Velosport

Junior road cycling
and athlete development

2027 DONOR PRESENTATION



From first group rides to elite racing

Junior club

Weekly Orange County rides help newer riders build confidence, learn safe road habits and ride in a group.

Elite development team

Selected juniors learn race tactics and teamwork through camps, coached sessions and supported racing.



500+

juniors served

7×

USA Cycling Club of the Year

11 years

USA Cycling Center of Excellence

What riders learn together



Race craft

Practice positioning, decision-making and team tactics.

Race preparation

Set goals, manage pressure and review decisions after racing.

Sportsmanship

Communicate clearly, honor team roles and take responsibility for each other.

Velosport alumni in the pro peloton



UCI WORLDTOUR

Kevin Vermaerke

UAE Team Emirates–XRG

Sean Quinn

EF Education–EasyPost

DOMESTIC RACING ALUMNI

Alejandro Che, Brendan Luongo, Alfredo Bueno, Darren Parham, Graham Weaver, Luke Fetzer, Caleb Classen, Samantha Scott, Veronica Scott and Brody McDonald

Racing from California to Europe



Wins and podiums at home and abroad

Numerous wins and podiums in domestic and international racing, including U.S. national titles.

European race experience

17 European trips, including multiple editions of the Sint-Martinusprijs Kontich (UCI 2.1) and Junior Tour of Ireland.

The 2027 team

11 **riders committed from Southern California, Oregon and Manitoba**

Two incoming U.S. junior champions

Edison Clarke-Hoxey, 15–16 road race
Oliver “Ollie” Litinsky, 13–14 criterium

January 1–6 team camp

New team director Patrick Fetzer, longtime owner of Laguna Cyclery, leads the program.

2027 race priorities

Southern California and regional racing, with national and international starts selected for rider development.

Race-day support

Team programming, mechanical support and access to loaner race equipment.

Roster snapshot as of November 2026. Titles earned at the 2026 U.S. Junior National Championships.

How donors can follow the team

See the team at races

Follow Velosport at Southern California and regional races throughout the season.

Follow the riders' progress

Race recaps and rider stories reach an Instagram community of about 16,700 followers.

Hear what your gift supports

Ask us for updates on camps, race starts and what riders are learning.



Make a cash gift to Velosport



Race entries and travel

Help cover entry fees, transportation and lodging so juniors can race away from home.

Training camps

Help pay for meals and lodging so the riders can train and learn together.

Loaner bike upkeep

Help pay for service parts and repairs that keep loaner bikes race-ready.

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