

## TUESDAY NIGHT CRITERIUMS AT BRECKINRIDGE PARK IN RICHARDSON, TEXAS

Sanctioned by USA Cycling. Permit pending. All USA Cycling Rules in effect. **VALID USA Cycling License REQUIRED.** Annual licenses must be purchased in advance through USA Cycling. Renewals and "One-Day" Licenses WILL NOT be available on site. Please take care of this before Race Day through the USA Cycling Website ([www.usacycling.org](http://www.usacycling.org)). Bicycles must be in working order and approved per USA Cycling Rules. "Aerobars" that allow a forearm or elbow rest are not allowed. Approved helmets always required while on the bike. Races will be held on Tuesday Nights March 21<sup>st</sup> to August 29<sup>th</sup>. Times below are the expected starts for each night. Race lengths and start times will be changed will be adjusted for available daylight due to sunset and clouds cover. Always be early in case times are moved up.

### Mini-Series 1: March 21 – April 11

5:30pm Men 4 & 5's / Novice (20ish minutes)  
5:55pm Men 3 & 4's (30ish minutes)  
6:30pm Masters 40+ Cat 1-4 (25ish minutes)  
7:00pm Men 1/2/3's (45ish+ minutes)

### Mini-Series 4: June 13-27 (no race July 4)

5:30pm Men 4 & 5's / Novice (30ish minutes)  
6:05pm Men 3 & 4's (45ish minutes)  
6:55pm Masters 40+ Cat 1-4 (30ish minutes)  
7:35pm Men 1/2/3's (60ish minutes)

### Mini-Series 2: April 18 – May 9

5:30pm Men 4 & 5's / Novice (25ish minutes)  
6:00pm Men Cat 3 & 4's (35ish minutes)  
6:40pm Masters 40+ Cat 1-4 (30ish minutes)  
7:15pm Men Cat 1, 2, & 3 (55ish+ minutes)

### Mini-Series 5: July 11 – August 1

5:30pm Men 4 & 5's / Novice (30ish minutes)  
6:05pm Men Cat 3 & 4's (40ish minutes)  
6:50pm Masters 40+ Cat 1-4 (30ish minutes)  
7:25pm Men Cat 1, 2, & 3 (60ish minutes)

### Mini-Series 3: May 16 – June 6

5:30pm Men 4 & 5's / Novice (30ish minutes)  
6:05pm Men Cat 3 & 4's (40ish minutes)  
6:50pm Masters 40+ Cat 1-4 (30ish minutes)  
7:25pm Men Cat 1, 2, & 3 (60ish minutes)

### Mini-Series 6: August 8 – 29

5:30pm Men 4 & 5's / Novice (25ish minutes)  
6:00pm Men Cat 3 & 4's (40ish minutes)  
6:45pm Masters 40+ Cat 1-4 (30ish minutes)  
7:20pm Men Cat 1, 2, & 3 (60ish+ minutes)

**Entry Fees:** \$20 for adults, \$15 for Juniors (Racing Age 18 & under as of December 31, 2023; born in 2005 to present) per night. We are attempting to keep the entry fees as low as possible to encourage participation and is contingent upon being the only weekly criterium in North Texas. Will be increased as necessary.

**"All You Can Race":** There are no additional fees to race additional races. You may race multiple races without additional cost, **BUT** you must be qualified by age and category for each race. Additionally, you must be registered for each race. You may **NOT** just jump into a race if you are not registered for that race. You will be pulled out of the race while in progress and disqualified. Everyone will hear us pulling you out and it will be very embarrassing for you.

**Category Rules:** Masters are Racing Age 40 and over (born in 1983 or before). You must also be in Categories 1, 2, 3, or 4 to participate in the Masters Race. You are the category your license says you are. If you want to upgrade or downgrade to a different category, you must have that approved by USA Cycling prior to racing in a different category **AND** be ready to show proof (email from USA Cycling or updated USA Cycling App). If you are a Category 5 / Novice rider, you may **ONLY** race in the first race or each night (Men 4 & 5's / Novice). Women may use USA Cycling's category step-down rule per 1H10g in the USA Cycling Rulebook.

**Refund Policy:** In the event of cancellation, entry fees will be rolled over to the next week, or you may request a refund. If you can't make it due to illness, work, babysitter cancels, need to organize sock drawer, or any other reason, your entry fee will be rolled over to the next week or you may request a refund. This is for fun, and we don't want anyone stressing over losing their entry fee because real life interferes with participating in our amazing sport.

**Scoring:** Numbers will be issued the first night you race. This is a permanent cloth number that you will use each following week. Please keep them for future races. First number is free. Replacement number is \$5 per number. Race|Result Chip timing will be used. You **MUST** have a working timing chip to race. \$5 per day to rent a chip or \$75 to purchase a chip (chips last for 5 years and is the same system used at many other races). You will receive a text message after each race with your results and analytics.

**Prizes:** Recognition & Podium Pictures 3 deep per race. Cash prizes, other prizes, and/or awards may be given but not guaranteed. These are donated / crowd sourced to keep entry fees low. Points will be awarded to the top 10 in each race as follows: 10, 7, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, 1, 1, 1. Most overall points at the end of each Mini-Series wins. For each Mini-Series there will be a "Leader's Jersey" presented to the leader each night for podium pictures and to wear the following week. To keep it, you must win the series or pay \$25 to buy the jersey.

**Location:** Map: <https://goo.gl/maps/ckfXxGPYzCfSUyS7> The course is located at southwest corner of Park Vista Rd, Richardson TX 75082 in Breckinridge Park. Entry to the park is leading south from Park Vista Road. Parking is at the bottom of that entry road inside the course, or at the east end of Park Vista Rd by the baseball fields.

Online registration and all other information: <https://linktr.ee/TurboVelo>

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