

2023 Rotary Cup Yangmingshan Cycling Race

Taiwan has been famous for its mountain views. For those cyclists visiting this island for hill climb cycling, riding this Yangming Mountain Challenge in suburban Taipei is the best way for experiencing Taiwanese mountain roads before heading for higher hills. Meantime, this route is good for enjoying the northern Taiwan tourism and mountain feel in one ride. So, take this ride as an appetizer for your Taiwan KOM Challenge!

Directed by : Sports Administration of Ministry of Education, New Taipei City Government, Chinese Taipei Olympic Committee.

Organizer by : Sports Office of New Taipei City Government, Taiwan Cyclist Federation (TCF), Rotary Club of Taipei Chihshan.

Co-organized by : Triathlon Committee, Sports Office of New Taipei City Government.

Event Date: March 4th, 2023 (Saturday)

Starting Point: Tamshui Fishermen's Wharf – Fountain Square

Finish Point: Datungshan Park Parking Lot No.2

Route : Tamsui Fishermen's Wharf (Event start) → No.2B highway → Taipei University of Marine Technology → No.2 North coastal highway → St. John's University → Cianshuei Bay → No.9 highway → Turn right at Fuhai Road (Race Start) → No.101 highway / Beixin Road → Sanchih / (Feeding station, 21K) → No.101A highway (Balaka highway) → Datungshan Park Parking Lot No.2 (Race Finish). Total distance: 35 kms.

Event Agenda :

Early Check-in : Mar. 2nd to 3rd (Thu. -Fri.) 11:00~18:30 at TCF office, taking event materials and ordered items. (TCF office address: 1F, No.17, LN100, Chungxing Road Section 2, Xindian District, New Taipei City. Tel: (02)8919-3595.)

Mar. 4th, 2023(Saturday):

- 06:00 - Riders on-site check-in begins at the starting point.
- 06:40 - Pre-event briefing for final route/weather updates.
- 06:50 - Addresses by Honorable Guests.
- 07:00 - Event Start. Race group start, followed by Challenge group.
- 08:10 - ETA of first rider arriving finish
- 09:00 - Award-giving at finish point.
- 10:00 - Finish point closed.

Rider Qualifications :

Riders 16 years old or above, interested in riding this event. Riders must be responsible for his/her own insurance issues.

Categories :

Race and Challenge category (M-Men; W-Women)

M 16 (2004-2007 born)

M 20 (1999-2003 born)

M 25 (1994-1998 born)

M 30 (1989-1993 born)

M 35 (1984-1988 born)

M 40 (1979-1983 born)

M 45 (1974-1978 born)

M 50 (1969-1973 born)

M 55 (1964-1968 born)

M 60 (Born before 1963)

W 20 (1994-2007 born)

W 30 (Born before 1993)

Junior high school race category (U-Male; W-Female)

U 13 (2010-2011 born)

U 14 (Born in 2009)

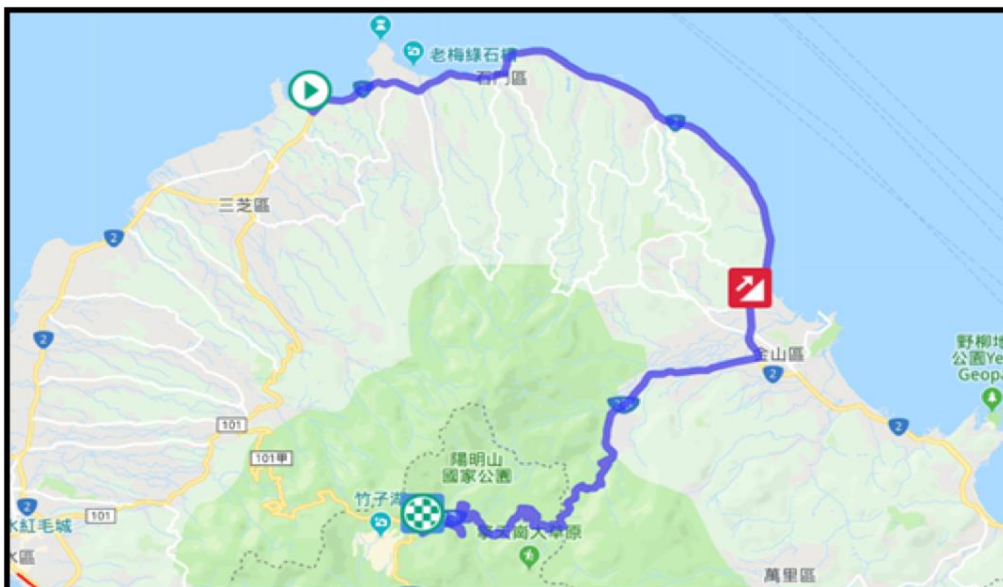
U 15 (Born in 2008)

W 15 (2008-2011 born)

E-Bike Category: Using Pedalec (Electric-assisted) bicycles only. No Gender/age category.

※ Please provide correct entry information during the on-line registration process. The system will do the categorization automatically.

Route Map:



Route Elevation:



※Example of the finisher medal:



Entry fee : 800 NTD per rider.

Entry fee covers : Basic travel insurance, KOM gift, Timing chip sensor, Finisher medal, Digital finishing certificate, Number identification plates.

Timing chips : The event will use the Japan J-Chip system to do rider time recording. Riders are required to deposit 500 NTD upon registration for the sensor chip which will be refunded at finish point once the chip is returned. In case of a lost sensor chip, 1000 NTD will be a penalty. So please keep the sensor chip with care during riding.

Registration : Please check the “On Line Registration” on www.cyclist.org.tw or www.taiwankom.org . The registration period is open from now until February 18th. For registration questions please email to: service@cyclist.org.tw.

Awards:

1. All Challenge category riders who finish the event within the time limit will be awarded with a finisher medal, as well as a digital finishing record certificate (by a post-event request on the

entry webpage).

2. Race: overall ranking top 6 riders (Men and Women) will be awarded NTD 6,000/ 5,000/ 4,000/ 3,000/ 2,000/ 1,000, respectively.
3. Race: Each Age Category top 6 riders (Men and Women) will be awarded trophies.

Notice :

1. Riders registering this event with free will, fully acknowledged and agree with all event regulations and notices.
2. There is a certain degree of difficulty involved with this cycling event. Attendee should consider the risk of riding this event and evaluate his/her own health condition to decide if entry is appropriate. Any rider with any health issues, or history of health issues such as hypertension, cardiovascular disease, heart disease, diabetes, epilepsy and asthma, is not allowed to participate in this cycling race/event. The event organizer will not be responsible for any accident caused by these health issues.
3. In the mountain area, temperature and weather can change very fast. Riders are requested to prepare warm-keeping clothing at the finishing area. The backpack with post-event personal stuff is required to be handed over at the start line, and these backpacks will be carried to the finish area by the organizer.
4. The Organizer has the right to terminate or pause the event if there is deemed to be any risk to the rider's health and/or route safety. Riders and any other attendees must abide by this decision.
5. All riders must ride standard road bike fitted with a full braking system front and rear. Both front and rear lights MUST also be mounted for riding through tunnels and foggy area. Jerseys cannot be sleeveless. Cycling helmets are mandatory during riding. No dynamic assist on the bike allowed.
6. Riders must ride on the right side of road at ALL time. Riding against the flow of traffic on the left side is prohibited and will result in immediate disqualification.
7. All riders are responsible for the effective and safe working condition of their bicycles. Any rider on a bicycle deemed unsafe by the organizer will not be allowed to start the event.
8. Riders pass the finish line must follow the following procedure: Receive the finishing medal, refund time chip. Award winners please stay for the award-giving.
9. Riders should carry their health insurance card or traveling documents during the event. If any rider crashed and injured when riding, please seek medical care immediately and keep the receipt and diagnosis certificate for latter insurance claims.
10. The insurance for this event participants is the "Public Liability Insurance" which is for accident payments caused by organizer responsibility only. That means, based on the law, the insurance only

covers the race or event accident payments that is caused by the organizer's liability. Please refer to the event insurance policy website ([click here](#)) of “Public Liability Insurance” for the coverage details of the event insurance. The organizer is only responsible for the indemnity amount with the maximum price per person as the insurance policies offers. Do not register for the event if you do not agree with the coverage, items, and indemnity amount of the insurance policy. Any personal health issues during the event or any riding injury caused by a personal health problem will not be included in the insurance. Riders that have personal health problems should not attend this event.

11. The entrant is responsible for the correctness of all entry information provided. The rider is responsible for all results caused by incorrect registration information.
12. If the weather on the event day is bad, the organizer may announce the new event policy at the Riders’ Meeting/Pre-event briefing. For example, the organizer may cut short the riding time limit or shorten the riding distance...etc., in terms of safety concern.
13. In case of extreme weather conditions or a local government suspension of traffic on the event route, the Organizer retains the right to delay, to terminate or to postpone the event, change the time limit of check point, to alter the route at any time. In the event of such cases, all information will be forthcoming at the appropriate time.
14. The Organizer has the right to publish or share all event-related videos, photos, event results on media, internet, galleries etc. Attendee and riders must agree to the right of the Organizer to use all materials for promotion.
15. Cherishing the natural environment, riders are forbidden to litter all the way of riding route. Anyone doing so will be immediately disqualified from the event.
16. Upon the completion of event registration, please continue to visit the TCF website, Taiwan KOM website and TCF/KOM Facebook pages periodically for any additional information. Any updates, alterations and general information change will be posted there.
17. Please understand that the COVID-related control process could be proceeded if needed.

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