



**2024 UEC CYCLO-CROSS
EUROPEAN CUP
U17 – Juniors – U23
ROUND #1
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TECHNICAL GUIDE**

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1. INTRODUCTION

The Union Européenne de Cyclisme in cooperation with DSC Debrecen- will organize the 1st round of 2024 UEC Cyclo-Cross European Cup on 19th of October in Debrecen, HUNGARY.

2. COURSE DETAILS

The length of the course is 3000 meters, 11% asphalt, 90% grass, tarmac, forest including various sections and obstacles (sand pit, planks, rhythm/pump section, artificial bridges).



3. VENUE

Race is taking place in VeloPark Debrecen just 7 km from the city center. VeloPark is Hungary's only permanent cycling park, where training and competitions are held on an 850-meter road training circuit and a fully developed cyclo-cross track in an area closed to traffic.

4. GENERAL INFORMATION

Organizer: Debreceni Sportcentrum Kft in partnership with DKSI Kft.

Location: VeloPark Debrecen. GPS: [47.5910343,21.6532042](#)

Competition: **2024 UEC Cyclo-Cross European Cup Round #1**

Categories: WU17, U17, WJ, MJ, WU23, U23
(For WJ, MJ, WU23 and U23 competitions will be UCI C2 races.)

Date: 19.10.2024

Information: Email: veloparkdebrecen@gmail.com
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Composition of the commissaires panel:

President of the Commissaires Panel UCI Patrick DEMUNTER (Be)
National Commissaire Laszlo KOVACS ENC
National Commissaire TBD
National Commissaire TBD

Timekeeping and registration:

www.sportorigo.com

Parking areas:

For spectators:

Parking lot of International School of Debrecen P3.
GPS: [47.592578129813255, 21.645411788393695](#)

For TEAMS and Campers:

Parking lot of International School of Debrecen P3.
GPS: [47.592578129813255, 21.645411788393695](#)

Parking for Teams (pre-registered only):

VeloPark P1 and P2

Public admission: free



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5. TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION

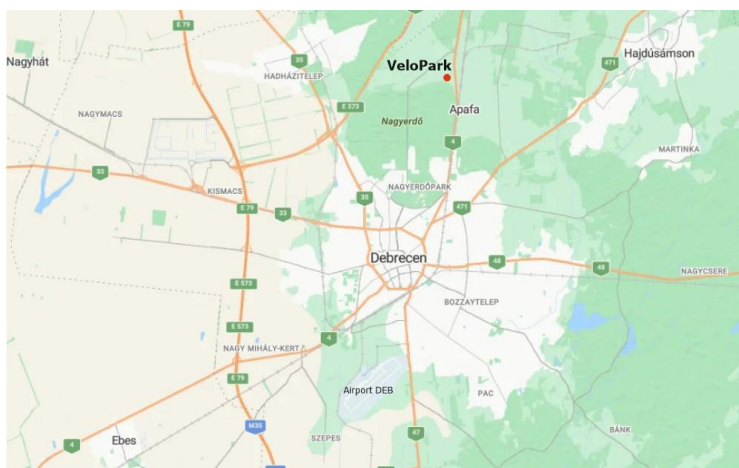
Travel and accommodation expenses must be covered by the participants.

Nearest airports:

Debrecen International Airport (DEB): 12 km,
Oradea International Airport (OMR): 100 km,
and Liszt Ferenc International Airport (BUD): 220km,
All participants must hold a valid travel document.

Travel by car:

The VeloPark is located 3 km from Highway M35 (from Budapest).



Visas:

Visa obligations must be respected.

Each Federation is responsible for obtain all necessary documents for their delegation to enter the country.

For all invitation letter requests please contact the UEC: mail@uec.ch.

Hotels:

Sport Hotel Debrecen <https://www.debrecenisporthotel.hu/>

Aquaticum Thermal Hotel <https://www.aquaticum.hu/hu/hotel>

For special packages, please check the webpage of the race.



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6. CATERING

There will be several catering stands on site, where you can buy hot and cold food and drinks.

7. MEDICAL INFORMATION

Ambulance will be located next to start area.

Hospital: Emergency Clinics of the Clinical Center of the University of Debrecen, Nagyerdei Campus - 4032
Debrecen, Nagyerdei körút 98 (6.5 km).

8. MEETINGS / INFORMATION POINT

The race information office is located at: VeloPark Debrecen, HU.

The race information office will be used for:

- General information for the participants (logistics, parking passes, etc.),
- Accreditations,
- Team Area Registration and payment,
- Riders' confirmation,
- Team Manager's meeting.

Opening hours Race information office:

18.10.2024 Friday, 10:00-16:30,

19.10.2024 Saturday, 07:30-16:30.

Riders' confirmation and race number pick-up

18.10.2024 Friday, 10:00-15:30, Race Office,

19.10.2024 Saturday, 08:30-14:00 (latest 1 hour before the racer's start time).

Team Managers' meeting

19.10.2024 Saturday, 10:00-10:30, Race Office.

Commissaires' meeting

Date, time, location - to be determined by PCP.

9. COMPETITION PROGRAMME*

The competition schedule will be established by UEC in cooperation with the Organizer of the Cup according to the number of entries, and will be posted on the UEC website (www.uec.ch) after the registration deadline.

To be updated by UEC after registration.

Date	Time	Category
Friday, 18.10.2024	12:00	Race office open
	14:00 - 15:00	Non official training on the race courses, all categories for both race days
	15:00-16:00	Masterclass for registered riders (U/WU15-U/WU23)
Saturday, 19.10.2024	8:00	Race office open
	8:00-9:00	Non official training on the race courses, all categories for both race days
	8:30-14:00	Riders confirmation/ Team Managers accreditation
	9:00	U15, WU15 race (Not UEC category)
	9:15-9:30	Opening Ceremony of the UEC Cyclo-cross EC Round#1 & Round#2 Weekend
	10:00-11:00	Official training on the race courses, UEC EC categories
	10:00-10:30	Team managers meeting
	11:00	WU17
	11:45	U17
	12:45	WU19
	12:46	WU23
	14:00	U19
	15:00	U23
	16:00	Venue closes for alteration and preparation for next day
	16:30-17:30	Non official training on the race courses, all categories for next race day
Sunday, 20.10.2024 **	7:45-16:30	UEC Cyclo-cross EC Round#2

*** Subject to change**

**** For the official Sunday's race day program, please check the separate TG of Round#2.**

10. RIDERS CATEGORIES

Categories of riders: U17, Juniors and U23

The UEC Cyclo-cross European Cup events and races shall be open to the following age categories:

- Men U17 riders aged 15 to 16 years,
- Women U17 riders aged 15 to 16 years,
- Men Junior riders aged 17 to 18 years,
- Women Junior riders aged 17 to 18 years,
- Men Under 23 riders aged 19 to 22 years,
- Women Under 23 riders aged 19 to 22 years.

Participation: clubs, regional teams, national teams – max. 5 riders per team.

The non UEC race for U15 and WU15 is open for riders aged 13 and 14 and the registration is available on the same www.sportorigo.com site.

11. REGISTRATION AND RIDER'S CONFIRMATION

Number of starters:

The number of starters in any given category is limited to:

- 5 riders per team (clubs, regional teams, national teams) and category,
- 2 reserve riders per team (clubs, regional teams, national teams) and category.

Registration / Participation fees:

Registration should be done and paid directly to the organizer via this link: www.sportorigo.com.

The entry fee is for each category as follows:

- Men and Women U17 5 EUR,
- Men and Women Juniors 10 EUR,
- Men and Women U23 15 EUR.

Registration deadline:

The registration will open on date 01.08.2024,

Deadline for registration and payment: date 12.10.2024, time 23:59.

Condition for participation:

During confirmation of the starters and issuing the start numbers at the venue, a valid license must be presented to the commissaires, as well as an identity document with the date of birth and photo (passport or ID).

12. RULES

General Rules:

The UEC Cyclo-cross European Cup events and races are run under the control, decisions, and instructions of UEC in line with UCI rules, where applicable.

Races of categories entered in the UCI calendar must fully respect the UCI rules.

Races of categories entered in the national calendar must fully respect the rules of the relevant national cycling federation.

Starting order:

The start order of the races is determined as follows:

Women Junior, Men Junior, Women under 23 and Men under 23:

1. As per the most recently published UCI Cyclo-cross individual ranking of the current season (or the final ranking of the previous season if no ranking has yet been published for the current season),
2. Unclassified riders: by drawing lots.

Men and Women U17:

1. As per the most recently published UEC Cyclo-cross European Cup individual ranking (or by drawing lots for first race if no UEC Cyclo-cross European Cup individual ranking has yet been published),
2. Unclassified riders: by drawing lots.

Allocation of boxes in pit area:

Pit boxes will be allocated as per the most recently published UCI Cyclo-cross individual ranking of the current season (or the final ranking of the previous season if no such ranking has yet been published for the current season).

*For the first event of the European Cup of this year, the pit boxes will be allocated by drawing lots.

Clothing:

All riders of each category start in their club or national jerseys except for national champions, European champions and world champions, who must start in the relevant champions 'jersey.

Specific Rules:

1. Wearing a rigid safety helmet shall be mandatory during competitions and training sessions.
2. Bicycles used for Cyclo-Cross races must comply with UCI regulations.
3. For the Cyclo-Cross bicycle the width of the tires (measured between the widest parts) shall not exceed 33 mm and it may not incorporate any form of spike or stud (1.3.018).
4. Using of disc brakes are allowed in cyclo-cross training and competition (1.3.025).
5. For races on the road and cyclo-cross, the use of fixed sprocket is forbidden: a braking system that acts on both wheels is required.
6. Personal high-pressure cleaners are forbidden in the pit area during the European Cup races.

Anti-doping control:

Will be carried out according to the Anti-Doping Control Rules of the UCI and the Anti-Doping Committee of Hungary in the building of International School of Debrecen.

Penalties:

The UCI penalty scale is applicable for all races entered in the UCI calendar. For all national races, a penalty scale included in the national rules of event organizer is applicable.¹¹

13. CLASSIFICATIONS

An overall individual UEC Cyclo-cross European Cup classification will be drawn up for all categories for which points will be awarded to the first 50 riders in each race in accordance with the following scale:

Place	Point	Place	Point	Place	Point	Place	Point
1	65	14	37	27	24	40	11
2	55	15	36	28	23	41	10
3	50	16	35	29	22	42	9
4	47	17	34	30	21	43	8
5	46	18	33	31	20	44	7
6	45	19	32	32	19	45	6
7	44	20	31	33	18	46	5
8	43	21	30	34	17	47	4
9	42	22	29	35	16	48	3
10	41	23	28	36	15	49	2
11	40	24	27	37	14	50	1
12	39	25	26	38	13		
13	38	26	25	39	12		

In the last and final race, double points of the above listed scale will be awarded to the riders.

The UEC Cyclo-cross European Cup classification, for each rider of each one of all the categories will be calculated by adding points gained in the races, (as per the above-mentioned scale), taking into consideration the best results of the half of the total number of the organized rounds /events, including the final event's race. (for example: for 6 organized rounds / events – the 3 best results will be taken into consideration).

In case of an odd total number of races, the number of best results rounded up will be taken into consideration (for example: for 7 organized rounds / events – the 4 best results will be taken into consideration).

Riders tied in points will be ranked by the greatest number of 1st places, 2nd places, etc. taking in to consideration account only of places for which points are awarded for the UEC Cyclo-cross European Cup. If they are still tied, the points scored in most recent event or in the final event, shall be used to separate them.

It is possible some categories Men Masters and Women Masters to start together depending on the number of riders in the given age categories (combined categories).

However separated results of each category in the combined categories races will be generated and obtained points, will be counted in the corresponding appropriate overall individual classification of UEC Cyclo-cross European Cup.

14. OVERALL WINNING CEREMONY

Immediately after the Awards Ceremony of the last and final Cup of the year, an Overall Winning Ceremony will be organized by UEC for each category.

15. PRIZES

The scale of prizes for the individual classification for each event will be paid on site by the organizer:

Place	U23 Women and Men per round	Junior Women and Men per round
1	175 EUR	150 EUR
2	120 EUR	100 EUR
3	90 EUR	70 EUR
4	70 EUR	60 EUR
5	60 EUR	50 EUR
6	50 EUR	40 EUR
7 to 10	50 EUR	30 EUR
11 to 15	30 EUR	-
16 to 20	20 EUR	-

16. UNFORSEEN

In those cases in which the regulations do not specify, the commissaires panel, in conjunction with UEC and the organization (where applicable), will decide.

Debrecen (HU) 15. July.2024

