

Criteria - Letter of Intent

1. Participation in some or all the following races based on training schedule and scheduling of national races: *MTGing Florida State Championship*; *Cyclo Cross* - Florida Council for Cyclocross Calendar '07-'08 www.chainwheeldrive.com; *Road Racing* - pending assistance from the road racing community.
2. Documented training is mandatory. If the rider does not have a coach a training log must be available for review. If the rider has a coach that coach must confirm the training status.
3. The athlete has to display an above average talent in his or her racing category or be racing at a higher level than their category with notable results.
4. Athletes must participate in a national race(s) barring scheduling conflicts, illness or injury.
5. Cyclist is responsible for his or her own USA Cycling License.
6. Athletes must be a Florida resident.
7. Participation to assist in fund raising activities is mandatory to some extent. If an athlete is under the age of 18 they must have parental permission or the parent can take their place.
8. Athletes must abide by the Policy of the USA Cycling Rules.
9. The importance of a Code of Conduct will be in place. For simplicity reasons we will adopt the USA Cycling Code of Conduct Agreement and signing this form indicates you have reviewed the form (starting at page 7) http://www.usacycling.org/forms/selection/team_nomination.pdf and agree to abide by it.
10. The cyclist must maintain a Grade Point Average of 2.5 or higher (to be discussed) to remain eligible. This criteria will be provided by the parent or adult student on a quarterly bases.
11. The athlete must announce within 60 days of when they will need funds for coaching fees and travel to out of state races. Other funds will be discussed on a case by case basis.
12. Athletes are not obligated to race for a certain team or be on the same team as other sponsored cyclists for in state races. If a group of athletes wish to compete as a team this aspect is open to discussion.
13. Athletes are not obligated to utilize any of the resources listed in this program, but any funds outside the approved resources might not be funded.
14. Criminal involvement **can be** cause for expulsion from this program.
15. Signing this criteria form is your letter of intent

This is your **Letter of Intent** of understanding and agreement to the terms of this program. Sign and return with your application. Print this page or copy and print.

Athlete Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

This form requires an original signature.

Mail or deliver in person: Building Champion Cyclists FI - 2721 West Dewey Street Tampa, Florida 33607.