



MANITOBA CYCLING

Club Benefits

Affiliation enhances a club's credibility, participation, competitiveness, and community engagement within the cycling ecosystem.

1. MCA Club Development grant:

- Manitoba Cycling provides affiliated clubs funding support to develop coaches and officials as well as other activities that are giving back to Cycling in Manitoba. See the “Club Development Grant” under Policies here: <https://mbcycling.ca/forms/>

2. Access to Sport Manitoba Grants:

- Clubs have access to grants to support their organization and members including but not limited to: Community Sport Development, legacy grant, bursaries, scholarships, officials + coach + volunteer + athlete assistance, sport hosting.
- More info: <https://www.sportmanitoba.ca/resources/funding/>

3. Club Kit Discount:

- All new club affiliations will receive a 10% discount on their introductory order with Champion Systems. More info: <https://mbcycling.ca/membership/benefits/>
- Shop for your new kit here: <https://www.champ-sys.ca/pages/cycling>

4. Club App:

- “Link my ride” is an App created for clubs and cyclists by cyclists! Its Goal is to grow the cycling community as well as ease the administration burden involved with running a club and organizing rides. More information: <https://cyclingcanada.ca/link-my-ride/>

5. Club Promotion:

- Clubs benefit from increased visibility through the organization’s promotional efforts, attracting more members and sponsors. <https://mbcycling.ca/club-information/find-a-club/>

6. Resources:

- The MCA provides a Ride leader Pamphlet for club rides, Coaching Clinics, Officials Training, and Volunteer Opportunities. Visit mbcycling.ca or contact us at 204-925-5686

7. Event Support:

- MCA Sanctions events, thus covers the organizer, participants, volunteers, and spectators.
- MCA provides (free of charge) a certificate of insurance when organizers are required to show proof of insurance to landowners, sponsors etc.

- Race Directors and MCA staff provide support and expertise to organizers. The coordination of an annual event calendar, Race discipline technical guide, and networking opportunities with other club leads fosters best practises, club collaboration, and an increase of participation.
- Club promotion for sanctioned events is supported on mbcycling.ca as well as our social media channels to help increase participation.
- Race Equipment is available for sanctioned events free of charge (signage, pylons, vests, etc.)
- Race supplies are provided to clubs free of charge: Race numbers, provincial medals.
- Club commissaires are supported with training, mentorship, technical license reimbursement, and uniforms.
- Commissaires are available to clubs for sanctioned events to assist organizers with timing + results, rules + regs, a risk management. Small fee applies.
- Race Results are posted to the MCA website for individuals and clubs.

8. Meeting Rooms:

- Clubs have access to meeting space and meeting equipment free of charge at the Sport for Life Centre. Contact the MCA office to book your space 204-925-5686

9. Insurance:

- \$10M General Liability Insurance is provided for Club activities that are pre-approved in advance to them happening. Please provide the MCA with a schedule of your activities. See Club Activity section of website for further information.
- Clubs have access to optional insurance such as Directors + Officers insurance, liquor liability insurance for events, and much more...

More information on the Club insurance plan here: <https://www.ajg.com/ca/insurance/programs-partnerships/cycling-provincial-collective-insurance-program/>

More information on member benefits: <https://mbcycling.ca/membership/benefits/>

If you are a business or club and have suggestions or services that you would like to be considered please contact Manitoba Cycling at cycling@sportmanitoba.ca