

# COMPETITION GUIDE



September 25-27, 2014
United States Olympic Training Center
Chula Vista, California, USA





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#### 1. WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

On behalf of USA BMX I am thrilled to welcome you to the United States Olympic Training Center in Chula Vista for the final round of the 2014 UCI BMX Supercross World Cup Series. This location truly has it all with three BMX tracks including a standard BMX track, replica of the 2008 Beijing Olympic track as well as our competition site which is similar to the London Olympic track.

Your host, USA BMX, is the largest promoter of BMX racing in the World sanctioning more than 12,000 BMX races annually with over 70,000 members and 380 sanctioned BMX tracks. Annually this event is one of the most exciting and action packed events for our great sport, which includes the BMX Supercross event, USA BMX Hall of Fame Nationals and the National BMX Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony all on one site. Friday, Saturday and Sunday USA BMX will host the Hall of Fame Nationals, which will feature more than 1,000 amateur racers from more than 40 states. Saturday night at the conclusion of the BMX Supercross event USA BMX will host the annual National Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony. This event celebrates the founders and leaders of BMX racing and freestyle and is an event you simply do not want to miss.

This competition guide should give you all the information you need for a successful and enjoyable competition but if you require further information or have any questions please contact the organizing team on <a href="mailto:chris@usabmx.com">chris@usabmx.com</a>.

Thank you for being part of what is always an amazing event. We look forward to welcoming you to the Southern California, the birthplace of BMX.

Sincerely,

Bernard "BA" Anderson Chief Executive Officer American Bicycle Association USA BMX BMX Canada







#### 2. GENERAL INFORMATION

# September 25-27, 2014 Chula Vista, USA

Located on the coastline of Southern California, the Birth Place of BMX, San Diego is a picture of perfection, consistently 72 degrees and sunny. California,s second largest city, with a population of 1.3 million residents, it is home to some of the world's most beautiful beaches and attractions.

With more than 70 miles of coastline to the Pacific Ocean, San Diego is a year round host to surfing, sailing, boating, swimming and anything else you'd like to do under the sun. There is also no shortage of attractions to keep you entertained during your stay here including historic Balboa Park, LEGOLAND California, Sea World, the world-famous San Diego Zoo and Wild Animal Park. From Del Mar to Downtown, Carlsbad to Coronado, San Diego's experience is second to none.

For more information on San Diego's events, sights and attractions visit <a href="https://www.SanDiego.org">www.SanDiego.org</a>

Official website; <a href="http://www.chulavistasupercross.com">http://www.chulavistasupercross.com</a>

Organizers site: http://www.usabmx.com

#### Venue

The event will be held at the U.S. Olympic Training Center and their BMX Supercross track built specifically to train for the 2012 Olympics. The U.S. Olympic Training Center in Chula Vista is the first USOC training facility to be master-planned from the ground up and is dedicated to the development of America's future Olympic athletes. The year-round, warm-weather facility in Chula Vista, Calif., was a gift to the United States Olympic Committee from the San Diego National Sports Training Foundation, a group of dedicated business and community leaders, and volunteers who raised the funds to build the Center.

The Training Center rests on a 150-acre complex adjacent to Lower Otay Lake in San Diego County. The center has sport venues and support facilities for nine Olympic sports: archery, canoe/kayak, cycling, field hockey, rowing, soccer, softball, tennis, and track & field.







#### 3. REGISTRATION

You can enter through the UCI website clicking as follows:

- Web services (on the homepage on the right side, last link)
- UCI World Cups
- "Riders registration"

Access: personal login and password of each National Federation.





All riders must enter through their national federation; no individual entries will be accepted. Only Junior and Elite riders can participate at the UCI BMX Supercross World Cup. Registration deadlines are indicated in the General Race Parameters.

http://www.uci.ch/Modules/BUILTIN/getObject.asp?MenuId=MTUxMzk&ObjTypeCode=FILE&type=FILE&id=ODIxNTA&LangId=1

The name of the hotel where the Elite riders will overnight must be given during the online registration.

The entry fee for the UCI BMX Supercross World Cup is €125 for online registration.

There is a possibility to prepay the invoice or to pay on site. In case of prepayment, the receipt needs to be taken to the competition.







All riders/teams must attend the riders confirmation on the first practice day between 9.00 and 11.30 presenting their licence and picking up their race numbers. Riders not being confirmed before the indicated deadline did not complete the registration procedure and will not be able to compete at the event.

Late registration is only possible through the National federation and until the riders confirmation on site, the first training day between 9.00 and 11.30. The entry fee for a late registration is € 250 and should be paid immediately on site. Late entries are entries handled **after** the online registration deadline and **before** the riders' confirmation deadline. Once passed the riders' confirmation deadline no more late entries will be accepted.

Riders that were registered through the online system but that are unable to participate, will need to pay their entry fee to the organizer.

#### **BANK ACCOUNT**

Entry fees are completely handled by the Organizing Committee.

If you would like to facilitate a wire transfer for your entry fees, please contact:

USA BMX Lisa Johnson +1-480-961-1903 x 121 lisa@usabmx.com

#### 4. TEAM BIB's

Team BIB's will be provided for National teams (1 per nation) by the Secretary during the riders confirmation. This takes place on the first practice days between 9.00 and 11.30 at the registration room. Teams will be asked to pay €100 deposit.

The team BIB's give access to allocated places explained by the PCP during the team managers meeting.

The BIB's need to be returned to the Secretary before competition starts. You will also get the deposit back at that time.







#### 5. ACCREDITATION

All rainbow passes are delivered to the teams during the first event. If additional sporting passes are necessary the request needs to be sent before the event to ellen.bollansee@uci.ch

Passes will be distributed during riders confirmation in the registration room.

GSX will supply/wristbands/bracelets to all competitors.









# **6. EVENT SCHEDULE**

# **Event Schedule**

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7:00 PM - 7:30 PM Team Manager Meeting

#### Thursday Sep 24

9:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Rider confirmation & transponder handout
1:00 PM - 2:25 PM	Elite Men Practice - Group A
2:30 PM - 3:55 PM	Elite Men Practice - Group B
4:00 PM - 5:25 PM	Elite Women Practice - Group C

# Friday Sep 25

9:00 AM - 9:55 AM	Elite Women Practice - Group C
10:00 AM - 10:55 AM	Elite Men Practice - Group B
11:00 AM - 11:55 AM	Elite Men Practice - Group A
	Break
1:00 PM - 3:40 PM	Elite Men Qualification Motos (3 rounds)
	Elite Women Qualification Motos (3 rounds)
3:55 PM - 4:20 PM	Warm up TT riders
4:30 PM - 4:50 PM	Elite Women Time Trials Superfinal
4:50 PM - 5:20 PM	Elite Men Time Trials Superfinal
5:20 PM - 5:30 PM	Awards Ceremony

#### Saturday Sept 26

11:00 AM - 11:45 AM	Autograph session
12:00 PM - 12:25 PM	Warm up Elite Men
12:30 PM - 12:55 PM	Warm up Elite Women
1:00 PM - 1:05 PM	Riders Introduction
1:05 PM - 2:45 PM	Elite Men 1/8 Finals 1st round
	Elite Women Quarterfinal 1st round
	Elite Men 1/8 Finals 2nd round
	Elite Women Quarterfinals 2nd round
	Elite Men 1/8 3rd round
	Elite Women Quarterfinals 3rd round
	Break
3:45 PM - 4:05 PM	Elite Men Quarterfinals
4:10 PM - 4:15 PM	Elite Women Semifinals
4:20 PM - 4:25 PM	Elite Men Semifinal
4:30 PM - 4:40 PM	Elite Women Final
4:40 PM - 4:50 PM	Elite Men final
4:50 PM - 5:00 PM	Awards Ceremony

Event schedule subject to changes







Updated: 6/28/2014



# 7. TEAM AREA / TENTS (NEW for 2014)

Teams will have exclusive access to the Team Compound which will be located on the last straight near the finish line next to the USOC Athlete Cafeteria:

#### **Team Tents**

10' x 10' - \$500; price includes one 8' table and chairs based on the number requested 10' x 20' - \$750; price includes one 8' table and chairs based on the number requested

#### Must be Reserved in advance:

Reservations: Contact Shannon Phone: +1-480-961-1903 x 144 Email: Shannon@usabmx.com

IMPORTANT: Due to the terrain's layout it is not possible to bring tents of your own.

#### **NEW FOR 2015-**

Riders and support staff now have the opportunity to purchase day passes for \$25 (per day) allowing full access into the USOC cafeteria and dining hall. Riders will enjoy amazing food and a great place to relax and unwind between rounds. The cafeteria and dining hall features TV's, bathrooms, couches, tables, chairs and all the comforts of home just a few feet away from the track.

The USOC will provide a recovery based menu each day consisting of carbohydrates and protein including:

Full Salad Bar

Sandwiches

Pasta

Chicken/Fish

Snacks

Fruit

**Drinks** 

#### Food Service Hours:

Thursday: 12:30pm – 16:30 Friday: 8:30 – 16:30 Saturday 11:30 – 16:30

<sup>\*\*</sup> No bikes. No medical or massage practice permitted. No Media. No reserved team areas. General open seating only.







<sup>\*</sup> You may purchase wristbands during rider confirmation.

# 8. UCI OFFICIALS

UCI Technical Delegate	Mike King (USA)
President of the Commissaires' panel (PCP)	Kevin MacCuish (CAN)
Assistant PCP	John Pingol (USA)
Secretary	Norm McCann (NZL)
3 <sup>rd</sup> commissaire	Laura Pringle (USA)
Doping Control Officer (DCO)	Jurgen Heise (USA)









#### 9. TRAVEL & ACCOMODATION INFORMATION

#### **Directions to U.S. Olympic Training Center:**

From I-5, take 54 East to I-805 into Chula Vista, Exit Olympic Parkway Drive approximately eight miles and turn right into the Copley Visitor Center.

U.S. Olympic Training Center 2800 Olympic Parkway Chula Vista, CA 91915-6000

#### **Host Hotels**

Holiday Inn Express San Diego South-National City 1645 East Plaza Blvd, National City, CA, 91950 \$129 / 12.71 Miles Cut Off 9/8/2014

Holiday Inn Express & Suites Otay Mesa 2296 Niels Bohr Ct., San Diego, CA 92154 \$109 - \$119 / 9.17 Miles Cut Off 9/12/2014

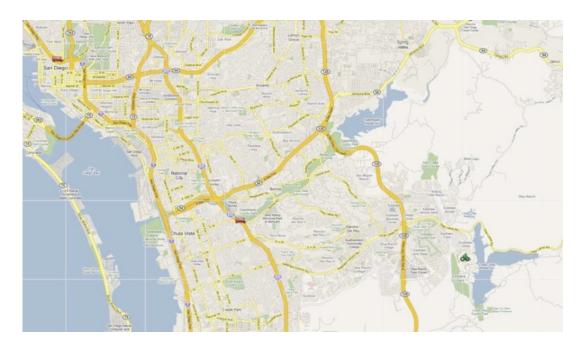
Comfort Inn Chula Vista/San Diego South 91 Bonita Rd I-805, Chula Vista,CA 91910 \$89.00 - \$99.00 / 12.76 Miles Cut off 9/13/2014

Book now at www.bmxhotels.com









#### San Diego International Airport (SAN)

Conveniently located just ten minutes from downtown San Diego and serviced by 22 major and commuter airlines including non-stop flights from Japan and the UK, San Diego International Airport, managed by the San Diego County Regional Airport Authority, receives more than 16 million passengers a year.

Flying into San Diego, passengers get a bird's eye view of Balboa Park, downtown and the San Diego Bay on their descent down to San Diego International Airport, aka Lindbergh Field. The airport terminals are easy to navigate and rarely crowded. Disembarking the plane, collecting luggage and getting out to the street often only takes a few minutes.

Note: Transfers from the airport are not provided by the LOC, teams are required to make their own travel arrangements to and from the point of arrival.









#### 10. USEFUL INFORMATION

#### **Event Tickiting**

**General Admission: \$25** 

General Admission Tickets which include both Friday and Saturday are \$25 (USA BMX Members receive \$5 off). 4 & Under is Free.

**VIP: \$100** 

The Chula Vista Supercross event features an amazing VIP which includes premium spectating, free food, wine and beer. Saturday's VIP is exceptional and in attendance will be the legands of BMX who are also there to attend the Saturday night BMX Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony.

# National BMX Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony and Dinner – Saturday, September 27th

The 30th Annual Induction Ceremony of the National BMX Hall of Fame will be held on September 28th on site at the Olympic Training Center, 2800 Olympic Parkway, Chula Vista, CA 91915. The event will take place near the US Olympic "Eternal Flame", site of the National BMX Hall of Fame Museum. The museum will be open during the evening. Your ticket includes reception and cocktails, silent auction, dinner and the opportunity to meet and greet Hall of Fame members, past, present and future.

Registration and Cocktail Reception will be held between 6:00 and 7:30 pm. Dinner will be served and the Induction Ceremony will begin at 7:30 pm. This year's silent auction will begin at 6:00 pm and will end after intermission. Auction items can be paid for once the induction ceremony concludes.

A plated dinner will be served featuring salad, entree and a dessert. Vegetarian entrees can be arranged by prior request (send vegetarian requests to bmxhof@usabmx.com no later than September 19th, and include the names of all those in your party who are requesting vegetarian entrees)

Advanced Tickiting Website- http://2014bmxhof.eventbrite.com/

Note: This event will sell out, so please purchase your tickets in advance.







# **Entry Fee – Prize Money**

The Registration Office is located directly at the track.

Opening hours Registration Office:

Thursday Sept 25 9.00 am – 11.30 am Riders Confirmation Saturday Sept 27 5.00 pm – 6.00 pm Collecting prize money

Entry fees can be paid in cash (US Dollars) or by credit card

Prize money will be paid in cash (US Dollars)

# **Contact Information**

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#### **APPENDIX 1 – TRACK DESIGN**





