## The University of Maine Campus Recreation INTRAMURAL SPORTS PROGRAM

## MOUNTAIN BIKE RACE RULES

To participate in intramural sports here at the University of Maine, players must be a member through campus recreation and be either a student or an employee by the University of Maine. (Note: High School age students are not allowed to participate in intramural sports even they are a member through the recreation center.)

- 1. Slower bikers must let the faster bikers by, mandatory or risk disqualification. When passing yell: BIKER!!
- 2. When coming across the finish line, please shout out your number to make sure it is recorded correctly.
- 3. You must go through the **ORANGE CONE** chute at the finish in order to be tallied. If you do not go through the chute, you risk the possibility of being left off the final results
- 4. SAFETY FIRST—if you see a biker hurt, you must do the cool thing: stop and offer assistance.
- 5. The finish and start will take place on the practice fields behind the softball diamond.
- 6. Racing number goes on the front of your shirt.
- 7. The course is well marked using bike signs. There will be individuals located at key intersections on the course.
- 8. ALL BIKERS MUST WEAR A HELMET.
- 9. If you drop out, please report to a spotter on the course.
- 10. No drafting
- 11. The only difference between the 5-miler and the 10-mile course is the 10-miler course is a double loop of the 5-mile course. When you are getting off trail 3 and back on the dirt road that connects Hilltop to the farm, if you are in the 5-mile race you will take a left and head directly back to the start, if you are doing the 10 mile race, you will take a right and repeat the course again.

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