



PRURide PH 2019 CRITERIUM

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Filinvest City Alabang, Muntinlupa City

CRITERIUM SPECIFIC REGULATIONS

Article 1 – Race Format

1.1 Definition: The Criterium is a road race run on a circuit closed to traffic and that is run according to one of the following methods:

- a) Classification at the finish of the last lap;
- b) Classification on the basis of the number of laps;
- c) Classification on the basis of bonuses from intermediate sprints (if any) and the statements above.

1.2 Race course: The PRURide PH 2019 CRITERIUM will take place in Filinvest City, Alabang with a course of at least 2.1 KM for one (1) lap.

Article 2 – Participation

2.1 PRURide PH 2019 CRITERIUM is open to all PRE-REGISTERED riders following their categories as specified in the Registration Form via www.pruride.ph. There will be NO on-site registration and payment.

Categories:

- Fixed Gear
- Road Bike 25 Below
- Road Bike 26 to 34
- Road Bike 35 and Above
- Road Bike Open – Female
- Road Bike Open – Male
- MTB Female Open
- MTB Male Open
- MTB Male 25 and Below
- Small Wheels Challenge

Article 3 – Race Method

3.1 The organizers and race officials will determine the number of laps per category. The road bike open category will cover 15 laps, the MTB open category 12 laps. The age group and women categories will cover 12 laps while the fixed gear and small wheels challenge will take on 9 laps.

Laps per race category:

- Fixed Gear – 9 laps
- Road Bike 25 years and below – 12 laps
- Road Bike 26 to 34 years old – 12 laps
- Road Bike 35 and above – 12 laps
- Road Bike Men Open – 15 laps
- Road Bike Women Open – 15 laps
- MTB Male Open – 12 laps
- MTB Female Open – 12 laps
- Small Wheels – 9 laps
- Slowest Lap – 100 meters

3.2 The winners will be determined by the number of laps completed, points accumulated from intermediate sprints and the final lap sprint. Tie breakers will be conducted using any and all of the determining methods stated (number of laps completed, intermediate and final sprint points). If there is still a tie after the tie breakers, then the final and actual order of finish on the final lap will break the tie.

3.3 Intermediate sprints: There will be intermediate sprints every three (3) laps. The start/finish line of the criterium is also the line for the intermediate sprint. The sounding of a bell and other signals on the lap preceding it will mark the intermediate sprint. The intermediate sprint lap will have points awarded to the first four (4) riders crossing the line as follows:

3.3.1. 1st = 5 points

3.3.2. 2nd = 4 points

3.3.3. 3rd = 3 points

3.3.4. 4th = 2 points

3.3.5. 5th = 1 point

3.4 Lap winner: Each lap winner (non-intermediate sprint lap) gets one point.

3.5 Final sprint: The Last lap per category will be the final sprint to the finish line. The top 10 riders will be awarded points as follows:

- 3.4.1. 1st = 12 points
- 3.4.2. 2nd = 10 points
- 3.4.3. 3rd = 8 points
- 3.4.4. 4th = 7 points
- 3.4.5. 5th = 6 points
- 3.4.6. 6th = 5 points
- 3.4.7. 7th = 4 points
- 3.4.8. 8th = 3 points
- 3.4.9. 9th = 2 points
- 3.4.10. 10th = 1 points

3.6 All overlapped riders shall be out of the race. An overlapped rider is that overtaken by the leader/s of the race for a particular category. Officials will take note of their numbers and/or remove the race numbers from those riders. Riders out of the race will not be allowed to cross the finish line and will be instructed to get off the racing line and/or use the deviation lane/s determined by the officials.

3.7 Riders experiencing mechanical or any other incident do NOT have a free or relief lap. They must attend to their problem as best they could without assistance and ride on. Once and if overlapped they will be taken out of the race.

3.8 Riders experiencing medical problems or any other related incident will be assessed by the race officials and be instructed accordingly.

Article 4 – Allowed equipment

4.1 The following bike equipment are allowed per category:

4.1.1 Fixed Gear: Single and fixed gear bicycles only.

4.1.2 MTB: Mountain bike with wheel/tire width at 1.95 inches with knobbies; no splits allowed. Bike must have front suspension; no rigid form allowed. Crank set/chain ring must not be more than:

- 38 teeth for 29r bike
- 40 teeth for 27.5 bike
- 44 teeth for 26r bike

4.1.3 Road Bike: Road bicycles only.

4.1.4 Small Wheels Challenge: Bicycles with wheel circumference of 20 inches; maximum chain ring size is 58.

Article 5 – Conduct of Riders

5.1 General principles of sportsmanship are expected from all riders.

5.2 Dangerous and reckless riding, foul language, sexist, discriminatory and violent behaviors will not be tolerated.

5.3 Riders involved in intermediate and final sprints shall stick to their own lane and will be closely monitored for the proper conduct of the sprint.

5.4 Be respectful and mindful of other people and the environment.

5.5 Riders may not, without due care, jettison food, bonk-bags, feeding bottles, clothes, etc. in any place whatsoever.

5.6 Riders may not jettison anything on the roadway itself but shall draw to the side of the road and safely deposit the object there.

5.7 If waste zones are established by the organizer, the rider must safely and exclusively deposit their waste on the sides of the road in this area.

5.8 Carrying and/or using glass objects are not allowed.

Article 6 – Settlements

6.1 Any and all complaints, queries, protests and grievances are to be directed to the immediate race officials on the day of the event and are best to be settled before egress.

6.2 Other matters before or after the event shall be extended in writing and addressed to the organizers listed below (Article 7).

Article 7 – Organizers

7.1 PRURide PH 2019 is organized by Race Mechanics for Pru Life UK. For inquiries, contact info@prurideph.com or email the event director at secretariat@withoutlimits.ph.