



**2024 UEC European Cup
Rounds 1 & 2
09 & 10 March 2024
Olympic Track Sarrians Vaucluse France**



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1. INTRODUCTION

The Sarrians BMX Club and the City of Sarrians are very honoured to welcome you to the Olympic site of BMX Racing in Vaucluse, France. After the UCI BMX SX World Cup 2023 and the Championships of France 2022, the UEC European Cup is back in 2024!

2. TRACK DETAIL

The beautiful international BMX track was built in 2018 by MyTracks, based on its experience of having participated in the construction of slopes in Verona, Zolder & Saint Quentin en Yveline. This track is both technical and physical with its pro section in the second straight and its 2 starting ramps at 8 metres and 5 metres. It also has asphalt bends between 3 and 4 metres high.



3. THE CITY OF SARRIANS

Sarrians is a typical Provençal town in the Vaucluse department in the south of France (ProvenceAlpes-Côte d'Azur), at the foot of Mont Ventoux, well known to cycling enthusiasts of the Tour de France. There are about 6500 inhabitants, called Sarriannais. It is a sunny and pleasant place for tourism, between Avignon, Orange and Carpentras.

This region is famous for its wine cellars, its Provençal markets, its olive oil, its lavender, its cicadas... More generally, the region is known for the Mont Ventoux, the Dentelles de Montmirail, the Baux de Provence, the wines of Vaqueyras or Châteauneuf-du-Pape.

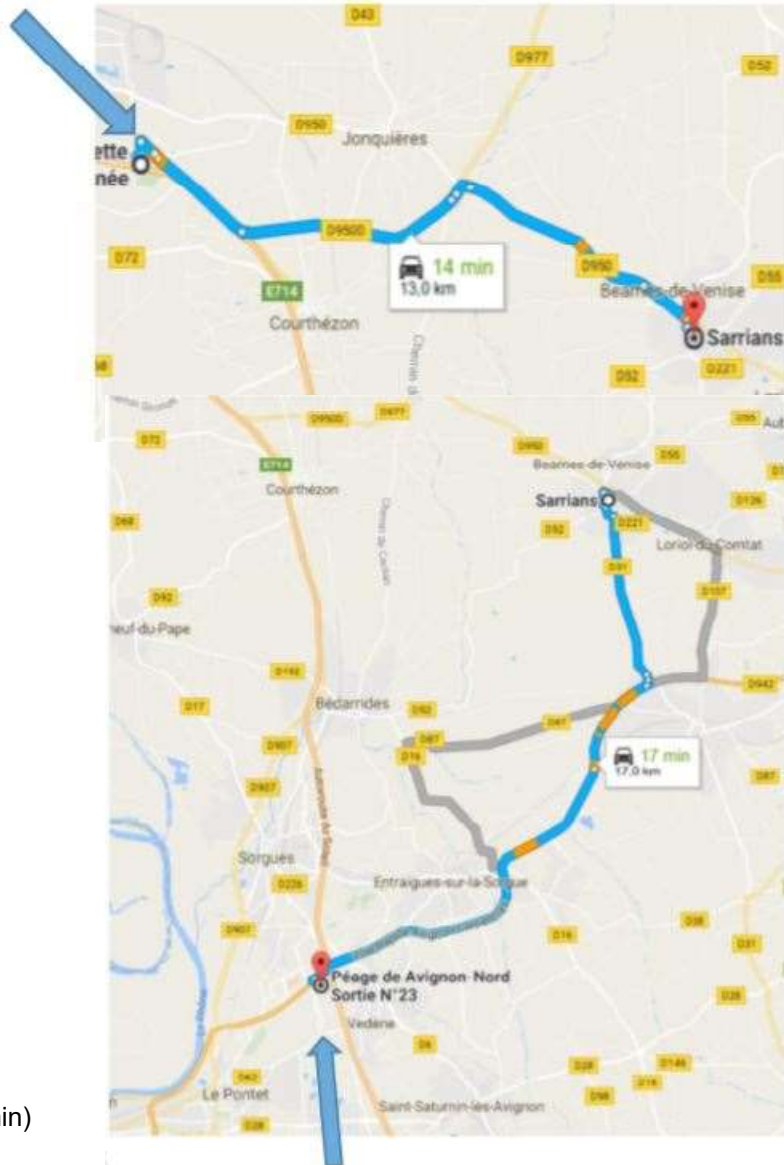


4. GENERAL INFORMATION

Organization:	BMX Club Sarrians CPJ Vaucluse
Localisation:	Zone de la Sainte Croix 22 Avenue de Camargue 84260 Sarrians
Race:	2024 UEC BMX European Cup Rounds 1 & 2 Saturday: C1 Class / Sunday: HC class
Date:	09/10 March 2024
Information:	Name: Stéphane GARCIA Président mail: contact@bmx-sarrians.fr Website: www.bmx-sarrians.fr Facebook: @bmxsarrians
UEC BMX Manager:	Mrs. Jolanda Polkamp, email: jolandapolkamp@gmail.com
Fédération :	Fédération Française de Cyclisme (FFC)
Parking:	Free
Camping:	More information See Chapter 11 Toilets available No electricity available. Reservation possible, but not required
Entry :	Saturday € 15,00 Sunday € 15,00 Weekend Pass € 25,00
Teams Space:	2024 UEC Team tent € 150,00 Other teams, € 200,00 Reservation required for all teams locations More information Chapter 10, page 15
Practice :	https://www.billetweb.fr/sarrians-european-cup

5. LOCATION

From the A7 motorway
From the north, take the exit
Number 22 Orange South
in the direction of
Carpentras Sarrians
and travel 12 kilometers



From the A7 motorway from the
South, take exit 23
Avignon Nord Carpentras and
drive in the direction of Carpentras
then take the Monteux Nord exit
Sarrians

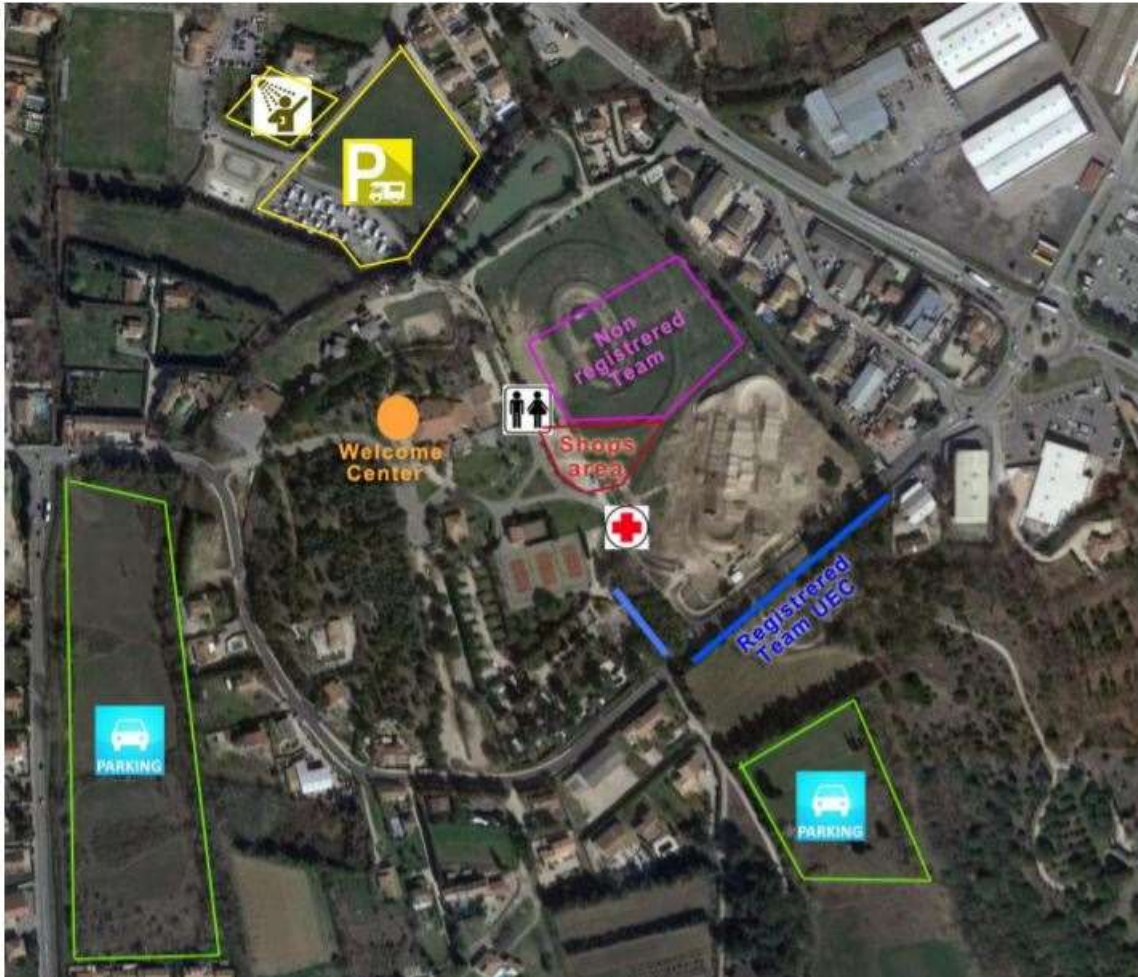
Train

- SNCF Avignon TGV station (35 min)
- SNCF Orange station (30 min))

Airport

-Marseille Provence Marignane

Site Map



6. WELCOME CENTRE

The Welcome Centre is located in the Ste. Croix district

The Visitor Centre is useful for:

- Confirmation of rider engagement
- Team Manager, National Coaches, Coaches and accreditations
- Team manager meeting
- UEC Team confirmation/accreditation
- Team Tent Payment
- Camping reservation

Opening of the Welcome Centre

Thursday 07 March 2024 open 17:00 closed 19:00

Friday 08 March 2024 open 08.00 closed 20.00

7. PROGRAMME

The programme will be established by the UEC based on the number of entries and will be forwarded to the race organiser in due course. It will be posted on the UEC website (<http://www.uec.ch/>) after the registration deadline as well as on the JS Timing website.

Block 1: Challenge rider 08 -12 & Cruiser

Block 2: Challenge rider 13-14, 17-25+

Block 3: Boys & Girls 15/16 - Championship Class

Friday 08th	09.00 - 20.00	Opening Welcome Centre
	09.00 - 10.00	2024 UEC Team registration / UEC Team manager accreditation
	10.00 - 11.15	Confirmation rider / Accreditation Team Leader
	11.30 - 12.00	Team manager meeting at the Welcome Centre
	12.00 ...	Training Bloc 3
		Training Bloc 2
		Training Bloc 1
		Training Cruiser
SATURDAY	08.00	Warm-up Block 2
		Warm-up Block 3
	...	Moto 1 - Block 2
		Round 1 - Block 3
		Moto 2 - Block 2
	...	Last Chance Qualifier (LCQ) - Block 3
		Moto 3 - Block 2
		Qualifiers - Block 2 & 3
		Final Block 2 & 3
		Award Ceremony Block 2 & 3
		Warm-up Block 1
		3 moto's Block 1
		Qualifiers and Final Block 1
		Award Ceremony Block 1
SUNDAY		Same timing as Saturday

* Subject to change

8. RIDER CATEGORY

Class Championship:

Men's Elite 23 years and older
Elite Women 23 years and older
U23 Men 19 to 22 years old
U23 Women 19 to 22 years old
Junior Men 17 and 18 years old
Women's Juniors 17 and 18 years

Class Challenge :

Boys: 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15/16 (minimum age 8 year old)
Girls: 8, 10, 11/12, 13/14, 15/16 (minimum age 8 year old)
Men: 17/24, 25+
Women: 17 years and older
Cruiser: 17/29, 30/39, 40/44, 45+
Women Cruiser: 17+

9. RIDER REGISTRATION AND CONFIRMATION

Online check-in

Riders, families, clubs, teams and federations registered with the UEC can register their riders for the UEC BMX European Cup.

Please find the registration platform via this link:

<https://registration.jstiming.com/>

Note: Please note that the account activation email may be in your spam folder.

- Individual riders can create a personal account with their UCI-ID.
- Parents/guardians of young riders can create a 'family account' based on a rider's UCI ID.

A maximum of 5 riders can be registered

If you need assistance, please contact : info@jstiming.com

Deadline for online registrations

The registration deadline is **March 04, 2024**.

Late entries

LATE ENTRIES ARE NOT ACCEPTED.

Deadline cancellations

The deadline for cancellations can be found on the event page in the registration portal.
In case of a cancellation, the entry fee will be refunded. Cancellation fee, administration fee and bank costs per rider, per round still must be paid. These fees will be deducted from the paid entry fees.

Rider confirmation

All team managers and Chefs d'Equipe must attend the rider confirmation on Friday 08th March at the Welcome Centre to confirm their riders' participation for the event..

Transponders

All riders in Championships classes (Junior, U23 and Elite) require a UEC transponder to be able to participate. The transponders are provided by UEC. They will be provided in a bag per country to the Chef d'Equipe / team manager. Immediately after the race, the transponders for each country must be handed in by the Chef d'Equipe / team manager.

If a rider fails to return the transponder after the event, the UEC will send an invoice of €100.00 per transponder to the federation. The rider will not be able to participate in the next UEC BMX European Cup round until the invoice is paid.

Registration fee

The entry fee for all the rider must be paid by the deadline set for the event on the JS Timing website and on site by card or cash for tents.

The 2024 registration fee is as follows:

Challenge Class: €37.00 per registration, per race
Challenge 15 - 16: €42.00 per registration, per race (including transponder)
Junior class: €50.00 per registration, per race (including transponder)
U23 class: €60.00 per registration, per race (including transponder)
Elite class: € 70.00 per registration, per race (including transponder)

*Above apply to all races of the UEC BMX European Cup.

The provisions of the latest version of the UCI's BMX Rulebook apply with a few amendments:

- Riders categories: as set forth in chapter 7.
- UEC BMX European Cup events are open to all riders who are licensed by a National Federation, with a minimum age of 8 years old. There is no limit in the number of riders a country can register.
- Event format Challenge categories: For all Challenge categories scrambled seeding is used for the motos according to article 6.1.027quater of the UCI BMX Rulebook.

Event format Championship categories:

- The UCI BMX World Cup system is used according to articles 6.3.009 till 6.3.014 of the latest version of the UCI BMX Rulebook.
- Riders are not automatically entered in both Rounds of each UEC BMX European Cup event. During riders confirmation on Friday, riders can opt to participate in only 1 Round during the UEC BMX European Cup event.
- All riders in Championships categories require a UEC transponder to participate in UEC BMX European

Cup Rounds.

- If the number of Championship riders registered is 12 or less the scrambled 3 moto system is used. The posting of race information including start lists and results will be done electronically at every event of the UEC BMX European Cup events.

Rider's equipment:

- All riders receive a number plate and side plate from UEC at registration of the UEC BMX European Cup

Race.

- In all UEC sanctioned BMX events a rider must display the number plate and side plate assigned to him. A rider who fails to display the correct number plates will be refused their start, or relegated, if it is noticed after beginning a heat or run.
- All Championship and Challenge riders must either wear a clearly visible national flag of their country on both shoulders or the national jersey of their country.
 - If a Championship rider is National Champion in their class, this rider must wear either:
 - o the jersey awarded by the federation,
 - o a replica of that jersey with publicity in the spaces allowed by the regulations,
 - o their normal jersey with the left sleeve designed to look like the flag of their country.

All riders, coaches, parents, commissaires, personnel and visitors must respect Covid-19 rules implemented on the venue by the organizer.

Number of motos: in case of special conditions (weather, wind or else) or a high number of participants, the UEC BMX Commission allows the PCP in agreement with the UEC Technical delegate to reduce the number of motos. This can only apply for challenge classes and never for championship classes.

If necessary, the UEC Technical delegate and PCP can decide to call other meetings during the event.

All riders, coaches, parents, commissaires, personnel and visitors must respect any Covid-19 rules implemented at the venue by the organizer.

Team manager meeting

Team Managers meeting will be on Friday, as indicated in the time schedule. The location of the meeting will be indicated at the event. The participation is mandatory for: max. 1 National Delegate (Chef d'Equipe); max. 1 Team Manager of the UEC registered team; max. 1 Team manager of UCI registered team, max. 2 National BMX Coaches (registered by National federation).
If necessary, the UEC Technical delegate and PCP can decide to call other meetings during the event.

Accreditation

A Chef d'Equipe or his nominated staff member is accredited by the UEC with the right to enter a restricted zone in order to perform his duties. Such accreditation may be revoked for any breach of the UCI Regulations or noncompliance with the instructions of the organization or the Commissaires' panel.

Members of the country delegations will receive accreditation at all UEC events according to the following schedule if they register their staff. Please send an email to jolandapolkamp@gmail.com before the event with the names of the staff members.

Riders	Accreditation
1 – 2	1
3 – 10	2
11 – 20	3
21 – 50	5
51 – 100	7
101 – 200	9
201 +	10
NFs	10

Riders

All riders will be given a wristband so that they can reach all appropriate areas.

National Teams

Each National team must register all staff (Championship coach, doctor, other staff members must be registered). Please send an email to jolandapolkamp@gmail.com before the event with the names of all staff members. UCI teams have the same rights as National teams.

Chef d'Equipe

Each Federation which registers riders must appoint a Chef d'Equipe (National team manager) to represent the interests of all of its riders. Each Chef d'Equipe must confirm the presence of each rider as per the pre-registration riders list, on the scheduled day and times of registration.

Mandatory registration of staff before the event

Before each event a National Federation must register their Chef d'Equipe and the whole team. This registration will be checked at the event.

Please send an email to jolandapolkamp@gmail.com before the event with the names of the staff members.

Chefs d'Equipe, Team managers and assistants must present a license from their National Federation. UEC will check the registration of staff before being granted accreditation.

Without registration UEC will not grant accreditation.

National BMX coaches

UEC acknowledges official BMX National coaches for European Cup. National Federations have to register their coaches on the accreditation system. They will be provided with accreditation per race. A country can register max 2 coaches per country per race.

Personal BMX coaches

Championships riders who come to the event with a personal BMX coach are offered the possibility to buy a Coach accreditation. This accreditation costs €150 per weekend. This allows you access to the team manager meeting and coach area.

This coach accreditation can be bought at the Welcome Centre on Friday between 9.00 and 12.00.

- **UCI registered team manager (1 per UCI team)**

Pass A - Fees:

- Free admission to follow the competition
- On-site entry
- Entry into the track (in case of a crash of their rider)
- Entry to the team leaders' meeting
- Entry into the Team Manager area

Pass B - this pass is given to:

- Assistant team leader (number of passes according to the number of riders per participating country)

Pass B - Fees:

- Free admission to follow the competition
- On-site entry
- Entry into the Team Manager area

10. 2024 UEC BMX EUROPEAN CUP TEAMS

UEC Registered Teams

UEC teams (<http://www.uec.ch/en/teamsbmx>) must confirm their participation of 4 riders on the Friday before each event (see calendar) at the Visitor Centre. Team leaders must complete the Team Registration Form upon team confirmation. In exchange for registration, they receive accreditation for events.

Management of accreditations by team

Teams only receive accreditation when they enter the team competition at the event. A team leader or his/her designated deputy is certified with the right to enter a restricted area in order to perform his/her duties. This accreditation may be revoked for any violation of the UEC or UCI regulations or for non-compliance with the instructions of the organization or the panel of stewards.

Spaces for UEC teams

UEC teams must register team spaces as outlined in the event technical guide. The organizer will provide spaces for team tents to teams registered for the UEC, 6 x 3 m for each team, at a cost of 150€ per team space. This includes 1x free admission ticket to the event per paid team tent space.

For all rules regarding the team classification of the UEC BMX European Cup, see the European Team Cup Rules document on the UEC website (www.uec.ch/en/bmx-european-cup).

Spaces for other teams

The organizer can provide spaces for team tents for non-UEC registered teams, 6 x 3 m for each team, at a cost of €200.00. These teams receive 1 free event ticket from the organizer per team tent (6x3m).

Register for Team Tents:

<https://www.billetweb.fr/sarrians-european-cup>

Rules for Teams

- Arrival will be allowed from Friday 08 March from 8:00 am
- Dismantling of tents is allowed until Sunday 8:00 p.m.
- The tent area will be closed two hours after the end of the heats.
- The Organizer is responsible for bookings

In case of any issues during the event, please contact a member of the staff of the BMX club of Sarrians.

No cars or other motorised vehicles will be allowed in the teams' pit lane

10. PRIZE MONEY AND TROPHYS

For championship classes:

The prize money will be paid to the riders by bank transfer after the award ceremony, please provide your Iban code.

Riders in the championship categories who finished from 1st to 3rd place are obliged to attend the prize-giving ceremony in race gear.

The acceptance of the transfer of the prize money will only be given upon presentation of the riders' UCI license.

Prize money

Saturday C1 / Sunday HC Class

Rank	Elite Men / Women	U23 Men / Women	Juniors Men / Women
1	1.600 euro	400 euro	100 euro
2	800 euro	200 euro	90 euro
3	400 euro	100 euro	80 euro
4	350 euro	85 euro	70 euro
5	300 euro	75 euro	60 euro
6	250 euro	60 euro	50 euro
7	200 euro	50 euro	40 euro
8	150 euro	40 euro	30 euro

For the challenge categories:

Prizes for places 1 - 8 for the prize-giving ceremony of the two rounds.

The top 3 riders of the Challenge must attend the podium to receive their awards, the other finalists receive their trophy at the finish line.

11. CAMPING

BMX Club Sarrians offers the opportunity to camp at the event.
The campsite is located near the track.

Water, showers and toilets are included

Arrival Thursday 07 March from 15:00 to 20:00
Friday from 09:00.

Departure Monday 11 March at the latest 15:00.

Price € 60,00

To reserve a camping spot, visit:

<https://www.billetweb.fr/sarrians-european-cup>

12. LIVESTREAM

The UEC BMX European Cup will be broadcast live on the UEC website: www.uec.ch

13. PARKING

Free parking is located next to the track for team leaders and officials.

At a walking distance of about 200 meters, there is a second free parking lot for drivers and visitors.

14. RESTAURANT

There will be a food stand, where you can buy hot and cold food and drinks

15. SHOPS

A BMX village will be set up during the UEC BMX European Cup.

If you'd like your shop or entertainment to be present at the opening of the European BMX season, email contact@bmx-sarrians.fr to reserve your space in the BMX Village or request more information. Mention the name of your store, the person in charge, your arrival time, and the amount of space you need.

16. HOTELS – RESTAURANTS – LUNCH

Our partners:

Hôtel Novotel Avignon Nord
135 Avenue Louis Pasteur,
84700 Sorgues

[Téléphone : 04 90 03 85 00](tel:0490038500)

Le Sarrianais
28 Boulevard Albin Durand,
84260 Sarrians

[Téléphone : 04 90 62 91 30](tel:0490629130)

List of Hotels :

www.provenceguide.com

PRESS

General rules

- At every UEC BMX event, Bibs are issued to accredited press photographer on and off the track.
- The distribution of the Bib at events is carried out by the designated UEC Press Officer or his/her deputy.
- During the events, five red bibs (including one for the UEC photographer) are distributed, the rest of the photographers receive a yellow bib.
- Bib distribution is reviewed separately for Challenge and Championship classes.
- A guarantee for each Bib is mandatory: 50 € or an official document (driver's license, identity card, press card...)
- Failure to comply with the rules or instructions of the officials may result in the Bib being taken immediately from a photographer.
- Use caution when using the flash. Do not point directly into the eyes of the riders.
- Photographers must be impartial on the track; It is not allowed to encourage any rider.
- It is strictly forbidden to touch a cyclist and/or bicycle.
- It is forbidden to cross the fotofinish line. This can cause problems for people using the cameras.
- A meeting of photographers may be arranged. This will be announced in advance in due course.

Whilst a security service is provided day and night, the organizer will not be held responsible in case of damage, theft or any other problems.

Please respect the environment and dispose of your waste responsibly.

Lausanne (SUI), 31.1.2024