

Velo Promo, Golden Chain Cyclists Present

the **42nd** annual

WATSONVILLE CRITERIUM

2019 NorCal/Nevada District

Elite Criterium Championships



Date: Saturday July 6, 2019

Under USAC rules and permit #2019-1630

Location: California at Brewington, Watsonville, CA

Registration: Opens at 11 a.m., closes 15 minutes before each race start. Registration on Palm, just off Brewington Ave, at E.A. Hall School.

Directions: Take Hwy 152 east from Hwy 1 or west from Hwy 101 (Gilroy) to the east side of Watsonville, where 152 is Lake Avenue. Turn north on Brewington, two blocks to the course.

Course: Same as in the past; a 0.75 mile loop of smooth pavement, with many turns, dips at the corners and a small hill to the finish line. Streets: Brewington, Cerritos, Rogers, Oregon, Hill, California, Brewington. Free Lap Rule in effect; Pit at Oregon & Brewington. Start on Brewington at California; Finish at top of hill on Brewington

Events:	minutes	places	value	fee	start	limit
Category 4/5	50	6	\$100	\$40	12:00	75
Mstr 35**+ 1/2/3	50	6	\$100	\$40	1:00	75
Mstr45**+ 1/2/3	50	6	\$100	\$40	1:00	75
Local Kids Challenge***	1 lap all	0	0	\$0	2:00	50
Master 35+ 4/5	45	6	\$100	\$40	2:15	75
Category 3	50	6	\$100	\$40	3:05	75
Women 1/2/3/Pro	50	6	\$200	\$40	4:00	75
Cat 1/2/P	60	6	\$200	\$40	4:55	100

Elite Championships are in bold above; both include separate Championship placings for Under 23. To be eligible for a championship race medal, a rider must hold a current USAC annual license, be a US citizen/permanent resident (green card), and reside in the NCNCA District. Members of UCI road teams and out of district residents are not eligible for a championship medal, but are able to compete in the race for the listed prizes.

**Master 45+ 1/2/3 and Master 35+ 1/2/3 started together, picked separately, total maximum number of 100 riders.

*** Parent/guardian signature required for all children participating in the free non-competitive Local Kids Challenge. Helmets required.

Prizes: merchandise, gift certificates, cash and tee shirts. (40%+ cash in \$100+ races)

How to Enter:

---via **On-line** at www.bikereg.com (<https://www.bikereg.com/watsonville-criterium>) from today to June 30, 2019 for above fees plus on-line surcharge. From July 1-July 3 the fee on-line is \$10 additional. No on-line entry after midnight PST Wednesday July 3. You'll need to sign and date your entry form/release at race registration desk. Race Day registration will still be open, as long as the fields are not full.

---**By Mail:** You may still enter by mail, but if a group is filling, go on-line. By mail, send standard USAC entry form/release along with fee above (if Postmarked by Friday June 28 to Velo Promo/Watsonville, 19780 Soulsbyville Road, Soulsbyville, CA 95372. For those postmarked after, add \$10. Note: indicate what category you are entering on check or form. Entries for several races in one envelope ok, but be sure to list race names on the outside. Envelopes without names of races on the outside may go to the wrong race. Mail in entries will not be processed until after the opening of online reg.

---**At Race:** You may enter at the race, provided your event is not filled, for the above listed fee plus \$10.

2019 USAC license required (available at race). One day licenses are available only for Cat 5 or Women 5 . Entry fees include \$1 NCNCA and \$4 USAC insurance surcharges. Numbers will be provided.

Credits: Credit for another VP race will be given if VP is notified at tech@bikereg.com 5 pm PST Wednesday 7/3 that you can't compete. No credit issued if you plan to enter another race instead; no cash refunds. No substitutions for cancellations. Send e-mail for credit to: tech@bikereg.com

Champion Discounts: Champions pay normal fees up front; Current NorCal/Nevada District Criterium Champions and National Criterium Champions will get a refund at the reg desk of all but \$4 per day if 1) their entry is received by the deadline above (otherwise they pay full fee, including late fee) and 2) they ride in the category they won the championship in (Master Champions may ride down in age, and ride for \$4, and Juniors may ride up. District jersey is not required

Further Info: Velo Promo, (209) 533-4996; velopro1@sonnet.com
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