



**Take all the Bells, Whistles, Fenders and Baskets off the Race Bikes  
and Get Ready for Some Climbing!  
Let's See Who's the Real KOM and QOM**

We are happy to announce a new twist to an established event on the OBRA calendar. This event will be contested in a road race format. The 'Marys Peak Hillclimb' will be the premier hill climb race in the Pacific Northwest in 2017.

Make sure to "like" our Facebook event page for race updates.

<https://www.facebook.com/mphctt/>

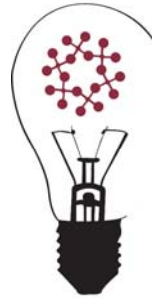
**BENEFICIARIES:**

This race is being held as a charity event, all net proceeds will be donated to the Linn-Benton Community Food Share and Corvallis Bicycle Collective.



**SPONSORS:**

We would like to thank our sponsors **Block 15 Brewing Company** and **Williamette Valley Intellectual Property Law** (wvipl.com).



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**DATE & VENUE:**

Sunday August 13th, 2017

Staging from Philomath Frolic & Rodeo  
502 S 13<sup>th</sup> Street  
Philomath, OR 97370

**DIRECTIONS:**

From Portland (via I-5): Head south on I-5 towards Corvallis. Take exit 228 for OR-34 West. Follow OR-34 West for 16.3 miles through Corvallis to Philomath. Left on 13<sup>th</sup> street in Philomath, the Rodeo will be on your right.

From Eugene (via I-5): Head north on I-5 towards Corvallis. Take exit 228 for OR-34 West. Follow OR-34 West for 16.3 miles through Corvallis to Philomath. Left on 13<sup>th</sup> street in Philomath, the Rodeo will be on your right.

**PARCOURS:**

The course is a challenging 27.5 mile point-to-point route with nearly 5000' feet of elevation gain, starting in Philomath, OR and entering the Siuslaw National Forest to finish at the Marys Peak summit observation parking area. The course takes on the local's favorite Decker Road climb (Category 4) and then proceeds to the Marys Peak road (Hors Category) climb. Riders should be prepared to ride back to the start (proceeding on OR-34 to Philomath for shortest return).

**COURSE MAP: 'Marys Peak Hillclimb 2017'**

<http://www.mapmyride.com/routes/view/1332945916>

**SCHEDULE:**

Time	Category	Scoring
9:30	Men P/1/2/3 & Masters 1/2/3	P/1/2 3 Masters 1/2/3 (40+)
9:40	Men 4/5, 50+, 60+, Juniors (13-18)	4/5 50+ (Cat 1-5) 60+ (Cat 1-5) Juniors (13-18)
9:50	All Women	P/1/2/3 4/5 Masters 3/4/5 (40+) Juniors (13-18)

*Categories per above. Field assignments to each wave may be adjusted at the promoter's discretion. Additional waves and categories may be added at the promoter's discretion based on levels of pre-registration.*

**REGISTRATION:**

ONLINE PRE-REG: ADULT \$35 / JUNIOR \$20

ONLINE PRE-REGISTER LINK – <http://obra.org/events/25326/register>

Online registration closes Friday, August 11 at 4pm.

RACE DAY: ADULT \$40 / JUNIOR \$25

**VOLUNTEERS:** Race entry will be waived in lieu of providing a volunteer. We need drivers, course marshals and people to help with set-up and tear-down. Drivers will be given an additional gas allowance. Contact promoter if you would be interested in providing a volunteer.

**MEMBERSHIP & LICENSES:** OBRA membership required for all riders. Single day race memberships are available for \$5.00. Season OBRA memberships are available for \$30.00 online ([www.obra.org/membership/new](http://www.obra.org/membership/new)), mail in, or in person at the race.

**RACE NUMBERS:** We will be using 2017 OBRA Road numbers. Two Numbers must be used; one pinned to the RIGHT side and one on the BACK in road race configuration.

**PRIZES:**

**Cash:** \$500 Cash split evenly between Men (Wave 1) and women (Women's wave) to the top five overall places. Other cash prizes, may be announced based on level of pre-registration and/or sponsor support.

**Category:** Category awards (first place only) courtesy of Block 15. Other category awards may be announced based on availability of additional sponsor support.

**Primes:** A special prize will be awarded to the first man (Wave 1) and first woman (Women's wave) to summit the Decker Road climb. Check back for details on these special prizes.

**IMPORTANT NOTES:**

- Road race rules in effect. Standard Bicycle racing rules apply. Approved helmets required at all times

(especially when descending Marys Peak and returning to the Philomath Rodeo after the race finish). Failure to comply could result in disqualification.

- No alcohol allowed at the start (Philomath Rodeo) or finish (Marys Peak parking area), however we invite you to visit our sponsor (**Block 15 Brewing**) for after race refreshments.
- Please do not park on the course or other traffic right of ways.
- Please use the provided [Port-a-Potties](#), not the bushes.

**Promoter:** OG Cycling Productions LLC

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OBRA and the organizer (OG Cycling Productions LLC) of this race do not provide insurance coverage for injuries that occur at the race. The costs related to those injuries are the responsibility of the individual participant. Helmets must be worn at all times while on a bike. Promoter reserves the right to refuse entry for any reason.