

NEWPORT NEWS TWILIGHT CRITERIUM

In
**THE
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DISTRICT

JULY 30, 2022

Starting at 3:00 p.m.

Held under USA Cycling Permit #2022-5711



2400 Washington Ave.
Newport News, VA 23607

THR Cycling and the City of Newport News are pleased to announce the Newport News Twilight Criterium! This **1 km, 8-turn course with a short uphill and fast downhill**, located in the revitalized downtown Newport News area, is sure to challenge beginners and pros alike.

The Men's and Women's Pro 1/2/3 will begin at dusk with the men's race finishing at night under the city lights. **Large cash payouts** are on offer with sizable mid-race primes available in the Men's and Women's Pro 1/2/3, Men's Cat 3/4, and Men's Masters fields.

CATEGORY	START	DURATION (In Minutes)	PRIZES	FIELD LIMIT	REG. FEE
Men's Masters (35+/45+) <i>(Scored Separately, Combined Payout)</i>	3:00 p.m.	45	\$500/5	100	\$30/35/40**
Women Cat 4/5 (Novice)	4:00 p.m.	30	\$250/5	75	\$30/35/40**
Men Cat 4/5 (Novice)	4:45 p.m.	30	\$250/5	75	\$30/35/40**
Kid's Fun Race (3-9 Years Old)	5:15 p.m.	10	Treats	50	Free
Men's Masters (55+/65+) <i>(Scored Separately, Combined Payout)</i>	5:30 p.m.	30	\$250/5	100	\$30/35/40**
Men's Cat 3/4	6:15 p.m.	45	\$500/5	100	\$30/35/40**
Women's Pro 1/2/3	7:15 p.m.	60	2,500/15*	100	\$30/35/40**
Men's Pro 1/2/3	8:30 p.m.	60	2,500/15*	100	\$30/35/40**

Course: A technical, but wide, 1km, 8-turn course with a short uphill and fast downhill. The start/finish line is approximately 115 meters from the final turn.

Payouts*: Full cash payouts for Men's and Women's Pro/1/2/3 fields are based on 30 pre-registered riders. If field size is between 16 and 29 riders, then the max payout will decrease to \$1,500 for top 10. For fields with 15 or less riders, the max payout is \$1,000 for top 5. Mid-race primes are available in all races except for Men's and Women's Cat 4/5 fields.

License: Beginner One-Day and Annual licenses will be available for purchase on race day. Experienced riders must renew their annual license or purchase a one-day license online. Race licenses from other countries will not be accepted. Please ensure that you have a USA Cycling License.

Rules: All USAC rules apply. ANSI Z90.4 approved helmets are required to be worn whenever riding on or near the race course. No aero bars permitted in mass start races. No Cat 5 (Novice) riders permitted in Masters races. Events held rain or shine, however, the race directors and officials reserve the right to cancel the event in the case of severe weather as deemed necessary for safety.

REGISTER AT:

bikereg.com/newport-news-criterium

Registration:** Register online at the address above. Registration closes at 12 p.m. (noon) on Friday, July 29th. Entry fees are \$30 until 6/29/22, \$35 until 7/24/22, and \$40 after 7/25/22. Day-of registration opens at 2:00 p.m. and is available for \$40. A second race is \$20 less than the first race entry fee. Entry fees include a \$5.05 USAC fee. If the event has to be cancelled, partial refunds will be issued for the registration fee minus any fees that BikeReg charged during registration and any pre-race fees owed to the City of Newport News. The event needs a minimum of 200 riders registered by July 25th, or it will be cancelled.

Parking: Signs will be onsite directing participants and spectators to designated free parking areas. *Please only park in designated areas.*

If you have questions, contact Graham Costa at 757-660-2117 or teamhamptonroads@gmail.com.

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