

2016 Velo Promo Road Series

The 2016 Velo Promo Series is composed of 24 separate events under different clubs and USAC insurance and permits, but all operated/coordinated by Velo Promo in Soulsbyville. Note that not all categories race on all days.

Overall Prizes/Points: only available for 5 racing groups:

Cat 1/2/P, Category 3, Women 1/2/P, Master 35+ 1/2/3, and Master 45+ 1/2/3. Points are awarded to the top ten in each of the races. Ties are broken by the placing in the final race, Henleyville Road Race.

Points for All Events: 15, 10, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1

Trophies overall go to first in each category; Cash prizes to top three in each. (Amounts to be announced by July)

Entries/Fees: Fees are as with each entry ad (normally \$37 pre entry) for pre-entry (postmarked by the Friday a week before each race weekend) Post entry add \$8 each race. Fees include race insurance & surcharges. Go to www.bikereg.com for online entry for each race. Send standard USCF entry/release form to **CAL CUP, 19780 Soulsbyville Road, Soulsbyville, CA 95372**. USE SEPARATE ENTRY FORM/RELEASE FOR EACH RACE!!! (One envelope is ok). Make checks to Velo Promo. Note that some races are pre-entry only.

Refunds: Credit for another VP race will be given if VP is notified (via tech@bikereg.com) by 5 pm on the Wednesday immediately preceding each race that you can't compete. No credit issued if you plan to enter another race that day instead; no cash refunds. No substitutions of another rider for cancellations.

Champion Discounts: Current NorCal/Nevada District Champions ride for \$3 per day if 1) their entry is received by the deadlines below (otherwise they pay full fee, including late fee), 2) they ride in the category they won the championship in (Master Champions may ride down in age, and ride for \$3, and Juniors may ride up), and 3) if the event they are entering is that in which they won the Championship (Road, TT or Criterium). District jersey not required.

Rules: USAC Rules apply; Free lap rule in Criteriums; team/club follow or feed vehicles breaking the rules or the law may as always result in penalties to the riders in the team/club of the vehicle. All events are rain or shine; Follow vehicles as allowed at road races by Chief ref and as available. Centerline rules enforced in road events (except Snelling). Illegal and/or unsafe warm-ups before races results in disqualification.

Schedule of VP Series Events for 2016:

- VP#1 Cantua Creek RR Coalinga 13-Feb
- VP#2 Pine Flat RR Piedra 14-Feb
- VP#3 Dinuba Crit Dinuba 15-Feb (President's Day Monday)
- VP#4 Snelling RR Snelling 20 Feb
- VP#5 Original Merced Crit Merced 27 Feb
- VP#6 Madera County Stage Race Madera 4-6 March
- VP#7 Wards Ferry RR Sonora 12-Mar
- VP#8 Santa Cruz Classic Crit Santa Cruz 20-Mar
- VP#9 Copperopolis RR Milton 26 March (Day before Easter)
- VP#10 Regalado RR Oakdale May 8
- VP#12 Lodoga Road Race, Williams 3-Jul
- VP#13 Watsonville Crit Watsonville 9
- Cal Cup:
- VP#15 Patterson Pass RR Tracy 6-Aug
- VP#16 Dunnigan Hills RR Yolo 13-Aug
- VP#17 Suisun Harbor Crit Suisun City 14-Aug
- VP#18 San Ardo RR San Ardo 20-Aug
- VP#19 University RR Santa Cruz 21-Aug
- VP#20 Winters RR Winters 27-Aug
- VP#21 Vacaville Gran Prix Vacaville 28-Aug
- VP#22 Giro di San Francisco 5-Sep (Labor Day Monday)
- VP#24 Esparto TT Esparto 17 Sep
- VP#25 Oakland Grand Prix Oakland 18-Sep
- Final Race:
- VP#26 Henleyville RR Corning 24-Sep