RACE 4: PETALUMA ROUND-UP APRIL 29 - JR. DEVO APRIL 30 - HIGH SCHOOL FARM THEME

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What to know about Petaluma

Registration must be done online by Fri. Apr 21

Number plates can be picked up at the registration tent Friday-Sunday. Each studentathlete is assigned a number plate for the season, and is expected to use that same racing plate at each race. If you lose it, you can buy a replacement for \$20 at the registration tent. Coaches, parents and student-athletes can all pick up race plates. Replacement coach plates cost \$10. Please contact jen@norcalmtb.org with any registration questions.

Volunteers - we always need your help!

Our races are made possible because of all of our volunteer support. Not only do you get to help the show go on, but you are helping your team secure a better pit location. The higher the percentage of volunteers on your team, the better the pit spot. <u>Sign-up online</u> by the registration close date to be counted for priority placement. If you sign up same day, your priority placement will not be changed, but you help keep our operations costs down, and the stoke levels high! Please review the <u>NICA Adult Code of Conduct.</u>

Directions

Follow your map to Five Springs Farms: 4497 Adobe Rd, Petaluma, CA 94954 Must enter from Adobe Rd. and turn right into venue. CHP will be on site and will not allow left turns into the venue.

Coming from the north, go down to Lakeville and turn left on Stage Gulch Rd. Then turn left on Adobe rd. Turn right into the venue.

Coming from the south, turn right on Stage Gulch Rd, then left on Adobe. Or just come in through Adobe. Turn right into the venue.

Lodging - more camp info coming soon

Plenty of camping is available at the venue, hotels are available in Petaluma.

Misc. Beta - Farm Theme!

- Food vendor is currently to be determined, let us know if you've got a recommendation
- Mike's Bikes will be providing neutral support (for free!)
- Dogs are ok at this venue as long as they are on leash and you clean up after them
- People with seasonal allergies will want/need to bring allergy meds. This is a grassy, windy farm
- Camping is available (no hookups stay tuned for more info)
- Bring tent weights for all team tents and personal tents, it can get windy
- Celebrate all things Mother Earth! Safety first.



Weekend Schedule

FRIDAY:

2pm-5:30pm: Pre-ride open 4:30pm-5:30pm: NorCal GRiT Pre-ride



SATURDAY:

7:30am-8:45am: Pre-ride open 7:30am-12pm: Volunteers check in 8:30am: Coaches meeting 10:00am: Jr. Devo wave 1 11:40am: Jr. Devo wave 2 12pm-3pm: Volunteers check in 12:30pm: Jr. Devo wave 3 2:30-5:30pm: Pre-Ride open 3:00pm: Podiums 4:30pm-5:30pm: NorCal GRiT Pre-ride

SUNDAY:

7am-8am: Pre-ride open
7:30am-12pm: Volunteers
check in
8:15am: Coaches meeting
9:00am: High school wave 1
10:30am: High school wave

12pm-4pm: Volunteers check in

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12:30pm: High school wave 3

2:00pm: High school wave 4**4:00pm:** Podiums



Attention Pre-Riders:

- <u>All pre-riders must have their assigned 2023 NorCal plate fixed to their handlebars</u> and be accompanied by a coach while on course (Coaches must have Coach Plate)
- Only coaches and student-athletes are allowed to pre-ride
- No pre-riding outside of designated times mentioned above
- Coach replacement plates cost \$10
- This venue is on private property and pre-ride is only allowed on race weekend

Coaches Meeting:

- This is where you'll receive vital information about race day
- It is mandatory that all teams have at least one coach attend the meeting, so that important information can be communicated to the team
- Coaches meetings will be held at the registration tent

<u>Course Info</u>

<u>**Course Description:**</u> The course will be similar to the one <u>linked</u> <u>here.</u>

<u>Course Length and Elevation:</u> ~5.5 miles and ~800ft elevation gain.





Race Schedule - Saturday

Jr. Devo Schedule

<u>Please arrive 15 minutes before your wave starts. Start times subject to change.</u>

Category	Start Time	Lap Count	Race Plate #	
<u>Wave 1</u>				
Open Boys	9:00	3	9500-9575	
Open Girls	9:05	3	9000 - 9025	
Wave 2				
8th Grade Girls	10:30	2	8000-8499	
7th Grade Girls	10:35	2	7000-7499	
6th Grade Girls	10:40	2	6000-6499	
Wave 3				
8th Grade Boys	12:00	2	8500-8999	
7th Grade Boys	12:05	2	7500-7999	
6th Grade Boys	12:10	2	6500-6999	
Ride Category	1:00	1	Any	



Race Schedule - Sunday

High School Schedule

<u>Please arrive 15 minutes before your wave starts. Start times subject to change.</u>

Category	Start Time	Lap Count	Race Plate #	
<u>Wave 1</u>				
Varsity Boys	9:00	4	1000's	
Varsity Girls	9:05	4	100's	
Wave 2				
JV Girls	11:05	3	200-399	
Sophomore Girls	11:10	2	400-599	
Frosh Girls	11:15	2	600-799	
Wave 3				
Sophomore Boys D1	12:35	2	3000-3499	
Sophomore Boys D2	12:40	2	3500-3999	
Frosh Boys D1	12:45	2	4000 - 4499	
Frosh Boys D2	12:50	2	4500 - 4999	
<u>Wave 4</u>				
JV Boys D1	2:10	3	2000-2499	
JV Boys D2	2:15	3	2500-2999	

Thanks to our sponsors!

We are super thankful that the Helman family has allowed us to use their property for another NorCal race. We'd like to extend an extra special thanks to them for their generosity, as well as our good friend Brian Popplewell at Recology Sonoma Marin for donating waste bins.



