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TEMECULA, CA
VAIL LAKE RESORT

UCI XCO C1/JR XCO SERIES
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ESTABLISHED 2009

ORANGE SEAL PRO CUP

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Welcome to the 2026 Orange Seal Pro Cup p/b Vailocity

Vailocity bike park is a world class riding facility located in southern California, in the heart of temecula wine country. The new venue was built from the ground up with Olympic XCO format racing in mind and will offer riders a challenging course similar to European World Cup circuits. ***The 4.8 km circuit includes 150m of climbing per lap. Steep long climbs, rock gardens, jumps and flowy terrain make this one of America's premier XCO courses.***

Technical guide and regulations:
This guide covers procedures and information needed to participate in the April 11th U.C.I. C1 XCO JR XCO Series event. U.C.I. regulations will be in effect during designated U.C.I. race events.

Event Rules/Licenses:
The US Cup shall offer six UCI categories; Elite Men/Women, U23 Men/Women and JR Men/Women. UCI Regulations shall be enforced for both elite, U23 and junior fields and the UCI Scale of Penalties shall apply. **A 2026 U.C.I. racing license is required for Elite/U23 and Junior U.C.I. participants.** Holders of UCI international licenses that do not bear a photograph will be required to present an approved and valid government photo ID along with their racing license.

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REGISTRATION:

You may only register on-line, there is no day of on-site registration. Online registration will close on Friday April 10th @ 6pm PST to finalize call up's. Call Up's will be posted online no later than April 11th @ 6am PST. Any rider having an issue with their call up, must report to the registration tent and check in with U.C.I. secretary the morning of the race no later than at 8am local time.

REGISTER HERE.

EVENT PROTOCOL:

This race is designated as U.C.I. C1 XCO and JR XCO series event and will follow current UCI protocols. Visit USCUPMTB event website for more details on call up proceedures etc.

PODIUM CEREMONY:

The top 5 Elite Men/Women, U23 Men/Women and top 5 UCI Junior Men and Women must attend the podium ceremony, properly dressed in their team kit (jersey and shorts). We will aim to do podiums 15 mins after the conclusion of each race, after the protest period is over.

EVENT SCHEDULE:

Event schedule can be found in this document as well as online at the event website, USCUPMTB.com.

80% Rule

As per the UCI Regulations, the 80% Rule may be in effect. This will be determined based on rider field size and other factors. Riders instructed by the Commissionaires to withdraw from the race at the 80% Zone must do so.

Anti-doping

If doping control is onsite, rider will be chaperoned at the imediate finish of the event, just past the finish line mat. Riders who have been selected and that are in the Top 5 positions, should report to the podium presentation immediately. Rider will then be escorted to Doping control at the conclusion of Podium presentation.

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U.C.I. XCO-4.9 KM
130 M CLIMNING
SHORT TRACK-1 KM
20 M CLIMBING
DIRECTION
CLOCKWISE
MARSHAL
FEED ZONE
UCI TECH/ FEED
UCI TECH/ FEED
START
FINISH
PODIUM
TEAM/ EXPO
RIDER STAGING
BIKE WASH
REG TENT
STAFF PARKING
GENERAL PARKING

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Venue Location:
Vail Lake Resort is located in Temecula, California, off CA-79 and Interstate 15, about 10 miles east of Temecula. It is located 55 miles south of Los Angeles and 70 miles north of San Diego. There are many major hotels, shopping and food options in town.
Physcial address is Vail Lake Resort, 38000 CA-79, Temecula, CA 92592.

Hospital: Temecula Valley hospital is 7.5 Mile west of the venue at**,** **31700 Temecula Pkwy, Temecula, CA 92592.**

Airports: **Ontario International airport is located 65 miles west.** **San Diego International airport is located 70 miles south.** Driving to and from Ontario can be heavy traffic from venue, so consider San Diego as an alternative.



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Lodging:
There is great lodging options onsite at Vailocity bike park which is also a KOA. Camping spots and cabins are available. There are permenant bathrooms and showers available, as part of your camping experience. Cabins come with fully stocked kitchens for those wanting to stay in cook.
Book Now.

Additonal major hotel chains are located 10 miles west towards Temecula proper.

Food:
There is onsite food available at the KOA, just a short walk or ride from the race venue. Other major resturants are in town off HWY 79. If you require special food for race day, make sure to bring it with you.
Onsite Food

Ammenities:
Walmart, Home Depot and major chain stores are all available in Temecula proper, which lies about **6-10 miles west of the venue off HWY 79.**

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