necessary: starts will be grouped as follows:

--Class A: Solo Shredder, masters & singlespeed: team male, female and coed.

--Class B: Solo newbie, citizen and Jr. Shredder; team junior and family.

Format: three part race consisting of uphill (base area start to top of lift 8; super downhill (start in the meadow on Ray's Ridge) and short track circuit (Pando short track course - 9 laps for Class A and 6 laps for Class B riders. The assumption is that we'll use the same routes as last year but we need to make sure we can organize the stages so no one has to wait too long.

Awards: season ski pass for overall male and female solo winners; day or summer day passes for category first place winners only. Each racer will also receive a coupon for a burger at the bear bar (Sven to arrange with tickets and F&B for awards). Awards ceremony will be on Purgy's deck.

Timing: arranged by DEVO. Prize results will be determined by place in each discipline rather than time, however times will be tracked. In case of ties, tie breaker will be the super downhill result first, followed by the uphill second and circuit third.

Transportation: FLC will loan 25 capacity bike trailer for moving bikes to top of lift 8 area for Super downhill start. DMR transportation will provide bus for super downhill team participant up-lift.

Course set-up: Sarah, Chad and Jay will work with Scott Clements on course set-up on Saturday, July 23 beginning at 8 a.m. Finish and start will be at the Coca Cola bike park sign between the Purgatory Express lift base and the Chair #6 base.

Parking: in main DMR upper lot.

Sounds Like Fun!