## 2018 Green Mountain Bicycle Club Practice Criterium

Date: 7/24/2018 Location: Colchester Watertower Hill, 90F, sunny, very strong wind

C-Race; 11 starters, 20 minutes

- 1. 537 Thomas Wood
- 2. 513 Mauricio Rosales
- 3. 569 Michael Lee
- 4. 386 Marc Meredith
- 5. 536 Emily Oseid
- 6. 569 Todd Metcalf
- 7. 515 Craig Aylward
- 8. 560 David Safford
- 9. 525 Ian McCray
- 10. 199 Hethba Fatnassi
- 11. 518 Henry Gogo

B-Race; 14 starters, 30 minutes

- 1. 480 Zachary Levy
- 2. 297 Prospero Gogo
- 3. 478 Tor Dworshak
- 4. 479 Peter Burgos
- 5. 289 Chad Phillips
- 6. 295 Scott Lawrence
- 7. 287 Marisa Rorabaugh
- 8. 481 James Oakley
- 9. 284 Marc Hammond
- 10. 386 Marc Meredyth
- 11. 475 Andrew Perez
- 12. 282 David White
- DNF 285 BC, 283 JG

Local Glory Prime1: 1. 297, 2. 479 Local Glory Prime2: 1. 297, 2. 480

Local Glory Prime2: 1, 297, 2, 460 Local Glory Prime3: 1, 481, 2, 475 A-Race; 15 starters, 55 laps/40 minutes

- 1. 97 Joshua Saxe
- 2. 99 Bobby Bailey
- 3. 656 Jonny Meyer -1lap
- 4. 86 Jared Katz -2laps
- 5. 296 Jamie Wilsey
- 6. 653 Jim Walker
- 7. 87 Rob Montgomery
- 8. 658 Bill McGreevy
- 9. 774 Michael Elmore
- 10. 169 Kevin Duniho
- 11. 84 Charles McCarthy
- 12. 659 Jacob Steinfeld

DNF 660 SM, 655 JF, 98 AB

Local Glory Prime1: 1. 653, 2. 285 Local Glory Prime2: 1. 97, 2. 99

Local Glory Prime3: 1. 84, 2. 86 (Field Prime) Local Glory Prime4: 1. 84, 2. 774 (Field Prime) Another beautiful hot evening for the 2018 GMBC

Practice Crit season! Cloudy, 90F, and some wicked head wind coming up the incline.

First I would like to thank Joanne Conchieri for marshalling the C and part of the B race, and Ian McCray and Hethba Fatnassi for marshalling the B and A race after their own C race, Sharon Sturm at the registration, and Marc Hammond for sweeping!

The C race had among the 10 starters again a few new faces trying a race for the first time. After the initial 10 minute group training phase the pace picked up significantly and broke the race apart quickly. The leading group battled it out in a sprint won by newcomer Thomas Wood.

Thanks to the stiff headwind coming up the hill the B race with 14 starters took it easy for the first half of the race, or so it seemed from the sidelines. We did have a couple <u>Epic Wipes</u> prime sprints to keep things interesting, and there were a couple breakaway attempts, but nothing stuck until Zachary Levy broke free with a few laps to go and held the advantage all the way to the finish.

The A race had 15 starters, again with a contingent of Planet Placid guys from across the lake. Thanks to the wind the race started unusually piano for a few laps, before Josh Saxe, Jonny Meyer and Bobby Bailey broke away, and eventually lapped the field about halfway through the 55 lap race. After some recovery, Josh kind of rode off the front of the field without really attacking, to be joined by Bobby a short while after, and the two of them lapped the field, that had broken into smaller groups, again with a couple laps to go. The two of them attacked each other over the last few laps, but eventually in a hotly contested sprint Josh got the upper hand.

We also had a couple prime sprints for <u>Epic Wipes</u> and prices donated by <u>Jared-Katz-Photography</u>. The two winners for the B and A race, Zachary Levy and Josh Saxe, received a 20\$ gift card to our great supporter <u>Skirack</u>.

The next 2018 GMBC Practice Crit is scheduled for Tuesday August 7th. As always we are in need of volunteers, so if you could help for an hour or two, mark your calendars, and bring the family!