

***The Ben Eder Memorial***  
**COAST HILLS CLASSIC MOUNTAIN BIKE RACE**  
 Put on by and benefiting the Newport High School National Honor  
 Society and Mountain Bike Club  
 Part of the 2003 Trek/Volkswagen Oregon Off-Road Series

**SUNDAY, MAY 18th, 2003                      NEWPORT, OREGON**

This event is named this in honor of co-founder Ben Eder, who was lost at sea in December of 2001 in a crabbing accident. As a sophomore at NHS and a member of the Mountain Bike Club, Ben began the race with a number of his classmates and his family has been involved as volunteers and sponsors in every one of our races. This year's event honors the memory of this outstanding and deeply missed young man.

A FUN AND INTERESTING COURSE FOR ALL LEVELS OF RIDERS. SPECTACULAR VIEWS ALONG THE ROLLING GRAVEL AND DIRT ROAD CLIMBS COMBINED WITH FAST, TECHNICAL SINGLETRACK DESCENTS. \*Proceeds of this event benefit the scholarships and activities of the Newport High School National Honor Society and Mountain Bike Club\*  
 SANCTIONED BY OBRA (Oregon Bicycle Racing Association), NORBA licenses not valid!  
 You must be an OBRA member to race. Daily and annual memberships available at race to this grass-roots sanctioning body!

**\$5000 Total Prize List!!! Over \$4000 merchandise/gift certificates for Beg/Sport and \$1000 cash for Experts.**

<u>CATEGORY:</u>	<u>DISTANCE:</u>	<u>START-TIME:</u>	<u>PRE-REG FEE*:</u>	<u>DAY OF REG FEE:</u>
PRO/EXPERT.....	26miles.....	10:00 a.m.....	\$25/\$10(jr).....	\$35/\$12(jr)
SPORT.....	18 miles.....	10:15 a.m.....	\$25/\$10(jr).....	\$35/\$12(jr)
BEGINNER.....	10 miles.....	10:30 a.m.....	\$20/\$10(jr).....	\$20/\$10(jr)

**FUN FOR THE KIDS:** 1/2 mile kids race for ages 6 & under, 7-8, 9-10! 1:30 p.m. start. No entry fee. Kids register beginning at noon. Prizes (courtesy Shimano), goody bag, & T-shirt (courtesy Georgia-Pacific) for ALL participants!!!

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

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**\*PRE-REGISTRATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY MAY 13th\***  
 Registration opens at 8:30 a.m. & CLOSSES 20 minutes before each start. You can also register the day before the race (and pay only a \$5 late fee <except Beg>), Saturday May 17th from 12-4 p.m. at "The Bike Shop", 223 NW Nye Street in Newport.

T-Shirts (w/ a front & back design featuring the same student-designed logo at the top of this flyer) will be available to pre-registered riders for \$13 (a small number available on race-day for \$15, but to be sure, order one with pre-registration!)

START/FINISH AND REGISTRATION LOCATION:

Newport is located due west from Corvallis, OR. From I-5 North or South, take State Highway 20 West. Start/Finish is at Mike Miller Educational Park, about two miles south of the Newport Yaquina Bay Bridge on US Hwy 101, watch for the sign. There is NO PARKING for racers in the park, but there will be parking in several nearby lots, so watch for parking attendants and signs to direct you. Overnight camping available nearby at South Beach State Park. PLEASE TRY TO CAR POOL as parking is limited! Please be VERY CAREFUL crossing the busy, tourist-laden Highway 101! Course will

be marked for pre-riding after 1 p.m. Saturday.

**THANKS TO THE SPONSORS OF OUR RACE & THE 2003  
OREGON OFF-ROAD SERIES:**

Highland Laboratories  
Hutch's Bicycles-Eugene  
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Animal Medical Care  
Lincoln County Family YMCA  
Clif Bar/Clif Shot  
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Volkswagen  
Hail Mary's Coffee  
Kevin Hill Marine  
Advantage Coastal Realty  
Brian Green  
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Northwest Kitchens  
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Clark Williams  
Mike LeBoss  
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Rod Manser  
Port Dock Marina  
Richard D. Beeson  
Rogue Public House  
Marine Discovery Tours  
Western Title  
Kentucky Fried Chicken  
Oregon Eye Consultants  
Trilogy Crabpots  
KCRF Rocks the Classic!  
Newport Parks & Recreation  
The Bike Shop  
West Coast Bank  
Mo's  
Mike Clark Contractors  
Shimano  
Hammer Gel

Cytomax  
The Wood Gallery  
White Lightning  
KCRF (Rocks the Coast Hills Classic!)  
Polar Bottle  
Spy  
Buff  
Dirty Girls  
McTarnahan's  
Zoic  
Wilderness Trail Bikes  
Amtrak  
Oregon Trails Adventure Vacations  
Bell Helmets  
Tyee Lodge  
Kryptonite  
Intense Racing  
New Sun  
Tecnu  
Sportworks  
Kum Yon's  
Best Western-Agate Beach  
Elizabeth Inn  
Coca Mocha Joe's  
April's  
Newport Tradewinds  
Four Seasons  
ATA Black Belt Academy  
Szabo's  
Izzy's Pizza  
Agate Beach Golf Course  
Lighthouse Deli  
Cellular One  
Quimby's Restaurant  
TCB Productions  
Michelin  
Overleaf Lodge  
Pepsi/All-Sport  
Oakridge: The Center for Oregon Recreation  
Brandsport  
R/W Tax  
Ocean House Bed & Breakfast  
Sand Castle Dolls & Toys  
Hansen's  
Trek  
The Chalet Restaurant

**\*Most of the course is on private land, and we operate with the generosity, cooperation and support of the following landowners:** Will Emery/Double E Northwest, City of Newport, Boise Cascade, Simpson Timber, David Brewer, Paul Barber, Lincoln County Roads Dept, Jack and Judy Selich, and the Parker Family Trust. **We have an EXCELLENT track record for respectful land use. Continuing this tradition will allow our event to happen again!**

**Special thanks to the following contributors:** Oregon Maid Ice Cream, Beaches, Oceana Natural

Foods Co-Op, Harry's Bait & Tackle, The Shilo Inn, Nye Beach Café, Pacific Tire & Brake, Newport Rec Center, Dave & Amy Campbell, Race medical staff (Drs. Andrew and Doherty Gilchrist, M.D., Pacific West Ambulance), Newport High School (staff, students, and facilities), Warren & Rita Jordan, Bob & Michelle Eder, Jim Perry, Mike Goff of TCB Productions, Race Announcer Dave O'Donnell.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Dave Campbell, **ph.** (541)574-0327 evenings or **e-mail:** dave\_campbell@lincoln.k12.or.us

**Web-Site:** www.lincoln.k12.or.us/newporths/activity/clubs/mbclub/mbclub.htm

**To register, send information below\* (or use a Trek/VW Oregon Series form) along with appropriate fees from schedule above (checks to NHS Mtn. Bike Club) to:**

Coast Hills Classic Mountain Bike Race

ATTN: Dave Campbell

c/o Newport HS

322 NE Eads Street

Newport, OR 97365

OBRA INFORMATION

Membership available on race day at registration for \$5.00 one-day (temporary paper plate) or annual for \$15.00. OBRA Membership FREE to riders under 18! Annual fee includes season-long plastic number plate and subscription to "Oregon Cycling" as well as points tracking for Best All-around Rider and Oregon Off Road Series. Day of race number rental: \$1. **DO NOT SEND OBRA FEES WITH PRE-REGISTRATION!**

\*NECESSARY REGISTRATION INFORMATION (You may use this form, a standard OBRA entry form or 2003 Trek/VW Oregon Off-Road Series Race Registration Form):

**OBRA Category:**

Beginner\_\_ Sport\_\_ Expert\_\_ Elite\_\_ Pro\_\_

**Gender:** Male\_\_ Female\_\_

**Age Group on 12/31/00:**

14&U\_\_ 15-18(JR)\_\_ 19-34(SR)\_\_ 35+(Vet)\_\_ 45+(Master)\_\_

KIDS RACE: 9-10\_\_ 7-8\_\_ 6 and Under\_\_

**AWESOME T-Shirt w/ NHS students front and back design (\$13 extra) size:**

M\_\_ L\_\_ XL\_\_ (Please remember proceeds benefit the scholarships & activities

Of both NHS clubs that put on the race!)

**Team/Club/Sponsor**\_\_\_\_\_

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Street** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_

**State**\_\_\_\_ **Zip**\_\_\_\_\_

**Phone: Home**\_\_\_\_\_

**Work**\_\_\_\_\_

**OBRA #**\_\_\_\_\_

**\* Or check here if you are going to purchase membership at the race**\_\_\_\_\_

**Who to notify in case of an emergency:**

**Phone #** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*All riders will still need sign a waiver at registration/check-in\***