



Recommendations from the Race Committee

Date: May 13, 2024

Objective: To overcome obstacles related to scheduling of events and provide a consistent pathway for Event Organizers.

- Establish the 2025 calendar early. Committee's recommendation is to prioritize Championship dates and provincial series. Road Championships to be in May preferably to work around Bloom series in WA. All 3 disciplines same weekend to mediate travel costs for out-of-town participants. Road, TT & Criterium. Track championships to secure date in 1st or 2nd week of December.
- Ask staff to establish a policy to protect these dates. The champs should be approximately 1 month before Nationals.
- Bloom is a big race for local and BC athletes. It would be good to work around that date as much as possible. I would think Mid may or 3rd week of May would be a good date to start with for BC champs.
- We would like to invite Thomas to the race committee meetings, as this might help in making things work a little more smoothly.
- Race data, I have asked for some data for planning. We need a list of the current racers in each ability based and aged based categories. Hopefully this can be done as I used to receive every year.
- Lastly, it would be worthwhile in exploring potential organizers and sponsors for a prestige series such as Bloom. Venue is the biggest challenge!

That's it for now.

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