

#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Women's History Month is a celebration of women's contributions to history, culture and society and has been observed annually in the month of March in the United States since 1987. Let's be sure we join in this celebration and honor the women in our community and beyond who have made significant contributions (there are many in the cycling community!).

Given what is happening in Ukraine, I've asked our Community Engagement Director, Bill Riggs, to help me dedicate a Saturday ride to the people of the Ukraine, which will include a fundraiser. More information will follow soon.

Cheers, Vali Holroyd President SDBC president@sdbc.org

### 2022 Title Sponsor



### Women's History Month

In December 2021, the six time National Track and Cyclocross Champion, Christina Birch, was selected as a candidate for NASA Astronaut Group 23 program with mission assignments to include trips to the Moon and Mars. Either would make for the ultimate gravel ride...don't you think! Read more about her amazing achievements from this USA Cycling article.

https://usacycling.org/article/christina-birch-selected-for-the-nasa-astronautclass-of-2021

Bill Riggs Community Engagement Director engagement@sdbc.org



# SDBC Is Racing!!!



Susej Esqueda holding a good position in the pack at Tucson Bicycle Classic



Susej Esqueda and Fabiola Garcia (left to right) smiling before the race



# SDBC Women's Racing Results

Tucson Bicycle Classic Stage Race, Tucson, AZ, 03/04-06/2022:

Day 1 TT: Cat 1/2: Susej Esqueda (15th), Fabiola Garcia (37th) Cat 2/3: Sofia Schugar (4th) Cat 4/Novice: Moira Molloy (8th), Deryn LeDuke (10th)

#### Day 2 Road Race:

Cat 1/2: Susej Esqueda (8th), Fabiola Garcia (33rd) Cat 2/3: Sofia Schugar (3rd) Cat 4/Novice: Deryn LeDuke (9th), Moira Molloy (17th)

#### Day 3 Circuit Race:

Cat 1/2: Susej Esqueda (13th) Cat 2/3: Sofia Schugar (5th) Cat 4/Novice: Deryn LeDuke (9th), Moira Molloy (14th)

#### GC Final:

Cat 1/2: Susej Esqueda (9th) Cat 2/3: Sofia Schugar (3rd) Cat 4/Novice: Deryn LeDuke (7th), Moira Molloy (17th)

Sofia Schugar hurting and screaming during the race

Bib Back

Rosena Ranch Circuit Race, San Bernardino, CA, 02/27/2022: Jancy Meraz - Pro 1/2 (5th)

**Beril Polat** Women's Cat4/5/Masters Team Director womens45director@sdbc.org

# **SDBC KITS**

I've received several messages about socks socks are available at UCC! Please purchase them online on our SDBC Store, take the ereceipt in with you and pick up your socks from the shop. Let me know if you have any questions.

Cheers, Vali Holroyd **Clothing Director** clothing@sdbc.org https://sdbc.org/store https://teamstore.pactimo.com password: sdbc2022





# Try the San Diego Velodrome in Balboa Park

Sun, April 3, 2022 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM PDT

Looking for a fun way to exercise Sunday afternoon? Have you wondered what riding the Velodrome is like, but haven't been able to commit to the six week course? Join us on the first Sunday of the month. In this two hour class you will learn all the basics you need to ride a bike safely on the velodrome. Cost \$40.

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/try-the-track-at-the-san-diego-velodrome-tickets-293442232617

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# Congratulations!

CAFÉ LaTERRE has opened a second location

Located in Encinitas close to Target https://goo.gl/maps/J6eEjkEcbA1RfecT6









# SDBC Men's February Racing Results

CAMTB/WSJRL XC #2-Vail Lake #3, 3/5/2022 Stephen Burge, 11th place, M 50-54

#### Rosena Ranch Circuit Race, 2/27/2022

Doug Small, 1st place, Cat 5 Stephen Burge, 22nd, Cat 3/4 Michael Morrison, 2nd place, Master 50+ Cat 1/2/3 David Morrison 7th place, Master 50+ Cat 1/2/3 Martin Adamczyk 10th, Master 35+ Cat 1/2/3 UCLA GP, 2/20/2022 Justin Birch, 7th place, Cat 4

UCLA RR, 2/19/2022 Tom Mccarthy, 11th place, Cat 3 Stephen Burge, 20th place, M 35+ Cat 4/5 Matthew Normand, 13th place, M 35+ Cat 4/5

Valley of the Sun Stage Race TT, 2/18/2022 David Garcia, 19th place, Cat 2 Robert Davis, 29th place, Master 55+

Valley of the Sun Stage Race RR, 2/19/2022 David Garcia, 21st place, Cat 2 Robert Davis, 10th place, Master 55+

Valley of the Sun Stage Race Crit, 2/20/2022 David Garcia, 36th place, Cat 2 Robert Davis, 14th place, Master 55+

Roger Millikan Memorial Grand Prix, 2/13/2022 Doug Small, 6th place, Cat 5 Benjamin Anton, 11th, Cat 5 Fern Hernandez, 7th place, Cat 3 Edgardo Hernandez, 11th place, Master 40+Cat 1/2/3 Joshua Bonnici, 12th place, Master 40+Cat 1/2/3

David Gomaidy Men's Team Director men45director@sdbc.org





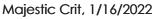


Old world heritage meets SDBC racing teams! rouleurbrewing.com

#### SDBC Men's January Racing Results

Cal Aggie Criterium, 1/29/2022 Justin Birch, 22nd place, Cat 4

Quick n Dirty, Winter Throwdown, 1/22/2022 Stephen Burge, 5th place, Sport Men 51+



James Perren, 10th place, Master 60+ Cat 1/2/3/4 James Perren, 19th place, Master 50+ Cat 1/2/3 Benjamin Anton, 12th place, Cat 5 Stephen Burge, 48th place, Cat 4 Justin Birch, 43rd place, Cat 4 David Morrison, 10th place, Cat 4 Edgardo Hernandez, 31st place, Master 30+Cat 3/4 Edgardo Hernandez, 14th place, Cat 3

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#### TeeDee UAS has a new website!

Check it out and learn about their consulting services for unmanned aircraft systems

#### https://www.teedeeuas.com



SDBC Member Eric Gillman is passionate about meeting the medical needs of the people of Haiti. After the catastrophic 7.0 earthquake of 2010, he made multiple trips to Haiti to work alongside local Haitians to build the Angel Wings International medical clinic in the remote coastal town of Jacmel. To raise awareness and donations to expand the clinic's medical services, he is riding from Miami to San Diego and hosting speaking events along the way. His trip starts March 17. Learn more here: https://www.ericridesforhope.com









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# Classifieds

#### CycleOps/Saris Hammer H2 Smart Trainer

\$550 OBO. Retails new for >\$800.

Includes the adaptors for QR and various sizes of thru axles, spacers for 9, 10, 11/12 speed cassettes, manual, and even the original box. Also will include a sweat guard + phone holder for free. Compatible with Zwift and the other major training apps/ecosystems. I purchased this to use during the pandemic stay-athome orders but seldom use these days. Review located here:

https://www.dcrainmaker.com/2019/01/cycleops-h2-hammer-2-trainer-indepth-review.html

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# Membership

Michael, your support makes a difference! Thank you!

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.

Simon Bott-Suzuki Membership Director membership@sdbc.org

Send Comments and Suggestions to: Michael Karres Weekly Newsletter Editor weekly@sdbc.org



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