

May 26, 2005, Thursday night track results

We concluded the nine-week Thursday Night Track Racing series last week. Actually, with the flooding on the first night and a rain date we ran 7 nights of racing. In total, we had 28 different A racers, 35 different B racers, and 32 different C racers. I was so pleased to see so many riders take part in this series. Their consistency to show up and train hard should pay off in the future. Hopefully on Friday Night! Their willingness to try out new things (different gears and different tactics) are to be commended. Their words and e-mails of thanks made it all the more comforting. I will do everything I possible can to make sure this series comes off next year. Best of luck to all of you in your future races and training.

We held three-40 minute races last week. Again, the riders chose their sprint frequency so we saw the C's go 75 laps and sprint every 5 laps (avg. 23.2mph), while the B's covered 90 laps with sprints every 10 laps (avg. 26.0mph) and the A's elected to sprint every 10 laps for 90 laps (avg. 27.2mph).

Thanks again to Libby DeGennaro for offering the home made brownies up for primes and to the bell ringers and lap card turners. We could not have done this without you!

A Group Results- 90 laps

1st - 36 points- Steve Palaez (Lombardi's)- 6 victories
2nd - 24 points- Daniel Holloway (Lombardi's)- 1 victory
3rd - 13 points- Giovanni Rey (Velo Europa/ Cyfac)
4th - 5 points- Manuel Rodriquez (Cal Cycling)
5th- Kelly Silberberg (Lombardi's)
DNF- Nate Shaw (Shaw's)
DNF- Kurt Gensheimer (Village Peddler)- 1 victory
DNF- Steven Wu (Pegasus Bicycle Works)- 1 victory

B Group Results- 90 laps

1st - 41 points- Steven Wu (Pegasus Bicycle Works)- 3 victories
2nd - 31 points- Grant Foster (Kiwi)
3rd - 29 points- Steve McFarland (LGBRC)- 1 victory
4th - 16 points- Kelyn Akuna (Shaw's)- 2 victories
5th - 12 points- Warren Geissert (Webcor/ Alto Velo)- 1 victory
6th - 9 points- Roger Marquis (East Bay Velo Club)
7th - 8 points- Mary Beth Novak (Cycle Sports)- 1 victory
8th - 8 points- Bob Parker (Webcor/ Alto Velo)- 1 victory
9th - 4 points- Richard DeGennaro (Solo Velo/ Clif Bar)
10th - 1 point- Steven Woo (LGBRC)
11th - Eugene Beyer (ICCC)
12th - Tim Carey (Webcor/ Alto Velo)
13th - Rodney Jewett (Bianchi)
14th - Mathias Elgart (unattached)
15th - Joe Fineman (Penn State)

C Group Results- 75 laps

1st - 41 points- Rory Osbrink (unattached)- 1 lap up, 2 victories

2nd - 22 points- Jared Prolo (UCSC)- 5 victories

3rd - 18 points- Dave Puglia (LGBRC)- 1 victory

4th - 13 points- Radboud Bruinsma (Webcor/ Alto Velo)

5th - 4 points- Kevin Torbett (Pegasus)

6th - 1 point- Mike O'Dell (unattached)- 2 victories

7th - -4 points- Scott Regan (FFBC)- 1 victory

8th - -20 points- Hillary Daniels (unattached)

9th - -29 points- Erik Gaze (Alto Velo/ Webcor)- 1 victory

10th - -34 points- Dave Tabor (unattached)- 1 victory

DNF- Greg Hoffman (Bike Doctor)- 1 victory

DNF- Tim Bergston (Morgan Stanley/ Specialized)- 1 victory

See you at the Friday Night races... be safe and have fun. Larry Nolan, AMD Masters Cycling Team