

2007 Lyle Pearson 200-mile Team Challenge (Presented by Smith Sport Optics)

Lyle Pearson Company and George's Cycles & Fitness are proud to announce the 2nd Annual Lyle Pearson 200-mile Team Challenge. This event will take place on Saturday, June 2nd from Boise to Sun Valley. Each team will consist of four riders (men and/or women), and the sum of each rider's USCF category must be 10 or greater for the team. There will be 10 'sections' to the race, and each team will be required to choose (in advance) which of their riders will be responsible for each section. Here are the sections involved:

1. Boise to Robie Creek
2. Robie Creek to Idaho City
3. Idaho City to Mores Creek Summit
4. Mores Creek Summit to Lowman
5. Lowman to Grand Jean
6. Grand Jean to Banner Creek Summit
7. Banner Creek Summit to Stanley
8. Stanley to Smiley Creek
9. Smiley Creek to Galena Lodge
10. Galena Lodge to Sun Valley

Each team will be responsible for their own support. Road Bikes and/or Time Trial bikes are allowed, and bike changes can only be made in the transition areas. Up to three riders from each team can be on the road together at one time in any section, with the exception of Section 11 where all four team members may ride together. The total number of riders starting a Section together must finish that section together before the rider(s) can start the next section.

A time handicap will be given to each team whose Category sum is equal or greater than 15. Teams with the sum of 15 will receive a 5 minute deduction from their total time, and 5 minutes will be given for each point for teams over 15 (i.e. team Cat total is 20, team receives 25 minutes off their total time.) In addition, if your team rider weight exceeds 750lbs, you will receive a 10-minute handicap. An 'age handicap' of 10 minutes will be given to the team(s) with a combined team age of greater than 180.

Entry fee is \$200.00 per team, with a \$1,000.00 cash payout:

1st Place- \$500.00

2nd Place- \$300.00

3rd Place- \$200.00

Field Limit- There will be a field limit of 50 Teams. Reserve your spot (beginning January 29th) at www.sportsbaseonline.com with a \$100.00 deposit. The balance and team name/roster will need to be completed on or before May 15th. The \$100.00 deposit is refundable up to May 15th.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please contact Mike Cooley (mcooley@georgescycles.com) or (208)343-3782.