

# Subic Bay International Triathlon (SuBIT) 2016

16~17 April 2016, Subic Bay Freeport, Philippines

## EVENT INFORMATION

### THIS IS A 5-IN-1 EVENT:

**1. Asia Cup 2016 Series Event** - Under the supervision of ITU and ASTC. Top local and international elite athletes get ITU points for Asian and world ranking, and qualification to major international competitions.

**2. National Age-Group Championships** – Champions of the Age Group Women and Men will be sponsored by TRAP to an Asia Cup 2016 Series Event. 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place over-all age group women and men will get free registration to the same event, tax exemption, assistance in visa processing, coordination with LOC regarding transportation and hotel accommodation. Top 20 over-all age group finishers will be endorsed by TRAP. Only finishers in SuBIT 2016 are qualified to be endorsed by TRAP to this event.

**3. Age Group Select Men** – the newest and first-of-its-kind category only at SuBIT 2016. Open for Philippine residents only. Racers in this category will:

- have their own separate smaller wave and transition section.
- be announced (name/team name) and lined up individually just like the elites.
- enjoy a draft-legal bike leg with their own escorts \*\*Road bike with short and bridged aerobar (ITU Compliant). No tri bike.
- use the same course as the Men & Women Elite.
- may still count their race times as eligible for the team competition; Team Time = top 2 AG Select + top 2 male + top female.
- enjoy early bird rate.
- be eligible for prizes.

### SOME THINGS TO NOTE:

- Only male age groupers with a time of 2.27 for a standard distance or faster can be entered.
- Only Philippine residents can enter.
- There will be no age group placing for this category. Participants will be ranked overall from 1st to last.
- Current National Triathlon, Duathlon team members and Filipino Elite who raced the calendar year of 2014 up to present are not allowed to join in this category. FILIPINO ELITE (Those who joined as a Filipino Elite when there's a specific category for it) .
- Submission of entries is through your Team Captain/ Team Manager. Submit your entries to [trapsubit@gmail.com](mailto:trapsubit@gmail.com) for verification. Put in your **name**, **team name**, your **fastest standard time** and which **race** you garnered that result.
- This a great way to test yourself with the best age groupers in the country and race like the elites do.
- For any questions and inquiries, email **trapsubit@gmail.com**

**4. Inter-Club Competition** - Top 3 finishers will be declared the National Triathlon Club Champion and runners-up.

**5. National Triathlon Try-Outs** - Excellent and promising performers will be qualified and considered in the National Pool and will have the opportunity to represent the Philippines in international competitions. Slots are open in all categories, including Junior, U23 and Elite Open.

RACE DATES:

16 April 2016, Sat, from 5:30am

Sprint Distance: Elite Junior, AG Junior and AG Adult

Mini Sprint Distance: Men and Women

17 April 2016, Sun, from 5:30am

All Standard Distance: Elite Open, Elite U23, Age Groups, Clubs

EVENT VENUES:

Sprint and Mini-Sprint:

Start and Finish at ACEA Subic Bay area

Standard Distance:

Start at ACEA Subic Bay and finish at Remy Field

RACE DISTANCES:

Standard

Swim 1.5km (2 loops), Bike 40km (2 loops), Run 10km (3 loops)

Sprint

Swim 750m (1 loop), Bike 20km (2 loops), Run 5km (2 loops)

Mini Sprint

Swim 400m (1 loop), Bike 12km (1 loop), Run 3km (2 loops)

CATEGORIES:

Elite Open; U23 Elite, Junior Elite (16~19): open only to athletes entered by their NFs through ITU.

Age Group Select Men: open only to athletes with a time of 2.27 or faster for a standard distance.

Age Group Sprint, Men & Women: 16~19, 20~29, 30~39, 40~49, 50 & over

Age Group Standard Distance Men : 18~19, 20~24, 25~29, 30~34, 35~39, 40~44, 45~49, 50~54, 55~59, 60 & over

Age Group Standard Distance Women : 18~24, 25~29, 30~34, 35~39, 40-44; 45-49; 50 & over

Inter-Club Competition: for age groupers in the standard distance

Mini Sprint: 13~15 years old and adults

Standard Relay (Standard distance, 2 or 3 members per team)

INTER-CLUB COMPETITION:

- Each triathlon club may field one or more teams composed of 5 members each, with at least 1 female. 4-member teams are also accepted. Only 2 of a club's teams are qualified for the Top 3 podium awards.
- We will automatically get the time of the best 4 male (2 AG Select, 2 AG) plus the time of one female member.
- If a club has more than 1 team, we will automatically get for their second team, the 5<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> best male time of their club and the 2<sup>nd</sup> best female AG time.
- Only age groupers are eligible for this race.
- Current members of the National Triathlon and Duathlon Teams are not allowed to join the Inter-Club Competition.
- Filipinos who are not current members of the National Triathlon and Duathlon Teams but joined a race as Filipino Elite are also not allowed to join.
- Drafting in the bike leg is not allowed.
- Team members are still qualified for individual awards.
  
- DNF (did not finish) will be assigned a default time of 4:00:00, in case less than 4 members and/or no female finishes.
- Each of the 5 members of the top 3 teams (maximum of 2 teams from the same club) gets a medal.
- All members must put their team name when they register as individual entries.

- There are no additional separate fees for team entries.
- Team Captains must attend a Captain’s Meeting after the race briefing on Saturday, 16 April 2016.

**STANDARD RELAY GUIDELINES:**

- Each relay team will be composed of 2 or 3 members, with each member doing one or two legs
- The timing chip must be transferred to the next athlete in T1 & T2 at the team’s spot in transition.

**RACE COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

- The swim for the Standard Distance will be 2 laps at ACEA Subic Bay (formerly Sands of Triboa) at the far end of Subic Airport.
- Transition will be just outside ACEA Subic Bay along San Bernardino St.
- The bike route for the Elite and AG Select will be an out and back through the rolling hills of Corregidor Road (going to Ocean Adventure) before heading towards the flat roads of Argonaut Highway and Rizal Highway (Subic Yacht Club). After completing 1 loop at the corner of Corregidor and Argonaut, head back to Rizal Highway then turn left at Burgos St.(Remy Field) to T2.

- Regular AG

It'll be a fast and flat course for our Age Groupers. After coming out of San Bernardino (T1), turn left at Argonaut Highway going to Rizal Highway (Subic Yacht Club) before making a U-Turn at the corner of Aim High Ave. (Road going to Subic Convention Center) and back to Argonaut and San Bernardo Rd. After completing two(2) loops, pass Argonaut and Rizal Highway again and head straight to T2 at Burgos St.(Remy Field)

- The run will be a 3-loop course. Racers will go around the Remy Field Track every lap of the run.

**EVENT SCHEDULE:**

Date/Day	Time	Activity	Location
15 April Friday	10:00	Bike & Run Course Familiarization (for Sprint & Mini Sprint)	Start in front of Travelers Hotel
	10:00~18:00	Distribution of Race Packets and timing chips for Sprint & Mini-Sprint only	Rialto Ballroom at Ground Floor, Travelers Hotel
	10:00~17:00	Bike mechanic available	Rialto Ballroom at Ground Floor, Travelers Hotel
	13:00~15:00	Bike, Helmet, & Uniform Check, for Elite Junior	Rialto Hallway at Ground Floor, Travelers Hotel
	18:00	Race Briefing for Mini Sprint	Verona Hall at 2nd Floor, Travelers Hotel
	18:30	Race Briefing for Sprint (mandatory for Elite Junior)	
	18:30~21:00	Continuation of distribution of race packets and timing chips for Sprint & Mini Sprint (Present valid school ID. <b>No claiming of race packet on race day</b> )	Rialto Ballroom at Ground Floor, Travelers Hotel

16 April Saturday	04:15	Guide Triathletes to Transition 1	Start from front of Travelers Hotel
	04:30	Opening of Transition. Check-in. Distribution of timing chips and swimcaps to Elite Junior. Body marking.	Transition Area 1
	05:30	Closing of Transition Area	
	06:00	<b>Waves:</b> 6:00 Mini Sprint (Men and Women) 6:20 JR Sprint Elite Men 6:40 JR Sprint Elite Women 7:00 AG Sprint Women 7:10 AG Adult Sprint Men 16-19, 40-over, Sprint Relay 7:15 Sprint Men 20-29, 30-39	Swim and T1 at ACEA Subic Bay
	08:00~11:00	Post-Race brunch (boxed meal, walk in price P250)	San Bernardino St.
	09:30	Awarding	San Bernardino St
	10:00~18:00	Distribution of Race Packets and timing chips for AG (Present valid government ID. <b>No claiming of race packet on race day</b> )	Rialto Ballroom at Ground Floor, Travelers Hotel
	10:00~17:00	Bike mechanic available	Rialto Ballroom at Ground Floor, Travelers Hotel
	11:00	Bike & Run Course Familiarization (for Elite Open & U23, AG Select and AG)	Start in front of Travelers Hotel
	13:00~15:00	Bike, Helmet, & Uniform Check, for Elite Open & U23, AG Select	Rialto Hallway at Ground Floor, Travelers Hotel
	10:00~18:00	T2 Bag acceptance	Rialto Ballroom at Ground Floor, Travelers Hotel
	16:00~21:00 and 3:30~4:15 Sun	Transition 2 open for setting-up stuff by triathletes	Transition 2 at Remy Field
	18:00	Race Briefing for Elite Open and U23 , AG Select (mandatory)	Verona Hall at 2nd Floor, Travelers Hotel
	18:30	Race Briefing for AG	
	19:00~20:00	Pre-race Dinner (walk-in price P350)	
	19:00~21:00	Distribution of Race Packets for Elite and AG Select. Continuation of Distribution of Race Packets and timing chip for AG (Present valid government ID. <b>No claiming of race packet on race day</b> )	Rialto Ballroom at Ground Floor, Travelers Hotel
17 April Sunday	04:15	Guide Triathletes to T1	Start from front of Travelers Hotel

	04:30	Opening of Transition. Check-in. Distribution of timing chips and swim caps to Elite and AG Select. Body marking.	Transition Area 1 at ACEA Subic Bay
	05:30	Closing of Transition Area for Elite and AG Select	
	06:30	Closing of Transition Area for Age Groupers	
	05:30	Waves: 5:30 Wave 1 - Elite Men 5:40 Wave 2 - Elite Women 6:00 Wave 3 – AG Select Men 7:00 Wave 4 - AG Men 18-19, 20-24,25-29 50 & over 7:10 Wave 5 - AG Women 7:20 Wave 6 - AG Men 30-34, 35-39 and 40-49	Swim Start at ACEA Subic Bay  T2/Finish at Remy Field
	11:00	Awarding and Lunch	Verona Hall, Traveler's Hotel

REGISTRATION FEES:

Standard Distance	Local Entries	Early bird ₱4,000 until 15 February 2016 Regular ₱5,000 until 16 March 2016 Late ₱6,000 until 1 April 2016
	International Entries	US\$150 until 1 April 2016
Sprint Distance	Local Entries	Early bird ₱3,500 until 15 February 2016 Regular ₱4,500 until 16 March 2015 Late ₱5,500 until 1 April 2016
	International Entries	US\$125 until 1 April 2016
Mini Sprint Distance	Local Entries	Early bird ₱3,000 until 15 February 2016 Regular ₱3,500 until 16 March 2016 Late ₱4,500 until 1 April 2016
	International Entries	US\$125 until 1 April 2016
Relay Team	2 members	Early bird ₱7,000 until 15 February 2016 Regular ₱8,000 until 16 March 2016 Late ₱10,000 until 9 April March 2016
	3 members	Early bird ₱10,500 until 15 February 2016 Regular ₱12,000 until 16 March 2016 Late ₱15,000 until 1 April 2016

- 10% discount for TRAP-registered athletes; 20% discount for students (except for 13-15 Mini-Sprint) and senior citizens. Only one type of discount applies. Paid fees are non-refundable, non-transferrable and not applicable for future races.
- Fees will cover cost of participation, race packet, finisher's shirt, finisher's medal, rental of timing chip, and post-race brunch. Plus, pre-race carbo loading buffet on Saturday evening for all Standard Distance participants.

#### REGISTRATION :

- Option 1: Submit filled-out entry form with your entry fee at the TRAP Office, Room 405 Bldg B, Philsports Complex (ULTRA), Meralco Ave., Pasig City or at Speedo Concept Stores at Alabang Town Center, SM Megamall, Podium, Glorietta 4 Makati and Bonifacio High Street.
- Option 2: Peso payment can also be made through: BPI (Tomas T. Carasco, Jr. - C/A No. 0081 -0483-63) or PNB (Triathlon Association of the Philippines - C/A No. 1002-3310-0013) Bank of Commerce (Triathlon Association of the Philippines - C/A No. 066-000011755) Email entry form to [trapsubit@gmail.com](mailto:trapsubit@gmail.com) together with scanned deposit slip. TRAP office telephone nos. 710-8259 or 399-6598.
- Foreign participants can send US\$ payments through:  
Citibank, Alabang Muntinlupa branch, Philippines (US\$ Account # 8-542000-598 of T. Carrasco)
- Scan receipt and email to **trapsubit@gmail.com** with full name, country, gender, date of birth and contact numbers.
- Keep receipt and submit during registration at the Secretariat in Subic.
- All bank charges will be shouldered by the sender.
- The waiver will be signed at the Secretariat in Subic Bay Freeport.
- For registration concerns, hotel bookings and airport transfers, email **trapsubit@gmail.com**

#### EVENT ORGANIZERS:

Organized by the Triathlon Association of the Philippines (TRAP) in cooperation with the Subic Bay Metropolitan Authority (SBMA). Sanctioned by the Asian Triathlon Confederation (ASTC) and the International Triathlon Union (ITU)

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