

**2019 Club “Try-Out”
Information and Application
Package**



Affiliated Cycling Club

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OCA Club Try-Out Program

The Ontario Cycling Association (OCA) is pleased to announce that, in its continued effort to grow the club landscape in the province, it will once again offer clubs the opportunity to host *Try-Out* opportunities for non-members*. This program is designed to help clubs recruit new members by providing them an opportunity to specifically market days where non-members may participate at the club on a trial basis. The program is open to all OCA affiliated clubs under the following guidelines:

1. Clubs must first apply to be part of this program. The application is due a minimum of **7 days in advance** and will indicate when the club will host ride opportunities under the supervision of an experienced ride leader in accordance with the club's ride guidelines/policies**.
2. Competitive activities are not currently allowed under the Club Try-Out Program. Rides and skill development activities are allowed (as is the occasional Time Trial) but activities outside of these will not be permitted.
3. Clubs will be able to hold a **maximum of three (3)** Try-Out opportunities per month.
4. An individual may only attend a Try-Out opportunity **once**. After this they must decide to become a member of the OCA and club to participate in any further activities.
5. All participants must fill out an OCA waiver and their individual information in the Try-Out Tracking Form (found on page 4). Clubs must provide copies to the OCA office **within 7 days** of any Try-Out. Full Information must be collected for each individual.
6. Any incidents that occur on the ride **MUST** be reported using the OCA Sport Injury Report Form (as is the case for any member related incident). These forms **MUST** be submitted to the OCA **within 7 days**.

For those under 18, the Informed Consent, Indemnity and Assumption of Risk Agreement MUST be signed by both a parent/guardian as well as the participant.

* Previous OCA members cannot take part in the program.

**Clubs are expected to provide the appropriate level of training for the level of the individual who is taking the Try-Out opportunity.

Any individual or club found to be abusing the program will have their membership with the Ontario Cycling Association revoked.

For More Info: Email: support@ontariocycling.org Phone 416-855-1717

Application to Participate in the Club Try-Out Program

To be filled out by applicant club

Club Name: _____

Please provide dates and locations where the club will run Try-Out days and who will be the supervising Ride Leader of each session:

Date	Location	Supervising Ride Leader(s)

Declaration of club:

I confirm that our club would like to participate in the OCA's *Club Try-Out* Program. The club agrees to the procedures involved in participating in this program, and will provide the requested documentation to be part of the program under the guidelines described.

President's Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date(mm/dd/yyyy): _____

I confirm that all individuals listed above participated in the *Try-Out* Program and have signed the appropriate waiver form.

Club: _____

President's Signature: _____ Date: _____