

COBRAS Championship Challenge

The COBRAS Championship Challenge (CCC) is a replacement for the COBRAS Championship Series which was a program to honor and reward COBRAS' members who raced in predetermined events. This program in recent years has benefited only a small fraction of the COBRAS membership, as the profile of the typical COBRAS member has changed over time.

The new program still honors those who like to race, however it also encourages members to participate in other club activities and is targeted towards the membership as a whole, not just those who enter and place well in races.

In lieu of trophies and medallions at the end of the year, this program will provide special clothing such as jackets and vests that can only be obtained by earning it via the COBRAS Championship Challenge. Any current active or honorary member can participate, and any member can earn the COBRAS Championship Challenge jacket or vest, not just the top one or two in a race category.

Each COBRAS member can earn points by participating in any COBRAS activity or by entering a race as a COBRAS club member.

Points will be allocated as follows:

Event	Points Earned
Participate in the Senior Games (per event)	5
Participate in National Events (per event)	5
Recruit a new member	5
Club Ride Leader	3
Bring a Friend	3
KHMTT Volunteer	3
Road Clean Up Volunteer	3
Attend Club Membership Meeting	3
Attend Club Board Meeting	3
Participate in the COBRAS Deer Creek HC	3
Participate in a Race	3
Attend Club Social Function	2
Club Ride Participant	1

Any member who achieves a total of 40 points or more will earn the COBRAS Championship Challenge jacket or vest.

Winners will be announced at the COBRAS Annual Banquet. The COBRAS Championship Challenge jacket or vest will be ordered at that time and sent to the member from the manufacturer.

Points will be posted on the COBRAS web site. It is the responsibility of the member to insure they receive credit for participation and must report any missing or disputed points within 14 days of the event. In the event of any disputes, the COBRAS executive committee will make the final determination and their decision will be final.

Rules, events, total required points and the points earned for an event may be modified by the Board in order to maintain the fairness of the program for all COBRAS members however modifications will only be performed annually thus insuring the integrity of the program.

Rules:

Club Ride Leader: A Club Ride Leader is defined as the member who leads a social or training ride for club members. Saturday and midweek rides qualify. The ride leader must provide the COBRAS Liability Release Form and the form must be signed by the ride leader as well as all participants. The member must wear a COBRAS jersey during the ride.

Club Ride Participant: Any member who participates in a club ride either on a Saturday or midweek. The participant must sign the provided COBRAS Liability Release Form. The member must wear a COBRAS jersey during the ride.

Bring a Friend: Any member who brings a friend to a COBRAS function (club ride or social event). The friend must reside in the local area, be a cyclist and be genuinely interested in COBRAS membership.

Recruit a new member: A member who receives credit for a new member who joins the COBRAS as an Active member. The new member must indicate on the application form the name of the existing member.

KHMTT Volunteer: Any member who works a KHMTT race will earn points for each race worked. The member must sign the USAC volunteer release, arrive at their post on time, and not leave their post until relieved or until the end of the race to qualify for points. The volunteer coordinator shall be responsible for providing a list of qualifying members.

Road Clean Up Volunteer: Any member who participates in the COBRAS annual road clean up. The member responsible for organizing the road clean up shall provide a sign in sheet and the participant must sign the sheet to qualify.

Attend Club Social Function: Any member who attends a COBRAS social function. The member responsible for organizing the function shall provide a sign in sheet and the participant must sign the sheet to qualify.

Attend Club Membership Meeting: Any member who attends a COBRAS General Membership meeting. The COBRAS Secretary or other designated Board Member shall provide a sign in sheet and the participant must sign the sheet to qualify. If the member attends a general membership meeting that is held in conjunction with a social event (including the COBRAS annual banquet) the member will receive points for both the events.

Attend Club Board Meeting: Any member who attends a COBRAS Board Meeting, including Board Members. The COBRAS Secretary or other designated Board Member shall provide a sign in sheet and the participant must sign the sheet to qualify.

Participate in the COBRAS Deer Creek HC: Any member who participates in the annual COBRAS Deer Creek Hill Climb as a racer or as a volunteer. If the member is racing, the

member must wear a COBRAS jersey during the race. The participant must sign the provided COBRAS Liability Release Form.

Participate in a Race: Any member who races in a USAC sanctioned event in Colorado or adjoining state and finishes. DNF and DQ results do not qualify. The member must race as a COBRAS club member and wear a COBRAS jersey during the race to qualify for points.

Participate in the Senior Games: Any member who races a Seniors Game cycling event. Points will be earned for each event the member races in. The member must race as a COBRAS club member and wear a COBRAS jersey during the race to qualify for points. DNF and DQ results do not qualify.

Participate in National Events: Any member who races a national cycling event. Points will be earned for each event the member races in. The member must race as a COBRAS club member and wear a COBRAS jersey during the race to qualify for points. DNF and DQ results do not qualify.