



Nockstein Trophy



Technical Guide Austria Youngsters Cup UCI Juniors & UCI Elite

Cross Country Mountainbike Competition 2023

Union Mountainbike Club Koppl

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PREFACE

The Union Mountainbike Club Koppl has been welcoming its participants, spectators and sponsors to its mountain bike races since 1998. In 2023 we want to organize an unforgettable race weekend again. For the first time on Saturday, September 23rd, 2023 we will host a UCI race for juniors (part of the **Mountainbike Liga Austria**) and elite women/men (**UCI**) in addition to the **Austria Youngsters Cup** organized by the Austrian Cycling Association (**ÖRV**). In the evening, from 5:00 p.m., we'll have a party (**PDF**) including the (overall) award ceremony. The event takes place at the bike park near the technical assistance zone (TAZ). Keep the evening and night free and let us surprise you with what we have planned for our 25th anniversary! On Sunday, September 24th, 2023 we welcome our friends from the Bavarian Cycling Association (**BRV**) with the **Pözlcup** racing series and the Salzburg State Cycling Association (**LRV SBG**) with the **Junior Bike Cup Salzburg**.

Further information should make your race preparations easier. These include information on **how to get here and the venue** (**PDF**) as well as recommendations for **accommodation** (**PDF**). The **program** of the event (**Saturday**) will then follow on site after the **bib number delivery** (**PDF**). The **Technical Guide** summarizes all the necessary information for **Saturday**. The races in the individual race categories and **race tracks** (**Saturday**) can be followed via **live timing** (**Saturday**) on the Internet. The **results** are available online on **Saturday** immediately after verification by the responsible race steward. During the entire program we will provide you with food and drinks in the clubhouse (**PDF**). For those who want to stay a little longer on site before and/or after the race, shopping facilities and other information related to the race are also included in the FAQ (**PDF**).

As part of the sustainable use of environmental resources, it is important to us at the Union Mountainbike Club Koppl to subordinate the upcoming Nockstein Trophy to the main criteria of a "green event" as far as possible. In a modern understanding, sustainability includes the harmony of people, nature, and economy. To avoid mountains of rubbish and traffic avalanches, we (particularly spectators) refer to the use of environmentally friendly means of travel and the formation of carpools.

The Union Mountainbike Club Koppl, on behalf of the board and its entire team, wishes everyone good preparation and a stress-free journey, as well as an injury-free and successful race!



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1 THE NOCKSTEIN TROPHY

The 25th Nockstein Trophy, held about ten kilometers east of the city of Salzburg, is part of the **Austria Youngsters Cup** and the **Mountainbike Liga Austria 2023**. The Nockstein Trophy is the final race for both series. Accordingly, at the end of the day's award ceremony, the overall award ceremony in the respective cup will also take place. For the juniors and the elite men and women, the Nockstein Trophy is run as a UCI C2 race.

Our cross-country route (PDF) has been further modified by us over the last few years and adapted to the style of a cross-country competition. The new route thus reduces long climbs. The total length of the route was also reduced to around 3.8 kilometers. This not only increases the attractiveness for the spectators through an increased number of laps, but also enables starters with a breakdown to reach the technical zone more quickly (see PDF). The athletes come here twice per lap.

We wish all participants every success and hope that the documents provided will enable them to travel to the event without any problems.

1.1 ORGANISER

Union Mountainbike Club Koppl

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1.3 START AND FINISH AREA

Nockstein Arena (sports field): Schlagstraße 17 | 5321 Koppl | Austria (Figure 1)

Coordinates: 47.821647 | 13.137736

Google Maps: [LINK to Google Maps](#)

Local conditions: Disabled access to the event, parking spaces, stands, sanitary facilities (changing rooms, shower, and toilet in the clubhouse), serviced clubhouse (**food and drinks**), background music.



Figure 1: The Nocksteinarena

1.4 RACE INFORMATION & RULES

Announcement: The event is announced via the [ÖRV calendar](#) with the approval number (83-2/20230628). Furthermore, the UCI C2 race will be announced on the UCI calendar. There is also relevant information on the event website: <https://www.nocksteintrophy.at>. The current sports regulations of the UCI apply to the implementation and participation. Helmets are compulsory. The sporting supervision is taken over by the UCI. The organizer reserves the right to make any changes to the schedule in consultation with the race directors. Participation is at your own risk, considering all the content set out in the organizer's [conditions of participation](#). Technical defects in the equipment, leaving the signposted routes and violations of the rules lead to disqualification. Each participant takes care of their own insurance cover.

Racing Rules:

- ❖ Austria Youngsters Cup: According to [ÖRV guidelines](#) and its [MTB racing regulations](#) as well as the [ÖRV fee schedule](#).
- ❖ Juniors and Elite: [UCI regulations](#)

Mode: Cross Country (XCO), Austria Youngsters Cup, UCI C2 Juniors/Elite

Starting line-up: According to the current ranking list from the ÖRV and the UCI.

Timekeeping: The timekeeping is done by Markus Lindinger (<https://www.computerauswertung.at>).

Race Directors: Joel Obodov (UCI Race Head), Bettina Nussbaumer (National Race Head), Michaela Nussbaumer, Mario Billich

sProgram/Timetable: [LINK to the program](#), [LINK to the flyer](#)

1.5 PREPARING FOR TRAVEL

Arrival, parking, camping: [LINK to travel](#) and watch out the signs for parking and camping on site!

Team Area: Gravel parking lot in front of the soccer field.

Accommodation: [LINK to possible accommodation](#) close to the venue.

Tourism Association: Tourismusverband Fuschlseeregion, Lebachstraße 1, 5322 Hof bei Salzburg, Austria, [T] +43 6226838451, [E] koppl@fuschlseeregion.com, [W] www.fuschlseeregion.com

1.6 RACE PREPARTATION

Programme: The [detailed program](#) provides an overview of the daily routine.

Registration: The following [LINK leads to online registration](#). Opening lastest from 01.08.2023 10:00 p.m. until the closing date for entries.

Entry deadline: Tuesday, September 19, 2023 | 22:00 hrs

Late entry: Late entry is on site. Registration is possible until one hour before the start of the race. Late entries will be rowed up at the end of the starting line-up!

Late registration fee: Late registrations are possible if you pay double the entry fee!

Entry fee (according to the [ÖRV fee schedule](#)):

U13-U17: €11.00

Juniors: € 19.00

Elite: €35.00

Payment: The entry fee is only to be paid upon registration (collecting the start number). Please [do NOT transfer the money!](#)

Participant list: [LINK](#) to entry list

Start list: [LINK](#) to the start list (accessible for the first time after the entry deadline on the notice board on site)

License: Show the UCI license (link to current ÖRV licenses) when registering without being asked!

Enrolment (start number issue): In the clubhouse from 7:30 a.m. until one hour before the last start ([LINK](#)).

Conditions of participation: The [conditions of participation](#) set out on the website and confirmed with the [online registration](#) apply, including the [disclaimer](#)! In doing so, you consider the official requirements or agreements with the landowners associated with this event. These do not allow mountain biking on the route outside of the route inspection times and the stated race times. The Union Mountainbike Club Koppl cannot be made responsible for any fine expressed by the landowners or by the authorities! In addition, the UCI/ÖRV race directors reserve the right to punish violations with start disqualifications.

Weather conditions: Conditions can change fast in Koppl. Observe the [weather forecast](#) and the [rain radar](#) to optimise your equipment.

Chief of the track & Marshall coordinator: Thomas Hödlmoser (thomas@koppl.bike)

Race tracks: The location of the race tracks including the elevation profile are shown in the document <https://www.nocksteintrophy.at/racetrack>. The actual route can still be changed due to weather conditions or the responsible race director!

Track Inspection: Between 7:30 - 09:00 and a second time from 10:45 - 11:15. Note: The start number must be attached to the handlebars during the course inspection. Driving on the track during a running race is forbidden and will be sanctioned with a race exclusion!!!

Team Manager Meeting: All information will be posted on site or are available online. There will be no Team Manager Meeting!

Technical Assistance Zone (TAZ): The TAZ is shown in the route maps. It can be operated on the right and left side on both directions. The ÖRV/UCI regulations apply!

Starting line-up (call up): 15 minutes before the race in the designated area in front of the starting line.

Start times: see chapter 1.7!

Objections: Objections can be made up to U17 according to ÖRV criteria. The regulations of the UCI apply to the juniors and the elite class.

Medical care: The Salzburg Red Cross is available on site. The hospitals in the area are shown in the [FAQ](#).

Anti-doping: The doping rules of the [UCI](#), [ÖRV](#) and the Austrian [Anti-Doping Act](#) of 2021 apply and may be checked on site by [NADA](#).

Results: [LINK](#) to the results (available online immediately after verification by the responsible race director).

Changing rooms/showers: On the ground floor of the clubhouse.

Bike Wash: At the beginning of the gravel parking lot in front of the soccer field.

Award ceremony and prizes: See Chapter 2.

Pictures: [LINK to the pictures](#) of the event

Videos: [LINK to the videos](#) of the event

1.7 STARTING TIMES OF THE RACES

The program of events is divided into two events for the ÖRV-approved cross-country race (1st Austria Youngsters Cup, 2nd UCI C2 race juniors and elite). The schedule and content of the program shown in Table 1 is the planning basis, which can be modified at short notice on site by the race management (Joel Obodov et al.). The races of the different age groups take place **SUCCESSIVELY**. To avoid delays in the process, the times given are to be seen as guidelines. Please pay attention to the loudspeaker announcements of the moderators, when exactly an age group will finalize its race and when the pre-start of the next age group will begin! In the age groups U13 to U17 a joint start of male and female starters is planned. In all likelihood, the start will be delayed by one minute. From the U17, all starts are completed in the respective age and gender groups.

Table 1: Programme with age classes applying for 2023

Age Classes	Starting times [hh:mm]	Rounds ² [Zahl]	Round length [m]	Height meters ³ [m]	Round times ⁴ [min]	Total time ⁵ [min]
Track inspection	07:30 – 09:00					
U13 m/f (2011/12)	09:00 – 09:45		2.017	128,3	08:00	23:00 – 27:00
U15 m/f (2009/10)	09:45 – 10:45		2.894	149	08:00	35:00 – 45:00
Track inspection	10:45 - 11:15					
U17 m/f (2007/08)	11:15 – 12:30		3.333	189	14:30	45:00 – 55:00
Juniors (f) (2005/06)	12:30 – 14:15		3.333	189	13:45	60:00 – 75:00
Elite Women (≤2004)	12:30 – 14:15		3.333	189	13:45	75:00 – 90:00
Juniors (m) (2005/06)	14:15 – 15:45		3.333	189	13:15	60:00 – 75:00
Elite Men (≤2004)	15:45 – 17:30		3.333	189	11:30	75:00 – 90:00
Award Ceremony⁶	After 17:30					

¹ Starting time are guiding times! All races will be continued one after another!

² Planned number of rounds to go! The final decision on the number of rounds is with the race director!

³ Height meters to climb per round | ⁴ Approximate time to go per round | ⁵ Planned race durations according to UCI

⁶ The award ceremony of the day and the final cup ceremonies of the two cups finishing will be close to the TAZ area ([LINK](#)).

2 AWARD CEREMONY INCL. FINAL PARTY

2.1 DAILY AND OVERALL AWARD CEREMONY

The last race of the season takes place in Koppl with the Nockstein Trophy as part of the Austria Youngsters Cup and the Austrian Mountain Bike League. Accordingly, there is not only an award ceremony for the race, but also a cup award ceremony. We want to celebrate this with the 25th anniversary of the Union Mountainbike Club Koppl. As in the previous year, the award ceremony will take place close to the Technical Assistance Zone (TAZ) next to the two blue containers.

Dependent on the weather and lighting conditions, the award ceremony will either be in front of or within a larger garage. Both, the garage, and the terrain outside we will also use for the closing party. In addition to music, light effects and a larger bar, Roland Pirker and his team will provide delicious BBQ food in his smoker. It's not just about meat, but also about vegetables and vegan food.

2.2 PRIZE MONEY FOR THE AUSTRIA YOUNGSTERS CUP

In the Austria Youngsters Cup, trophies are awarded for 1st place from the U13 to the U17. In addition, prize money of EUR 510 will be distributed (Table 2).

Table 2: Prize money for the Austria Youngsters Cup in Eur

Altersklasse	1. Place	2. Place	3. Place
U13 m/w	EUR 30,00	EUR 25,00	EUR 20,00
U15 m/w	EUR 35,00	EUR 30,00	EUR 25,00
U17 m/w	EUR 35,00	EUR 30,00	EUR 25,00

2.3 PRIZE MONEY FOR THE JUNIORS AND ELITE RIDERS

In the [UCI organizational documents](#) for organizers, the UCI Financial Obligations 2023 for the mountain bike category in the C2 racing category, the prize money in Table 3 is to be provided as a minimum requirement. A total of EUR 2,850 will be distributed. In addition, the winner receives a trophy.

Table 3: Prize money for the Austria Youngsters Cup in Eur

Rank / Place	Elite Men	Elite Women	Juniors Men	Juniors Women
1	250	250	80	80
2	200	200	65	65
3	150	150	50	50
4	125	125	30	30
5	100	100	25	25
6	90	90	x	x
7	80	80	x	x
8	70	70	x	x
9	60	60	x	x
10	50	50	x	x
Sum	1.175	1.175	250	250

2.4 UCI POINTS PROVIDED TO JUNIORS AND ELITE RIDERS

According to the [UCI guideline \(Annex 2, p. 91ff\)](#), the points mentioned in Table 4 are awarded for the respective placements in category C2.

Table 4: Prize money for the Austria Youngsters Cup in Eur

Rank / Plac)	Elite	Juniors
1	30	29'0
2	20	18
3	15	16
4	12	14
5	10	12
6	8	10
7	6	8
8	4	6
9	2	4
10	1	2
11	X	X

3 SPONSORS

All personal engagement of the management board, the members of the club and other volunteers would not be as sufficient without the contribution of our sponsors. For a successful organisation of the Nockstein Trophy, we very much value all the material and financial support from many local companies! Without their support a satisfactory realisation of the Nockstein Trophy would not be possible. Thus, we would like to acknowledge their contribution and would like to thank them for their donation and trust as well as their excellent partnership!





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