

2022 USA Climbing: North American Cup Series Info Sheet

Capital City Classic | Bouldering, Lead & Speed April 27th – May 1st, 2022

Sportrock Climbing Centers | 5308 Eisenhower Ave, Alexandria, VA 22304

Schedule

A detailed schedule may be found on the event webpage HERE.

April 26th, 2022 | Technical Meeting (<u>Zoom LINK</u>)
April 27th, 2022 | Bouldering Qualification
April 28th, 2022 | Bouldering Semi-Finals & Finals
April 29th, 2022 | Speed Qualification & Finals
April 30th, 2022 | Lead Qualification
May 1st, 2022 | Lead Semi-Finals & Finals

Travel Information

Hotel Block: https://groups.reservetravel.com/group.aspx?id=57107

Volunteers:

In order to provide the best competition we can, we need an army of volunteers. All volunteers will receive a complimentary event T-Shirt. Please <u>CLICK HERE</u> to sign up. Thank you!

COVID-19 Countermeasures:

In an effort to hold the safest event possible, **ALL** attendees of this 2022 USA Climbing North American Cup Series being held at Sportrock Climbing Centers on April 27th – May 1st 2022 must adhere to the USAC COVID Countermeasures document posted on the USA Climbing website <u>HERE</u>.

Event Participation

• Registration is open to all competitors who are aged 16 or over by December 31, 2022 and members of their respective National Federation. A competitor's respective National Federation must be a member Federation in good standing of the IFSC

- Eligible competitors shall register for NACS competitions through the National Federation hosting the respective NACS competition. Final registration eligibility will be verified by the competitor's respective National Federation.
- National Federations may register any number of Team Officials (Team Managers, coaches, or qualified medical/para-medical personnel) through their respective National Federation according to the registration procedures and deadlines established by the Event Organizer of each NACS competition.
- Registration:
 - The Normal Registration Period will open Monday, March 28th at 12pm MT and will close Monday, April 11th at 11:59pm MT.
 - The Extended Registration Period will open immediately following the Normal Registration Period and close Tuesday, April 26th at 11:59pm MT. Competitors are subject to a \$50 additional fee during the Extended Registration Period.
- Athletes will be randomly assigned to climbing sessions if there is more than one per gender. See event schedule for more details.

Athlete Check-In & Start Lists

- Start lists will be published following the Technical Meeting.
- All Competitors must check-in during their respective check-in times as outlined on the schedule. Competitors will receive their competition bibs at check-in and will be expected to wear them in the middle of their back throughout the competition.
- Competitor start lists for bouldering shall be random. For speed and lead, route A will be random and route B will be the same as route A but with a 50% stagger.

Rules, Format, and Ranking

For information regarding rules, format and ranking at NACS events. Please refer to the NACS Event Manual.

Results, Awards and Prizes

- Results:
 - Results can be viewed during all rounds of competition on the USA Climbing live results page. This can be accessed on the event page once it is available.
 - Results will be made "official" following each round of competition on the USA Climbing website.
 - The appeals process and timeline will be communicated during the virtual Technical Meeting, April 26th.
- Awards and Prizes:
 - The competitors ranked first, second and third in each Category and discipline shall be awarded, respectively, a gold, silver and bronze medal.
 - The competitors ranked first in each Category and discipline shall be awarded a competition trophy;
 - \$2500 will be awarded to each discipline with the following breakdowns per gender:

- 3rd place: \$250
- 2nd place: \$375
- 1st place: \$625

Additional Topics

- Competitors must carry all personal belongings with them through each part of the competition. Personal belongings are not permitted to be left in Isolation or Warm-up areas.
- Competitors are responsible for providing their own climbing rope and rope bag, where the rope diameter must be between 9.5mm to 10.1mm and a minimum of 45 meters. Competitors may share a climbing rope with another competitor but if sharing a rope there must be at least 1 hour separation in climbing times, subject to additional sharing limitations established for the competition. If competitors do not arrange for a climbing rope for their personal use, they may not be able to climb in the competition. Additional information regarding rope requirements can be found on the event webpage <u>HERE.</u>
- If you have any questions, please us at <u>events@usaclimbing.org.</u>