

Saturday, November 4, 2017



Swashbuckler Cross: PACX Series Race & Brewery Cup Series Race #1

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RACE EVENT	DISTANCE	FEE	BOOTY/PLACE	APPROX. START TIME	FIELD LIMIT
Rubber Legs: Men 4/5 ©	40 min	\$30	Swag/3	8:30 Bells	125
<u>9:30 a.m. races – Combined Field Limit of 125</u>					
Scurvy Dogs: Cat 1/2/3/4 Master Men 35+	45 min	\$30	\$200/5	9:30 a.m.	125
Older Salts: Cat 1/2/3/4 Master M55+/65+*	45 min	\$30	Swag/3	9:31 a.m.	
*65+ start w/the 55+, but scored separately					
<u>10:30 a.m. races – Combined Field Limit of 125</u>					
Old Salts: Cat 1/2/3/4 Master Men 45+	45 min	\$30	\$200/5	10:30 a.m.	125
Scurvy Pups: U19 Men	45 min	\$20	Swag/3	10:31 a.m.	
<u>11:30 races – Combined Field Limit of 125</u>					
Ladies Elite Women 1/2/3	45 min	\$30	\$300/5 (Yea =\$\$)	11:30 a.m.	125
Maidens Cat 3/4/5 Women	45 min	\$30	\$200/3	11:31 a.m.	
Master Women 45+	45 min	\$20	\$100/3	11:32 a.m.	
Lasses U19 Women	45 min	\$20	Swag/3	11:33 a.m.	
Baby Buccaneer Belgians: Kids Race (Costumes Encouraged)		\$0	Treasure	Noon – Rally at the start line area.	
U15 Men & U15 Women	20 min	\$10	Swag/3	12:30 p.m.	125
First Mates: Cat 3/4 Men (B)	45 min	\$30	\$200/5	1:00 p.m.	125
5K Run – a lap and a half along the course!		\$25	Medals	2:00 p.m.	
Captains: Elite Men (A)	60 min	\$30	\$300/5	3:00 p.m.	125
Single Speed	30 min	\$25	SWAG/3	3:01 p.m.	125
Master 40+ 4/5	30 min	\$25	SWAG/3	3:02 p.m.	125
Unsanctioned Race	45 min	\$15	Points towards Brewery Cup Trophy/Beer	4:00 p.m.	

Points to be awarded for top three finishers in the following classes: costume, single speed, mountain bike, judge's choice (biggest crowd responses)

Aaargh! Raise the Jolly Roger and prepare to 'cross cutlasses as you join us for the Swashbuckler 'Cross on November 4! **Swashbuckler Cross is part of a NEW Brewers Cup Series with a team competition which awards the winners their weight in beer!! More details to come!!** Also available at SwashbucklerCX is Mount Hope's annual Theater in the Mansion with Poe Evermore, a wonderfully crafted performance of some of [Edgar Allan Poe's greatest works](#).

The course will run in and around the fabled grounds of the Pennsylvania Renaissance Faire and the

Swashbuckler Brewing Company. Grab yer hearties and join the raid – it's an event not to be missed!
*** Grub & grog will be available on the fairegrounds, so stow yer vittles 'cuz our hosts can't let outside chow in the fence.

THIS BE A RAIN OR SHINE OR HURRICANE EVENT. Avast! This race is part of the PACX Cross Series.

Same-day registration opens at 7:30 a.m. and closes 30 minutes prior to each event's posted start time. The day-of registration service charge is \$10.00 (so preregister and save those pieces of eight!). Multiple Race discount of \$5.00 off listed price to register for additional classes. All riders must have a valid USAC racing license and a sign a USAC event release form. Unlicensed riders may purchase a One-Day license on the day of the race for an additional \$10. USAC annual license renewals will be available at the race. No mail-in registration. No Refunds. Proceeds support [Full Circle Susquehanna, Inc.](#) a local non-profit dedicated to the empowerment of women and girls.

For a second year – We will host the Swashbuckler 5K cross country race in conjunction with the Swashbuckler CX and it starts at 2 pm. Make Saturday, November 4th a family-friendly day and cheer each other on while you race on bike and foot! Your peeps can register for the 5K at <https://www.runreg.com/swashbuckler5k>

Location: Treasure Map coordinates: 2775 Lebanon Road, Manheim, PA 17545. For a map with directions links and more info on The Shire, check out the [Pennsylvania Renaissance Faire website](#). When ye be looking around the website, be sure to check out the Edgar Allen Poe performance that will be happening at the Faire after the race.

Course: We have a unique cyclocross course amidst a fantasy of bygone days and knights. It's a Renaissance village with a combination of pavement, grass, cobble-stone sections, and planks to walk. There be a good bit o' twisty technical turns with some hornswagging hills. The 2-sided pit has hose access for swabbing of the decks.

Facilities: Many indoor privies available on site within the fairegrounds.

Warm ups: The course will be open at 7:30AM for pre-riding / inspection on the morning of the race only. Warm ups begin approximately 15 minutes prior to each race. DO NOT warm up on course when the previous race is still going! Racers choosing to ignore these rules regarding warm ups will be disqualified and forfeiture of entry fee will result. Does the phrase "keel hauling" mean anything to ya?

Call-up Protocol: Call-ups shall be based on the most current 2017 PACX Series overall standings. You must pre-register to receive a call-up. Knaves and wenches with peg legs and eye patches get special recognition. Riders must be in the start area 10 minutes prior to the start of each event. If you miss your call-up, you're in the back with the bilge rats. NOTE: If you are ranked, but do not pre-register, you forfeit your call-up placement and will be placed on the start grid behind the last pre-registered riders.

Prizes: Cash prizes for each money race will be as listed or 50% of gate receipts for that category, whichever is less.

Lapped Riders: Lapped riders will finish on the same lap as the leaders. Lapped riders may be pulled at the discretion of USA Cycling officials. Savvy?

Rules: All USAC Cyclocross rules apply; permit 2017-2720. The event shall be held rain or shine

Prepare to be boarded! 'Tis but one exit on the turnpike between Swashbuckler 'Cross and our buccaneer brothers at Sunday's Stoudt's Cross. We want you to make this a cyclocross weekend, so we will have a special deal for quartering at a nearby hotel. Check BeerAndCX.com for more information.

Questions: If yer wooden leg has termites and yer still itchin' for more information regarding this event, cast a line to Michele Bote (mkbote@gmail.com). Ye best be sure to like us on [Facebook](#) and Twitter (SwashbucklerCX) for all the latest news, pics and course previews! Check us out at www.BeerAndCX.com.

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