



Georgia Cross Series Rounds 5 & 6 and North Carolina UCI ‘Cross

16 November 2009 – Blairsville Georgia Cross Series #5

Ouch! Blairsville lived up to its “mountain man” reputation in North Georgia’s mountains. Held at Track Rock Camp Ground, it included four severe hills, one being an earth damn that required a hard run to overcome. This was a day for outstanding handling skills and superior power-to-weight ratios (and a low gear helped!)

Overnight snow flurries capped local peaks. Temps hovered near 35 degrees as Masters pushed off at 10 a.m., with mercury moving very little to reach 40 degrees by the Men A event early afternoon. Gloves and embrocations made first appearances of the season.

Races were hard fought with gaps opening as legs fatigued under extended climbing. Open sections transformed from attack zones to recovery opportunities. At the end of hostilities Fulton Flyers again captured both Team Competitions and defended their Series Leaders’ jerseys - Elite Men (Oscar Clark), Juniors (Joey Schoenfeld) and Masters 45+ (Coach Lamar Mauney).

Race highlights were Elizabeth Lee’s 4th in Women A, Matt Lipscomb and Joey Schoenfeld taking 1st and 2nd in Juniors, and Everett Lindner’s 7th in Men C. Shey Lindner rode FFCC to 2nd in SingleSpeed and Lamar Mauney 3rd in Masters 45+. Last but certainly not least, Oscar Clark placed an outstanding 2nd in Men A after spending the day off the front with Toshiba professional Alex Hagman. (Oscar also WON the non-Series “Hillbilly Cross” under the lights the night before in Murphy, NC).

22 November – North Carolina UCI ‘Cross

Oscar Clark raced to 9th in this national level UCI sanctioned ‘cross race in Hendersonville, NC. Racing up front for the first half the race, Oscar settled into a battle for fifth place. A late race crash resulted in a broken brake lever on the slick and difficult course, dropping Oscar back to ninth. Oscar skipped day two in order to race the Georgia State Cyclo-Cross Championships.

So, a fine finish by one of the country’s upcoming ‘cross stars, and certainly the dominate rider in Georgia. Oscar will now prepare for cyclo-cross Nationals in Kansas City December 13-14, where he will race U23 Elite and Collegiate events.

23 November - Fulton Flyers Take Home Gold at State Championships!

Fulton Flyers grabbed top honors at the Georgia State Cyclo-Cross Championships in both Team Competitions, and took home four state championship jerseys.

Another cold day with mid-30's temps for the morning events. Fort Yargo State Park again shaped up as a demanding yet "true" cross course, with a good balance of pavement, dirt and grass, as well as the now infamous bike-eating sandy beach.

Brothers Everett and Jansen Lindner won Junior 15-18 and 10-14 respectively, with dad Shey Lindner winning Single Speed and second in the Masters 35+. Joey Schoenfeld placed second in Juniors 15-18 in his first season of cycling. Oscar Clark showed he is THE State Champion of Georgia Cross, winning the Elite Men race.

In the Series overall, Joey continues to lead in Juniors 15-18, Lamar Mauney in Masters 45+, Shey Lindner in SingleSpeed, while Oscar now has a commanding lead in Elite Men, having won two Series races and made podium every week. Looking for 100% health, Elizabeth Lee continues to hold third overall in Elite Women. We lead both Team Competitions as well, perhaps the best reflection of our team's depth and talent.

<u>Georgia Cross Results</u>	<u>5-Oct</u>	<u>19-Oct</u>	<u>2-Nov</u>	<u>9-Nov</u>	<u>16-Nov</u>	<u>23-Nov</u>
Elizabeth Lee	2	4	5	4	4	7
Jansen Lindner	-	2	5	-	-	1
Everette Lindner - Jr	-	-	2	-	-	1
Everette Lindner - Men C	-	17	4	-	7	-
Joey Schoenfeld - Jr	2	-	-	1	2	2
Joey Schoenfeld - Men C	33	-	36	22	26	-
Matt Lipscomb - Jr	-	-	1	-	1	-
Matt Lipscomb - Men C	-	-	1	-	-	-
Matt Lipscomb - Men B	-	-	-	-	6	-
Cameron Kennington - Jr	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cameron Kennington - Men C	-	-	42	37	-	34
Michael Cummings	8	-	-	-	-	-
Oscar Clark	2	1	2	3	2	1
Lamar Mauney - 45+	5	3	3	2	3	5
Lamar Mauney - Men B	7	9	14	11	9	-
Shey Lindner - SingleSpeed	-	1	1	1	1	1
Shey Lindner - Masters 35+	-	-	-	-	2	2
Shey Lindner - Elite Men	-	9	-	15	-	-

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Jansen Lindner – Jrs 10-14 State Champ



Everett Lindner & Joey Schoenfeld



Oscar Clark – State Champ!



The crew at Blairsville – brrrrrrrrrr!