



Dear Potential Sponsor,

Thank you for taking the time to consider partnering with the **Gulf Coast Youth Mountain Bike Association (GCYMBA)**. GCYMBA is a 501.3c non-profit club that currently consists of four cycling teams.

- The Gulf Coast Composite "Dirt Sharks", (11th season)
- Spanish Fort Toros (3rd season)
- Daphne Trojans (2nd season)
- Fairhope Pirates (inaugural season)

The Gulf Coast Composite and 2024 & 2025 Alabama State Champions Aggie team will merge to become one team in 2026. This will unite the two Pensacola area teams to maintain strong camaraderie among athletes. All our teams will be participating in the Alabama Cycling Association league (ACA) during the 2026 Spring Season. We have big plans to continue growing and further develop these teams.

Our Mission:

GCYMBA is committed to providing student athletes with a positive, inclusive team environment in which each member will strive to achieve both competitive and non-competitive goals. It is our belief that through teamwork, determination, and dedication, our team members will develop strong minds, strong bodies, and strong character...one pedal stroke at a time.

About GCYMBA:

GCYMBA consists of student athletes from the Gulf Coast of Alabama and Florida. All GCYMBA teams strive to:

- Promote a respectful and gracious attitude as amateur athletes
- Create an environment for new friendships and quality role models.
- Encourage responsible use and maintenance of wilderness trails.
- Promote the value of cycling to our community.

About Alabama Cycling Association?

Launched in 2023, the ACA is Alabama's sole interscholastic mountain bike league, previously affiliated with the National Interscholastic Cycling Association (NICA). The ACA's mission is to enhance the lives of Alabama's youth through mountain biking. The season includes six events from late February to early May, including a race at the University of West Florida. In 2025, nearly 700 students participated, competing for individual and team award across various categories. Students compete for individual and team awards in categories equivalent to other interscholastic sports (Middle School, Freshman, Sophomore, Junior Varsity and Varsity).

Why support the GCYMBA?

Supporting GCYMBA offers a unique return on investment. Sponsors receive advertising access to hundreds of families during events and contribute to promoting fitness, confidence, and a healthy lifestyle among youth. Unlike other sports, mountain biking involves the entire family, from practices to race weekends. As one parent expressed, "This league allowed me to connect with my son in a way no other sport ever has."

Thank you in advance for considering supporting the Gulf Coast Youth Mountain Bike Association.

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Friends & Family Sponsor \$250 (Cash or in-Kind)	Bronze Sponsor \$500 (Cash or in-Kind)	Silver Sponsor \$750	Gold Sponsor \$1000	Platinum Sponsor \$1500 +
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sponsor Name on the team Facebook page. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sponsor name (small) on team shirts. Sponsor's logo with hyperlink to company's website on team Facebook page. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sponsor name (medium) on team shirts. Sponsor logo with hyperlink to company's website on team Facebook page. GCYMBA may provide volunteer assistance for select benefit events, with proper notice of 45 days. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sponsor logo (large) on team shirts. Sponsor logo with hyperlink to company's website on team social media pages and team website. Sponsorship recognition post on team social media. GCYMBA may provide volunteer assistance for select benefit events, with proper notice of 45 days. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sponsor logo (x-large) on team shirts. Sponsor logo with hyperlink to company's website on team social media pages and team website. Sponsorship recognition post on team social media during race weeks. GCYMBA may provide volunteer assistance for select benefit events, with proper notice of 45 days.



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