

## MIDWEST CHALLENGE 2022

August 19-21

featuring \$1000 Winner-Takes-All Scratch Races p/b SILCA  
& IN/KY State Sprint Championships

Registration: [www.bikereg.com/mwchallenge22](http://www.bikereg.com/mwchallenge22)

- Registration closes at 11.59pm EST on Thursday, 18 August
- No on-site registration / no walk-ins accepted. No refunds.
- Entry fees: \$75 [includes all events]
  - Select category, then check boxes on reg page for individual events.
  - Please give at least 24hrs notice for DNS.
- **Elite** categories open to Pro/1/2 for Men; Pro/1/2/3 for Women.
  - *Timed events are open to Pro/1/2/3/4 Men and Women*
- Event held under USAC permit **2022-6072** - all times EST
- Event address: Major Taylor Velodrome, 3649 Cold Spring Road, Indianapolis 46222
- All riders must complete a 2022 Indy Cycloplex waiver ([online](#)) & USAC event waiver (through BikeReg)
- Check-in opens when gates open and closes 30 mins before the start of each session. Bib #s will only be issued once for the weekend. Open track time is only available to registered riders.
- Promoter reserves right to modify payout/prize list, schedule, and race lengths depending on registration, weather, and other venue conditions. No refunds.
- Keirin field limit: men pro/1/2: **32**; women pro/1/2/3: **32** (based on reg time). Wait-listed registrants may be added if/when spots become available. Keirin will be run over 5 laps - motor pulls off with 1.5 to go.
- Madison and team pursuit/team sprint field limits are per team (madison: 16 teams, TP/TS: 10 teams). **EACH RIDER REGISTERS FOR THESE EVENTS.**
- No glass, alcohol, or pets permitted in the infield.
- **PAYOUT:** Will take place Friday 9pm through end of racing, and Saturday 4:30pm through end of racing and Sunday from 1pm through end of racing. W9 required to claim cash prizes. All prizes must be claimed by end of event on Sunday, prize money will not be mailed.

**Prologue: Thursday, August 18, 7pm**  
**Major Taylor Racing League night - sign up at <http://bikereg.com/mtrl2022>**  
*Come a day early for extra racing!*

**FRIDAY, August 19: Mass Start Session #1**  
**Gates open 5pm, racing begins 7pm**

**SET I**

category	event	length	payout	field limit
Men Elite	POINTS RACE HEATS (if needed)	18 laps		72

Women Elite	KEIRIN ROUND 1	5 laps		32
Men Elite	KEIRIN ROUND 1	5 laps		32

**SET II**

Men Cat 3/4	POINTS RACE	30 laps	50/35/25	36
Women Elite	POINTS RACE	36 laps	75/50/30	36
Men Elite	POINTS RACE FINAL	42 laps	75/50/30	36

**SET III**

Men Cat 3/4	SUPER TEMPO	12 laps	50/35/25	36
Men Elite	KEIRIN ROUND 2	5 laps		16

**SET IV**

Women Elite	MADISON *	40 laps	150/80	16 teams
Men Cat 3/4	SNOWBALL	18 laps	50/35/25	36
Men Elite	MADISON **	60 laps	150/80	16 teams

**SET V**

Women Elite	KEIRIN MINOR FINAL	5 laps		8
Men Elite	KEIRIN MINOR FINAL	5 laps		8
Women Elite	KEIRIN MAJOR FINAL	5 laps	75/50/30	8
Men Elite	KEIRIN MAJOR FINAL	5 laps	75/50/30	8

*\*women's Madison requires five or more team pre-registered*

*\*\*men's Madison will be changed to 90 laps if 10 or more teams pre-register. 10+ teams also adds a 3<sup>rd</sup> place payout (\$75)*

## SATURDAY, August 20: Timed Events

Gates open 8am, racing begins 10am

category	event	length	payout	field limit
Men	TIME TRIAL - KILO	1000m	50/25	24
Women	TIME TRIAL - 500	500m	50/25	24
Men	INDIVIDUAL PURSUIT 4k	4000m	50/25	24
Women	INDIVIDUAL PURSUIT 3k	3000m	50/25	24
Men	TEAM SPRINT	3 laps	75/45	10 teams
Women	TEAM SPRINT	3 laps	75/45	10 teams
Men	TEAM PURSUIT	4000m	80/40	10 teams
Women	TEAM PURSUIT	4000m	80/40	10 teams

< SESSION BREAK - TRACK CLOSED >

*Bored between sessions? Our friends at Midwest Devo will be hosting a low-key cyclocross race at ICX from approx. noon to 4pm – check it out!*

## SATURDAY, August 20: Mass Start Session #2

Gates open 3pm, racing begins 4pm

### SET I

Men Cat 3/4	ELIMINATION		50/35/25	36
Women Elite	ELIMINATION		75/50/30	36
Men Elite	ELIMINATION		75/50/30	36





**BRIEF INTERMISSION - FESTIVITIES TO INCLUDE RECOGNITION AND CELEBRATION OF THE MAJOR TAYLOR VELODROME'S 40<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY. DEDICATED IN 1982, THE TRACK IS CELEBRATING 40 YEARS AND WE ARE PROUD TO BE COMMEMORATING THAT MILESTONE THIS SUMMER.**

### SET II


Men Cat 3/4	SCRATCH RACE	20 laps	50/35/25	36
Women Elite	WINNER-TAKES-ALL SCRATCH RACE p/b SILCA	10km	\$1000 to 1 <sup>st</sup>	36
Men Elite	WINNER-TAKES-ALL SCRATCH RACE p/b SILCA	15km	\$1000 to 1 <sup>st</sup>	36

## SUNDAY, August 21: Sprint Tournament

Gates open 8am, racing begins 10am

Men Cat 3/4 Women Pro/1/2/3/4 Men Pro/1/2/3 Masters Men 40+ Cat 1-3	FLYING 200m TT QUALIFIER	2.5 laps		36 per category
Men Cat 3/4	SPRINT TOURNAMENT 	2 lap sprints - full tournament rules apply	50/35/20	12
Masters Men 40+ Cat 1-3*	SPRINT TOURNAMENT 		50/35/20	12
Women Pro/1/2/3/4	SPRINT TOURNAMENT 		50/35/20	12
Men Pro/1/2	SPRINT TOURNAMENT 		50/35/20	12

\*Masters - register in your category (Men Pro/1/2 or Men 3/4) and email to be entered in Masters' bracket

 **State sprint championship medals** awarded for indicated events to IN & KY riders. Riders must have an annual license and show IN or KY on their license to be eligible for medals.