



St. Nicholas Brewing Company Cycling Team Rider Contracts and Benefits  
2026 Season (Jan 2026-Dec 2026)

## Club Expectations

Members of the St. Nicholas Brewing Company Cycling Team can choose to be club members or team members:

- **Club Members** must pay dues
- **Team Members** must pay dues, participate in at least 10 training rides per year, and fulfill expectations for one of the following tiers:
  - Tier 1- Participate in at least 10 “organized event”<sub>1</sub> rides throughout the calendar year.
  - Tier 2 – Participate in at least 5 “organized event”<sub>1</sub> rides throughout the calendar year.

**Regardless of tier or membership, members must agree to follow the rules of the road and treat other drivers and riders with respect while representing the club by either ride participation or while wearing the club’s jersey.**

### **Dues must be paid prior to March 15, 2026**

Club and Team Member Dues: 25\$ or the purchase of a team jersey (ordered from Champion system)

Training Ride Participation will be on the honor system. Team training rides will include:

- Group rides that leave from the St. Nicholas Brewing Co. or other established locations
- Other impromptu group rides throughout the area (will be posted on the Facebook page or team website)

1 “organized event” rides are defined as any riding event that requires registration such as organized charity rides, tour, or races and club/team member is wearing SNBC Cycling jersey/kit. We want you to ride, be involved, and represent our team/club!

**Benefits (may require presenting club/team digital membership card)**

1. The Bike Surgeon of Southern Illinois will give all club/team members, and immediate family, a discount according to the following schedule for equipment and accessory purchases (Bicycle Frames, Bicycles, and Wheel discounts will be applied at the discretion of The Bike Surgeon\*)

- Team/club – Tier 1 = 20% discount
- Team/club – Tier 2 = 15% discount
- Club Member = 10% discount

In addition, all club/team members will receive 1 free bike fit (appointment only) and 50% off labor costs (appointment preferred\*\*). Discounts cannot exceed shop costs for service or product.

\*Discount will vary due to a variety of factors. Please inquire with Bike Surgeon management.

\*\*Appointment is not necessary, but helps us ensure work is performed in a timely manner. We will give preference to team/club members, but advanced notice helps us best serve you in especially busy times of the year.

2. St. Nicholas Brewing Company will offer dollar off house pints to all club or team members (members must spend at least \$10 on food and present digital membership card, offer valid at Du Quoin, Chester, and MDH locations)

As a sponsored rider of the St. Nicholas Brewing Company Cycling Club/Team, I agree to fulfill the requirements and obligations set forth in this contract. I also understand that if I fail to fulfill my commitments, team/club benefits may be withdrawn or withheld. I agree to follow all rules of the road while on organized rides and while wearing a St Nicholas Brewing Company Cycling Club kit. Additionally, I will treat other riders, drivers, and sponsor businesses with respect.

It is my intent to participate actively in training and/or bike racing during the 2025 season as a:

Club Member  
 Team Member  
     Tier 1  
     Tier 2

Please send contract/checks to:  
[stnickcycling@gmail.com](mailto:stnickcycling@gmail.com) or

Checks to:  
SNBC Cycling  
542 May Apple Lane  
Carbondale, IL 62903

Or Venmo @ Katie-Ancell

\*Checks should be made out to: SNBC Cycling

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**St. Nicholas Brewing Company Cycling Team**

## **WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY READ BEFORE SIGNING**

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the St. Nicholas Brewing Company Cycling Team's rides, programs, related events and activities, I acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

1. The risk of injury from many of the activities is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while particular skills, rules, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and,
2. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, BOTH KNOWN AND UNKNOWN, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES or others and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
3. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS THE ST. NICHOLAS BREWING COMPANY CYCLING TEAM it's officers, officials, ride directors, ride coordinators, agents, and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors and advertisers ("RELEASEES"), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, OR LOSS OR DAMAGE TO PERSON OR PROPERTY, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Signed: \_\_\_\_\_