

Karen Hornbostel Memorial Time Trial Series 2011

Permitted by the American Cycling Association * Permit # CO-1106 * Chief Referee: Dean Crandall

The Series is a fundraiser for both the ACA and the Cancer Fitness Institute
(formerly Summit Cancer Solutions) in memory of Karen Hornbostel.

Presented by:



The 2011 Series consists of seven events on consecutive Wednesdays: April 13, 20, 27 and May 4, 11, 18, 25.

The Series is only sold as a package of all seven races. No individual race date entries will be accepted unless the event does not fill to capacity. You **MUST** be an ACA annual member in order to participate.

New for 2011: You must use an ACA transponder in order to participate. Please visit www.americancycling.org for more information and to purchase an ACA membership and transponder.

As in 2010, you must enter the Park through the East Gate. This entrance is located on Parker Road, approximately 1 mile south of the intersection with I-225. Racers may not drive through any other entrance. Racers have two options for Parks parking: 1) Purchase an Annual Colorado Parks Pass, 2) pay daily at the East Gate (which is more expensive and takes valuable pre-race time).

To purchase an Annual Pass, please visit: (<http://parks.state.co.us/ParksPasses/Pages/ParksPassInfo.aspx>).

CATEGORIES:

SM Pro 1-2, SM3, SM4, SM 35+ Cat 3, SM 35+ Cat 4, SM 45-54, SM45+ Cat 4,
SM 55-59, SM 60-64, SM 65-69, SM 70-74, SM 75+

SW 1-2, SW 3, SW 4, SW 35-44, SW 45-54, SW 55-59, SW 60-64, SW 65-69, SW 70-74, SW 75+

JM 10-12, JM 13-14, JM 15-16, JM 17-18

JW 10-12 JW 13-14, JW 15-16, JW 17-18

Retro Men A (Fastest), Retro Men B (Fast), Retro Women (All), Tandems, Hand Cycles

RETRO CATEGORY:

NO time trial equipment allowed. The following equipment is not allowed: aero bars, any rims deeper than 28mm, disk wheels, aero helmets, or flat-tube frames. Skinsuits and shoe covers are permitted. The Chief Referee will make final decisions on all retro equipment and clothing.

REGISTRATION:

Registration for 2011 is pre-registration only, and only online through www.PreRace.com. Please note that the Series traditionally sells out in the first hours. Prior to March 1, 2011, please visit www.PreRace.com in order to create your account and login information. Registration opens at High Noon on March 1, 2011. Once you have logged on to www.PreRace.com, you will have only five (5) minutes to pick your start time and complete the registration process. After five minutes have elapsed, you will be forced to log-in again, and you will lose your place in the registration queue. You may register multiple teammates, but please remember the time limit and plan your registration accordingly.

2011 Race Entry Fees:

- Individual - \$165 for the Series
- Tandems - \$245 for the Series
- Juniors racing in a Junior Category are part of the ACA Juniors Ride Free Program.
- Juniors 16 and under will NOT be given a start time after 6pm due to possible darkness.
- Juniors racing in a Senior Category pay full price.
- Unfortunately, because of the open roads, Juniors 8-9 cannot participate. To comply with new junior rules, Juniors 10-12 must register and race in their age group.

Please note:

- 1- You are not registered until your credit card has been charged and you receive a confirmation email.
- 2- No refunds will be given for any reason.
- 3- Racing numbers are not transferable to another racer.
- 4- Race entry fee includes insurance and operational surcharges that total \$4.19 per rider per day.
- 5- Race entry fee does NOT include entrance to the Park. Please follow the link to the Parks site to purchase your Annual Parks Pass or plan to pay at the East Gate when you enter the Park.

NUMBERS AND TIMING:

- You will be issued one number for the entire series.
- Number must be pinned correctly on the right side.
- Racing numbers are not transferable to any other rider.
- You must sign a release form at number pick-up prior to receiving your number.
- Instructions for number pick-up will be given in your registration confirmation email.
- **NEW FOR 2011! – You must purchase and use an ACA Transponder for this event! Racers without a transponder will not be given a time or placing.**

PARKING:

Racers must use the East Gate Entrance! Race parking and restrooms are located at the Smoky Hill Picnic Area. From the East Entrance, proceed northwest (follow directions from course marshals and police) to Smoky Hill.

Please note: It is illegal to park on the shoulder or on grass in the State Park. Failure to follow instructions from parking marshals will result in tickets and possible towing. You don't want to finish your race and find that your car has been towed.

RACE COURSE AND START INFORMATION:

- The 9.5 mile course is held on completely open roads at the Cherry Creek State Park and features fast turns, rolling terrain and an uphill drag to the finish.
- As in 2010, the start line is near the East Shades Restrooms, ¼ mile from the Smoky Hill Picnic Area.
- Starts are at 20 second intervals - do not miss your start time!
- To avoid congestion with non-race traffic, please do not warm-up in the area near the boat ramp.
- Tandems will be started in such a way as to not interfere with riders in front or back of them.

WEATHER:

- Races will be held in most conditions, including wind, rain, sun, sleet or snow.
- If weather conditions create a safety hazard, an event may be cancelled by the Chief Referee and the race organizer. The cancellation of an event will NOT result in the race being rescheduled. No refunds will be given for any event cancellation.
- Race cancellation will not be determined until 3:00pm on race day.
- The ACA Event Hotline (303-458-5538) will leave a recorded message after 3:00pm on race day in event of a cancellation. If there is no notice of cancellation, the event is on.
- In the event of flooding or road construction, the event will proceed with a modified course of approximately 5 miles.

RULES TO FOLLOW:

All ACA rules apply, including STRICT ADHERENCE TO THE CENTER LINE RULE.

RESULTS & AWARDS:

If there are 15 or more entrants in a category, then medals will be awarded to the top three in that category. Please see www.americancycling.org for results and other important information.

VOLUNTEERS:

Thank a volunteer! The COBRAS Racing Club has promoted the Karen Hornbostel Memorial Cherry Creek Time Trial Series for more than 15 years!



Map of East Gate Entrance showing Parker Road running North/South, Race Parking, Start and Finish.

For more information, please see www.americancycling.org.

