

## NW Cup Round 1 – Port Angeles

After a long snowy winter the first race of the season is finally here, taking the C4 team down to Port Angeles Washington for the first round of the NW Cup series.

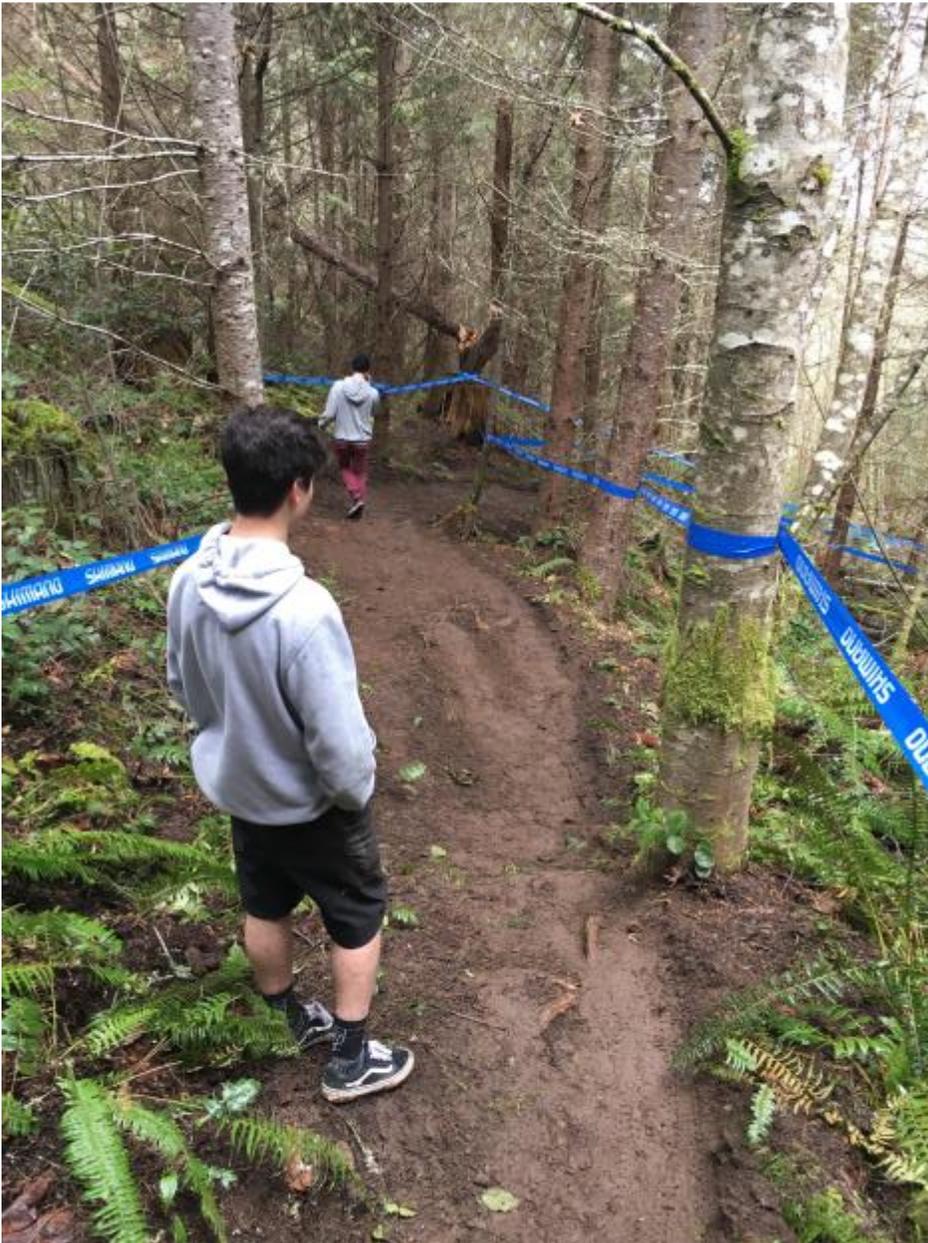
About half the team made it down to PA while the rest spent the weekend in Squamish getting some more training in with Cory. A few of the senior riders stepped up, bringing down the tent and pit set up for the riders along with Cory supplying us with any spare parts that we may need throughout the weekend.



The pit set up for the weekend, Norco Bicycles tent keeping us dry during a weekend of on and off rain.

The tracks in Port Angeles are always a good time full of corners and high speed sections making for fun tracks and exciting racing with very tight times.

This year a new section was added into the track about half way down that added some more line choices and high speed sections.



C4 riders Jacob Stefiuk and Blake Bunting walking the new section of track looking for some lines to shave some time off on a pretty simple track with not much for line selection.



One of the new sections of track that added some line choice, although the choice became clear after the first lap.



C4 Riders Jacob Stefiuk (Left) and Adam Woodhouse (Right) coming into the finish line during their seeding runs. Jacob seeding 7<sup>th</sup> just behind C4 rider Blake Bunting in 6<sup>th</sup> in Cat 1 Men 0-18. Adam seeding 15<sup>th</sup> in Pro Men.



C4 rider Aidan Borthwick stepping onto his first podium of the season with a 2<sup>nd</sup> place in Cat 2 Men 0-14



C4 Rider Blake Bunting improving in his seeding run and making it onto his first podium of the season with a 3<sup>rd</sup> place in Cat 1 Men 0-18.

Overall the first race weekend of the year was a great success with riders Blake and Aidan getting onto the podium, Adam finishing his first Pro race and the team working together all weekend making sure everyone was running smooth.

Special thanks to C4 rider Willem Zweirs for stepping up big time and bringing down all the pit set up and helping out all weekend working on bikes and making sure everyone had what they needed for a successful first weekend of racing.

#### Full C4 Team Results

Adam Woodhouse 36<sup>th</sup> Pro Men  
Blake Bunting 3<sup>rd</sup> Cat 1 Men 0-18  
Jacob Stefiuk 8<sup>th</sup> Cat 1 Men 0-18  
Aidan Borthwick 2<sup>nd</sup> Cat 2 Men 0-14  
Jonathan Schlender 10<sup>th</sup> Cat 2 Men 15-18  
Devon Fabio 19<sup>th</sup> Cat 2 Men 15-18

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