Tailwind Enterprises and **Cannondale** present the

2001 Tailwind Cyclo-Cross Race Series

WHAT: A Series of Six Fall Cyclo-Cross Races — From September 30 to December 2

WHERE: Sunday Sept. 30: Stony Creek Park in Shelby Township, Michigan

Sunday Oct. 7: Bloomer Park in Rochester Hills, Michigan Sunday Oct. 21: Lower Huron Metropark in Belleville, Michigan Sunday Nov. 11: Hudson Mills Metropark in Dexter, Michigan Sunday Nov. 18: Bloomer Park in Rochester Hills, Michigan Sunday Dec. 2: Stony Creek Park in Shelby Township, Michigan

Note: Dec. 2 event is the 2001 Michigan State Championship Cyclo-Cross Race and will be held under USCF Race Permit. <u>USCF Annual or One Day USCF License</u> is required for this one race day only! (One Day License May be purchased for \$5 at registration.)

CYCLO-CROSS RACE DESCRIPTION: A traditional Cyclo-Cross race is designed to favor a skinny tired 700c wheeled bicycle set up for off-road conditions. A mountain bike may be used, but no bar-ends are permitted. Laps are ridden on a course that is less than two miles long and has several sets of barriers set up along the route that force dismounting and running with the bike. Each course includes asphalt roadways, dirt paths and trails with space to pass along the entire course. These races are Mass Start events and run in rain, snow, mud or sunshine!

REGISTRATION: Opens at 10:30am, Closes 15 minutes before each race

CLASSES & TIMES: "B" Race — 12:00 Noon — This race is 45 minutes long and is the equivalent of a Sport / Beginner race off road, or a Cat 4,5 road race.

"A" Race — 1:15pm — This race is 1 hour long and is the equivalent of an Expert / Elite race off road, or a Cat 1,2,3 road race.

LOCATIONS: Directions to each race site can be found on the back side of this flyer and on our web page at www.tailwind.net

AWARDS: "A" Race: Open Cat. - \$170 (Pay Top 5), 35+ Racers - \$115 (Pay Top 3) - Medals to Top 5 "B" Race: Adv. Women - \$115 (Pay Top 3), Men's Age Groups - Medals to Top 5 all Classes Overall Series: Top 3 in each Category (Must start in at least 3 races, total 4 highest point scores)

Hot Cider, Donuts and bananas to All ... Gift Certificates & Raffle Prizes to Many Get One Chance to Win the Cannondale Cyclo-Cross Frameset for Each Race You Enter!



DRAWING FOR CANNONDALE "CROSS" FRAMESET AT FINAL SERIES EVENT DEC. 2nd

You must be present to win... and it's the State Championship Race too!



⇒ ⇒ → HELMETS ARE REQUIRED FOR PARTICIPATION! ← ← ←

Directions to the TAILWIND 2001 Cyclo-Cross Race Sites...

RACE #1 & #6: Stony Creek Metropark is in Shelby Township, MI. (east of Rochester). Take M-59 to M-53 and go north to 26 Mile Road. Go west on 26 Mile Rd past Mound Road and follow the signs to the left into the park. OR ALTERNATELY, You can take M-59 to Dequindre Rd and go north to 25 Mile Rd (Runyan Rd). Turn right (east) on 25 Mile and go about 1 mile to Shelby Rd. Turn Left (north) and follow the signs into the park. Park entry is \$3 per car on race day, or an annual permit is \$15.

RACE #2 & #5: Bloomer Park is in Rochester Hills, MI., at the North end of John R Road. Take M-59 to Rochester Rd and go north to Avon Rd. At Avon Rd. turn right (east) and go 1 mile to John R and turn left (north). John R goes directly into Bloomer Park. Park entry is \$3 per car on race day.

RACE #3: Lower Huron Metropark in Belleville, MI. Take I-94 to the Haggerty Road Exit (#192) and take Haggerty Road south to Huron River Drive. Go across Huron River Drive and you immediately enter the park. **Park entry is \$3 per car** on race day, or an annual permit is \$15.

RACE #4: Hudson Mills Metropark is in Dexter, MI, on North Territorial Road at the crossing of the Huron River, twelve miles northwest of Ann Arbor. Take US-23 to the North Territorial Road Exit (#49) and go west approx. 8 miles to the park entrance. Park entry is \$3 per car on race day, or an annual permit is \$15.

RACE #6 - 2001 Michigan State Championship Cyclo-CrossRace: The location for this race is **Stony Creek Metropark** in Shelby Township (Near Rochester, MI). See above for directions.

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Register for Entire 2001 Cyclo-Cross Series: \$115_

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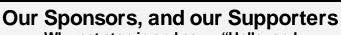
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REGISTRATION FORM 2001

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Race #1 Race #2 Race #3 Race #4	Sunday - Oct. 7		,		Classes (Please Check One): NOTE: Age Group is determined by your age on Dec. 31, 2001 "B" Race (12:00 Noon) 700c Wheeled Bike or Mountain Bike (No Bar Ends Allowed) Men 18 & Under
Race #5	Sunday - Nov. 18	Bloomer Park, F	Rochester Hills		Men 19-29
Race #6 Sunday - Dec. 2 Stony Creek Park, Shelby Twp. Please Print All Information Clearly & Check Appropriate Date Box(es) Above Name					Men 30-39 Men 40-49 Men 50 & Over
					Advanced Women
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Age on 12/31/01 M F Phone() Team / Sponsor				_	"A" Race (1:15pm) 700c Wheeled Bike or Mountain Bike (No Bar Ends Allowed)
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Please enter your birthdate: M D Y — REGISTRATION FEE (FOR EACH RACE DATE) —					Please Make Check Payable To: TAILWIND Mail Check & Registration To:
Postmark by Mon. before each race: \$25 After Mon: \$30					Tailwind Enterprises — P.O. Box 368