



2024 UEC European Cup Rounds 1 & 2 9 & 10 March 2024

Olympic Track Sarrians Vaucluse (France)



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1. INTRODUCTION

The Sarrians BMX Club and the City of Sarrians are very honoured to welcome you to the Olympic site of BMX Racing in Vaucluse, France. After the UCI BMX SX World Cup 2023 and the Championships of France 2022, the UEC European Cup is back in 2024!

2. TRACK DETAILS

The beautiful international BMX track was built in 2018 by MyTracks, based on its experience of having participated in the construction of slopes in Verona, Zolder & Saint Quentin en Yveline.

This track is both technical and physical with its pro section in the second straight and its 2 starting ramps at 8 metres and 5 metres. It also has asphalt bends between 3 and 4 metres high.



3. THE CITY OF Sarrians

Sarrians is a typical Provençal town in the Vaucluse department in the south of France (ProvenceAlpes-Côte d'Azur), at the foot of Mont Ventoux, well known to cycling enthusiasts of the Tour de France. There are about 6500 inhabitants, called Sarriannais. It is a sunny and pleasant place for tourism, between Avignon, Orange and Carpentras.

This region is famous for its wine cellars, its Provençal markets, its olive oil, its lavender, its cicadas... More generally, the region is known for the Mont Ventoux, the Dentelles de Montmirail, the Baux de Provence, the wines of Vaqueyras or Châteauneuf-du-Pape.

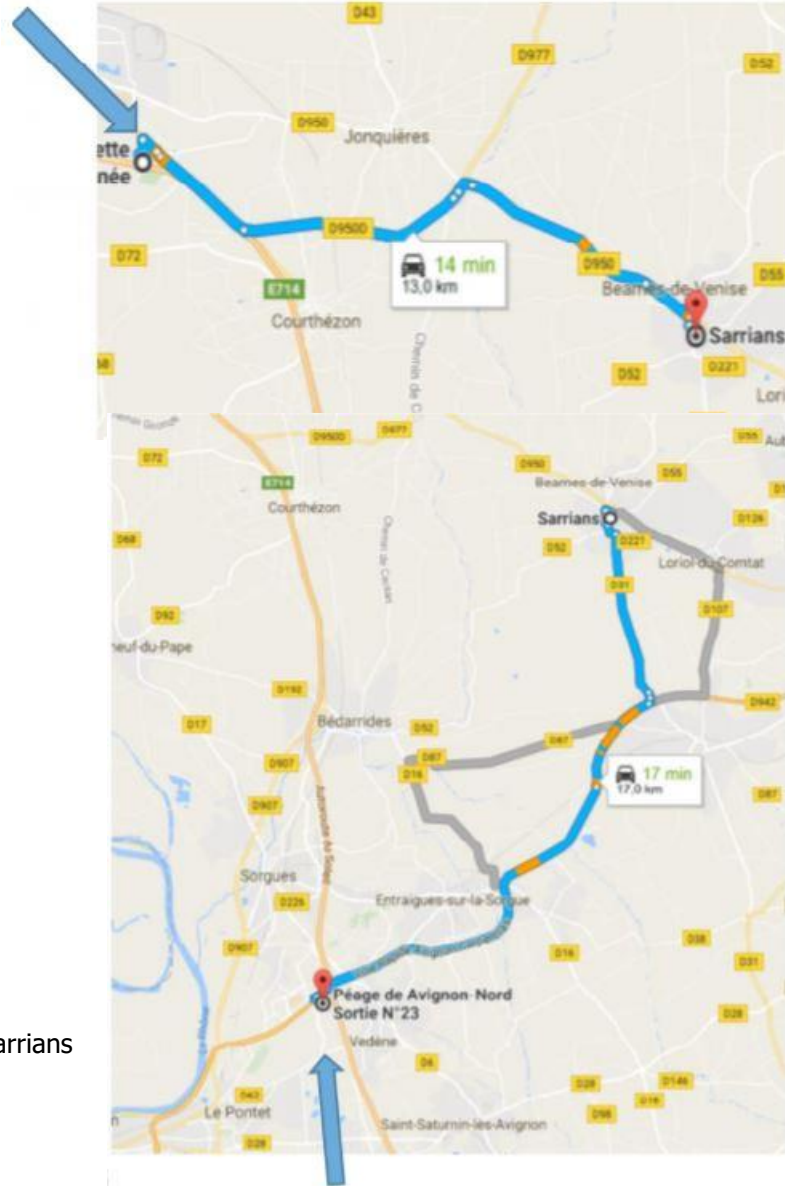


4. GENERAL INFORMATION

Organization:	BMX Club Sarrians CPJ Vaucluse
Location:	Zone de la Sainte Croix 22 Avenue de Camargue 84260 Sarrians
Google maps:	https://maps.app.goo.gl/YtBgy4rvesBPjuvS7
Competition:	2024 UEC BMX European Cup Rounds 1 & 2 Saturday: C1 Class Sunday: HC class
Date:	9 and 10 March 2024
Information:	Name: Stéphane GARCIA President mail: contact@bmx-sarrians.fr website: www.bmx-sarrians.fr Facebook: @bmxsarrians
UEC event manager:	Mrs. Jolanda Polkamp, email: jolandapolkamp@gmail.com
UEC event page:	https://www.uec.ch/en/bmx-european-cup
National Federation:	Fédération Française de Cyclisme (FFC)
Parking:	Free
Camping:	More information See Chapter 11 Toilets available No electricity available. Reservation possible, but not required
Admission fee:	Saturday € 15,00 Sunday € 15,00 Weekend Pass € 25,00
Teams space:	UEC 2024 registered teams, € 150,00 Non-registered teams, € 200,00 Reservation required for all teams locations (see chapter 10, page 15)
Practice reservation:	https://www.billetweb.fr/sarrians-european-cup

5. LOCATION

From the A7 motorway
 From the north,
 take the exit
 Number 22 Orange South
 in the direction of
 Carpentras Sarrians
 and travel 12 kilometres



From the A7 motorway
 from the South,
 take exit 23
 Avignon Nord Carpentras and
 drive in the direction of Carpentras
 then take the Monteux Nord exit Sarrians

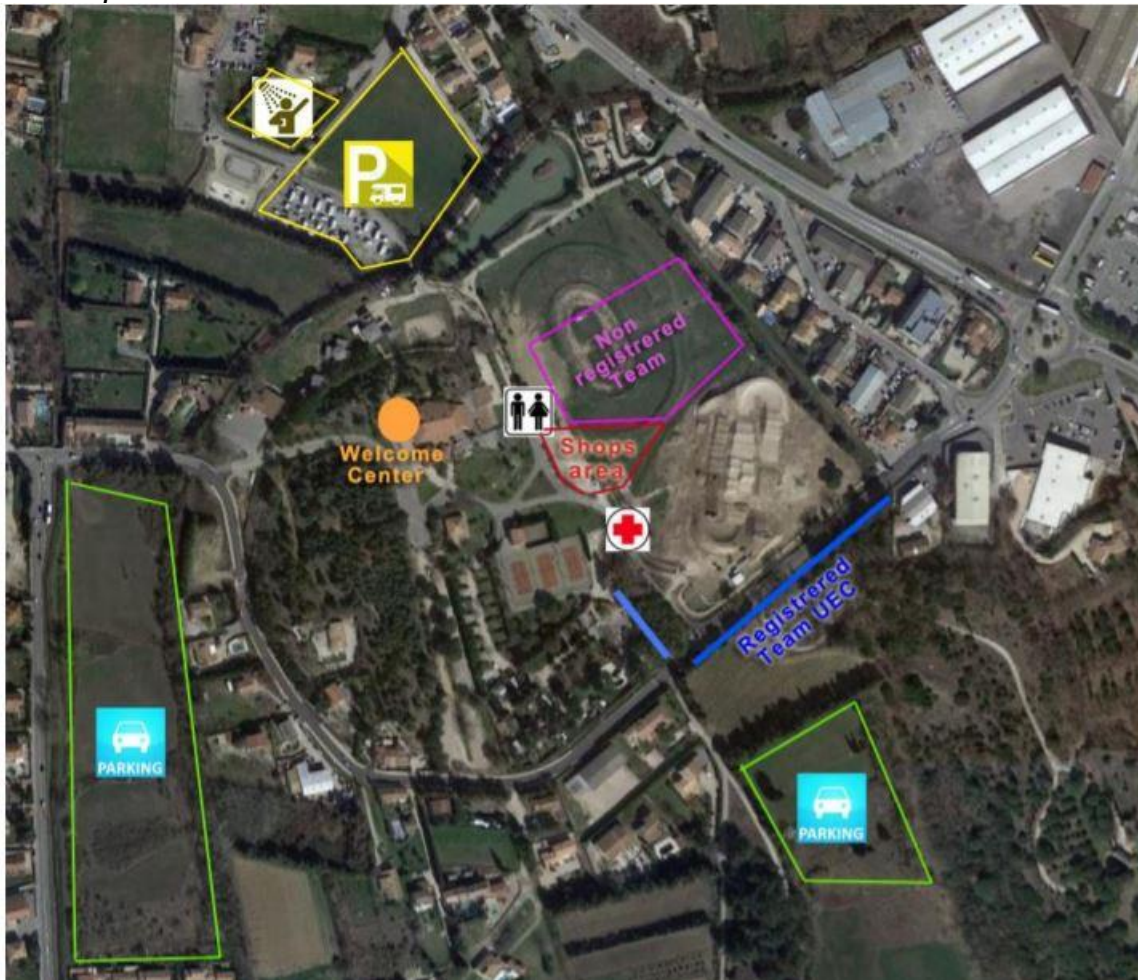
Train

- SNCF Avignon TGV station (35 min)
- SNCF Orange station (30 min))

Airport

- Marseille Provence Marignane

Site Map



6. WELCOME CENTRE

The Welcome Centre is located in the Ste. Croix district (see picture above)

The Welcome Centre will be used for:

- Riders confirmation
- UEC BMX Team manager accreditation
- Chef d'Equipe accreditation
- National Championship coach accreditation
- Personal BMX coach accreditation
- Team Area Registration and payment
- Camping check-in

Opening hours Welcome Centre

- Thursday 7th March 2024 17:00h-19:00h
- Friday 8th March 2024 08:00h-20:00h

7. PROGRAM

The time schedule will be established by the UEC according to the number of entries and will be forwarded in due time to the Organizer of the race, and will be posted on the UEC website (www.uec.ch) after the registration deadline.

This program is subject to change, and will be updated by UEC following the registration deadline.*

DATE	ACTIVITY	
FRIDAY	UEC Team registration / UEC Team manager accreditation	
	Rider's Confirmation / Chef d'Equipe accreditation	
	Team manager meeting	
	Training Challenge riders 15/16	
	Training Championship classes	
	Training Challenge riders 8 - 25+ years	
	Training Cruisers	
	SATURDAY	
	Morning	Warm-up Challenge riders 15/16
	Warm-up Championship classes	
	Round 1 Championship classes	
	Last Chance Qualifier (LCQ)	
	Qualifiers Challenge riders 15/16 & Championship classes	
	Finals Challenge riders 15/16 & Championship classes	
	Award Ceremony UEC European Cup Round 1 Challenge riders 15/16 & Championship classes	
SATURDAY		
Afternoon	Warm-up Challenge riders 8 - 25+ years & Cruisers	
	3 moto's riders 8 - 25+ years & Cruisers	
	Qualifiers riders 8 - 25+ years & Cruisers	
	Finals riders 8 - 25+ years & Cruisers	
	Award Ceremony UEC European Cup Round 1 Challenge riders 8 - 25+ years & Cruisers	

DATE	ACTIVITY
SUNDAY	
Morning	Warm-up Challenge riders 15/16
	Warm-up Championship classes
	Round 1
	Last Chance Qualifier (LCQ)
	Qualifiers Challenge riders 15/16 & Championship classes
	Finals Challenge riders 15/16 & Championship classes
	Award Ceremony UEC European Cup Round 2 Challenge riders 15/16 & Championship classes
SUNDAY	
Afternoon	Warm-up Challenge riders 8 - 25+ years & Cruisers
	3 moto's riders 8 - 25+ years & Cruisers
	Qualifiers riders 8 - 25+ years & Cruisers
	Finals riders 8 - 25+ years & Cruisers
	Award Ceremony UEC European Cup Round 2 Challenge riders 8 - 25+ years & Cruisers

*** Subject to change**

8. RIDER CATEGORIES

Championship classes:

Men Elite	19 years and older
Women Elite	19 years and older
Men U23	19 to 22 years old
Women U23	19 to 22 years old
Men Junior	17 and 18 years old
Women Juniors	17 and 18 years

Challenge Classes:

Boys:	8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15/16 (minimum age 8 year old)
Girls:	8, 9, 10, 11/12, 13/14, 15/16 (minimum age 8 year old)
Men:	17/24, 25+
Women:	17+
Cruiser:	17/29, 30/39, 40/44, 45+
Cruiser Women:	17+

9. RIDER REGISTRATION AND CONFIRMATION

Read: [2024 UEC BMX EUROPEAN CUP REGISTRATION DEADLINES FEDERATIONS.PDF](#)

And go to: <https://registration.jstiming.com/> for your registration and payment details

Rider confirmation at the event

All team managers and Chef d'Equipe must attend the rider confirmation on Friday at the Welcome Centre to confirm their riders' participation for the event.

Registration or payment at the event

NOT POSSIBLE

Transponders

All riders in Championships classes (Junior, U23 and Elite) and Challenge 15/16 require a UEC transponder to be able to participate. The transponders are provided by UEC. They will be provided in a bag per country to the Chef d'Equipe / team manager. Immediately after the race, the transponders for each country must be handed in by the Chef d'Equipe / team manager after the race.

If a rider fails to return the transponder after the event, the UEC will send an invoice of €100.00 per transponder to the federation. The rider will not be able to participate in the next UEC BMX European Cup round until the invoice is paid.

Above apply both for all races of the UEC BMX European Cup.

10. RULES

The provisions of the latest version of the UCI's BMX Rulebook apply with a few amendments:

- Riders categories: as set forth in chapter 7.
- UEC BMX European Cup events are open to all riders who are licensed by a National Federation, with a minimum age of **8 years old**. There is no limit in the number of riders a country can register.

Event format Championship categories and Challenge 15/16:

- the UCI BMX World Cup system is used according to articles 6.3.009 till 6.3.014 of the latest version of the UCI BMX Rulebook.
- Riders are not automatically entered in both Rounds of each UEC BMX European Cup event. During riders confirmation on Friday, riders can opt to participate in only 1 Round during the UEC BMX European Cup event.
- All riders in Championships categories and Challenge 15/16 require a UEC transponder to participate in UEC BMX European Cup Rounds. The rider is responsible to have the assigned transponder correctly attached to the bike at all times during racing, **warmup and practice**.
- If the number of confirmed riders in a category is 12 or less categories will be combined.

Event format other categories:

For all other categories scrambled seeding is used for the motos according to article 6.1.027quater of the UCI BMX Rulebook.

The posting of race information including start lists and results will be done electronically at every event of the UEC BMX European Cup events at <https://results.jstiming.com/>.

Rider's equipment:

- All riders receive a number plate and side plate from UEC at registration of the UEC BMX European Cup Race. In all UEC sanctioned BMX events a rider must display the number plate and side plate assigned to him. A rider who fails to display the correct number plates will be refused their start, or relegated, if it is noticed after beginning a heat or run.
- All Championship and Challenge riders must either wear a clearly visible national flag of their country on both shoulders or the national jersey of their country.
- If a Championship rider is National Champion in their class, this rider must wear either:
 - the jersey awarded by the federation,
 - a replica of that jersey with publicity in the spaces allowed by the regulations,
 - their normal jersey with the left sleeve designed to look like the flag of their country

All riders, coaches, parents, commissaires, personnel and visitors must respect Covid-19 rules implemented on the venue by the organizer.

Number of motos: in case of special conditions (weather, wind or else) or a high number of participants, the UEC BMX Commission allows the PCP in agreement with the UEC Technical delegate to reduce the number of motos. This can only apply for challenge classes and never for championship classes.

If necessary, the UEC Technical delegate and PCP can decide to call for other meetings during the event.

Team manager meeting

Team Managers meeting will be on Friday, as indicated in the time schedule. The location of the meeting will be indicated at the event. The participation is mandatory for: max. 1 National Delegate (Chef d'Equipe); max. 1 Team Manager of the UEC registered team; max. 1 Team manager of UCI registered team, max. 2 National BMX Coaches (registered by National federation).

If necessary, the UEC Technical delegate and PCP can decide to call for other meetings during the event.

11. ACCREDITATION

A Chef d'Equipe or his nominated staff is accredited by the UEC with the right to enter a restricted zone in order to perform his duties. Such accreditation may be revoked for any breach of the UCI Regulations or noncompliance with the instructions of the organization or the Commissaires' panel.

Members of the country delegations will receive accreditation at all UEC events according to the following schedule if they register their staff. Please send an email to jolandapolkamp@gmail.com before the event with the names of the staff members.

Riders	Maximum accreditation
1 – 2	1
3 – 10	2
11 – 20	3
21 – 50	5
51 – 100	7
101 – 200	9
201 +	10
Host country	10

Athletes

All athletes will be given a wristband so that they can reach all areas necessary.

National Teams

Each National Championships team must register their staff (Championship coach, doctor, other staff members) must be registered. Please send an email to jolandapolkamp@gmail.com before the event. UCI teams have the same rights as national teams.

Chef d'Equipe

Each federation which registers riders must appoint a Chef d'Equipe (national team manager) to represent the interests of all of its riders. Each Chef d'Equipe must confirm the presence of each rider as per the pre-registration riders list, on the scheduled day and times of registration.

Mandatory registration of staff before the event

Before each event a national federation must register their Chef d'Equipe and the whole team, the registration will be checked at the event. Please send an email with the names of the staff members to jolandapolkamp@gmail.com before the event.

Chef d'Equipe, Team managers and assistants must present a license from the federations. UEC will check the registration of the staff and then they will be given the accreditation. Without a registration UEC will not give out accreditation.

National BMX coaches

UEC acknowledges official BMX National coaches for European Cup. National federations can register their coaches. They will be provided with accreditation per race. A country can register max 2 coaches per country per race.

Personal BMX coaches

Championships riders who come to the event with a personal BMX coach are offered the possibility to buy a Coach accreditation. This accreditation costs €150 per weekend. This allows you access to the team manager meeting and coach area.

This coach accreditation can be bought at the Welcome Centre on Friday during rider confirmation.

12. 2024 UEC BMX EUROPEAN CUP TEAMS

UEC Registered teams

UEC teams must confirm their 4-rider participation on Friday before each event (see time schedule) at the Welcome Centre. Team managers have to fill-in the team Entry form at team confirmation. In return for the registration, they receive accreditation for the event.

Accreditation team manager

Teams only receive accreditation when they enter the team competition at the event. A UEC BMX team manager or his nominated assistant is accredited with the right to enter a restricted zone in order to perform his duties. Such accreditation may be revoked for any breach of the UEC or UCI Regulations or non-compliance with the instructions of the organization or the commissaires' panel.

Team Spaces for UEC registered teams

UEC Teams must register team spaces as indicated in the event Technical Guide. The organizer will provide spaces for team tents to UEC registered teams, or 6 x 3 m for each team, at the cost of €150 per team space. This includes 1x free event entry ticket per team tent space paid for.

For all rules and registration concerning UEC BMX European Cup Team Ranking see European Cup Team Rules document on UEC website.

Team Spaces for other teams

The organizer can provide spaces for team tents to non-UEC registered teams, of 6 x 3 m for each team, at the cost of € 200,00. These teams receive 1 free event ticket from the organizer per team tent (6x3m).

Registration team area

For booking requests: <https://www.billetweb.fr/sarrians-european-cup>

Team area rules

- Arriving will be permitted from Thursday 7th March 2024 14:00h
- Teams must leave before Sunday 10th March 2024 at 21:00h
- Team Tent area will be closed two hours after the races/practice end
- The organizers will assign space locations

During the event for any info/concerns please contact a member of the staff of the BMX club of Sarrians.

No cars or other motorized vehicles will be admitted to the Team pit lane

13. PRIZE MONEY and TROPHIES

Prize money Championship classes

The prize money will be paid to the riders by bank transfer after the award ceremony, please provide your Iban code.

Podium ceremony

Only Championship riders who come in 1st to 3rd place are obligated to attend the podium ceremony in race uniform.

UEC requires a clean podium photo without commercial attributes, like helmets, goggles or bikes, for media purposes. Afterwards riders may take photos with commercial items.

Prize money (per round)

The prize money will be increased by 10% with more than 1'000 participants registered per day.

Saturday: C1 class / Sunday: HC class

PLACE	ELITE	U23	JUNIORS
	Men / Women	Men / Women	Men / Women
	€ / round	€ / round	€ / round
1	€ 1.600	€ 400	€ 100
2	€ 800	€ 200	€ 90
3	€ 400	€ 100	€ 80
4	€ 350	€ 85	€ 70
5	€ 300	€ 75	€ 60
6	€ 250	€ 60	€ 50
7	€ 200	€ 50	€ 40
8	€ 150	€ 40	€ 30

Challenge Categories

Cups for places 1 - 8 for both rounds award ceremony.

Top 3 Challenge riders on the podium, the other finalists receive their trophy at the finish line

14. UEC 2024 OVERALL RANKING

2024 Overall Ranking Championships categories

The prize money for the overall ranking of the 2024 UEC BMX European Cup will be paid to the riders by the UEC in accordance with the Competition rules as per enclosed breakdown.

The UEC 2024 Overall ranking for Championships categories will take into consideration all rounds.

The UEC will proceed payment by the end of November 2024 through the riders' National Cycling Federation.

	ELITE	U23	JUNIOR	
	Men and Women	Men and Women	Men and Women	
PLACE				
1	€ 5'000	€ 2'500	€ 1'250	
2	€ 3'000	€ 1'500	€ 750	
3	€ 2'000	€ 1'000	€ 500	
4	€ 1'400	€ 700	€ 350	
5	€ 1'100	€ 550	€ 275	
6	€ 900	€ 450	€ 225	
7	€ 750	€ 375	€ 190	
8	€ 650	€ 325	€ 160	
TOTAL	€ 14'800	€ 7'400	€ 3'700	Total € 51'800

The 2024 Overall Ranking ceremony for all categories will be held after the award ceremony of the last 2024 Round.

2024 Overall Ranking Challenge Categories

The UEC 2024 Overall ranking will take into consideration all rounds.

The ranking of the 2024 BMX European Cup will only be established for all Challenge categories 13 years and over. Categories 12 years and younger will not have an overall ranking.

The 2024 Overall Ranking ceremony for all categories will be held after the award ceremony of the last 2024 Round.

2024 Overall UEC BMX European Cup Teams Ranking

The overall award ceremony will be held after Round 12 of the 2024 UEC BMX European Cup with the Top 3 Team coaches and maximum 4 riders per team.

The UEC BMX European Cup Teams ranking will take into consideration all rounds.

The UEC BMX Commission will award Prizemoney to the 3 first teams at the end of 12 rounds. The overall prize money is paid to teams when at least 6 rounds of the UEC BMX European Cup have been organized.

Place	UEC Prizemoney
1	€ 2.000,00
2	€ 1.000,00
3	€ 750,00

The UEC will award medals to each rider of the team:

- Gold medal for the riders of the 1st team of the UEC BMX European Cup Team ranking
- Silver medal for the riders of the 2nd team of the UEC BMX European Cup Team ranking
- Bronze medal for the riders of the 3rd team of the UEC BMX European Cup Team ranking

15. TRACK BOOKING

For more info, go to: <https://www.billetweb.fr/sarrians-european-cup>

16. CAMPING

BMX Club Sarrians offers the opportunity to camp at the event.
The campsite is located near the track.

Arrival from Thursday 7th March 2024 from 15:00h to 20:00h
Friday 8th March from 09:00h

Departure Monday 11th March 2024 at the latest 15:00h

Price € 60,00

Facilities campsite: Water, showers and toilets are included

To reserve a camping spot, visit:

<https://www.billetweb.fr/sarrians-european-cup>

17. HOTELS

Our partners:

Hôtel Novotel Avignon Nord
135 Avenue Louis Pasteur,
84700 Sorgues

[Téléphone : 04 90 03 85 00](tel:0490038500)

Le Sarrianais
28 Boulevard Albin Durand,
84260 Sarrians

[Téléphone : 04 90 62 91 30](tel:0490629130)

List of Hotels

www.provenceguide.com

18. LIVESTREAM

The UEC BMX European Cup will be broadcast live on the UEC website: www.uec.ch

19. PARKING

Free parking is located next to the track for team leaders and officials.
At a walking distance of about 200 meters, there is a second free parking lot for drivers and visitors.

20. CATERING

There will be a food stand, where you can buy hot and cold food and drinks

21. SHOPS

A BMX village will be set up during the UEC BMX European Cup.
If you'd like your shop or entertainment to be present at the opening of the European BMX season, email contact@bmx-sarrians.fr to reserve your space in the BMX Village or request more information.
Mention the name of your store, the person in charge, your arrival time, and the amount of space you need.

22. PRESS

Press accreditation for the event may be granted only to accredited journalists in possession of an ID card issued by the national press association. Accreditation for the events must be done through the UEC website for all UEC events <http://uec.ch/en/media>.

During the UEC BMX European Cup events accreditation and BIB's will be handed out by UEC Press Officer. It is mandatory to wear UEC press BIB's for the journalists on the track. The UEC will provide them and have someone responsible for their distribution.

The number of journalists on the track at the same time must be agreed by the PCP depending on the track space/size.

Press conferences, flash interviews etc. must be agreed with the UEC BMX Commission.

For all publications the UEC logo as well as the UEC main sponsor logo should be used in accordance with UEC graphic charter.

General rules

- At every UEC BMX event BIB's are used for press on and off the track.
- The distribution of the BIB at the events is done by the indicated UEC press officer or his / her deputy.
- During the events, five red Bibs' (of which one for the UEC photographer) are distributed, the rest of the photographers get a yellow BIB.
- The BIB distribution is examined separately for Challenge and Championship classes
- A guarantee for each BIB is mandatory: € 50 or an official document (driver's license, identity card, press card ...)
- By failing to comply with the regulations or the instructions of officials, the BIB can be taken from a photographer immediately.
- Be careful when using flash. Do not flash directly into the eyes of the riders.
- Photographers must be impartial on the track; it is not allowed to cheer for a rider in the track.
- It is strictly forbidden to touch a rider and / or bicycle.
- It's forbidden to walk across the photo finish line. This can cause problems for the people of the photo finish cameras.
- A photographers meeting can be organized. This will be announced in advance in a timely manner.

Drones

- Drones might be allowed after consultation with the UEC responsible, providing they are allowed by local laws. The pilot must hold a valid pilot license and there must be compliance with all regulations regarding the airline (flight plan etc.) Moreover, the minimum and the maximum height are fixed according to the regulations of the country. Failure to comply with all the proposed rules will be reported to the police.

23. MEDICAL INFORMATION

A team of doctors and paramedics will be present throughout practice and racing. The team will be based on the track and have use of a medical room at the bottom of the start ramp. The medical team will be available at the following times:

Official Practice Day

- Friday - Detailed schedule provided after registration closes.

Competition Days

- Saturday - Detailed schedule provided after registration closes.
- Sunday - Detailed schedule provided after registration closes.

Nearest hospitals

Hospital Center De Carpentras, 24 Rdpt de l'Amitié, 84200 Carpentras, France

Telephone : +33 04 32 85 88 88

Distance/time from the BMX Track: 9 kms/11 minutes

Be advised, when visiting the hospital, you will need to bring;

1. Copy of ID/Passport, address, postal code and place of residence.
2. Copy of insurance / health care incl. phone number.
3. Credit Card.

Lausanne (SUI), 2.2.2024