



CANMORE
ENDURO

JULY 19, 2026

www.steedzenduro.com

LOCATION

Canmore Nordic Centre: 1988 Olympic Way, Canmore, AB

Saturday Registration Package Pick Up/Sunday Staging: Stadium Area behind the Main Lodge

Parking Address: Canmore Nordic Centre

***IMPORTANT NOTE:** You will need to purchase a Kananaskis Conservation Pass to park at the Canmore Nordic Centre. If you don't already have an annual pass, you can purchase the single day pass for \$15 by using the following link:

<https://conservationpass.alberta.ca/kcp>

Trailhead Info: The race starts from the registration tent in the stadium area.

IMPORTANT

- Racers must be self-sufficient. Please carry a small toolkit, spare tubes, and some form of inflation device (pump or CO2).
- All bikes must have functioning front and rear brakes.
- All bikes must be in a good operational state, capable of competing in the event.
- **ALL RACERS OVER 18 MUST CARRY BEAR SPRAY. NO BEAR SPRAY = NO RACING!**
The Canmore Nordic Centre has made it a requirement for us to check all racers before they head out on course.
- **ALL racers 13yrs old and under MUST be accompanied by an adult during the race.**

EVENT SCHEDULE

****SATURDAY JULY 18, 2026 – PRE-RACE SCHEDULE****

10 a.m. – Sunset Course Open for Pre-Ride.

NOTE: The course will be fully marked by 4 p.m. To ensure the greatest chance of riding a fully marked course, ride the stages in order: 1,2,3,4,5,6.

1 p.m. – 4 p.m. **Mandatory Racer Package Pickup** will be happening in the Canmore Nordic Centre stadium area under the Steedz Enduro Team Tent.

***NOTE:** If you are unable to pick up your racer package, someone else can pick it up for you by showing a picture of your driver's license and letting us know what category you are racing.

****SUNDAY, JULY 19, 2026 - RACE SCHEDULE****

The Departure Time is the time racers DEPART from the staging area, **NOT** a stage start time.

****THE MOST IMPORTANT THING ON RACE DAY****

DO NOT FORGET YOUR TIMING CHIP! IF YOU DO, YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED ON COURSE.

8:00 a.m. Mandatory Racer briefing and bear spray talk (at registration/staging area in the Stadium)

8:25 a.m. Open Men Departure – **Wave 1** (50 racers)

8:30 a.m. **ALL** Women Depart

- Open Women
- 50+ Women
- 40+ Women
- U21 Women
- U15 Women

8:40 a.m. Open Men Departure – **Wave 2** (50 racers)

8:55 a.m. Departure for:

- U21 Men
- U15 Men
- 40+ Men
- 50+ Men

12 – 6 p.m. Post Race Beer Gardens and Food Trucks

3:00 p.m. Awards

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- **WOMEN'S CATEGORIES** will ride stages in the following order: **1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6**
- **MEN'S CATEGORIES** will ride stages in the following order: **2, 3, 1, 4, 5, 6**
- As a racer, it is your responsibility to pre-ride and follow course markings during the race. Riders who get lost will not be granted a re-run **(There are at least 2-3 people every year who manage to get lost, but somehow the other 247 racers find their way... Come on, you got this!)**
- Stage re-runs will only be granted for racers aiding to an injured rider.



- *Timing chips not handed in by 3:00 p.m. will lead to automatic disqualification. *Note: this time may be adjusted if there are still multiple riders out on course at this time.*
- *Any lost or unreturned timing chips/tags will incur additional fees as determined by zone4 timing (approx. \$75).*
- *ALL RIDERS MUST RIDE THE STAGES IN ORDER AS PER THE TECH GUIDE TO ENSURE WE STAY ON SCHEDULE WITH COURSE SWEEP TEAR DOWNS.*

FEED STATION

There will be a feed station at the top of Stage 4 accessible to racers.

The feed station will include products from Xact Nutrition, along with fruit, water, electrolytes, and snack-type food. If you have dietary constraints, allergies, or other food-related requirements, you are expected to carry any specialized food with you at all times, *and* have enough to complete the race as necessary.

TRAINING/COURSE INSPECTION

Racers are strongly encouraged to pre-ride on Saturday July 18, 2026. Please ride accordingly and within your abilities as medics won't be on site this day.

IMPORTANT: All trails are open to recreational user groups; please be courteous to others when riding the trails prior to, and on race day.

ABSOLUTELY NO TRAINING ON THE COURSE OR HIKING/ WALKING OF THE COURSE AFTER THE FIRST WAVE OF RACERS HAS DEPARTED FROM THE STAGING AREA ON RACE DAY. IF YOU ARE CAUGHT DOING THIS, YOU WILL BE IMMEDIATELY DISQUALIFIED.

COURSE INFORMATION

The official course will be released on www.steedzenduro.com and on Trail Forks on the morning of Thursday July 16, 2026.

NOTE: *You may pre-ride using the course map on Friday, but please be aware that the course will not yet be fully marked, and medics will not be on course.*

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

HELMETS ARE MANDATORY AT ALL TIMES, including while climbing. Helmets must have been purchased within the past three years and have no signs of cracking, dents, or other damage. **Full face helmets are strongly encouraged for all racers**, especially those under 21, but are not mandatory.

Knee and elbow pads are also strongly encouraged. “No pads, no problems...” is not actually a thing. Scabby knees and elbows don't need to be a right of passage in mountain biking, friends. **“PADS ARE RAD, SCABS ARE BAD!”**

Proper footwear **MUST** be worn at all times while out on the course – no open-toed shoes, sandals, or flip-flops are permitted.

APRES SOCIAL

The infamous post race Beer Gardens will be located by the registration/staging area immediately following the event.

Each racer will receive a coupon for a post race beverage **OR** ice cream of their choice, and food trucks will be on site with food for purchase by cash, debit or credit.

To avoid mass lines, riders are encouraged to order food upon completion of their race.

ACCOMMODATIONS

The best accommodations can be found at [Tourism Canmore](#).

THANK YOUs

A special thanks to the [Steedz Enduro Mountain Bike Team](#) putting on the race, with additional props to our event partners:

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CONTACT US

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For additional info visit: <http://www.steedzenduro.com>