

**FINAL**

# 2024 BC Road Race Championships

**May 25, 2024**

**Thrashers Bike Club**

<https://www.thrashersbc.ca>

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**Location:** 24888 10 Ave, Langley Twp, BC V4W 2G7

**Course Description:** A 15.6km course along the 49<sup>th</sup> Parallel featuring long straight roads, country rollers, right and left turns.

**Course GPS Map:** <https://ridewithgps.com/trips/144613505>

**Registration:** <https://www.bikereg.com/bc-road-race-championships>

- Online registration closes May 24 at 6pm.
- GST and service charges will be added at checkout.
- Day of registration available for \$90 cash. \$60 Open Categories.

**Categories and Licenses:** Age based categories is racing age as of December 31, 2024. The championship categories will be recognized from Cycling BC. The Open Categories are non-Championship categories and will be awarded from Thrashers.

All racers must hold a race license. Championship categories must hold a 'UCI' or 'Provincial Race' license. Your license must be presented at sign on and whenever requested by a race official.

Open categories can hold a 'Cycling for All' license or purchase a 'Single Day Event' before the race through CCN. International and out of province licenses are accepted.

Single Event License: <https://ccnbikes.com/#!/memberships/cycling-bc-single-event-license-2024>

- Elites must be 19+ and hold a Cat 1, Cat 2, or Cat 3 license.
- Master racers must hold a Master license with corresponding age.
- Upgrade points are available per Cycling BC Upgrade Criteria.

**IMPORTANT NOTE: Junior (U19) Age Upgrade**

- Due to the change in venue for Youth Provincial Road Championships and to support our youth in their training for National Road Championship, Juniors (U19) will have the option to submit a temporary upgrade request to compete for the U23 provincial title. [Cycling BC Upgrade Policy](#)
- Submit a [Temporary upgrade](#) through CCN no later than two weeks prior to the event
- Junior riders who do not get upgraded will compete for the U19 championship in the U19 category.

**Start Times and Distances:** Distance and Start Times subject to change. Race distances may be shortened in inclement weather. Categories may be further combined depending on registration numbers.

Category	Race Group	Reg. Price	Start Time	Finish Time	Total Distance	Laps	Lap Distance
<b>9am Start</b>							
Master Men (C) 55-64	A	\$80	9:00	12:00	92 km	6	15.6 km
Master Men (D) 65+	B	\$80	9:03	11:30	76 km	5	15.6 km
Junior U19 Men	B	\$40	9:03	11:30	76 km	5	15.6 km
Cadet U17 Men	B	\$40	9:03	11:30	76 km	5	15.6 km
Open Men (Non-Championship)	B	\$50	9:03	11:30	76 km	5	15.6 km
Master Women (A) 35-44	C	\$80	9:06	11:30	76 km	5	15.6 km
Master Women (B) 45-54	C	\$80	9:06	11:30	76 km	5	15.6 km
Master Women (C/D) 55+	C	\$80	9:06	11:30	76 km	5	15.6 km
Junior U19 Women	C	\$40	9:06	11:00	76 km	5	15.6 km
Cadet U17 Women	D	\$40	9:09	11:00	61 km	4	15.6 km
Open Women (Non-Championship)	D	\$50	9:09	11:00	61 km	4	15.6 km
Open Youth A	E	\$40	9:12	11:00	45 km	3	15.6 km

Open Youth B	E	\$20	9:12	10:0 0	30 km	2	15.6 km
<b>12pm Start</b>							
Elite Men / U23 Men	A	\$80	12:00	4:00	155 km	10	15.6 km
Master Men (A) 35-44	B	\$80	12:03	3:00	108 km	7	15.6 km
Master Men (B) 45-54	C	\$80	12:06	3:00	108 km	7	15.6 km
Elite Women / U23 Women	D	\$80	12:09	3:00	108km	7	15.6 km

### **Race Information:**

- Race groups will have staggered starts.
- It is the racers responsibility to know the course.
- There will be a lap board, but it is the racer's responsibility to count their own laps and know when they are finished.
- If a group or individual is being overtaken by a lead vehicle or passing group, overtaken riders must neutralize to the right side of the road and allow the overtaking group to pass. Passed riders can not join a passing group. Overtaken riders must remain 25m behind and 2m outside overtaking category.
- Dropped riders from any group can ride together if they don't join a leading group.

### **UCI Rules, Equipment and Code of Conduct**

- The races are conducted according to Cycling BC rules and regulations and applicable UCI regulations.
- The race officials are entitled to immediately remove from the competition a rider who has dropped so far behind as not to be able to catch up again or who constitutes a danger to other persons. The race officials are entitled to take decisions that may be required to ensure the proper conduct of the race.
- The race is on open roads with controlled intersections.
- Yellow line rule is in effect and will be monitored closely for violations at all events. DO NOT cross the Yellow Line.

- Always be aware that vehicular traffic, or other unexpected road users will also be on the road.
- All bikes must be road style drop bar bikes and conform to UCI bike rules. No TT bikes. Bikes cannot have fenders, racks, mirrors, or other accessories that may pose a safety risk to the race. No E-bikes allowed in any category.
- Helmets are to be worn anytime you are on a bike.
- Where applicable, the local anti-doping legislation will be applicable in addition to the UCI's anti-doping regulations.
- All participants should abide by the code of conduct established by our governing body:  
<https://cyclingbc.net/wp-content/uploads/2014/11/Rider-Code-of-Conduct.pdf>

### **Parking, Race Sign In, and Start / Staging Area**

- Participant parking is roadside along 10<sup>th</sup> Ave east of 248<sup>th</sup> St. **(Not at Murchie Rd!)**
- Sign in opens at 7:30am at 24888 10 Ave, Langley Twp, BC.
- Racers must sign in and show race license.
- Sign in closes 30 minutes prior to start time.
- You will be issued a bib number. Your RFID timing tag needs to be scanned.
- Bring your RFID from Thrashers Spring Series. If you don't have a timing tag you can get buy one for \$5.
- Staging is on 10<sup>th</sup> Ave east of 248<sup>th</sup> St. Riders need to be in the staging area 10 minutes before their start time.
- Portable toilets near registration

### **Finish Area and Team Zone**

- Finish line is on 256<sup>th</sup> St south of 8<sup>th</sup> Ave.
- Spectating and Team Tents will be permitted in the grass along the finishing straight.
- Staff, family, and spectator parking available along 8<sup>th</sup> Ave east of 256<sup>th</sup> St. Be mindful that this is area crosses the racecourse!

### **Timing and Numbers**

- RFID timing by Wimsey
- You will need a seat post timing plate; either bring your own or buy one for \$5 on site.

- You will receive a race number to be pinned over the bottom left of your jersey.
- Numbers must not be cut, folded, or manipulated in anyway or riders risk relegation.

### **Feed Zones and Mechanical Support**

- There will be a designated Feed Zone along 8<sup>th</sup> west of 256<sup>th</sup> St.
- Litter zone along 8<sup>th</sup> Ave before and after feed zone.
- In the event of a minor mechanical or accident, and you wish to keep racing, you can rejoin your group when they come around again, but you cannot contest the finish. You will be recorded -1 lap.
- If you DNF (Do Not Finish) you must report to the Race Official at the timing tent

### **Results and Podiums**

- Unofficial results will be live online depending on cell service in the area.
- The official results will be verified by the Race Official. There will be a 15-minute time limit to protest the results. Podiums will proceed after this time.
- The podiums will be near the finish line at 256<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Ave. Not at registration.
- The top 3 riders of each category will be recognized on the podium.
- If a non-BC resident is top 3, in a BC Championship category, there will be 2 podiums presented for that category.
- The Championship categories will receive jersey and medals from Cycling BC
- The Open categories will receive medals from Thrashers Bike Club
- Results will be available on [results.wimsey.co](https://results.wimsey.co)

### **First Aid / Medical**

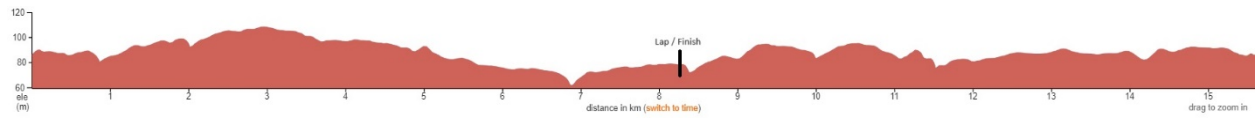
- Certified First Aid Attendants will be on site.
- The closest hospitable is Langley Hospitable 22051 Fraser Hwy, Langley, BC

### **Accommodation**

- Hotels around Langley BC and White Rock BC

- Camping at Hazelmere RV 18843 8 Ave, Surrey, BC

## Map Overview



## Giddy Up!