



CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL COLORADO COURAGE CLASSIC JULY 20 – 21, 2019 – COPPER MOUNTAIN, CO

Below you will find details regarding COGA and its Elite Cycling Team involvement at the 2019 Courage Classic. This is an informational resource for you and your staff on how to get involved. Please note that details are subject to change. For additional details or questions, please contact Christina Delpone at cycling@coga.org.

- 2015 – 13 riders; \$5,791 raised
- 2016 – 19 registered; 17 participated; \$7,225 raised
- 2017 – 22 registered; 18 participated; \$15,145 raised
- 2018 – 22 registered; 18 participated; \$9,064 raised

REGISTRATION:

- Link to register and join the team: <http://support.childrenscoloradofoundation.org/goto/coga>
- Registration Cost: \$100; After May 1: \$145; After July 1: \$175
- Fundraising minimum: \$500
- Under the dropdown "Ride" → select "Join Team" → if you have not participated in the ride before select "Join as a New Participant" or sign in → under "Team Name" type "COGA Cycling" → select "Search for a Team" → Taylor Jung should be the Captain → select "Join" and follow the prompts to continue registration

INCLUDED WITH RIDER REGISTRATION:

- Daily breakfast for all riders at Copper Mountain Resort
- Gourmet lunch Saturday on-route
- BBQ at the finish line on Sunday
- Fully stocked aid stations (approximately every 8-15 miles on course)
- Full tour support, including sag wagons, medical first aid and mechanical aid
- Courage Classic t-shirt
- Rider welcome reception Friday afternoon
- Family friendly entertainment offered throughout the weekend at Copper Mountain Resort
- Rider Expo featuring sponsor booths, giveaways and the newest in cycling innovation

WHERE TO STAY IN COPPER MOUNTAIN:

- All riders are responsible for their own accommodations
- To book a room: Call Copper Mountain Resort: 1-866-837-2996, reference the group name Courage Classic and our group code 3187 to access group rates
- Late checkout at Copper: Standard policy is guest needs to wait until 5:30 p.m. the night before checkout to request late checkout. If that unit is not reserved for the next night, they can give a 12 p.m. checkout for free, 1 p.m. checkout for \$20, and 2 p.m. checkout for \$40
 - Garage access is permitted for guests until 2 p.m. day of checkout
 - Luggage storage is available at lodging check-in building
- If you are not staying at the resort, suggested options include renting through VRBO. Camping and RV details are on the Courage Classic website as well!



GEAR:

- [Click here to purchase](#) your COGA Elite Cycling Team jersey through the Pactimo online store, before June 5, jerseys are \$75 and *will not* be delivered until the week of July 8
- Pedal of Littleton: 2640 W Belleview Ave. Suite 100, Littleton, CO 80123
 - Pedal offers many brands from Cannondale to Cervelo to Felt. Bikes, clothing, packs, tune-ups, etc. are also available at Pedal.
 - They have extended a 10% discount to all COGA Courage Classic Team riders from now until the ride. Just let them know that you are riding the Courage Classic with COGA.
- Wheat Ridge Cyclery: 7085 West 38th Avenue, Wheat Ridge CO, 80033
 - For bike rentals, feel free to reach out to Steve Heal from Wheat Ridge Cyclery at steveh@wheatridgecyclery.com.
- License plates for the elite team to identify COGA members on the route



IMPORTANT DATES:

- May 1: Registration price increases to \$145
- June 29: Last day to send in offline donations to meet your fundraising minimum in advance of tour check-in
- July 1: Registration price increases to \$175.
- July 6: Last day to update your tour info (including your emergency contact) in your Participant Center prior to the tour
- July 21, midnight: Fundraising totals will be calculated, your minimum fundraising amount must be met by tour check-in or you will be asked to pay the difference
- July 20 & 21: Courage Classic in Copper Mountain!
- August 31: Deadline for donations. All checks must be postmarked by Aug. 31 and mailed to Children's Hospital Colorado Foundation, Attn: Courage Classic, PO Box 5003, Denver, CO 80217-5003

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

- Friday night: light food and drink in center village
- Saturday afternoon: light food and drink for early returning riders
- Saturday evening: light food and drink
- Matching donations raised by your employees

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- Training Rides: Please join the mailing list to receive information on the final dates.
 - The COGA team will organize one spin class at the DAC and one weekend ride (around 30 - 40 miles, central to Denver) prior to the Courage Classic for training.
 - Courage Classic typically hosts a few training rides. Details can be found on their website.
- More Questions?
 - Visit: <https://www.coga.org/elitecycling>
 - Courage Classic Website: childrenscoloradofoundation.org/courage-classic/
 - Contact: Cycling@coga.org
- Follow the team!
 - Twitter: @COGACycling | Facebook: @COGAEliteCyclingTeam