# 2010 Meridian / Cuba Challenge 

August 21 - 22 an Omnium Event Held under USA Cycling Event Permit


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August 21 - Downtown Meridian, MS Criterium

| Category | Distance | Start Time |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Juniors | 35 min | $1: 30 \mathrm{pm}$ |
| Women | 35 min | $2: 15 \mathrm{pm}$ |
| Cat 5 / Beginners Men* | 35 min | $3: 00 \mathrm{pm}$ |
| Cat 4 Men | 50 min | $4: 00 \mathrm{pm}$ |
| Masters 40+ / 55+ | 50 min | $5: 00 \mathrm{pm}$ |
| Cat 1, 2 Men; Cat 3 Men | 65 min | $6: 00 \mathrm{pm}$ |

*Cat 5 / Beginners limited to 50 riders.
Course: downtown Meridian, MS, non technical, .9 course, fast.
Promoter reserves the right to combine fields if fewer than $\mathbf{1 0}$ riders register.

## Directions to Criterium:

Take $29^{\text {th }}$ Avenue Exit from 20/59. Drive north until reaching $8^{\text {th }}$ Street. Take a right heading east until reaching $23^{\mathrm{RD}}$ Avenue. Take a right heading south until reaching Front Street. Take a left heading east. Go through $22^{\text {nd }}$ Avenue and park anywhere within the next 3 blocks. The crit registration will be located exactly one block north of $21^{\text {st }}$ Avenue and Front Street.

August 22 - Cuba, AL Road Race ( 20 miles east of Meridian)

| Category | Distance | Start Time |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Women | 26 miles (1 lap) | $8: 00 \mathrm{am}$ |
| Juniors | 26 miles (1 lap) | $8: 10 \mathrm{am}$ |
| Cat 1, 2 Men; Cat 3 Men | 66 miles (3 laps) | $8: 45 \mathrm{am}$ |
| Masters 40+ / 55+ | 46 miles (2 laps) | $9: 00 \mathrm{am}$ |
| Cat 4 Men | 46 miles (2 laps) | $9: 15 \mathrm{am}$ |
| Cat 5 / Beginners Men* | 26 miles (1 lap) | $9: 30 \mathrm{am}$ |

*Cat 5 / Beginners limited to 50 riders.
Course: hilly, chip \& seal road surface
Promoter reserves the right to combine fields if fewer than 10 riders register.

## Directions to Road Race:

From I-20 / I-59 take the Cuba, AL exit, at the top of the ramp go east on hwy 80, for approximately 1.5 miles to a 4 way stop intersection and go left (north) on hwy 11, go 1.5 miles and turn left on county road 27 . Go approximately 1 mile and turn right on gravel drive toward grey house, registration and parking will be here.

## Contact Info:

You can email me at jay@mcelroytrucklines.com or call me during the day at 205-3925579, ext 125.

## Motels:

There are many motels in Meridian, just Google "motels Meridian, MS" and you will get a complete listing.

## Registration:

There will be no pre-registration. Saturday race day registration opens at 12:00pm near start / finish line. Registration for each category is CLOSED 30 minutes prior to start.

Sunday race day registration will open at 7:00 a.m. next to the house near the parking area. Registration for each category is CLOSED 30 minutes prior to start. If you registered Saturday, please check in on Sunday. Races held rain or shine.

| CATEGORY | ONE EVENT | BOTH EVENTS |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| $1,2,3,4,5$, Masters, <br> Women | $\$ 35$ | $\$ 60$ |
| Juniors | FREE | FREE |

## Race Number Placement and Key:

For Criterium place number on left side.
For Road Race place number on right side.

| Women $-1-59$ | Cat $4-300 ’ s$ |
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| Juniors $-60-99$ | Cat $5-400$ 's |
| Cat $1 \& 2-100$ 's | Masters 40+ $-500 ’$ s |
| Cat $3-200$ 's | Masters 55+ -600 's |

## Miscellaneous:

The feed zone for the Road Race will be approximately 3 miles from the start / finish line on the right side of the road. This area will be marked by a sign. There will be neutral water bottle hand outs during the Road Race.

The wheel pit for the Crit will be near the start / finish line. Neutral wheel support will be available for the Road Race. We are not responsible for damaged or lost wheels.

## Payout:

No Pro cyclist will be allowed to receive a payout in this event.
You must race BOTH events to be eligible for Omnium payout.
Crit payout will be Sunday after RR's, if you want to leave we will mail your \$ to you.
Omnium points will be calculated using USCF Stage Race Individual Points Classification schedule Rule 4C2. In case of a points tie, it will broken by placement order in the RR.

Payout - Omnium Overall

| Place | Sr. 1,2 | Sr. 3 | Masters <br> $40+$ | Masters <br> $55+$ | Women | Sr. 4 | Jr. 18 | 5,Public |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 200 | 140 | 100 | 100 | 90 | 90 | Medals | Medals |
| 2 | 150 | 120 | 80 | 80 | 70 | 70 | Medals | Medals |
| 3 | 100 | 95 | 70 | 70 | 60 | 60 | Medals | Medals |
| 4 | 90 | 75 | 60 | 60 | 50 | 50 |  |  |
| 5 | 80 | 65 | 50 | 50 | 40 | 40 |  |  |
| 6 | 70 | 55 | 40 | 40 | 30 | 30 |  |  |
| 7 | 60 | 45 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8 | 50 | 35 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9 | 40 | 30 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 | 35 | 25 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Payout - Individual Stages

|  |  |  | Masters | Masters |  |  |  |  |
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| Place | Sr. 1,2 | Sr. 3 | $40+$ | $55+$ | Women | Sr. 4 | Jr. 18 | 5,Public |
| 1 | 100 | 75 | 55 | 55 | 50 | 50 | Medals | Medals |
| 2 | 80 | 60 | 45 | 45 | 40 | 40 | Medals | Medals |
| 3 | 75 | 55 | 35 | 35 | 30 | 30 | Medals | Medals |
| 4 | 65 | 50 | 30 | 30 | 25 | 25 |  |  |
| 5 | 55 | 40 | 25 | 25 | 20 | 20 |  |  |
| 6 | 45 | 30 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | 35 | 20 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8 | 25 | 15 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Cuba Road Race Course - hilly course with chip \& seal road surface, 3 mile out and back section with a 19.2 mile counterclockwise loop.


