

612mtb: Volunteering on High School Race Day

Setting up, staffing, and tearing down our Tent/Pit area is critical to a successful day of racing, and allows our coaches to concentrate on coaching racers. You can assign yourself a task by going into the **TeamApp Calendar “Duty Roster”** for a given race. Click on the **blue square “Duty Roster” icon** in the **TeamApp Calendar entry** for the race, and click **“Assign to me”** for whichever task you want to do.

Here are descriptions of the various 612mtb High School Duty Roster slots:

“Tent Area setup” (Suggested for: Families of Freshman Boys - D2 (Roosevelt, South, Southside))

This is the first thing that happens in the morning and a great help if your rider is racing in one of the first races of the day. The team has banners, tents, tables, equipment and other stuff that needs to be hauled from the trailer on-site to our team’s area in the race course infield and set up.

“Tent duty”

Hanging around the Team Pit area, greeting riders and parents, selling team merch (there will be a Venmo QR posted), helping riders know where they need to be and when they need to be there (racer’s schedules and call up numbers will be posted). This is a very laid back assignment, and is a great way to interact with other parents and riders and get to know the coaches. You don’t need any prior knowledge for this job, as there are always veterans milling around who are happy to help.

Suggested Shifts:

8:00-9:15 **Parents of Freshman Boys - D1 (Washburn, Southwest)**
9:00-10:15 **Parents of Freshman and JV 2 Girls**
10:00-11:15 **Parents of JV3 Boys**
11:00-12:15 **Parents of JV3 and Varsity Girls**
12:00-12:45 **Parents of JV3 and Varsity Girls**
12:45-2:00 **Parents of JV2 Boys - D2 (Roosevelt, South, Southside)**
2:00-3:15 **Parents of JV2 Boys - D1 (Washburn, Southwest)**

“Bring Snacks” (Suggested for: Any parent that wants to contribute a healthy snack for riders and coaches!)

It’s nice to have snacks available for riders and coaches before and after races. Signing up for this task means bringing some sort of **fruit** (a bag of clementines, apples,

bananas, etc.) or **prepackaged treats or snacks** for the Pit Area. **Nut free and dairy free options** are always appreciated.

“Tent/Pit Area tear down”

Immediately following the final race of the day, our team’s pit area needs to be taken down and loaded into the team trailer. This is a great opportunity for families with riders in the last race of the day, or anyone that is hanging out to cheer on the final racers. This is an important task and one that is greatly needed for our head coaches that arrive on-site first thing in the morning and work all day at the race.

NOTE: In an effort to make packing up at the end of the day more efficient, we are creating two categories for this task for High School:

“Tear Down” (Suggested for JV2 Boys D2 families)

Immediately following the JV2 Boys D2 race (approx. 3:15): assignments would be fold up tables, fold up and pack tents, take down and bag the bike racks and flags.

“Load Trailer” (Suggested for JV2 Boys D1 families)

Immediately following the JV2 Boys D1 race (approx. 4:15): haul the equipment to the team trailer, and help Dave load the trailer.

High School Race Schedule:

SUNDAY

7:00	Information Trailer Opens
8:30	Freshman Boys (D2)
9:30	Freshman Boys (D1)
10:30	Freshman/JV2 Girls (categories start combined, scored separate)
11:30	JV3/Varsity Boys (categories separated by 3 min.)
1:00	JV3/Varsity Girls (categories separated by 3 min.)
2:30	JV2 Boys (D2)
3:30	JV2 Boys (D1)