

2011 Speedway Clinic Series Race Bible

Event Dates: Sept. 1st, 8th, and 15th, 2011 (Thursday evenings)

Registration/warmup: 6:00-6:15 p.m.

Racing Clinic Starts at 6:15 p.m.

Link to on-line registration:

<https://www.usacycling.org/myusac/index.php?pagename=registration&eventid=2820&year=2011>

Link to on-line race announcement:

<http://www.usacycling.org/events/getflyer.php?permit=2011-2820>

Location: Huntsville Speedway, 357 Hegia Burrow Road Huntsville, Alabama 35803, Lat/Lon: 34.568, -86.535

Google Maps Link:

http://maps.google.com/maps?f=q&source=s_q&hl=en&geocode=&q=34.568,+86.535&sll=37.0625,-95.677068&sspn=53.167773,89.560547&ie=UTF8&t=h&z=17

Directions: From Huntsville: Take Hwy 231, Memorial Pkwy South, Turn left on Hobbs Island Rd., approx. 2 miles turn left on Hegia Burrow Rd. at the Pure Gas Station, Speedway is 1 mile on the left.

Sponsoring Club: Alabama Wheelmen

Contact: James Dawson wheelmen@hiwaay.net

Online Registration: Online Pre-Registration through Sept. 14

Pre-Registration Fee: \$10 for one event, \$15 for two events, \$20 for all three events (USA Cycling adds a small admin fee)

USAC Road License Required (One-day Licenses available for \$5 per day,).

Schedule of Events and Special Rules:

Registration/Warmup: 6:00-6:15 p.m.

Seeding Time Trial: 6:20 – 6:40 p.m. Participants will be timed for flying 200 m time trial (rider accelerates for half-lap and then timed for half-lap)

Team Assignments: 6:40-6:45 p.m. Participants will be divided into two even teams based on rankings from seeding time trial.

For instance, if 12 riders:

Team Slone: 1st, 4th, 5th, 8th, 9th, 12th seeds

Team Kos: 2nd, 3rd, 6th, 7th, 10th, 11th seeds

Scratch Race: 6:45 p.m. (10 laps, 4 km)

- Omnium Points Awarded: 5/4/3/2/1
Points awarded based on order of finish

Points Race: 7:00 p.m (15 laps, 6 km)

- Omnium Points Awarded every 5 laps:
Laps 5/10/15/20/25: 1st 5 pts., 2nd 3 pts., 3rd 2 pts., 4th 1 pt.
Riders gaining lap on "main group" receive 20 pts.

Team Pursuit: 7:15 (10 laps, 4 km)

- Omnium Points Awarded: 3 pts credited to all members of winning team (no individual points), team result based on 3rd wheel (leading edge of front wheel).

Timed Criterium: 7:30-8:00

- Omnium Points Awarded: 5/4/3/2/1
Criterium Rules for Placements (i.e., laps take precedence)

Omnium Results

Placement of riders and teams will be tallied and posted on-line after each clinic.

Team scores computed using total of all individual points from team member from individual events plus 5 points for team pursuit winner.

Weather Policy

The events are subject to modification or cancellation if there is bad weather. If there is just light rain, we may continue with the clinic and adjust the format as necessary.

Clinician Directives and Rider Behavior

Participants shall abide directives from the clinicians, Mark Slone and Larry Kos, or whoever may be designated as clinician by the clinic director (James Dawson) or his designated substitute. Clinicians may neutralize the race as necessary to provide instruction to the riders. Alternatively, riders may be called to the "Stayer's Lane" which is the outer lane of the track, in order to provide specific advice. In such case, the rider may return to an appropriate group and resume racing at the direction of the clinician without penalty. Riders who continue in the race should avoid the "Stayer's Lane." Riders who drop off the back of the main group should ride in the "Stayer's Lane" and rejoin the main group FROM THE REAR after being passed underneath.