

# LE TOUR DE WEST LAFAYETTE 2008, COURSE CHANGES

This document replaces page 2 of the technical guide

Due to unforeseen reasons, the initial plan for the stage on Sunday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, had to be changed. However, the distances remain identical. The only few changes are:

- there is no KOM classification in the last lap of road races (just before finish), but all other laps count;
- the laps for Men 3-4 sprint classification are modified, but the number of sprints is unchanged.

## Stage 2: Road race (Sunday, May 18, 2008, morning)



**Cat 3-4: 7 laps = 34 miles** (54.5 Km), start at **9:00 am**

**Cat 4-5: 4 laps = 22 miles** (35 Km), start at **9:02 am**

*Directions/Parking:* The parking is in Fort Ouiatenon Park, 3921 South River Road, West Lafayette, IN. In West Lafayette, follow US Road 231 South for about 1 mile until a traffic light. Turn right, and immediately left on South River Road. Continue on South River Road for about 2.5 miles and turn left in Fort Ouiatenon. Park in the parking areas and, please, respect the park regulations.

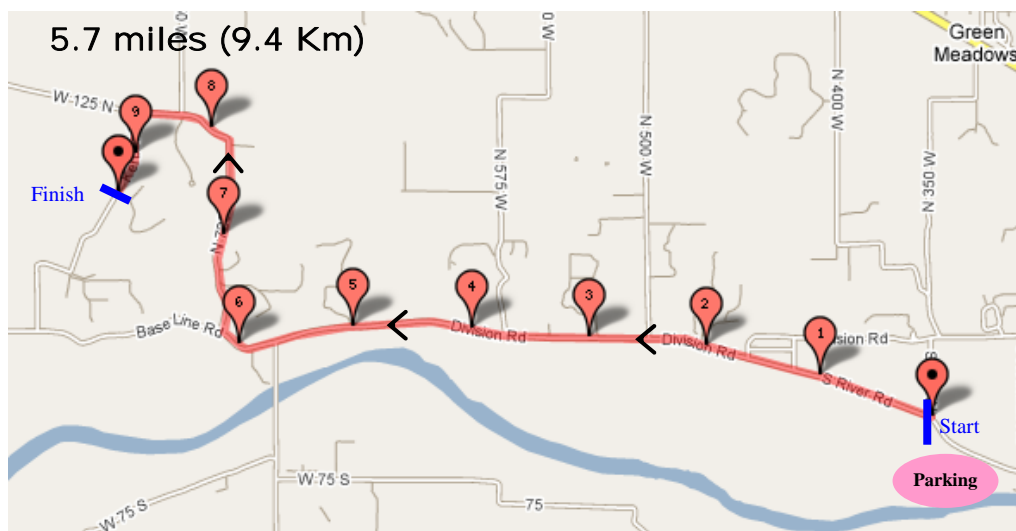
*Start procedure:* All riders start from S350W (see start site on the map). The course is flat until the circuit starts.

King of mountain at every lap beside the last lap. Points are 7, 4, 2, 1 for the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>d</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup> rider on the KOM line, respectively.

Sprint at laps 1 and 3 (men 4-5), or laps 1, 2, 4, and 6 (men 3-4): 4, 2, 1 points for the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>d</sup> rider on the finish line, respectively. Additional sprint points for the top 5 finishers (see section "sprint classification" for details).

*Safety:* One Sheriff car leading cat 3-4, and one Sheriff car leading cat 4-5. Minimum one referee with wheels behind each group (wheels provided by riders).

## Stage 3: Individual time trial (Sunday, May 18, 2008, afternoon)



**Cat 4-5: start at 12:30 pm, every 30 seconds**, in the reverse order of the general classification after stage 2.

**Cat 3-4: start at 1:15 pm, every 30 seconds** for places from 80<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup>, then **every 1 minute for the top 10 riders**, in the reverse order of the general classification after stage 2.

*Directions/Parking:* same as for Stage 2

*Course:* identical to the beginning of stage 2.

*Material:* Material and clothing used for the ITT must meet USAC regulations. No other restriction.

**No drafting allowed. USAC sanctions apply to riders caught drafting.**