

**Brookville YMCA Laurel Festival
Bike Race**

RACE ENTRY FORM:

**2018 BROOKVILLE YMCA LAUREL FESTIVAL BIKE RACE
COURSE**

I understand the description of these risks is not complete and that other unknown or unanticipated risks may result in injury, illness, or death. _____(initial.)

EXPRESS ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND RESPONSIBILITY: In recognition of the inherent risks of the activity which I and/or my children for which I am responsible, will engage in, I confirm that I am/we are physically and mentally capable of participating in the activity and/or using equipment. I/we participate willingly and voluntarily and I assume responsibility for damages to or loss of my/our personal property. I also assume risk for accidents or injury caused during the race. I agree to follow all race rules. I assume the risk(s) or personal injury, accidents and/or illness, including but not limited to wounds, scrapes, abrasions and/or contusions, oxygen shortage, head, neck, and/or spinal injuries, shock, paralysis, and/or death.

COVENANT OF GOOD FAITH: I recognize that you, as provider of services, will operate under a covenant of good faith and fair dealing, but that you may find it necessary to refuse or terminate, the participation of any person you judge to be incapable of meeting the rigors or requirements of any activity. I accept your right to take such actions for the safety of myself and/or other participants.

AUTHORIZATION: I hereby authorize any medical treatment deemed necessary in the event of any injury or illness while participating in the activity. I either have appropriate insurance or, in its absence, agree to pay all costs of rescue and/or medical services as may be incurred on my/our behalf. I agree that any film or photographs of me/us, as participants, become property and may be used for promotional or commercial purposes.

RELEASE: In consideration of services provided, I, for myself and my children for whom I am parent, legal guardian or otherwise responsible, any heirs, personal representatives or assigns, due hereby release:

Brookville YMCA, its principals, directors, officers, agents, employees, and volunteers, from all liability and waive any claim for damage arising from any cause whatsoever (except that which is result of gross negligence).

I have read and understood the forgoing acknowledgment of risks, assumption and responsibility, and release of liability. I understand that by signing this form I may be waiving valuable legal rights.

PARTICIPANTS NAME (PRINTED): _____

AGE: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: ___/___/___ PHONE:(_____) _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

IF PARTICIPANT IS UNDER 18, THE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN MUST ALSO

SIGN: X _____

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ **STATE:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

PHONE:(_____) _____ **M/F:** _____

SHIRT SIZE _____

Please indicate the age class that you will be competing in:

Males:

17-19 _____ **20-29** _____ **30-39** _____ **40-49** _____

50-59 _____ **60-69** _____ **70 and up** _____

Females:

17-30 _____ **31-45** _____ **46 and over** _____

The Brookville Laurel Festival Bike Race is scheduled for June 23, 2018 at 9:00 am. The race starts and finishes at the Brookville YMCA. All riders should be off the race course by 10:30 am. The annual Laurel Festival Parade is planned on Main St. in the afternoon. The bicycle race course is a 2.5 mile circuit covering 10 laps. The race ends when the first rider completes 10 laps totaling 2.5 miles. At that time, a fire whistle will blow notifying all riders still on the course. Riders still on the course should only complete the lap they're on. The race will still time everyone's finish. However, any rider that continues to ride past the timer's station for additional laps will not be timed and will be ineligible to place in their age class. REGISTERED RIDERS will line up in a peloton at the front of the YMCA on Main St. facing west.

The Brookville YMCA Laurel Festival Bike Race course starts on Main St. in front of the YMCA. It heads west a half-block to Pickering St. Riders turn **LEFT** onto Pickering St. and go down the hill and across the Pickering Bridge. They then turn **LEFT** onto Mabon St. and immediately bear **RIGHT** up the 1st short hill, and eventually cross the Mabon Bridge. Riders then bear **RIGHT** at the stop sign and go up the 2nd hill on Second Street. (At the top of the hill is the borough police station on the left and Bill's Bar on the right.) Riders proceed **STRAIGHT** crossing Sandy Lick Creek where Second St. becomes Belgiumtown Road. (Miller Welding and Machine Co. is on the right). In less than a quarter of a mile, **riders need to be especially cautious** as they will make a very sharp **RIGHT** in a near complete turnaround onto Tunnel Hill Road. (A road marshal will signal riders of this turn.) Riders continue on Tunnel Hill Road eventually climbing the 3rd hill to the top at South Pickering St. Riders then go through the stop sign turning **RIGHT** onto South Pickering St. and go down the hill crossing the Pickering Bridge again. They then turn **RIGHT** onto Madison Avenue (a road marshal will signal this turn). In a half-block, riders bear **LEFT** and go up the 4th and final hill where Madison becomes Franklin Avenue. At the top of the hill riders then turn **LEFT** back onto Main St. to complete the lap and start the circuit again.

The Brookville YMCA Laurel Festival Bike Course is a 2.5 mile circuit with plenty of signage along the circuit. The race course is fully supported by authorized traffic patrol at all crucial intersections and other hazardous locations. The race is for amateur riders (non-professionals) and racers must pay an entrance fee to be classified as a REGISTERED RIDER.

This race is intended to be held annually on the fourth Saturday in June during the annual Laurel Festival in Brookville, PA. The race begins at 9:00 AM on Saturday, June 23 at the Brookville YMCA on Main St. in downtown Brookville.

