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#### 2022

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## What a Season it Was!

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We hope you enjoyed a wonderful Thanksgiving holiday. We would like to thank you all for an absolutely amazing (and FUN) 2022 Missouri NICA season. We couldn't have done it without each and every one of YOU! Please enjoy a quick photo recap of our season.

We would like to acknowledge our amazing sponsors and donors for supporting us in 2022. Also, an extra large thank you is in order for the facility owners, land managers, trail stewards, park rangers, EMS personnel, food trucks, bike shops, and sanitation service providers for supporting our league events!

Finally, a huge shout out to NICA's **BEST** core race staff! Most of all, an extra loud power clap goes out to all our student-athletes, parents, coaches, friends, family, and volunteers who made this season such a success! We couldn't get #MOKidsOnBikes without each and everyone of you!

Please enjoy the off-season. Stay connected with friends, family, and teammates, and just have fun riding your bike! We can't wait for the 2023 season to begin!

Happy Holidays and see you on the trails!

Annie & Chris Co-League Directors Missouri Interscholastic Cycling League

Questions? Don't hesitate to reach out by email: info@missourimtb.org

# Get Excited for 2023!

#### 2023 League Schedule:

March 1, 2023 = Team and Coach Registration Opens April 1, 2023 = Student Athlete Registration Opens and Team Pre-Season Begins July 1, 2023 = Team Regular Season Begins

#### Tentative 2023 Event Schedule:

August 26th - 27th, 2023 = Race #1 September 9th - 10th, 2023 = Race #2 September 23rd - 24th, 2023 = Race #3 October 7th - 8th, 2023 = Race #4 October 21st - 22nd, 2023 = Race #5

For more information on coach clinics, GRiT events, Teen Trail Corps opportunities, and other special events, check out our website:

Missouri NICA Website

## 2022 Season by the Numbers:

47,365 Trek Giveaway Dollars Raised!



Trek Bicycle Company

The Winners (drum roll please):

Adam K = Trek Top Fuel 9.8 XT Mountain Bike
Joe B = Bontrager Blaze Wave Cel Helmet
Ryan B = Bontrager Ion 200 RT Flare Light Set
Christopher B = Gift Certificate to TC Screen Printing & Apparel

#### Top Individual Sales:

Kolce M (Rockwood Composite) = \$1850
Lucy D (South City Composite) = \$1370
Maksim P (Central Missouri Composite) = \$1135

Top Team Sales: Metro East Composite Phoenix = \$313/Student Athlete



Photo Credit: TC Screen Printing & Apparel

Are you behind on your holiday shopping? How about outfitting your friends and family with the latest Missouri NICA gear from league partner **TC Screen Printing & Apparel.** Orders will be shipped directly to you so don't delay!



#### 990 Teen Trail Core Hours



Photo Credit: Sharon Taylor Gullett

For more information or questions about Missouri's Teen Trail Corps program, visit our Website or email our TTC Coordinator **Sharon**: sharon@missourimtb.org

**575 Medals Awarded** 



Photo Credit: Ryan Lee

Thank you YOMO MTB!

### 489 Student Athletes



#MOKidsOnBikes!

#### **378 Race Volunteer Shifts**



Photo Credit: Flannery Allison

A special thanks and high fives go out to **Kuat** for providing our Volunteer raffle winner **Lisa Kemna (Jefferson City, MO)** with a brand new Transfer v2 3x bike rack (retail value is \$549). The winning entry was drawn at our State Championship at Two Rivers Mountain Bike Park!

We are so thankful for all our volunteers who work tirelessly to make our race weekends a success!

#### 277 Coaches



There can't be #MOKidsOnBikes without #MOCoaches! Give your coaches an extra

high-five!

#### 174 Great GRiT Girls!



Photo Credit: Sharon Taylor Gullett

For more information on GRiT (Girls Riding Together), visit our Website, Missouri GRiT Facebook Page, or email our GRiT Coordinator **Amanda**: amanda@missourimtb.org

**104 Social Media Posts** 



Thank you to Larissa Johnson and Dylan Trigg (Triggered Media Co) for keeping our channels fresh all season long!

Follow us on Facebook, Instagram and YouTube.

21 Core Race Staff



Thank you to this incredible crew for making our races the best in NICA!

#### 21 Composite Teams



Photo Credit: Como Composite

Do you want to form an interscholastic mountain bike team or club in your community? Starting and managing an interscholastic mountain bike team is no small task – but it's incredibly rewarding fun! To get started and to ensure your effort is a success: Starting a Missouri NICA Team

#### **10 Coach Supporters**



Photo Credit: Annie Schwartz

Are you interested in becoming a 2023 coach? Our Coach Supporters are here to help and never forget to bring the FUN!

#### 9 High School Teams



Photo Credit: Eureka High School

Mountain biking is the new football, right? Stay tuned for even more teams coming in 2023!

#### **5 Fantastic Races**



Photo Credit: Flannery Allison

**Congratulations to the 2022 Series Winners!** Full results and photos can be found HERE Varsity Girls - Breanna G. (St Charles Composite)
Varsity Boys - Cade P. (Park Hill Composite)
Sophomore/Freshman Girls A - Kiera M. (Warsaw Wildcats)
Sophomore Boys A - Isaac M. (Mid County Composite)
Freshman Boys A - Carter L. (COMO Composite)
JV Boys - Ronny D. (Tri Lakes Composite)
Sophomore Boys B - William M. (Lee's Summit Composite)
Freshman Boys B - Kenny T. (COMO Composite)
Sophomore/Freshman Girls B - Sophia M. (South City Composite)
Freshman Boys C - Alastair B. (Jeff Co Composite)
8th Grade Girls A - Danaka D. (Springfield Composite)
8th Grade Girls B - Jillian S. (St Charles Composite)
8th Grade Boys B - Noah S. (Mid County Composite)
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#### Congratulations to the 2022 Missouri Race Series Overall Teams:

Division 1 1st Place - Springfield Youth Cycling Club 2nd Place - Jeff Co Composite Billy Goats 3rd Place - Lee's Summit Composite Sharks

Division 2 1st Place - **Eureka High School** 2nd Place - **Kickapoo High School** 3rd Place - **Warsaw Wildcats** 

#### **1 Wonderful NICA-ween**



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#### THANK YOU for a Fantastic Season!



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## MoreKidsonBikes!



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