# THE WOMEN'S WOODSTOCK CYCLING GRAND PRIX



# 2017 Technical Guide

May 5-6, 2017 Ulster County, NY

The 2017 WWCGP is dedicated to the memory of ELLEN WATTERS, a WWCGP winner who's spirt continues to inspire women of all ages in the sport of cycling, and to SUSIE DILLER and JEREMY WILBER, without whose support and encouragement this event would not be possible.

Hosted by: The Woodstock Fire Department





The WWCGP aims to create a marquee bicycling event in North America. The creation of a road race of significant length and challenge is necessary in bringing parity to women's competitive cycling.

We look forward to seeing you in Woodstock!

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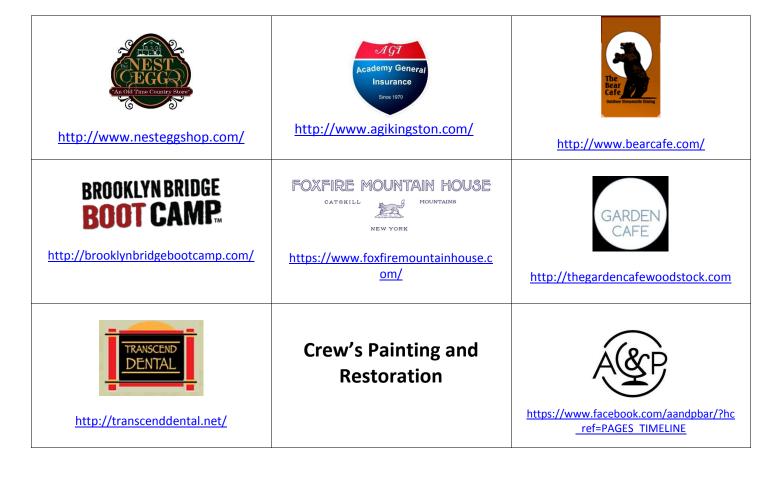
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# WWCGP WEEKEND EVENTS

**Early Race Registration** – Friday, May 5, 2017

**Location:** Woodstock Fire Department

242 Tinker Street, Woodstock, NY

**Time:** 5:30pm – 6:30pm

Registration and number pick-up for all races will be available.

Cash or Check Only! Must have USA Cycling License.

Pre-registration is available online using <a href="www.bikereg.com/wwcgp">www.bikereg.com/wwcgp</a>

\*Registration increases \$15 after pre-registration closes 5/4 at 12:00pm.

Community Dinner - Friday, May 5, 2017

**Location**: Woodstock Fire Department

242 Tinker Street, Woodstock, NY

**Time:** 6:30pm - 8:00pm

Please join Team WWCGP and your fellow racers for a Community Dinner.

Race registration and number pick up will be available here from 5:30pm – 6:30pm.

**Cash or Check Only!** 

\$14 per person in advance, \$16.50 per person at the door.

110 person limit. RSVP is required: Email: <a href="mailto:1mountainwoman@gmail.com">1mountainwoman@gmail.com</a>

Community Dinner Raffle for great prizes - gift certificates and a grand prize from Saris Cycling. Must be present to play and win!

**Day of Race Registration** – Saturday, May 6, 2017

**Location:** Woodstock Community Center

56 Rock City Road, Woodstock, NY

**Time:** 6:30am – 7:30am

Riders must have a USA Cycling license. One day licenses can be purchased by Cat 5 racers at the race (cash only) or in advance at: <a href="https://www.usacycling.org/events/">https://www.usacycling.org/events/</a> Find WWCGP on their race calendar and click "Purchase One Day License".

All riders MUST complete a NYSDOT race waiver in order to race, as well as a USA Cycling waiver – No signature, No race!

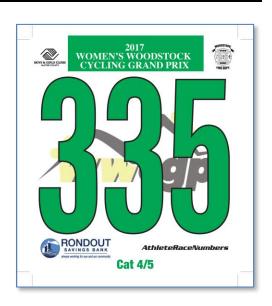
The promoter reserves the right to change, shorten or cancel the event due to weather, road conditions, time constraints, or lack of participation.

### **Race Numbers:**

Two race numbers will be provided. (Pro 1/2/3, 45+ and 55+ RED & Cat 4/5 GREEN)

Numbers must be pinned on the back LEFT & RIGHT of rider's jersey.





#### **WWCGP Rider Parking:**

**Location:** Mountain View Parking Lot

15 Rock City Road, Woodstock, NY

Outdoor restrooms will be available at race parking.

Feed Zone: 1 Feed Zone for ALL racers

Feed Zone (mile 23.8): 1 West Saugerties Woodstock Road, Saugerties, NY 12477

Signage will indicate: "3 km to Feed Zone", "Feed Zone Begins", "Feed Zone Ends"

See the maps below for feed zone location. Always feed from the right side of the road. **NEVER FEED FROM THE LEFT.** The zone will be clearly marked with signage. Athletes should let their feed crew know that a limited amount of parking will be available before and after the feed zone. **Do not park your car inside the feed zone.** Always ensure your vehicle is completely off the road when parking along the course.

NOTE: You are racing on some of the most scenic roads in the Northeast. Please do your best to keep them pristine, and open to racing by not littering feed packaging, etc.

Dispose of any bottles, wrappers, bags, etc. immediately after you leave the Feed Zone.

#### Signage:

All courses will be clearly marked. (It is still racer's responsibility to know the course) All yellow signs w/white arrows indicate shared course for both races. At mile 31 they diverge: Red for Pro 1/2/3 and Green for Cat 4/5.



Feed Zones will be clearly marked.

Race Caravan Follow Cars will display identifiable windshield signs.

#### **Race Support:**

The **Pro 1/2**, **Cat 3**, **45+**, **and 55+** race will have **Neutral Support** provided by SRAM. The Neutral Support vehicle will follow the race leaders.

The **Cat 4/5** race will have a **Wheels-In Wheels-Out** follow vehicle. Racers must provide their own wheels to this support vehicle in order to receive wheels during the race. If 10+ sets of wheels are provided, they become neutral and will be used for any rider in need. **All wheels must be labeled with racer's name and bib number.** 

Mechanical support will be available in the parking lot on the morning of the race.



May 6, 2017

# Pro 1/2/3 Caravan

Vehicle Staging Start: 7:00 am Race Start: 8:00 am Staging @ Mountain View Lane

Medical Wheel Van SRAM Motos USAC Riders Moto Pace State Police Rabbits 1 & 2 DARK GRAY

# Cat 4/5 Caravan

Race Start: 8:10 am

Staging @ Mountain View Lane

Vehicle Staging Start: 7:00 am

Sherrif SAG/Broom Medical Wheel Van Moto USAC Riders Moto Pace State Police

WHITE

WHITE

Rabbit: vehicle sent out ahead to ensure that all posts are covered

# WWCGP RACES - Saturday May 6, 2017

All riders for the Pro 1/2/3 race must be assembled at the Starting Line @ 7:45 and all riders for the Cat 4/5 race must be assembled at the Starting Line @ 7:55 for Rules of the Day, given by USAC Chief Referee. Please enter Start Line on Rock City Road via Mountain View Lane. NO riders will be allowed to join the start group from the front.

A warning bell will ring 3 times at 7:30, signaling 15 min warning for the Pro 1/2/3 race. A second bell will ring 5 times at 7:40, signaling a 5 min warning. There will be no bell for the Cat 4/5 riders, so they should prepare accordingly.

#### **Course Notes:**

Off-camber turn on Band Camp Road @ mile 17

Of significant importance is the divergence point at 30.8 miles at the Bearsville T-intersection. Green Cat 4/5 goes LEFT (straight), Red Pro 1/2/3 goes RIGHT. Please note this in your logistical prep. There will be signage to remind you.

Safety Vests indicate a person who can assist.

Non-Medical Rider pick-up: Those individuals with mechanical problems or otherwise, call Race Headquarters <u>845-679-2422</u> to request pick-up. You will need to provide exact address or landmarks.

#### Pro 1/2/3, 45+ and 55+ Race

**Start:** Rock City Road, Saturday, May 6, 8:00am

The Pro 1/2/3, 45+ and 55+ races features a 62.1 mile course with 4,194 feet of cumulative elevation gain, and a high point of 1,795 feet. The QOM competition is at mile 28.1 on top of Mead's Mountain. The Sprint competition comes at mile 45.7. *Portions of course cover rough road, including a one mile gravel section; lightweight wheels and tires are not recommended. The recommended gearing is 39/28 for the Mead's Mountain Road ascent.* The yellow line rule is in effect for the entire course, meaning all riders must be right of the middle of the road at all times. Any riders riding left of the middle will risk being disqualified. A vehicle will be running pace ahead of the lead riders. There will also be a Neutral Support vehicle, with wheels, and a race referee following the lead group in a separate vehicle. Riders dropped by the lead group will be pulled out of contention, and passed by the support vehicle. Any riders pulled out of contention by the support vehicle must obey all rules of the road for the remainder of their ride. **HELMETS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES.** 

NOTE: Neutral start 4.1 mi; official start after intersection at Zena Highwoods Road. Official start will be clearly marked and indicated by lead vehicle.

For route information: <a href="https://ridewithgps.com/routes/16268263">https://ridewithgps.com/routes/16268263</a>

#### **Feed Zone Map:**



# Pro 1/2/3, 45+, 55+ Race Course





#### Category 4/5 Race

**Start:** Rock City Road, Saturday, May 6, 8:10am

The Cat 4/5 race features a 33.6 mile course with 2,327 feet of cumulative elevation gain, and a high point of 1,795 feet. The QOM competition is at mile 28.1 at the top of Mead's Mountain. *Portions of course cover rough road; lightweight wheels and tires are not recommended. The recommended gearing is 39/28 for the Mead's Mountain Road ascent.* The yellow line rule is in effect for the entire course, meaning all riders must be right of the middle of the road at all times. Any riders riding left of the middle will risk being disqualified. A vehicle(s) will be running pace ahead of the lead riders. There will also be a support vehicle, with wheels-in wheels-out, and a race referee following the lead group in a separate vehicle. Riders dropped by the lead group will be pulled out of contention, and passed by the support vehicle. Any riders passed by the support vehicle must obey all rules of the road for the remainder of their ride. The last rider will be accompanied by a sweep vehicle. **HELMETS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES.** 

NOTE: Neutral start 4.1 mi; official start after intersection of Zena Highwoods Road. Official start will be clearly marked and indicated by leading moto.

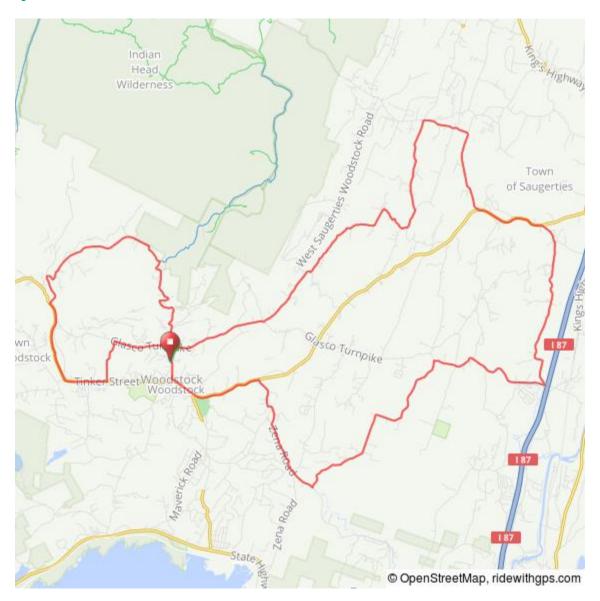
Divergence Point: 31.3 miles turn Left on Glasgow Turnpike (Look for Signage).

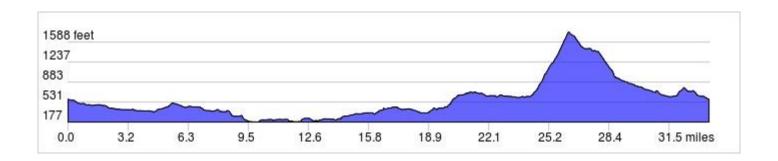
For route information: http://ridewithgps.com/routes/16119251

# Feed Zone Map:



# **Category 4/5 Race Course**





#### **Awards Ceremony, Expo and Post-Race Party:**

Food and vendors will be available at the Awards Ceremony!

**Location:** Woodstock Community Center

56 Rock City Road, Woodstock, NY

**Time:** 11:30 am

<u>Purpose</u>: Honor all top FIVE winning places from each race category as they take their places on the podium as soon as results are confirmed by race officials. QOM, Sprint, Best Young Rider, and First Canadian Jerseys will also be presented. *Please dress in appropriate uniform/race attire for podium presentations. No sunglasses. No bikes. (See Prize descriptions with Jerseys below.)* Racers **MUST** be present to receive awards. No prizes will be mailed.

Bib Raffle for great prizes, including products from LIV Cycling. All race participants are eligible to win, but must be present to collect your prize... Just bring one of your Bib numbers to participate!

#### **Prize Lists:**

Pro 1/2	Cat 3	Masters 45+	Masters 55+	Cat 4/5
1 - \$500	\$250	\$175	\$175	\$175
2 - \$400	\$150	\$150	\$150	\$100
3 - \$300	\$100	\$125	\$125	\$75
4 - \$250	\$75	\$85	\$85	\$50
5 - \$225	\$55	\$65	\$65	\$25
6 - \$200	\$45			
7 - \$175	\$45			
8 - \$150	\$45			
9 - \$125	\$45			
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SPRINTER'S PRIZE FOR PRO 1/2/3: \$125

QOM PRIZE FOR PRO 1/2/3: \$125

# **WINNER'S JERSEYS**

#### FIRST PLACE JERSEY

Presented by: Ulster Savings

Pro 1/2, Cat 3, Masters 45+, Masters 55+, and Category 4/5 races.





# **QUEEN OF THE MOUNTAIN JERSEY**

Presented by: Overlook Mountain Bicycles

Pro 1/2, Cat 3, Masters 45+, and Masters 55+ scored separately.

First 5 riders receive points over the following summits: Stoll Road @ 20.2 mi, Mead's Mtn Road @ 26.1 mi, Ohayo Mtn Road @ 57.2 mi. Cat 4/5 scored together.

First 5 riders receive points over the following summits: Stoll Road @ 20.2 mi, Mead's Mtn Road @ 26.1 mi.





NOTE: You must finish the event to be awarded this coveted prize.

#### **SPRINTER'S JERSEY**

Presented by: Windham Mountain Outfitters

Pro 1/2, Cat 3, Masters 45+, Masters 55+ races only – scored separately.





One Place Prize, but first three riders will be scored.

Phoenicia Sprint will be at mile 45.7

NOTE: You must finish the event to be awarded this coveted prize.

# **BEST YOUNG RIDER'S JERSEY**

Presented by: Woodstock Fire Department

Pro 1/2 race only. First overall U19 rider.





# FIRST PLACE CANADIAN'S JERSEY

# Dedicated to the memory of Ellen Watters

Pro 1/2 race only.



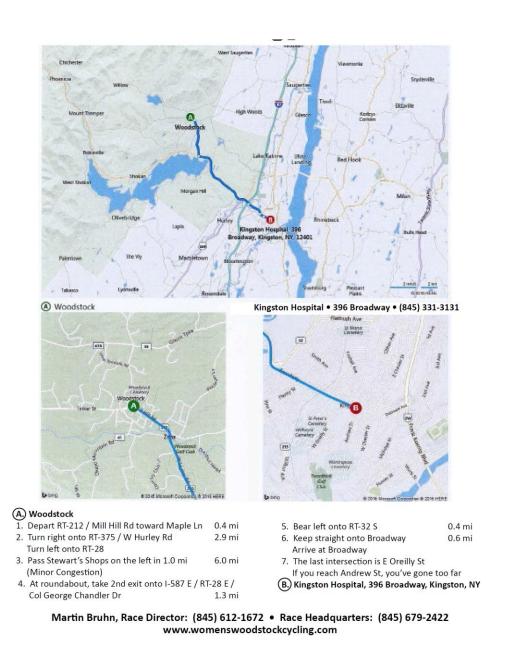


### **Medical Information:**

**Event Medical Emergencies:** All emergencies should be reported by dialing **911**. Race course staff and support vehicles will have radio communications with local police.

Local Hospital: Kingston Hospital, 396 Broadway, Kingston, NY (845) 331-3131

For more information, please call: Woodstock Dispatch Hotline (845) 679-2422



#### **Host Hotel Information:**

### **Best Western Plus**

# **Kingston Hotel and Conference Center**

503 Washington Avenue, Kingston, NY 12401 Phone: 845-338-0400 Fax: 845-340-1908

**Group Name:** Women's Woodstock Cycling Grand Prix

Rate: \$119/night

Please call the hotel directly to reserve your room and ask for the discount by the group name.

#### **Slide Mountain Motel**

5 Ruthenbeck Road, Shandaken, NY12480

Contact: Ken Anello

Office Phone: 845-688-7130 Cell Phone: 631-560-8894

email: info@slidemountainmotel.com

**Group Name:** Women's Woodstock Cycling Grand Prix

**Discount:** 15% Off Standard Rates

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#### 2016 WOMEN'S WOODSTOCK CYCLING GRAND PRIX TO BENEFIT:





# **Notes:**

