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**Utah State Hill Climb Series**

**Held Under USA Cycling Permit # 2021-Pending**

**Race #1 - Emigration Canyon April 24, 2021**

**Race #2 – Old Snowbasin Road June 26, 2021**

**Race #3 – Suncrest September 18, 2021**

The first of a kind for the State of Utah Cycling Community, three hill climbs with different types of climbs.

Starting in Late April with the climb that is probably ridden most in the state, Emigration Canyon will be the kick of event. With new roads and a bike lane to the top this will test each riders early season fitness.

Late June will see the next race with a road that will see a long climb with a short but fast decent in the middle, Old Snowbasin Road. This event we see riders who can also handle their bikes on two short hard packed sections.

The finial climb will feature the Back Side of Suncrest, this climb is fast but steep as riders will test there sustain power output at the end of the season.

These three events that will make up the first Utah State Hill Climb Series will be score based on time for each event with the overall being determine on points.

The Emigration and Suncrest will be run in a Time Trial format with each rider starting at 30 sec intervals, Old Snowbasin will be a mass start race broken into different start waves.

As a first year event this will be limited to the first 250 rider’s total for each event.

**Categories and Entry Fee Schedule**

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| **Category** | **Entry Fee** | **Series Fee** |
| All Juniors | $15.00 | $40.00 |
| Master Women 35-39 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Women 40-44 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Women 45-49 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Women 50-54 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Women 55-59 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Women 60+ | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Men 35-39 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Men 40-44 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Men 45-49 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Men 50-54 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Men 55-59 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Men 60-64 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Men 65-69 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Men 70-74 | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Master Men 75+ | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Cat 5 Women | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Cat 4 Women | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Cat 3 Women | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Cat 1-2 Women | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Cat 5 Men | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Cat 4 Men | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Cat 3 Men | $30.00 | $80.00 |
| Cat 1-2 Men | $30.00 | $80.00 |

**Event and Series Prize Purse**

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| **Category** | **Event/Places** | **Series/Places** |
| All Juniors |  |  |
| Master Women 35-39 |  |  |
| Master Women 40-44 |  |  |
| Master Women 45-49 |  |  |
| Master Women 50-54 |  |  |
| Master Women 55-59 |  |  |
| Master Women 60+ |  |  |
| Master Men 35-39 |  |  |
| Master Men 40-44 |  |  |
| Master Men 45-49 |  |  |
| Master Men 50-54 |  |  |
| Master Men 55-59 |  |  |
| Master Men 60-64 |  |  |
| Master Men 65-69 |  |  |
| Master Men 70-74 |  |  |
| Master Men 75+ |  |  |
| Cat 5 Women |  |  |
| Cat 4 Women |  |  |
| Cat 3 Women |  |  |
| Cat 1-2 Women |  |  |
| Cat 5 Men |  |  |
| Cat 4 Men |  |  |
| Cat 3 Men |  |  |
| Cat 1-2 Men |  |  |

**Cash prizes may be adjusted based on field size, this will be determined and announced no later than 3 days prior to the event start date.**

**Series Scoring:**

25 Places based on the following schedule

31, 27, 24, 22, 21, 20, 19, 18, 17, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1

**Covid 19 Procedures:**

May apply please see the website for additional polices as they apply 1 week prior o the scheduled start

**General Rules:**

* Race day packet pickup will be at registration for each race venue. Race #1 and Race #3 are Pre-Registration Only; Race #2 onsite registration is available up to 30-minutes prior to the start of each event. (Based on overall field limits)
* Race numbers are not transferable.
* A valid racing license must be shown at packet pick-up or for any  onsite registration.
* You may only race in the category for which you have a license or in the appropriate age category. Your appropriate age category is the age you will be as of December 31, 2019. • At the time of packet pickup, all onsite registering riders will be required to complete and sign the USA Cycling Accident Waiver and Release of Liability.
* Riders under the age of 18 will also require the signature of a parent or legal guardian.
* No refunds will be given.
* Two (1) race #’s will be issued. Bib #’s must be placed on the back of the jersey with the bottom edge of each bib # aligned with the jersey side seam. (#’s will run vertically on the back.) No folding or trimming of #’s is allowed.

**Misc Rules:**

* Disk brakes are legal to race with under USAC rules
* All Racers must queue up in the designated staging corral before the start of their race.
* All racers are responsible for knowing the course and following USA Cycling rules.
* Special attention should be paid to the timeliness of protests and appeals**.**

**Doping Control:**

* Anti-doping inspections will be carried out by USADA (United States Anti-Doping Agency). If a rider is requested to be screened, their race # will be posted at the results board or USADA personnel will directly inform the racer. It is the responsibility of each racer to check the board and to report to the USADA location. Failure to appear will result in a positive test result. Alternates must also present themselves until released by USADA.

**Podium and Awards:**

* TBD

**Race #1**

**Emigration Canyon**

**April 24, 2021**

**Course Details:**

Emigration canyon is a staple of riding in the Salt Lake Valley. With a gentle climb and a now and newly paved road time will be fast. Choose your bike carefully event though this is a hill climb a TT bike may be fastest on the day. This event will be run in a Time Trial Fashion with riders going of every 30 sec.

**Race Type and Start Times:**

* Race Type – This is a time trial start with riders going off every 30 sec all bike types may be raced (Road-TT)
* Race is limited to 250 total riders
* See General Information for Categories and entry fees
* Start times will be posted online and emailed to riders at the close of online registration
* This is a pre-registration event only, there will be no onsite registration available

**Parking and Rest Rooms:**

* TBD

**Results and Podiums:**

* TBD

**Special Notes:**

* Covid 19 procedures may be in effect

**Race #2**

**Old Snowbasin Road**

**June 26, 2021**

**Course Details:**

The Old Snowbasin Hill climb has been used over the years for local and national events. With its steep ramps, a fast downhill section, and two short gravel sections the winning riders will need to be complete bike racers. This is the only Mass Start race of the series and groups will be decide based on rider race levels.

**Race Type and Start Times:**

* Race Type – This is a mass start with riders going off in waves, only Road Bikes will be allowed
* Race is limited to 250 total riders
* See General Information for Categories and entry fees
* Start wave times will be posted online and emailed to riders at the close of online registration
* This is a pre-registration event only, there will be no onsite registration available

**Parking and Rest Rooms:**

* TBD

**Results and Podiums:**

* TBD

**Special Notes:**

* Covid 19 procedures may be in effect

**Race #3**

**Suncrest**

**September 18, 2021**

**Course Details:**

In its second year the Suncrest hill climb was a smash hit in 2020. This climb will test event the best hill climber with its steep sections and few places to recover on this gut it out climb. This will be the anchor of the Utah State Hill Climb Series for 2021. This event will be run in a Time Trial Fashion with riders going of every 30 sec.

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**Course Maps Links**

**Emigration Canyon Hill Climb**

**Ride with GPS Link:** [**https://ridewithgps.com/routes/34711548**](https://ridewithgps.com/routes/34711548)

**Snowbasin Hill Climb**

**Ride with GPS Link:** [**https://ridewithgps.com/routes/34711591**](https://ridewithgps.com/routes/34711591)

**Suncrest Hill Climb**

**Ride with GPS Link:** [**https://ridewithgps.com/routes/33557268**](https://ridewithgps.com/routes/33557268)