

Stone Hill Winery Presents



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APRIL 18 AND 19, 2009

HERMANN, MISSOURI

HELD UNDER USAC

PERMIT - ALL RULES APPLY

2 Days – 3 Stages

All stages electronically chip
timed by Ultramax Events

Time Trial \$25 * Criterium \$35 * Road Race \$35 * Omnium \$95



\$6,400 in cash and prizes

**For more information, go to
www.TOUROFHERMANN.com**

It is not required that racers participate in each stage.
Individual stage prizes available.

Racers must successfully complete each stage in order to be eligible for General Classification (GC) prizes.

Pre-Registration only – No on-line registration fees



Questions?
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April 18 - 19, 2009

Hermann, Missouri

Race Guide

Welcome

This past year cycling has continued to grow in Hermann. June saw record numbers for the 7 Hills Ride, September brought 8000 visitors to town for the Tour of Missouri which Hermann was honored to host the start of Stage 6. That following week Hermann hosted the first cyclocross race under the lights in Missouri and in December will host the Missouri State Cyclocross Championships for a second year.

Hermann is once again excited to host the Tour of Hermann Omnium Stage Race.

The goal of the Tour of Hermann is to bring a challenging professional level event to Missouri while showcasing what Hermann has to offer its visitors.

In this race guide you will find information about each stage of the race and rules of the event. If you have questions or comments, please feel free to call or email anytime.

Thank you for investing your time and energy into this race weekend. Best of luck to each of you and have a safe competitive race.

Jeff Yielding
Promoter/ Race Director

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Race Officials and Staff

Race Committee

Jeff Yielding	Race Director/ Promoter
Dawndi Yielding	Assistant Race Director
Danny Baumstark	Course Set Up Coordinator
Mark Livesay (Ultramax)	Scoring and results
Michelle Montague	Volunteer Coordinator/ Awards
John Warner	Vehicle Coordinator

USAC

Chief Referee	Buddy Brownstein
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Schedule of Events

Pre-Registration only – No registration fees – No Race Weekend Registration

Friday, April 17

Packet Pick up (race number and chip) 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Stone Hill Winery ~ 1110 Stone Hill Highway – Sample award winning wines!

Saturday, April 18

Packet Pick up (race number and chip) 7:00 AM – 9:30 AM
1st and Market Street
Please ensure you have picked up your packet at least 30 min before your start time

Stage 1~ Time Trial 8:00 AM –10:00 AM (end approx.)
1st and Market Street
Riders go off in 30-second intervals
Time in order of registration

Packet Pick up (race number and chip) 10:00 AM – 7:00 PM
Stone Hill Winery ~ 1110 Stone Hill Highway
Stage awards can be picked up at this location

Stage 2~ Criterium 12:00 PM – 6:30 PM
Stone Hill Highway @ Stone Hill Winery

Category	Start Time	Race Time
Jr's (10-14 and 15-18)	12:00 PM	20 minutes
Women Open	12:30 PM	25 minutes
Masters 40+	1:05 PM	35 minutes
Masters 50+	1:50 PM	35 minutes
Cat 4/5	2:35 PM	30 minutes
Kids Race (ages 3-12)	3:10 PM	Sprint
Cat 4	3:45 PM	35 minutes
Cat 3	4:30 PM	45 minutes
PRO 12	5:30 PM	55 minutes

Free Concert 7:00 PM – 10:00 PM
Gutenberg and 4th St (amphitheater)

Sunday, April 19

Packet Pick up (race number and chip) 8:00 AM to 10:45 AM
Schiller and 3rd St (downtown Hermann)
Stage awards can be picked up at this location

Stage 3~ Road Race 10:30 AM to 3:30 PM
Schiller and 3rd St (downtown Hermann)

Category	Start Time	Distance/ Laps
PRO 12	10:30 AM	90 miles / 3 laps
Cat 3	10:40 AM	60 miles / 2 laps
Cat 4	10:45 AM	30 miles / 1 lap
Masters 40+	10:50 AM	60 miles / 2 laps
Maser 50+	10:55 AM	60 miles / 2 laps
Cat 4/5	11:00 AM	30 miles / 1 laps
Women Open	11:05 AM	30 miles / 1 lap
Junior (15-18)	11:10 AM	30 miles / 1 lap
Junior (10-15)	11:10 AM	12 miles (Modified route)

Category GC and road race stage awards immediately following each protest period
Schiller and 3rd St (downtown Hermann)

General Rules and Information

- Tour of Hermann Stage Race is held under USAC permit #2009-8. All 2009 USAC rules apply.
- Events will be held rain or shine.
- Promoter reserves the right to adjust start time/mileage, cancel/combine events, remove riders from events, and modify prize lists as necessary.
- Valid and current USCF license must be presented at packet/ chip pick up. All riders will be required to sign a rider release form.
- It is not required that racers participate in each stage. Individual stage prizes available.
- Racers must successfully complete each stage in order to be eligible for General Classification (GC) prizes. Riders who do not complete a stage will lose accumulated points.
- Please respect property owners by using portable toilets provided. Public urination is subject to a \$50 fine for first offense and disqualification for second offense.
- All numbers provided by promoter must be used. No folding or cutting of numbers allowed.
 - Number Placement
 - Time Trial – Right Side
 - Criterium – Left Side
 - Road Race – Left Side
 - All racers will use the same race number every day.
- Wheels in Wheels out for all events.
- Centerline rule strictly enforced.

Race Categories

- Pro 12
- Category 3
- Category 4
- Masters 40+
- Masters 50+
- Category 4/5
- Women Open
- Juniors 10 to 14
- Juniors 15 to 18

Registration

- Pre-registration only at www.tourofhermann.com **No Registration Fees!**
- There are NO race weekend registrations
- **Registration opens January 5, 2009**
- On Line Registration closes Wednesday, April 15 at 7:00 PM CST
- Or mail your entry: Make check/money order payable to “Tour of Hermann”

Tour of Hermann
 c/o Jeff Yielding
 1118 Epple Fricke Dr
 Hermann MO, 65041

You must include USA Cycling release form for **each race** with your check.
 Non-licensed riders will need to purchase a \$10 one-day USCF license for **each** day they race.

Payment must be received by April 13, 2009.

No registration fee!

Category	Entry Fee				Field Size Limits		
	TT	Crit	RR	Omnium	TT	Crit	RR
Pro 12	\$25	\$35	\$35	\$95	150	150	150
Cat 3	\$25	\$35	\$35	\$95	150	150	150
Cat 4	\$25	\$35	\$35	\$95	150	150	150
Masters 40+	\$25	\$35	\$35	\$95	150	150	150
Masters 50+	\$25	\$35	\$35	\$95	150	150	150
Cat 4/5	\$25	\$35	\$35	\$95	75	75	75
Women Open	\$25	\$35	\$35	\$95	150	150	150
Jr's (10-14) (15-18)	\$25	\$35	\$35	\$95	50	50	50

Race Packet (race number and chip) Pick-up

Friday, April 17

Stone Hill Winery ~ 1110 Stone Hill Highway
 Sample award winning wine!

4:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Saturday, April 18

1st and Market Street near TT start
 Stage awards can be picked up at this location

7:00 AM – 9:30 AM

Stone Hill Winery near crit start
 1110 Stone Hill Highway

10:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Stage awards can be picked up at this location

Sunday, April 19

Schiller and 3rd St (downtown Hermann)
 Stage and GC awards can be picked up at this location

8:00 AM to 10:45 AM

Chip Timing

UltraMax Event's AMB ChipX System will be used to score and track athlete's results.

Timing chips are unique serial numbers and are not transferable! Be careful not to switch with other participants.

The chip must be on your bike's rear chain stay or you risk not being scored in the event.

Report to the timing team to have the chip removed once you finish your final stage.

Failure to return chip will result in a \$95 replacement fee. If you find you still have timing chip after the race, please contact race promoter then put in padded envelop and mail to

Ultramax Events
2902 Forum Blvd Suite 103
Columbia, MO 65203

Failure to return a chip will result in disqualification from all events timed by Ultramax Events and may prevent your participation in future Missouri cycling events.



Omnium Points

- Riders compete for points in each event.
- Total points in all events determine final placing.
- Bonus points available during Criterium and Road Race. Bonus points applied to overall point total.
- You must start and complete each stage in order to qualify for Omnium points. If you default, crash or are disqualified in one event and do not start in the next stage you will no longer qualify for the Omnium and you will lose your accumulated points. You will qualify for your individual stage placing, should you place.

Time Trial (points 16 deep) 35, 31, 28, 25, 22, 19, 15, 13, 11, 9, 7, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1

- No point bonus.

Criterium (points 16 deep) 35, 31, 28, 25, 22, 19, 15, 13, 11, 9, 7, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1

- Point bonus to the first two finishers in the announced point bonus primes in each race will be 2 and 1.
- Points are applied to the riders overall point total.
- Additional primes may be announced at the starting line for all fields.

Road Race (points 16 deep) 35, 31, 28, 25, 22, 19, 15, 13, 11, 9, 7, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1

- **King/ Queen of the Mountain** line is located 2 miles before Start/ Finish.
 - The climb is worth 2 and 1 points for the first two riders across the line.
 - The line will be marked with a 200M and 1K sign.
 - Points will be awarded on every lap for all races.
 - Points are applied to the riders overall point total.

In case of a tie on total points, the tie will be broken in favor of the rider who has:

- The most first place finishes, or if still tied, the most second place finishes, etc., or if still tied, the highest placing in the last race or the race nearest the last race of the Omnium in which at least one of the tied riders placed.

Results

Results will be posted immediately after each race. The use of Chip Timing allows for quick accurate results. Posting of results will be near the Ultra Max trailer. Per USAC rules, protest must be made prior to the start of the next stage.

All protests must be filed to the Chief Judge within 15 minutes of the results being posted. There will be no protests or changes taken after this time period. It is the riders' responsibility to check results and bring any issues to a race official immediately.

Results posted at www.tourofhermann.com

Prize List (\$6400)

The prize list will be distributed based on the rider's final individual General Classification and on individual stage placing based on the tables below. All prizes must be picked up prior to leaving the race or arrangement must be made with the promoter to receive them at a later time.

Individual Stages Prize List (Time Trial – Criterium and Road Race)

Winner in each category receives bottle of wine or juice and medal.

Place	P12	Cat 3	Cat 4	M 40+	M 50+	Cat 4/5	W Open	Jr 10-14	Jr 15-18
1	\$55	\$55	\$55	\$55	\$55	Medal	\$55	Medal	Medal
2	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40	Medal	\$40	Medal	Medal
3	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	Medal	\$30	Medal	Medal
\$2250	\$125	\$125	\$125	\$125	\$125		\$125		

General Classification Prize List

Top Three in each Category receive bottle of wine or juice and medal.

Place	P12	Cat 3	Cat 4	M 40+	M 50+	Cat 4/5	W Open	Jr 10-14	Jr 15-18
1	\$325	\$150	\$100	\$150	\$150	Medal	\$100	Medal	Medal
2	\$200	\$125	\$75	\$125	\$125	Medal	\$75	Medal	Medal
3	\$120	\$100	\$60	\$100	\$100	Medal	\$60	Medal	Medal
4	\$100	\$75	\$50	\$75	\$75	Medal	\$50	Medal	Medal
5	\$80	\$65	\$45	\$65	\$65	Medal	\$45	Medal	Medal
6	\$70	\$50	\$40	\$50	\$50	Medal	\$40	Medal	Medal
7	\$60	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	Medal	\$35	Medal	Medal
8	\$55	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	Medal	\$30	Medal	Medal
9	\$50	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$20	Medal	\$25	Medal	Medal
10	\$45	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10	Medal	\$20	Medal	Medal
11	\$40								
12	\$35								
13	\$30								
14	\$25								
15	\$20								
16	\$10								
\$4150	\$1265	\$650	\$455	\$650	\$650		\$480		

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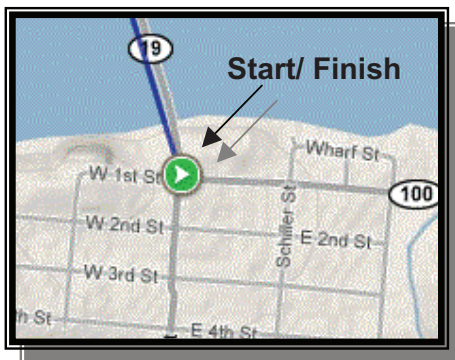
Omnium Stage Race



Stage 1

Saturday April 18, 2009

Individual Time Trial



A 10-mile flat course across the Missouri River over the new Bond Bridge to the river bottoms along Hwy 94 and back.

8:00 AM – 10:00 AM (approx.)

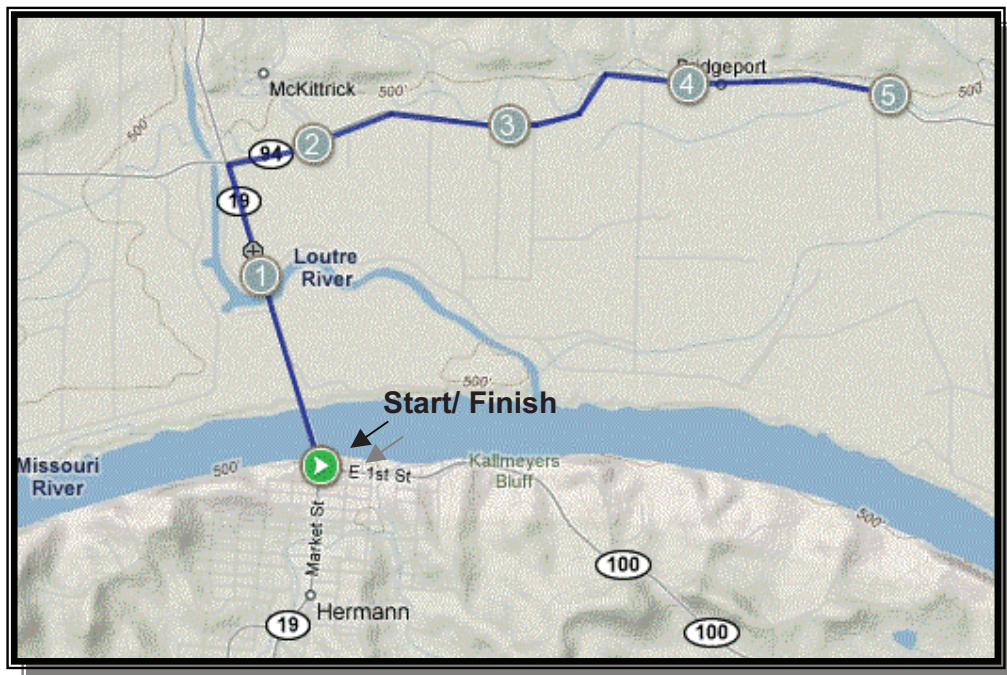
Riders go off in 30-second intervals.

Time in order of registration

Omnium Points 16 deep

35, 31, 28, 25, 22, 19, 15, 13, 11, 9, 7, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1

- No point bonus





Stage 2

Saturday April 18, 2009

Criterium

A challenging 1.2 mile circuit through Hermann's residential streets with hill top finish next to Stone Hill Winery.



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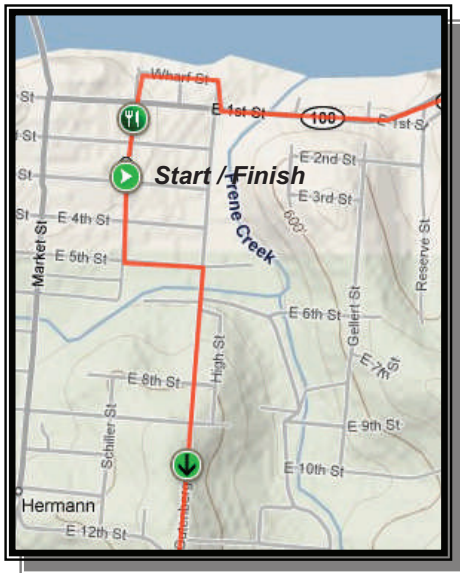


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Stage 3

Saturday April 19, 2009
Road Race



A 30-mile counterclockwise loop through the hilly countryside of Hermann, MO. Race starts with a neutral 1-mile route through town then quickly turns upward.

Omnium points 16 deep

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