



**BMX SUPERCROSS
WORLD CUP**

**HEUSDEN-ZOLDER
BELGIUM**



2017

COMPETITION GUIDE





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Welcome in Heusden - Zolder

BMX Club Circuit Zolder and Circuit Zolder are honored to welcome you for the first time in our club history at the UCI BMX SX World Cup. Together with UCI, our BMX club has once more managed to bring a spectacular BMX event to Belgium. On our schedule this year we also had the UEC BMX European Cup round 1&2 and we will host the Belgian BMX Championship on July 2nd.

The club, established in 2008, lies in the center of the super-competitive race area of Circuit Zolder. The 4-kilometre long track was built in 1963 and celebrated its 50th anniversary in 2013.

Since this date, a wide variety of cars, motorbikes and trucks have raced on the track, from Formula 1 to FIA GT1. And all of this in our BMX Club's own backyard.

Lots of cycling events have also taken place on the Circuit Zolder site, such as the UCI Road World Championships in 2002 and the UCI Cyclocross World Championships in the same year. In 2016, Wout Van Aert became world champion cyclocross right here at Circuit Zolder. Did you know that the first competition to ever take place on the circuit was actually a cycling race? And the BMX Club has been part of this story since 2008. Since then, the club has become the biggest in Belgium, with 170 race license holders. Moreover, the Lotto BMX-track is the permanent training facility for the national BMX-team!



GENERAL INFORMATION

Circuit Zolder is the main organizer of the UCI BMX SX World Cup in Heusden – Zolder.

You can contact us as follows:

- Circuit Zolder contact: Jef Simons jef.simons@circuit-zolder.be 003211858874
- BMX club contact: Luc Willems bmx@circuit-zolder.be

All info about the event to be found on our website under the next link:
www.bmxzolder.be/wbbmx

The battle in Heusden – Zolder will take place on the Lotto BMX Track at Circuit Zolder. The track is 384m long and has 1 pro section. The bends are all in asphalt and the track has a “Graustabiel” surface that allows us to ride in all weather conditions.

Currently we are using both a 5 and an 8m Pro Gate start gate and a MyLaps Timing System. A 200 lux LED lighting system allows us to ride at any time of the day.

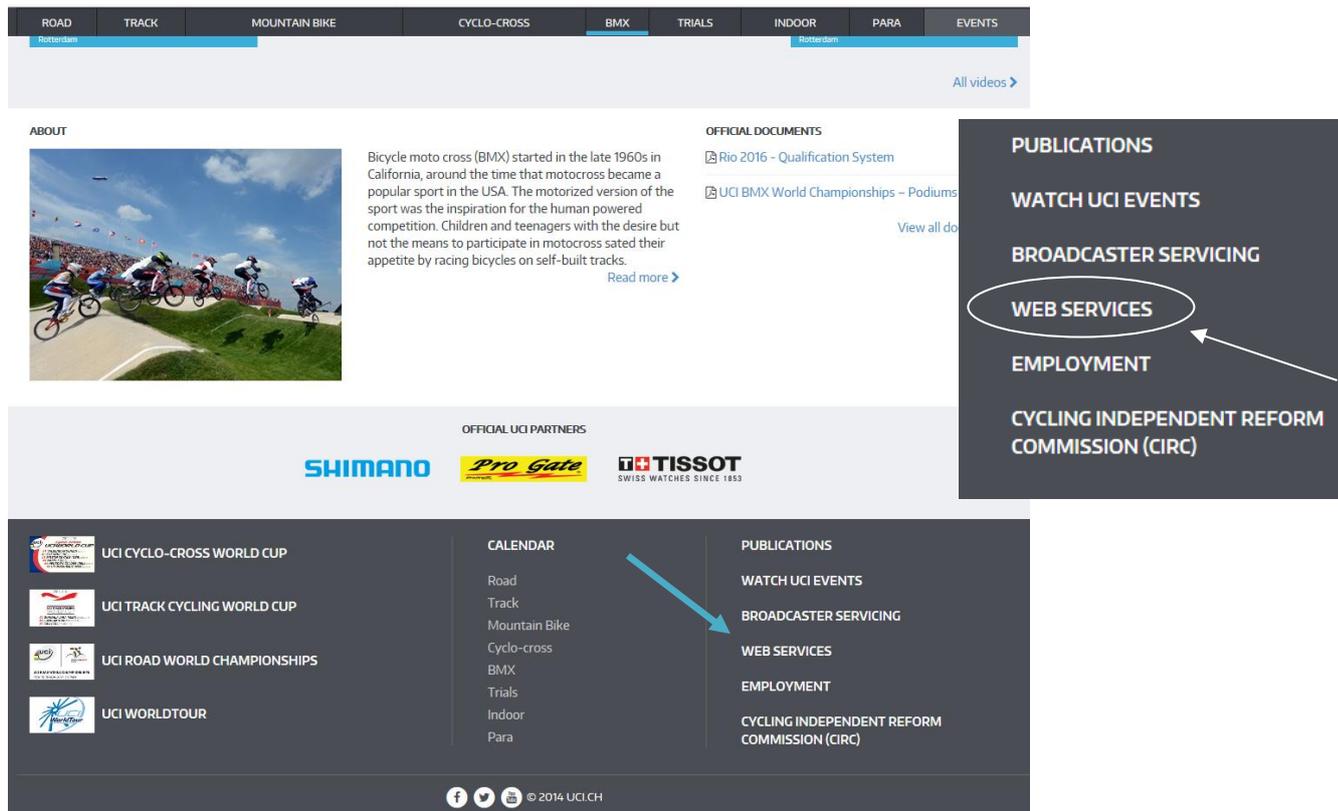


REGISTRATION

You can enter through the UCI website (www.uci.ch) clicking as follows:

- **Web services** (on the homepage on the right side, last link)
- **UCI World Cups**
- **“Riders registration”**

Access: personal login and password of each National Federation.



The screenshot shows the UCI website navigation menu. The 'BMX' tab is selected in the top navigation bar. On the right side, a vertical menu contains the following items: PUBLICATIONS, WATCH UCI EVENTS, BROADCASTER SERVICING, **WEB SERVICES** (circled in white with an arrow pointing to it), EMPLOYMENT, and CYCLING INDEPENDENT REFORM COMMISSION (CIRC). Below this, there is a section for 'OFFICIAL UCI PARTNERS' featuring logos for SHIMANO, Pro Gate, and TISSOT. At the bottom, there is a footer menu with 'CALENDAR' (containing links for Road, Track, Mountain Bike, Cyclo-cross, BMX, Trials, Indoor, Para) and 'PUBLICATIONS' (containing links for WATCH UCI EVENTS, BROADCASTER SERVICING, WEB SERVICES, EMPLOYMENT, and CYCLING INDEPENDENT REFORM COMMISSION (CIRC)). A blue arrow points from the 'CALENDAR' section to the 'WEB SERVICES' link in the footer menu.

All riders must enter through their national federation or UCI BMX team of which they are a member; no individual entries will be accepted. Only Junior and Elite riders can participate at the UCI BMX Supercross World Cup. **Registration opens on 20th April, 2017 and closes on 4th May 2017.**

http://regonline.uci.ch/_layouts/login_Onlineservices.aspx?ReturnUrl=%2f

! The name of the hotel where the riders will overnight must be given during the online registration.

Entry Payments

The entry fee for the 2017 UCI BMX Supercross World Cup is **€250** for online registration.

After the registration deadline, the national federation will receive an invoice by e-mail, sent by the organiser. There is a possibility to prepay the invoice or to pay on site cash (euros) or by credit card. In case of prepayment, the receipt needs to be taken to the competition. For more information regarding prepayment please contact

All riders/teams must attend the riders' confirmation on the first practice day between 10.00 and 12.00 presenting their license and picking up their race numbers. Riders not being confirmed before the indicated deadline did not complete the registration procedure and will not be able to compete at the event.

The riders' confirmation office is located directly at the track, in the same room as the team managers' meeting (room immediately behind the 5m start hill starting gate).

Riders that were registered through the online system but that are unable to participate will still need to pay their entry fee to the organizer.

Late Registration

Late registration is only possible through the National federation or UCI BMX Team of which the rider is a member. The entry fee for a late registration is **€ 500** and should be paid immediately on site. Late entries are entries handled **after** the online registration deadline and **before** the riders' confirmation deadline, which is 12.00 on Friday 12th May. Once the riders' confirmation deadline has passed, no more late entries will be accepted.

Exchange rate: as per UCI financial obligations:

[http://www.uci.ch/mm/Document/News/News/18/01/19/BMX17Multi- Neutral.pdf](http://www.uci.ch/mm/Document/News/News/18/01/19/BMX17Multi-Neutral.pdf)

TEAM BIBS



Team Bibs will be provided for National teams (1 per nation) by the Secretary during the riders confirmation, for those teams which did not receive one during the world cup event at Papendal the week-end prior.

This takes place on the first practice day (Friday 12th May) between 10.00 and 12.00 during riders' confirmation. Teams will be asked to pay a € 100 deposit.

The team BIBs give access to allocated places explained by the PCP during the team managers meeting.

All bibs (whether received in Papendal or at Heusden-Zolder) must be returned prior to the end of the event on Sunday, 14th May.

RIDER ACCREDITATION

All rainbow passes are delivered to the teams during the first event of the season that they attend. If additional sporting passes are necessary the request needs to be send before the event to kevin.maccuish@uci.ch. For the request, please indicate the reason, the name and the contact details of the person for whom they are requested.

Additional sporting passes will be distributed during riders' confirmation in the registration room.



TEAM MANAGERS MEETING

The Team Managers meeting will be held 09.00 on Friday, 12th May in the room located behind the 5m starting gate at the track.

- Date: Friday 12th May
- Meeting time: 9.00 – 9.30
- Location: At the track, room behind the 5m starting gate
- All teams should have representation at this meeting

EVENT SCHEDULE

Schedule subject to change.

Schedule - Day 1 - Friday 12th May			
09:00	09:30	00:30	Team Managers' Meeting
10:00	12:00	02:00	Riders' Confirmation
13:30	14:55	01:25	Practice - Women
15:00	16:25	01:25	Practice - Men - Group B
16:30	17:55	01:25	Practice - Men - Group A

Schedule - Day 2 - Saturday 13th May			
Start	Finish	Duration	Activity
09:00	09:55	00:55	Practice - Women
10:00	10:55	00:55	Practice - Men - Group B
11:00	11:55	00:55	Practice - Men - Group A
13:00	13:35	00:35	Men Round 1
13:35	13:50	00:15	Women Round 1
13:50	13:55	00:05	Break
13:55	14:10	00:15	Men - Last Chance
14:10	14:20	00:10	Women - Last Chance
14:20	14:30	00:10	Break
14:30	15:00	00:30	Men 1/16 Finals
15:00	15:20	00:20	Break
15:20	15:35	00:15	Men 1/8 Finals
15:35	15:45	00:10	Women 1/4 Finals
15:45	15:55	00:10	Break
15:55	16:05	00:10	Men 1/4 Finals
16:05	16:10	00:05	Break
16:10	16:20	00:10	Women 1/2 Finals
16:20	16:25	00:05	Break
16:25	16:35	00:10	Men 1/2 Finals
16:35	16:45	00:10	Break
16:45	16:55	00:10	Women Finals
16:55	17:05	00:10	Men Finals
17:05	17:20	00:15	Award Ceremony

Schedule - Day 3 - Sunday 14th May				
Start	Finish	Duration	Activity	
11:30	11:55	00:25	Warm-up: Women	
11:55	12:20	00:25	Warm-up: Men Group B	
12:20	12:45	00:25	Warm-up: Men Group A	
13:00	13:35	00:35	Men Round 1	
13:35	13:50	00:15	Women Round 1	
13:50	13:55	00:05	Break	
13:55	14:10	00:15	Men - Last Chance	
14:10	14:20	00:10	Women - Last Chance	
14:20	14:30	00:10	Break	
14:30	15:00	00:30	Men 1/16 Finals	
15:00	15:20	00:20	Break	
15:20	15:35	00:15	Men 1/8 Finals	
15:35	15:45	00:10	Women 1/4 Finals	
15:45	15:55	00:10	Break	
15:55	16:05	00:10	Men 1/4 Finals	
16:05	16:10	00:05	Break	
16:10	16:20	00:10	Women 1/2 Finals	
16:20	16:25	00:05	Break	
16:25	16:35	00:10	Men 1/2 Finals	
16:35	16:45	00:10	Break	
16:45	16:55	00:10	Women Finals	
16:55	17:05	00:10	Men Finals	
17:05	17:20	00:15	Award Ceremony	

TEAM AREA TENTS

All teams can have a 5 x 5 metre tent at their disposal in the team area. A table and chairs are included.



A tent in the team area can be rented by teams for € 750. Also, it is possible to rent more than one tent; they will be connected to create one large space.

To book one or more tents, please return the form in the appendix to the organization at: jef.simons@circuit-zolder.be. Please reserve your tent before the 1st of May 2017.

PLEASE NOTE: at the location near the staging area, there is room for **20 team tents**. If the number of reservation exceeds 20, we will place the other tents at a secondary location. Spaces will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. Payments can be made upon arrival, in cash or with credit card. Please note that bookings cannot be cancelled.

Team Areas will be accessible from 08.00 Friday 12th May to Sunday 14th May 20.00. Additionally, teams may begin moving equipment in to their space on the evening of Thursday 11th May between 18h00 and 20h00.

IMPORTANT: Due to the terrain's layout, it is not possible to bring SX tents of your own.

UCI OFFICIALS

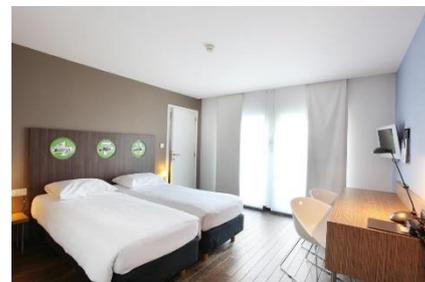
UCI Technical Delegate	Yvan LAPRAZ (SUI)
President of the Commissaires' panel (PCP)	Paul CONNORS (AUS)
Assistant PCP	Norm MCCANN (NZL)
Secretary	Christine DECONCLOIS (FRA)
3 rd commissaire	Wilbert KERKHOF (NED)
Doping Control Officer (DCO)	Pascal EECKHOUT (BEL)
Medical Logistics Manager	Rick BAHR (USA)

TRAVEL & ACCOMMODATION

Official hotel

For accommodation during the UCI BMX Supercross World Cup, the Hotel

- Hotel De Pits (Hotel / Restaurant) ***:**
 Sterrenwacht 143, 3550 Heusden-Zolder
 Tel. 003211 85 82 82
 e-mail zolder@lodge-hotels.be
www.lodge-hotels.be



- Holiday Inn Hasselt ***:**
 Kattegatstraat 1, 3500 Hasselt
 Tel. 003211 24 22 00
 e-mail info@hihasselt.com
www.hihasselt.com



Preferred hotels

- **Radisson BLU Hotel Hasselt **** - Restaurant Koper:**
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Tel. 003211 77 00 00
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www.hasselt.radissonsas.com
- **Hotel Restaurant Intermotel ***:**
Klaverbladstraat 7, 3560 Lummen
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Travel

By public transportation

By train:

Please take any train towards Hasselt to make the change to a bus at Hasselt station.
Trains in Belgium: www.belgianrail.be and www.b-europe.com/Treinen/België

By bus:

There is a bus stop at the main entrance of Circuit Zolder.
Please take any bus to stop “*Viversel tunnel autocircuit*”, stop 404131.

By car

From ANTWERP:

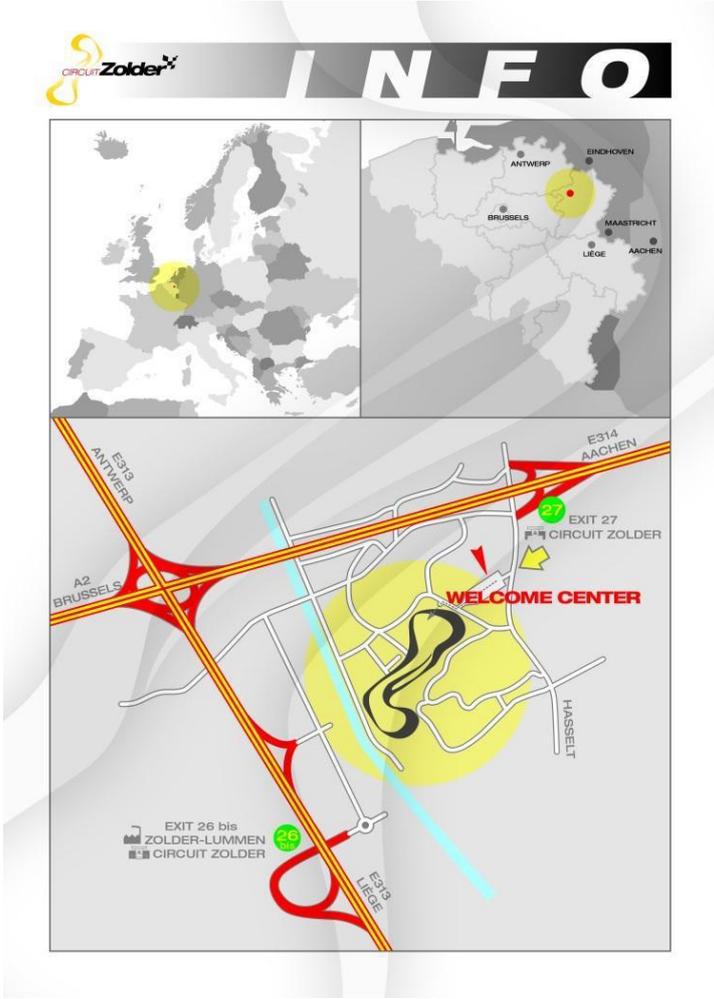
From Antwerp, take the E313 towards Hasselt. From junction 26bis, follow the signposts for “Circuit Zolder” and the event signs.

From BRUSSELS:

From Brussels, take the E40 towards Liège. In Leuven, take the E314 towards Genk/Aachen until junction 27, Circuit Zolder. From there, follow the signposts for “Circuit Zolder” and the event signs.

From AACHEN / GENK:

From Aachen/Genk, take the E 314 until junction 27. From there, follow the signposts for “Circuit Zolder” and the event signs.



USEFUL INFORMATION

Sporting and technical aspects, event management and coordination:
Mr. Kevin MacCuish, UCI BMX coordinator
Kevin.MacCuish@uci.ch

Organiser

The 2017 UCI BMX Supercross at Heusden-Zolder is organized by:

VZW TERMLAMEN
Terlaemen 30
3550 Heusden-Zolder
Belgium
e-mail: jef.simons@circuit-zolder.be

Training possibilities

The BMX Track can be booked for practice (please note that the track is closed for event preparations beginning on Tuesday 9th May). To book time on the track and for more information about availability and prices please contact:

Jef Simons
jef.simons@circuit-zolder.be

Prize Money

Equal prize money will be paid to the top 16 men and top 16 women.

All prize money shall be available for collection from the office at the end of the competition (Sunday May 14th), after the podium ceremony. Prize money will be paid in Euros.

Ranking / Classement	MEN ELITE / HOMMES ELITE		WOMEN ELITE / FEMMES ELITE	
	Per round / Par épreuve	Overall / Général	Per round / Par épreuve	Overall / Général
1st / 1er	2500 €	10000 €	2500 €	10000 €
2nd / 2ème	1500 €	6000 €	1500 €	6000 €
3rd / 3ème	1000 €	4000 €	1000 €	4000 €
4th / 4ème	700 €	1900 €	700 €	1900 €
5th / 5ème	550 €	1600 €	550 €	1600 €
6th / 6ème	450 €	1400 €	450 €	1400 €
7th / 7ème	375 €	1200 €	375 €	1200 €
8th / 8ème	325 €	1000 €	325 €	1000 €
9th / 9ème		650 €		650 €
10th / 10ème		600 €		600 €
11th / 11ème		500 €		500 €
12th / 12ème		450 €		450 €
13th / 13ème		400 €		400 €
14th / 14ème		350 €		350 €
15th / 15ème		300 €		300 €
16th / 16ème		250 €		250 €
Total	7400 €	30600 €	7400 €	30600 €
Semi-final 1				
5th / 5ème	275 €		275 €	
6th / 6ème	275 €		275 €	
7th / 7ème	250 €		250 €	
8th / 8ème	250 €		250 €	
Total	1050 €		1050 €	
Semi-final 2				
5th / 5ème	275 €		275 €	
6th / 6ème	275 €		275 €	
7th / 7ème	250 €		250 €	
8th / 8ème	250 €		250 €	
Total	1050 €		1050 €	

Media

All media planning to attend the event must be accredited in order to gain access to the venue. To apply for a press accreditation for the UCI BMX Supercross at Heusden-Zolder, you are obliged to fill in the form on the event website: www.bmxzolder.be/wbbmx To be awarded an accreditation you need to be in possession of a valid press card.

For any questions contact our press officer directly: Kersten Van Kerckhoven
Press officer info: kvkmedia.be@gmail.com

Medical Cover

A team of doctors and paramedics will be present throughout practise and racing. They are based in the room at the bottom of the 8m start ramp.

Medical team on site:

A.R.T. Ambuce Rescue Team
www.ambuce.be

The nominated hospital:

Sint – Franciskusziekenhuis
Pastoor Paquaylaan 129, 3550 Heusden - Zolder
www.sfz.be

ABOUT HEUSDEN-ZOLDER

HEUSDEN-ZOLDER is a small town in the province of Limburg, most known for its coal mining history and the famous car race track Circuit Zolder. Today it offers plenty of opportunities for walking, cycling and visiting restored historical buildings of the mines.

Tourist info can be found on: <http://toerisme.heusden-zolder.be>



The province of Limburg is often referred to as the green province of Flanders. Its cycling network became one of its biggest tourist attractions and is now copied in the rest of Flanders and even abroad. Southern Limburg is one of rolling hills, with Haspengouw renowned for its castles, square farms, small villages, sunken lanes and fruit tree orchards.

In Hasselt you'll find many high-quality restaurants, which is no coincidence: the capital of Limburg proudly calls itself the city of taste.

Tourist info can be found on: www.toerismelimburg.be

APPENDIX 1: TEAM TENT RESERVATION FORM

Tent rental team area – UCI BMX Supercross Heusden-Zolder

We'd like to rent.....(number of tents) during the UCI BMX Supercross,
13th&14th May 2017



Specifications:

- € 750,- per tent
- 5 x 5 metres
- Table and chairs included
- Tents are connectable
- Payment can be made upon arrival:
cash or credit card
- Once booked, tents can't be cancelled

IMPORTANT:
Due to the lay-out of the Supercross terrain, the organization will not allow SX teams to bring their own tents.

Team.....

Contact.....male/female

E-mail.....

Telephone number.....(during event)

In case of emergency:

Name hotel.....(during event)

City.....

Please return this form no later than 1st May
E-mail: jef.simons@circuit-zolder.be

APPENDIX 2: VENUE LAYOUT

