



Redlands Bicycle Classic
Redlands, CA 6-10 April, 2016
Pro, Cat 1 Men



DECISIONS OF THE COMMISSAIRES PANEL

Communiqué No. 1

BEFORE Stage 1, Highland Circuit Race

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. REMINDER: All racers must present themselves for the mandatory signature check (sign in) prior to each stage, excluding the Time Trial.
 2. REMINDER: Riders must wear all numbers, including frame numbers provided by the Race Committee in all road stages. Numbers may not be folded, trimmed, or in any way mutilated. Numbers must be placed as shown on Page 17 of the Tech Guide. Riders must wear at least one number on the center back for time trial.
 3. ANNOUNCEMENT – STAGE 1 NEUTRAL START: There is a neutral start from the assembly point at San Manuel Village to the finish line on Baseline Road. If a rider(s) experiences a mishap and he has not rejoined the field before the end of the neutral section, the field will be stopped before the finish line until the service is completed. The field will not be stopped for late starting riders.
 4. ANNOUNCEMENT – STAGE 2 TIME CUT: Riders who will clearly not make the time cut will be pulled by the Officials on the circuits and will not proceed up the Oak Glenn climb.
 5. ANNOUNCEMENT – STAGE 3 BIKE CHECK: A complementary time trial bike pre-check will be available at the Stage 3 start area beginning at 9:30 am. Riders with their bicycles must be present at the start area at least 15 minutes prior to their assigned start time for final bike check.
 6. ANNOUNCEMENT – STAGES 1 AND 2 FINISH: These stages are classified as a hilltop finish. Riders who suffer a mishap at any time – including in the last 3 km – will receive their actual time and placing.
 7. CLARIFICATION/CORRECTION – STAGE 2 FEEDING: Feeding from support vehicles will be allowed from the end of Feed Zone Lap 2 (21.2 miles/34.1 km) to the end of Feed Zone Lap 6 (77.6 miles/124.9 km). Feeding from feed zone is as published on Page 25 of the Tech Guide, on laps 2,3,4,5, and 6. The turn by turn information on Page 27 should be updated to reflect feeding on Lap 6.
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