Spicer Ranch Roundup

March 21st, 2020

Venue Description

Race Description

The second race of the Nevada Leagues Southern Conference at Spicer Ranch showcases a fun mix of rocky climbs, grass pastures and smooth flowing singletrack. Riding across pastures, around ponds, challenging uphill, and fun descents. This venue allows each racer to start and finish strong while having a great time. Both Middle and High school student-athletes will take on the same 4 mile course with approximately 630' of climbing per lap.

Address and Directions

Trails Oasis Valley / Spicer Ranch
#1 Boiling Pot Rd. (7mi. N. of Beatty)

- **Follow US-95 N to Boiling Pot Rd**
- **Turn Right on to Boiling Pot Rd.**
- **Follow signs for Parking**

Map & Directions to Spicer Ranch

Registration

ONLINE REGISTRATION CLOSES WEDNESDAY PRIOR TO RACE DAY AT MIDNIGHT.

RACE PLATES

Number plates can be picked up at the Registration Tent on Saturday after 8 AM. Each Student-Athlete is assigned a number plate for the season. **YOU WILL BE USING THE SAME RACE PLATE (AND YOUR RACE NUMBER) FOR YOUR BIKE FOR THE WHOLE SEASON**. If you lose it, you can purchase a replacement for $20.00 at the Registration Booth. Coaches, parents and student-athletes can pick up race plates from 8-10 AM on Saturday. Please contact the Southern Nevada League with any questions regarding payment and forms to complete your registration at registration@nevadamtb.org.

Volunteering at our Events

Volunteers make our events possible. If you'd like to volunteer for Nevada League events, or for any of our other races, please visit the Nevada League websites Volunteer Page and select the event you would like to volunteer at. There you will find a list with helpful video links describing each position.

Race Day positions are available

We know some positions can look complex and possibly overwhelming for first-time volunteers. Rest assured ALL of our volunteer positions are fun and require no previous experience and our Core Race Staff are with you every step of the way. You will feel confident and well prepared for your task.

For more information contact our Volunteer Coordinator, Pam Leffler at pam@nevadatmtb.org.

Race Day Schedule

Saturday

7:00 AM	*Pre-Ride Open to all riders
8:00 AM	Coaches Meeting
9:15 AM	Pre-Ride Closed - (No riders allowed on course after pre-ride is closed)
9:45 AM	Volunteers at Posts
10:00 AM	Waive One Releases
10:10 AM	Waive Two Releases
12:15 PM	Waive Three Releases
2:00 PM	Racing Concludes
2:15 PM	Pit Zone Break Down Begins
3:00 PM	Awards Ceremony

*Everyone on course must have a race plate (student, coach, league staff) affixed to their bikes.

Pit Zone Information and NICA Rules

- Pit Zone is open for unloading
  - Saturday: 6:30am -8:30am
- NO BIKE RIDING ALLOWED IN THE PIT ZONE
- Teams must remove all garbage from Pit Zone and camping areas whether or not a dumpster is on site
- Gas Grills allowed.
- No Gas Generators in the PitZone
- No inappropriate language
- Dogs must be on leash and under control at all times
- Encourage to stay for awards
- No smoking
- Conflicts and/or disputes should not be dealt with in the team Pit Zone area
- Any violation of the above rules may result in a team penalty and/or expulsion from the Pit Zone and infield area

Pre-Ride

Pre-Ride Hours

All racers can pre-ride and inspect the course Saturday morning (7:00-9:15 AM). We recommend all riders pre-ride the course. Please pass course workers with great care.

All racers should pre-ride the course
RIDERS MUST ADHERE TO ANY COURSE RESTRICTIONS

TO BE ON COURSE: ALL RIDERS (STUDENTS & REGISTERED COACHES) must be fully practice ready in the Pit Zone and have their number plates affixed to their bike
NO UNREGISTERED PARENTS/SIBLINGS ALLOWED ON COURSE

Stay up-to-date

Information in this race flyer is subject to change. Please check back just prior to the race weekend to make sure you have the most current information available.
SEE YOU AT THE RACES!!!

http://www.nevadamtb.org/

2020 RACE FEES			
	HIGH SCHOOL	**MIDDLE SCHOOL**	**LATE FEE AT RACE**
League Registration Fees	$55	$45	$10*
Race Fee (per race)	$45	$35	$10*

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

Wave Start Times

Wave 1: Middle School Boys

CATEGORY (NUMBER SERIES)	START TIME	LAP COUNT	MILAGE
8th Grade Boys (6000's)	10:00 AM	2	8
7th Grade Boys (5000's)	10:02 AM	2	8
6th Grade Boys (4000's)	10:04 AM	2	8

Wave 2: Girls

CATEGORY (NUMBER SERIES)	START TIME	LAP COUNT	MILAGE
JV1 Girls (400's)	10:10 AM	3	12
JV2 Girls (100's)	10:10 AM	3	12
Freshman Girls (700's)	10:10 AM	2	8
8th Grade Girls (3000's)	10:12 AM	2	8
7th Grade Girls (2000's)	10:12 AM	2	8
6th Grade Girls (1000's)	10:12 AM	1	4

Wave 3: High School Boys

CATEGORY (NUMBER SERIES)	START TIME	LAP COUNT	MILAGE
JV1 Boys (500's)	12:15 PM	4	16
JV2 Boys (300's)	12:17 PM	3	12
Freshman Boys (800's)	12:19 PM	3	12

Note: Final lap count decision per category will be finalized and confirmed at the start of each race in addition to any lap cut-off times.

Staging

STAGING will begin 15 minutes before each wave.

Chip Timing Info

All riders will receive a permanent number plate with chip timing transponder on the backside. Riders will use the same plate for the entire race series, so please remove this number plate before mounting the bike for transport to prevent loss. **Replacement number plates will be available at the registration tent for $20.**

Petitions for Category Placement

Those petitioning for exceptions to category placement must do so by **Monday, 3/16/2020 by Midnight**.

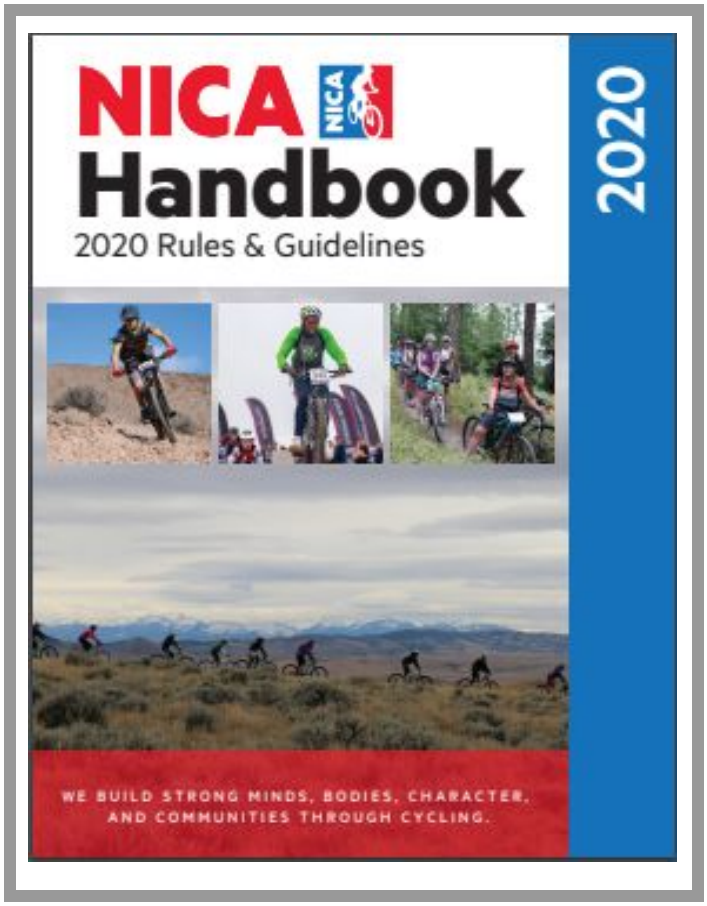
- No race day petitions will be accepted
- Petitions must be emailed to the NICL Southern Director at dennis@nevadamtb.org

Refund/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 HERE.

Handbook: **NICL** Policies and Rules

All participants are required to read, understand and abide by all league policies, rules and protocols while attending any league event.



NEVADA LEAGUE NICA Race Duration Guidelines

Riders will complete laps with the following Race Duration Guidelines for each category:

- <45 mins for Middle School
- 45-90 mins for Frosh/Soph boys and girls & and JV girls
- 60-100 mins for JV boys and Varsity girls
- 90-120 mins for Varsity boys

Student-athletes may be asked to withdraw at the finish line after cut off time limits have been reached.
Race officials reserve the right to determine these time limits at any time.
Time limits may be imposed for reasons that include, among others: safety, heat, cold, rain, and muddy conditions.
Course closures may be announced at any time.

Racers who do not make the time limit cut-off will still be scored and ranked.
Due to weather or course closures, these duration guidelines may be changed at League Discretion.

Coaches Meeting

A mandatory head coaches meeting will be held at 8:00 AM, morning of Race Day. Location to be announced. Each team must have 1 representative present at the meeting. Coaches, this is where you'll get info about the race day, such as risk management, race conditions, and anything else of importance to mention. Sometimes, we have to make changes due to weather or other circumstances, so it's important that you're at the meeting to keep your team and riders informed.

Camping and Lodging

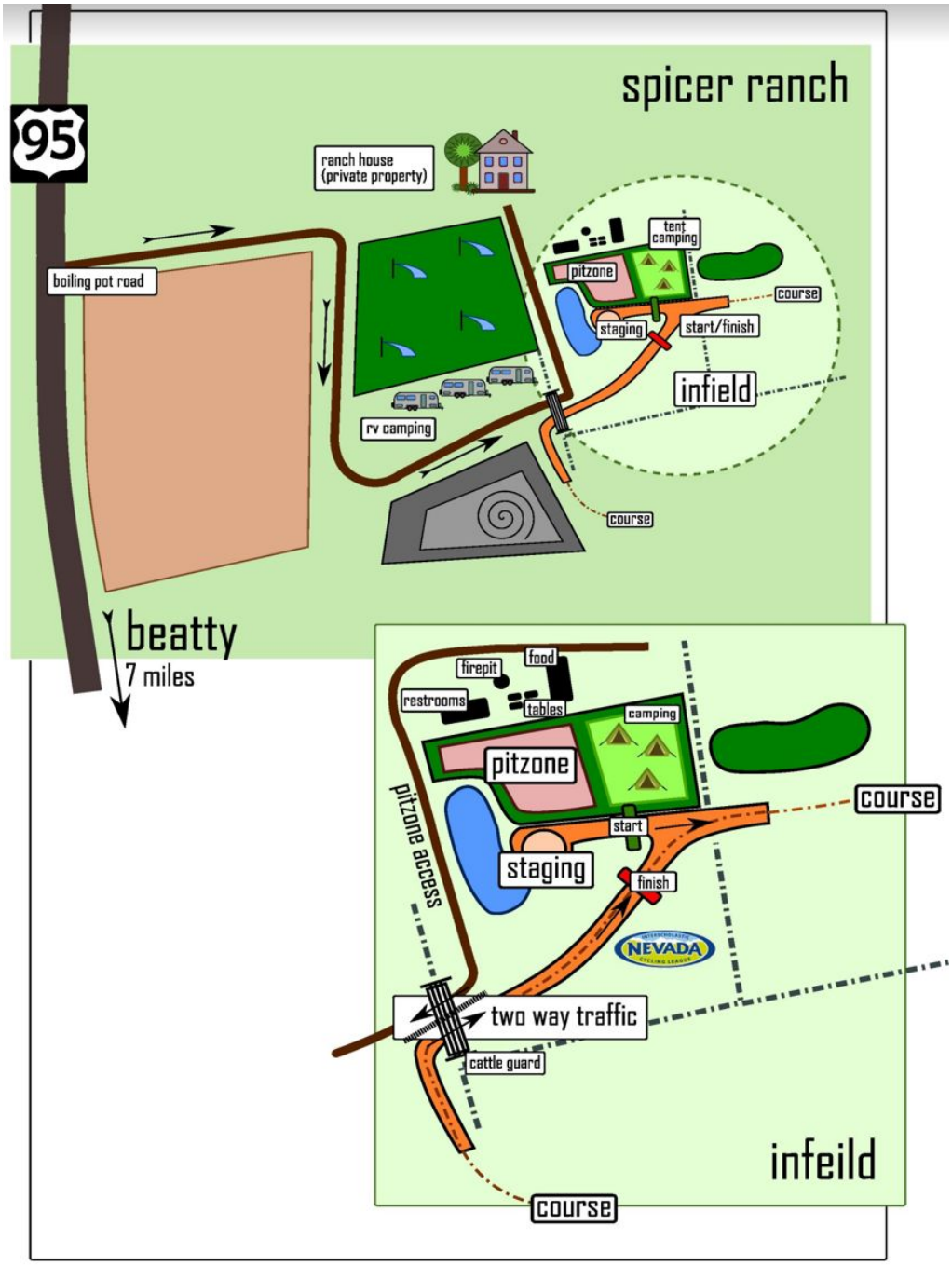
Camping is available at Spicer Ranch. RV's can park on the Ranch (no hookups), and tents can be pitched in the grassy area by the restrooms and showers. Other overnight accommodations can be found here. http://www.beattynevada.org/accommodations.htm

Contact Information

Race Director Dennis Leffler - dennis@nevadamtb.org
Race Operations Eric Anderson
Chief of Scoring Scott Stone
Chief Course Marshal Joey Brown
Volunteer Coordinator Pam Leffler
Registration Manager Kjersten Tofte
Medical/Weather Coordinator Damon Geary

Please note that most staff arrive onsite Friday of each race weekend and may not have sufficient cell/data coverage to respond to calls/emails. Please plan accordingly.

Venue Map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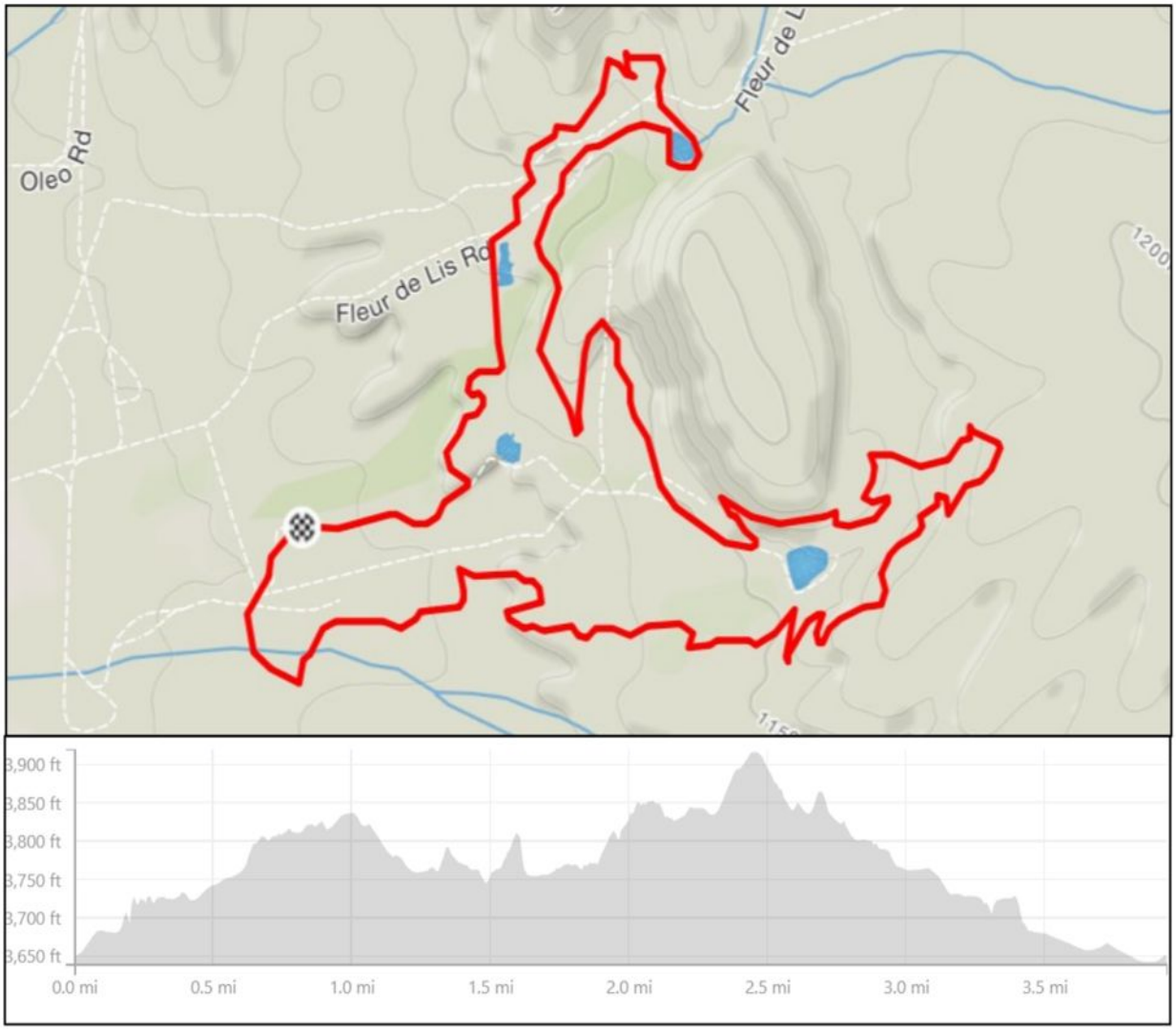
Course Map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Additional Event Info

Additional Event Info to Share

- Spectator viewing will be available at different locations.
- Keep dogs on leashes and clean up after your dogs.
- Please be considerate of our venue, PACK OUT WHAT YOU PACK IN.
- No smoking in the team pit or infield areas.
- No inappropriate language is allowed in team pit or infield areas.
- Vehicles are not allowed to park in team pit and infield areas.
- Any conflicts and/or disputes with any race official or volunteer shall not be dealt with in the team pit area. Violation of this will result in team penalty and/or expulsion from the team pit and infield area.
- Series awards after events about 3:00 PM for individuals and teams

NICA CORE VALUES

League and National Sponsors

The Nevada Interscholastic Cycling League is a Project League of the National Interscholastic Cycling Association, a 501(c)(3) non-profit youth development organization, guided by the core values of fun, inclusivity, equity, respect and community. The league promotes interscholastic mountain bike racing, provides training and education to new teams and coaches, and offers a comprehensive infrastructure to grow youth cycling in a professional, safe and engaging manner.