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I hope you all had a wonderful holiday! Whew.... what a year! We stopped group rides and racing in 2020 and then with the launch of the vaccine, Saturday rides successfully restarted again in mid-2021. Thank you Charlie Sykes and your ride leaders for safely restarting our Saturday rides, and to all club members and friends who showed up in force. Thank you team directors and racers who hung in there and got back to what they love - RACING!

As we approach 2022, please ask yourself if you have any time to give back to the club. We have several unfilled board positions, and we can really use your help. I also invite anyone who is curious as to what goes on in a board meeting, to join us on Tuesday, January 11th, for our first meeting of 2022 which will be held at 6:30pm on the Zoom link we will provide in the next newsletter.

Lots will be happening in 2022, so stay tuned!! Thank you all for being a part of the best bike club in San Diego. I wish you all a safe, healthy, and Happy New Year and hope to see you all on the road soon.

Cheers,
Vali Holroyd
President SDBC
president@sdbc.org

### 2022 Title Sponsor is BLG!



SDBC is excited to welcome longtime sponsor **Bonnici Law Group** as the club's Title Sponsor for 2022!

BLG owner Josh Bonnici has been racing with the Men's team for several years and is committed to SDBC, racing, and the broader cycling community in San Diego.

Stay safe by reading up on BLG's cycling tips and safety recommendations on their bike law blog: https://bonnicilawgroup.com/category/



### Your 2022 SDBC Officers and Directors

The annual Meeting of the Membership was held on Tuesday, December 14, 2021 via Zoom. Vali Holroyd was elected president, with the understanding she was accepting the nomination as an interim term of service, while the Club continued recruiting for a permanent president. The nominees were elected by acclamation, and started their positions at the close of the meeting per the Club's bylaws.

Here is the full list of the Club's leadership for 2022: https://www.sdbc.org/bod

#### Executive Committee

President: Vali Holroyd

Vice President: Renee Robinson

Secretary: Mike McLaughlin

Treasurer: Jerry Marino



### The Official Bike Shop of SDBC

Did you know that UCC sponsors both the men's and women's Cat 1/2 Teams!



#### TRAINING DIRECTOR NOTE

### No Saturday Training Ride on

January 1st

This year New Year's Day is on Saturday so the regular Saturday Training Ride is canceled. However, on New Year's Day you can join our Metric Century to get the year started right: https://www.sdbc.org/new-years-day-ride

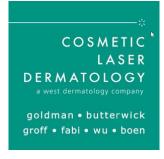
Stay safe out there, Charlie Sykes SDBC Training Director training@sdbc.org





### **Support Our Sponsors**

Without our sponsors SDBC would not be able to maintain the racing teams and other activities that everyone enjoys. So support our sponsors as they support us! Visit their sites by clicking the logos in this email or visit the SDBC Sponsors page on our SDBC web site to view more information about them.





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Want to ride faster? Kick that knee pain? Finally get rid of that annoying achy back? Let's talk about it and see if we can get it figured out. If we can't help you, we will find someone who can. Give us a call @ 619-756-7510. We can come up with a plan to help you reach your goals and make 2022 your best year yet Mention SDBC for exclusive member discounts



### 2022 SDBC Kit

I hope everyone had a great holiday! Please note the latest SDBC Pactimo store dates. When the store closes, it closes at 6pm our time. After that, and until the following morning, the store is unavailable. If the store closes on a Friday or holiday, it will remain unavailable until the next business morning. If you have any questions about the store or about our 2022 kit, please reach out to me! Our Pactimo Team password is sdbc2022

Happy New Year, Vali Holroyd Clothing Director clothing@sdbc.org

















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# Our 2022 Beer Sponsor is Rouleur Brewing Company

Bikes and Beer - Rouleur Brewing has both in spades! Some of you may have joined in Rouleur cycling events out of the Carlsbad location. Now there's a second location in North Park - the heart of San Diego. Check out the company, meet it's owner Rawley Macias – a former SDBC racer, and check out the great venue next to the North Park Theatre. https://rouleurbrewing.com

https://www.sandiegobeer.news/blog/beer-news/firstlook-rouleurnorthpark

Starting January 1st there will be discounts for SDBC members - just show your current membership card – and be on the lookout as we explore joint activities together.

Welcome aboard Rawley! Great to have you and Rouleur on our team.



### **SDBC** Racing News

#### 2021 Results:

- 26 First place finishes
- 20 Second place finishes
- 17 Third place finishes

### Fiesta Island Time Trials





Are you ready to race? Register today for the Fiesta Island Time Trials (FITT). FITT is San Diego's original time trial series since 1998 and sponsored by our club! The first event is less than 2 weeks away!

### 2022 Series Dates

Sunday, January 9

Sunday, April 17 Sunday, May 15 Sunday, October 16

No need to worry about equipment failure, our title sponsor **UC Cyclery** will provide onsite mechanical support, and prizes.

We use **WebScorer.com** for online registration, timing, and results so racers and fans will be able to track results in real time.

For more info: https://www.sdbc.org/fiesta-island-time-trial

#### Mike Barreras

Fiesta Island Time Trial Director fittdirector@sdbc.org



### **Volunteers Needed For FITT**

Not ready to race but want to participate! We need volunteers to make the Fiesta Island Time Trials a spectacular event! Contact Mike Barreras or our Volunteer Director for more information. Wait! Our Volunteer Director position is still vacant. So that could be for you! Please contact Vali if interested or even mildly curious!

Mike Barreras

Fiesta Island Time Trial Director fittdirector@sdbc.org

Vali Holroyd
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## Give our sponsors a click to discover their community contributions!









Want to make donations to SDBC at no cost to you? Shop at **smile.amazon.com** and choose "San Diego Bicycle Club".

### Classifieds



For sale, used 2015 Specialized Roubaix Race Pro Di2. Bike was fully serviced in August and then never really ridden. The specs are here: https://www.specialized.com/us/en/roubaix-sl4-pro-disc-race-udi2/p/65586? color=174580-65586 Everything is original except the rear cassette which has been upgraded to an 11-30. The bike has a few dings, but is generally in very good condition. Asking \$3,000. Please contact Jim at 415-798-1583.





### Membership

Thank you Michael for supporting SDBC!

Your membership expires on: Not A Member : (Please join today using the SDBC Membership link below! If you need to renew or join, do it today at SDBC Membership. And please contact Simon with any membership questions.

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