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**2008 National Mountain Bike Series Finals Relocate  
Brian Head, Utah, new venue**

GRANTSVILLE, Utah (April 30, 2008) – Blue Wolf Events is pleased to announce **Brian Head, Utah**, as the replacement venue for the **National Mountain Bike Series Finals Presented by Trek VW**, on August 30 and September 1, after **Tamarack Resort**, Idaho, had to remove itself from the schedule.

"I am really delighted that we have been able to resolve this crisis so quickly and cleanly. We've only crossed one state line, and we don't even have to change our date," said series director **Jeff Frost**, of event management company **Blue Wolf**. "And it is great to be returning to Brian Head. We were very impressed with this venue when holding a series round there two years ago."

**Traci Brown**, director of the mountain bike park at **Brian Head**, said: "We are very excited to have the **NMBS** back, not only from the sporting side, but also it's so great to have America's top mountain bike pros come play in our back yard. What better opportunity to showcase the caliber of our venue?"

Events scheduled for the **National Mountain Bike Series Finals Presented by Trek VW** include: Cross Country, Short Track, Dual Slalom, Downhill, Super D, and Marathon. Online entries are through [mtbnationals.com](http://mtbnationals.com).

Started in 1991, **Brian Head Mountain Bike Park** rises from a base elevation of 9600 feet and rises to 11,000 feet. 40 miles of single-track trails are maintained within the park boundary, and there is easy access to Forest Service trails beyond. A chair lift serves the downhill trails, and the gravity riders will benefit from a second pro/expert level downhill course '**Lil' Gritty**' that was tested in the 2007 Utah Series. In addition to the cross country and downhill trails, the park features terrain parks that include jumps, dips, ladders and wooden elements.

**About The National Mountain Bike Series**

The 2008 National Mountain Bike Series (NMBS) comprises six rounds and is the premier mountain bike racing series in the United States. It is sanctioned by the national governing body of cycling sports, USA Cycling. The series determines the most consistent performers over an entire summer's grueling competition. For more information and to see the complete 2008 NMBS calendar, visit [www.mtbnationals.com](http://www.mtbnationals.com). For all non-media inquiries, please send email to: [info@mtbnationals.com](mailto:info@mtbnationals.com).

2008 NATIONAL MOUNTAIN BIKE SERIES - SCHEDULE

KEY:

XC=Cross Country, ST=Short Track,  
DS= Dual Slalom, 4X=Mountain Cross, DH=Downhill, Super D=Super D

Round 1  
March 29 – March 30, 2008  
UCI C1  
Fontana National  
Southridge Park  
Fontana, California  
XC/DH/ST/4X/Super D

Round 2  
NOVA National



April 5 – April 6, 2008  
UCI C1

McDowell Mountain Regional Park  
Fountain Hills, Arizona  
XC/ST/Super D

Round 3  
May 17 – May 18, 2008  
UCI C2

Santa Ynez National presented by  
Platinum Performance  
Ted Chamberlin Ranch  
Los Olivos, California  
XC/DH/DS/ST/Super D

Round 4  
June 28 – June 29, 2008  
UCI C1

Deer Valley National  
Deer Valley Resort  
Park City, Utah  
XC/DH/DS/ST/Super D

Round 5  
July 12 – July 13, 2008  
UCI C1

East Coast National  
Windham Resort  
Windham, New York  
XC/DH/DS/ST/Super D

Round 6, Series Final  
August 31– September 1, 2008  
2008  
UCI C2

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Brian Head Mountain Bike Park  
Brian Head, Utah  
XC/DH/4Xor DS/ST/Super D

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