

2012 - RACING TEAM Application Form

(For new and returning members)



We welcome all applicants who are excited about bike racing and who want to help our organization achieve its goal to get kids on bikes!

Congratulations on joining the Front Rangers Cycling Club (FRCC) and the FRCC Racing Team!!! Before you continue, make sure you have visited our website www.frontrangersdenver.org and have read, downloaded and understand the following:

1) FRCC Mission Statement, 2) 2012 FRCC Release Form, and 3) Racing Team and Parent Guidelines for 2012 requirements.

New members must first contact **FRCC Racing Team Director, Paul Braun (303-972-2426 or cpbraun@comcast.net)** to discuss team details, membership levels, the mission of the club, and to determine whether this is an appropriate team for you.

Team clothing is required to be worn at all races and on club rides. Contact the Team Director to purchase clothing, which is not included in the membership fee. Returning member can use clothing from the past 2 years.

Section 1. Select one of the following categories of participation:

___ I am aged 25 or younger wishing to join the FRCC Junior/U25 Racing Team at one of 3 levels of membership and coaching listed in section 2 below.

___ I am an Adult racer aged 19+ wishing to race for FRCC. There is no membership fee, but we do ask that you volunteer some time. Coaching is not provided, but is available directly from the Head Coach at a discounted price. (Skip to section 3)

Section 2. Place an "X" next to the JUNIOR/U25 Membership Level at which you would like to join.

LEVELS OF JUNIOR/U25 MEMBERSHIP and FEES

FRCC offers three different levels of membership and coaching to best meet the member's abilities and level of commitment. Please refer to the current Front Rangers Racing Team and Parent Guidelines for more details.

___ **Basic: \$70.00** - This level is best for members who are very young, just getting started in the sport, and/or who are not able to make a serious commitment to racing.

___ **Competitive: \$170.00** – This level is for the aspiring racer who is competitive and committed to improving in the sport, and who is willing to follow a generalized weekly coaching outline.

___ **Elite: \$280.00** – This level is for the very competitive and experienced athlete who follows a focused/specific weekly coaching outline. Before checking this level, members must first have the go-ahead from the Team Director, and must meet the requirements that are listed in the Racing Team and Parent Guidelines.

Please Note: Full payment is required when joining at any time throughout the year (no pro-rating) and must accompany this form. Refunds cannot be given to members who decide to leave the club for whatever reason. This includes being asked to step down to a lower level of membership, to leave the club because of commitments not met, or for disciplinary reasons. Individuals joining after Oct. 1st can participate for free until the start of the following year.

Section 3. Personal Information

Racing Team Member:

Name _____
Address _____
City _____
State _____ Zip _____
Home Phone # _____
Cell Phone # _____
Email _____
Age on 12/31/2012 _____ Date of Birth _____
USAC License # _____ Category _____
BRAC/ACA membership # _____

Clothing size: Jersey _____ Shorts _____
Parent(s)/Guardian or emergency contact for 18+ year old members:
Name _____
Address _____
City _____
State _____ Zip _____
Home Phone # _____
Cell Phone # _____
Email _____
Other _____

Section 4. Parents of Junior Members and Adult Members.

We ask parents and adult members to volunteer as often as possible to drive kids during FRCC Monthly Youth events to and from the event location. The more you drive and/or attend, the more club benefits you'll be eligible for. If you drive 3 times during the year, you will receive a free jersey or similar item.

A list of the events for 2012 is available on our website. These are scheduled as best as possible to avoid conflict with any major local bike races, or other bike events. Most of the events are on Saturdays except for the Bannock race, which is on a Sunday. All are outdoor events except for Jan, Feb, Mar, and Nov. If you drive kids, expect to pick them up any where between 8:30-9:00 a.m. and return them home around 1:00-1:30 p.m. When you're not driving or if you are a junior, we ask that you attend as many of these events as possible because we need your help, even if you don't ride a bike! So mark these dates on your 2012 calendars, planners and appointment books. This really makes a positive impact on the less fortunate kids in our community, which is the mission of the club.

Also, please volunteer to lead rides. I alone cannot do this. The more people we have helping lead rides the more opportunities team members will have to get out on their bikes. All levels of abilities are needed especially with the younger juniors who need more guidance. Parents, the more you participate the more the kids will benefit from the club.

Section 5. Signature

Your signature acts as a binding contract for the entire year of 2012. All new and returning members must read and sign to acknowledge the following: I have read and understand the FRCC Racing Team and Parent Guidelines for 2012 and will abide by these rules and requirements. This includes as stated in the guidelines that at all cycling related races/events and disciplines, members will ride under the FRCC affiliation for the entire calendar year. Collegiate and other scholastic related events are exempt. Exceptions can be granted by the team director depending on the rider's status in the club and is subject to reimbursement of benefits received.

I have selected the appropriate membership category and level if applicable; have enclosed the correct fee if applicable, and a signed 2012 FRCC Release Form. (Parents and other adults participating in any FRCC activities must also sign a release form.)

Member signature _____

If under 18 years of age, Parent (Guardian) signature _____

**Mail this application, a signed FRCC Release Form, and a check (if applicable) for the selected membership level made out to "Front Rangers Cycling Club" to:
Paul Braun, 9882 W. Unser Ave., Littleton, CO 80128**

Welcome to the FRCC Racing Team!!!!