

# NORTH TAHOE CHALLENGE

UP-TO-DATE 2017 EVENT INFORMATION FROM THE NEVADA INTERSCHOLASTIC CYCLING LEAGUE



## Race Description

The 1st race of the Nevada League at North Tahoe XC once again showcases a fun mix of forested single track and double track on the green and blue trails of the Tahoe XC nordic center. Gentle meadow cruising, to challenging uphills, and fun descents. This venue starts the season off on the right foot, and allows each racer to finish strong while having a great time. Both Middle and High school athletes will take challenge on the same 4 mile in length with approximately 350' of climbing per lap. Complete course route, elevation profile, including a GPX file can be found on the Nevada League website.

## Pre-Ride

All racers can pre-ride and inspect Saturday afternoon (1:00PM-4:00PM) and Sunday morning (8:00AM-9:00AM). We recommend all riders pre-ride the course. Please pass course workers with great care.

## Infield PitZone Info and Rules

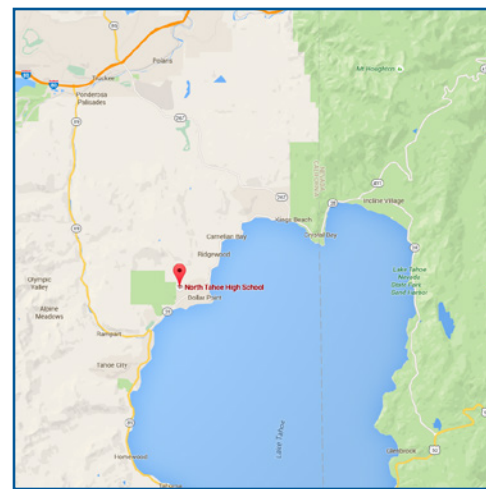
- Infield PitZone will have your team's area pre-marked and is open to vehicles for unloading/loading only.
- No open fires or generators allowed. Gas grill okay.
- No dogs off leash.
- Please be considerate of our venue and pack out what you pack in. We will not have onsite trash handling.
- No smoking.
- No inappropriate language.
- Conflicts and/or disputes with any race official or volunteer shall not be addressed in the PitZone.
- Any violation of the above rules may result in a team penalty and/or expulsion from the PitZone and Infield area.

## Race Day Support

Mechanics will be on hand Sunday to provide last minute adjustments and repairs for our racers in the neutral support area.

## Volunteering at Our Events

Volunteers make our events possible. If you'd like to volunteer for Nevada League events, or any of our other races, please visit the Nevada League website at [Nevadamb.org](http://Nevadamb.org) and go to the Volunteer section for a listing of volunteer positions.



## LOCATION

North Tahoe High School  
2945 Polaris Rd, Tahoe City, CA 96145

## DIRECTIONS

### FROM TAHOE CITY

- Head northeast on CA-28 E/N Lake Blvd toward Macinaw Rd - 2.2 mi
- Turn left onto Old Mill Rd - 0.4 mi
- Turn left onto Polaris Rd - 0.5 mi

### FROM KINGS BEACH

- Head west on CA-28 W/N Lake Blvd toward Brassie Ave - 6.5 mi
- Turn right onto Fabian Way - 440 ft
- Turn right onto Village Rd - 0.2 mi
- Turn left onto Polaris Rd

## PARKING

Parking will be located at the North Tahoe High School. When entering the venue, you will be greeted by our parking volunteer. They will direct you into the parking lot and make sure that everyone gets parked according to the staging lay out.

**2016 RACING FEES**

	HIGH SCHOOL	MIDDLE SCHOOL	LATE FEE AT RACE
League Registration Fee	\$70	\$70	\$10*
Race Fee (per race)	\$35	\$25	\$10*

\*Online registration ends at midnight on Wednesday the week before a race. \*A late fee will be charged for day-of and new registrations.

**RACE CATEGORIES AND WAVE START TIMES**

WAVE 1 (HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS)		START TIME	LAPS TOTAL	MILEAGE
Varsity Girls	1-49	9:30am	4	16 miles
JV Girls	100	9:33am	3	12 miles
Sophomore Girls	400s	9:36am	3	12 miles
Freshman Girls	700s	9:39am	3	12 miles
WAVE 2 (MS BOYS & GIRLS)		START TIME	TOTAL LAPS	MILEAGE
MS Boys Advanced	1000s	11:30pm	2	8 miles
MS Boys	2000s	11:33pm	1	4 miles
MS Girls Advanced	3000s	11:36pm	2	8 miles
MS Girls	4000s	11:39pm	1	4 miles
WAVE 3 (HIGH SCHOOL BOYS)		START TIME	LAPS TOTAL	MILEAGE
Varsity Boys	50-99	12:30pm	5	20 miles
JV Boys	300s	12:33pm	4	16 miles
Sophomore Boys	500s	12:36pm	3	12 miles
Freshman Boys	800s	12:39pm	3	12 miles

- Final lap count, distance and finish early time decisions per category will be finalized and confirmed at the start of each race.
- All categories stage 15 minutes prior to start time. Race start times subject to change.

**Event Timing**

All racers will receive a permanent number plate at their first event. Racers will need to use this plate for all 4 races, so please remove this number plate before mounting the bike on a roof rack to prevent loss. Replacement number plates will be available at the registration tent for \$20.

In order to participate, you need to meet **“Race Ready”** status.

HERE’S THE RACE READY CHECKLIST:

- Pit Zone information entered
- League Fee and Race Fee paid
- Release forms completed electronically in the Pit Zone (once per season)

**Registration & League Payment**

The Nevada Interscholastic Cycling League recommends avoiding long lines and taking advantage of early online registration. Riders registering “day of” at the race venue must register at least one hour before race starts. On-site race registration will be open 8:00am-10:30am on Sunday. Questions about race registration should be directed to [registration@Nevadamtb.org](mailto:registration@Nevadamtb.org).

On-site registration will result in a late fee of \$10 for Nevada League registration and a \$10 late fee for race registration. All racers must register at least one hour prior to their start time. To make race day more enjoyable, register in advance online using the Pit Zone.

**Petitions for Category Placement**

Those petitioning for exceptions to category placement must do so by Sunday, September 4th at midnight. No race day petitions will be accepted. Petitions must be emailed to Nevada League Director Doug Bedient at [doug@Nevadamtb.org](mailto:doug@Nevadamtb.org).

**Other Important Notes**

- Spectator viewing will be available at different locations
- No dogs off leash
- Please be considerate of our venue. Pack out what you pack in.
- Series awards after events about 3:30 for individual and teams

**Lodging**

While We do not have any Camping or Lodging pre-arranged at this venue, there are many camping, motel, hotel and VRBO rentals available in the area.

**Event Contacts**

**Race Director**

Doug Bedient  
[doug@Nevadamtb.org](mailto:doug@Nevadamtb.org)

**Race Operations**

Kevin Joell

**Chief of Scoring**

Jim Kelley  
[cos@Nevadamtb.org](mailto:cos@Nevadamtb.org)

**Volunteer Coordinator**

Lois Bedient  
[volunteer@Nevadamtb.org](mailto:volunteer@Nevadamtb.org)

**Registration Questions?**

[registration@Nevadamtb.org](mailto:registration@Nevadamtb.org)

**Nevada Interscholastic Cycling League Weather Policy**

Our primary consideration is the safety of racers, race support staff, race visitors, and potential damage to the race course site.

Any decisions regarding canceling, postponing, or altering race start times, lap lengths, number of laps, etc. will be made jointly by the Nevada League director, the land manager, and the Nevada League chief referee.

Please review our complete weather policy at - <http://www.nevadamtb.org/event/weather-policy/>

