



WINTERGREEN TREAD & TRAIL MOUNTAIN BIKE & TRAIL RUN SERIES HITS THE DIRT MEMORIAL DAY, LABOR DAY & COLUMBUS DAY WEEKENDS



WINTERGREEN, Va. (March 8, 2016) — Wintergreen Resort and Bold Rock Hard Cider have teamed up to sponsor the Wintergreen Tread & Trail Mountain Bike Race and Trail Run Series to be presented over three, long holiday weekends - Memorial, Labor, and Columbus Days. The series will feature a mountain bike race and a trail run on Wintergreen Resort's mountain trail system.

The Wintergreen Trail & Tread Series is part of the Virginia Off-Road Series. The event encourages participants of all ages and levels of expertise to conquer the beautiful single-track trail at Wintergreen Resort. The series includes:

Memorial Day Weekend Cliffhanger Challenge - Cross country format for both races.

Mountain Bike Race - May 28, 2016

Trail Run - May 29, 2016

Labor Day Weekend Summer's End Race - Cross country format for both races.

Mountain Bike Race - September 3, 2016

Trail Run - September 4, 2016

Columbus Day Weekend Rodeo Roundup - Stage-race format for Mountain Bike Race and cross country format for the Trail Run.

Trail Run - October 8, 2016

Mountain Bike Race - October 9, 2016

Registration for the overall series is open online at Bikereg.com or at Bold Rock Hard Cider in Nellysford, located at the foot of Wintergreen Mountain.

Mountain Bike Race categories include men's and women's beginner, sport, and expert categories. Trail Run categories include men's and women's full- or half-race options.

Cash and prize awards valued at more than \$3,500 will be presented over the course of the series. Points will be earned based on category and finishing time. Entrants may enter any combination of bike races and trail runs, up to all six races in the series. The more races entered, the more points can be earned. The man and woman with the most points at the end of the series will be crowned king and queen and receive grand prize packs.

Wintergreen Resort accommodations feature lodging options that include 230 villa-style condominiums and rental homes, from studio suites to seven-bedroom homes, each offering fully equipped kitchen, and comfortable living area, most with fireplaces and a balcony or deck.

For more information call 888-329-5828 or visit www.wintergreenresort.com.

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About Wintergreen Resort: Wintergreen Resort is an 11,000-acre, four-season resort located in the Blue Ridge Mountains southwest of Charlottesville, Va. This beautiful hideaway is the ultimate vacation and conference spot, nearly 230 condominium-style accommodations; 45 holes of championship golf; snow skiing, snowboarding and snow tubing; an award-winning tennis program; a full-service, destination spa; 40,000 square feet of meeting and event space; and savory dining options. The resort is located adjacent to the Blue Ridge Parkway in beautiful central Virginia near Charlottesville, just 90 minutes from Richmond, Va., three hours from Washington, D.C. and Raleigh, N.C., five and a half hours from Philadelphia, and eight hours from Atlanta. For more information, guests can call (434) 325-2200 or visit the resort's web site at www.wintergreenresort.com.

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