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## **2024 Missoula Mammoths Mountain Bike Team Expectations**

### **For Athletes: Attendance and General Expectations**

- **Attend half of all practices**, at a minimum
- **Attend at least one race day.** Find dates on [missoulamammoths.com/schedule](https://missoulamammoths.com/schedule)
- **High School only- full participation in at least one trail maintenance day**
- **Adherence to [NICA Code of Conduct](#)** (Safe, Responsible, Respectful)
- **Use TeamSnap to check in to each practice, special event, and race**
- Arrive on time and prepared to ride (water, jacket, equipment, etc)
- *Failure to meet expectations may result in losing your "Returning Athlete" status for the following year. If you have a special circumstance that may affect your ability to meet these expectations, please communicate with us ASAP to discuss.*

### **For Parents and Guardians: Equipment and General Expectations**

- **Athletes must have a working bike, safe fitting helmet, and appropriate clothing for their needs, including a rain jacket for every practice.** All Athletes must also carry their own water (CamelBak, water bottles, etc), bring a snack, and have basic repair kits with them on their bikes (at a minimum- spare tube and pump).
- If you need help with equipment or bike maintenance, please reach out!
- **Use TeamSnap to check in** to each practice, special event, and race (younger athletes) or reinforce your athlete must consistently do their own check-ins (older athletes).
- **Parent and Guardian volunteering is highly encouraged- and while volunteer hours are not required, they are what makes practices, events, and race days run smoothly.** Please review volunteer requests when you see them, and offer your time when you are able.
- Communicate if an athlete will have a planned absence beyond just one practice.
- Communicate if an injury/illness occurs (either during practice, or outside of practice) so we can plan for absences or accommodations if needed.
- Arrive on time and double check your athlete is prepared to ride.

### **For Parents and Guardians: Financial Expectations**

- **Understand and adhere to the schedule of both fee payments and jersey requirements.** Please email us to inquire about our scholarships or discuss other needs.
- **Total Fees in 2024 are \$525 for Middle School, \$550 for High School**
  - Montana League Fee: \$275 (MS) / \$300 (HS) paid via PitZone
  - Missoula Mammoths: \$250 (same MS/HS) paid via RegFox
- **Scholarships links are here:** [missoulamammoths.com/2024-mammoths-registration/](https://missoulamammoths.com/2024-mammoths-registration/)
- **Uniform (Race Jersey) costs are \$0- \$90 annually.** Some used jerseys may be available, and last year's jersey is fine for returning athletes that are not switching to a new HS team. New jerseys run \$40-\$90 roughly depending on style and type. Athletes must wear a jersey to race. Ordering of new jerseys is once-a-year-only and planned for early July.

**Find more information at [missoulamammoths.com](https://missoulamammoths.com) – Email us at [missoulamammoths@gmail.com](mailto:missoulamammoths@gmail.com)**