

Youth Road Development Series #2

Stonetown Heritage Crit

Version 1

June 3rd, 2024



General Information

YRDS #1 – Stonetown Heritage Crit

Date: July 14th, 2024

Time: 9:00am-4:00pm

Location: Milt Dunnell Park - 1 Veterans Circle, St. Marys

Event Information: Celebrate the St. Marys Harvest festival and join us at Milt Dunnell Park. The course consists of a relatively flat 700m circuit with two tight corners. The start/finish line is located in the straightway on the west side of Milt Dunnell Park. The event will consist of a Time Trial, Chariot Race and Criterium.

Pre-Riding: Due to the tight schedule the course will be open for pre-riding on race day only before the first race. The property is a public park, please be aware of traffic.

OC Event Contact

Position	Name
Event Organizer	Courtney Doret
Technical Delegate	David Elyatt
Membership/Licensing	Chris Baskys
Volunteer Manager	Sarah Mann
Medical	Odyssey Medical
Timing	Zone4

Commissaires

Position	Name
PCP	Brad Day
Finish Judge	Joe Hall
Member	Rosa Phillips

Registration and Pricing

- Registration for all YRDS is open to Ontario Cycling licensed riders 8-18 years of age.
- The event is pre-registration only. Only 2024 Challenge/Compete/UCI race licenses are permitted. Out of Province riders must have a UCI License. Licenses will not be sold on event day and must be purchased in advance.
- Registration for each YRDS will close on Wednesday at 11:59pm prior to the event date.
- Late entries will not be allowed.

[Click Here to Register](#)

Registration Timeline
Registration opens May 2 nd @ 3:00pm
Registration closes June 10 th @ 11:59pm
42.50\$ + HST

Membership & Licensing

- Please see the membership and licensing chart below to ensure that you have the correct license to reach in each category.

Categories	Challenge Membership	Compete Membership	UCI License
A Grade	X	X	X
B Grade	X	X	X
C Grade	X	X	X
D Grade	X	X	X
E Grade	X	X	X

Refund Policy

- A rider must withdraw before the registration closing to receive a refund. Once the registration period has ended, refunds are no longer available.
- All refunds are subject to a non-refundable processing fee (variable based on transaction value) plus a CCN refund administration fee.
- If an athlete withdraws from an event on race day, they are not eligible for a refund and the rider must inform the President of the Commissaire Panel of their withdrawal. Failure to notify the President of the Commissaire Panel may result in a fine.
- OC reserves the right to issue refunds in other rare and exceptional cases.

Event Categories

- YRDS categories will be open ability-based format where athletes will self-select themselves from Categories A-E based on their ability and experience level.
- The ability-based format is designed to provide meaningful competition for all riders and help ensure appropriate participant numbers for quality racing. Any questions regarding the format can be directed to the OC office.

Schedule of Events

Time Trial		
Category	Start Time	Distance/Time
All categories	7:30am-8:30am	Rider Confirmation
E Grade	9:00am	2 lap (1.4km)
D Grade		4 laps (2.8km)
C Grade		4 laps (2.8km)
B Grade		4 laps (4.8km)
A Grade		4 laps (4.8km)

Sprint/Chariot Race		
Category	Start Time	Notes
E Grade	10:00am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This short course to test the racers standing start
D Grade		
C Grade		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Single lap all out sprint. Similar to a chariot race (groups of 4-6)
B Grade		
A Grade		

Critierium		
Category	Start Time	Distance/Time
E Grade	11:15am	20 minutes
D Grade	11:45am	25 minutes
C Grade	2:15pm	35 minutes
B Grade	1:20pm	40 minutes
A Grade	2:00pm	50 minutes

***please note that all times are approximate*

*** podiums will take place approximately 10-15 minutes after the completion of each crit category.*

Start List & Results

- Zone4 will be the official timer for YRDS #2. Start list and results can be found at www.zone4.ca

Gear and Equipment Restrictions

- The gear and equipment restrictions will follow the [2024 Cycling Canada Companion Guide](#)
- Wearing of an approved helmet is mandatory.
- UCI Rule 1.3.018: only wheel designs granted prior approval by the UCI may be used. Consult the list of approved non-traditional wheels [here](#).
- Only standard handlebars are permitted. Handlebar extensions, including time-trial bar extensions or other types of tri-bars, are not permitted.
- From April 1, 2024 the UCI regulation (1.3.022) will be amended with a clear requirement that brake levers must have a maximum inclination of 10 (ten) degrees. We will be requiring riders in Ontario to follow this updated regulation at all road events this year."

- Only bicycle conforming to UCI rules 1.3.001-1.3.025 are permitted for use.
- Riders are required to wear jerseys corresponding to the club or team printed on their license.
- Independent riders are required to wear a plain-colored jersey with no significant logos, team names or advertising displayed on them.
- Sleeveless jerseys are not permitted.
- For the criterium, there is no neutral service, but a pit area will be present and free laps for recognized mishaps will be available up until the final 5km, as per regulations. Riders must be report to the commissaire in the pit to receive a free lap, while avoiding riding backwards on the course.
- Per Cycling Canada rule 1.3.031 N): At all times when participating in or preparing for an event held in Canada, all licensees who are mounted on a bicycle shall wear a securely fastened helmet that meets a recognized cycling standard for the specific discipline. Riders shall provide documented proof of this such as a manufacturer's label, upon request by event officials.
- The use of glass containers is strictly prohibited during the race.
- Disc brakes are permitted.
- Disc wheels are not permitted.

Gear Restrictions

- There will not be any gear restrictions.

Rider Confirmation/Sign In

- Rider confirmation will take place at the OC tables look for signage directing you to registration. Registration will close 30 minutes before the start of the first race.

Number Placement

- Plates must be affixed on the front of the handlebars, the plates remaining as flat as possible, so as to avoid bending the plates

General Rules & Regulations

- The races will be held under the rules of the UCI with CC and OC modifications.
- The CC and OC rules are available at: www.ontariocycling.org/officials
- An OC representative will be present at the race to assist with rider licensing issues. There is no ability to sell licenses or memberships on race date. Contact the OC for more details.
- Out of province riders will be required to present a UCI license.
- Races will start promptly at the indicated start times.
- Any rider dropping out of the race shall immediately notify a commissaire.
- Team vehicles will not be permitted on the course for any event. Only race organization vehicles are allowed on the racecourse during competition. All other vehicles/team vehicles are not permitted to follow the races will in progress.

- For your safety, if you withdraw from the event for any reason, you must inform the nearest commissaire that you will no longer be racing. Riders not reporting to the commissaire may be subject to a fine
- As this is a criterium race, riders will be given a free lap for a recognized mishap (e.g. crashes and punctures) up until the final 5km. Improperly maintained bicycles resulting in equipment failure is not considered a mishap. Riders suffering mishaps shall head to the designated pit area via any means other than traveling backward on the course, report to the commissaires and make repairs. At the direction of the commissaire only, riders will be allowed to resume the race at the same location in the pack where they had their mishap.
- In cases where more than one group is on the course at the same time, riders must remain separate when overtaking or being overtaken by riders from other groups.
- Racers who lap the field and rejoin the bunch will sprint with the group
- Riders who are dropped from the main bunch must proceed at their own risk and shall always ride on the right side of the road with the flow of traffic.
- Radio communication is not permitted between riders and anyone else.
- All riders within a category will finish on the same lap. Therefore, lapped riders will complete fewer laps than the winner.

Awards

- Medals will be awarded to the top (3) finishers in each category.
- Should categories be combined because of low participation numbers, results will be broken out for awards. Awards will be awarded based on the results of each category separated.
- Riders must attend the award ceremonies or risk forfeiting their awards.
- Podium protocol shall be enforced, and fines will be issued to those who fail to comply. Riders must wear their competition uniform for medal presentations. Hats and/or eyewear are prohibited.
- Medal presentation will take place following the conclusion of each crit category.

Media

- Any individual wanting to create media content with professional equipment or for the purpose of selling content is required to obtain accreditation from Ontario Cycling.
- Please contact evan.doyle@ontariocycling.org no later than one week prior to the event.

Course Map

The course consists of a relatively flat 700m circuit with two tight corners.

Time Trial Challenge Race

- The time trial will consist of an estimated 700m loop.
- Note: TT bar, aero helmets and disc wheels are prohibited as per OC rules for youth events.



criterium



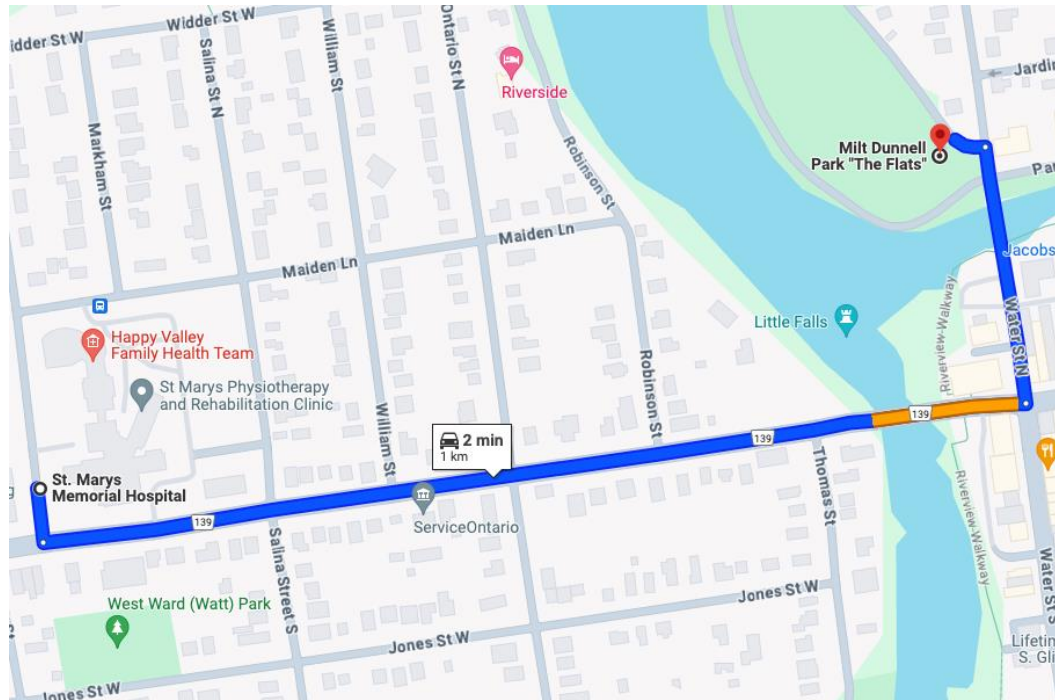
Event & Course Safety

- First aid will be provided by Odyssey Medical and will be located under a tent near the start/finish area.
- For your safety, if you withdraw from the event for any reason, you must inform the nearest commissaire that you will no longer be racing. Riders not reporting to the commissaire may be subject to a fine.

Hospital Information

St. Marys Memorial Hospital
1 Veteran Circle, St Marys, ON N4X 1B6
(519)-284-1332

Hospital directions [here](#), and a map can be found below.



Volunteers

Thank you to all the volunteers who dedicated their time to making the event possible, if you are interested in volunteering at future events, please contact oc.volunteers@ontariocycling.org

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