



Regulations – X²O Badkamers Trophy Cyclo-cross 2026–2027

Art. 1

The X²O Badkamers Trofee is organised by Golazo Sports, in cooperation with the non-profit associations Sportinez vzw and Fietspromo vzw, and is run in accordance with the applicable UCI and KBWB regulations.

Art. 2

All riders who, under UCI/KBWB regulations, are entitled to compete in A-category cyclo-cross races are eligible for the overall classification of the Elite Men and Elite Women.

Art. 3

The total prize fund for the X²O Badkamers Trofee 2026–2027 amounts to EUR 144,500 and is distributed on the basis of the final overall classifications across three categories.

Elite Men – X²O Badkamers Trofee

The prize fund for the Elite Men amounts to EUR 70,000, to be distributed among the 15 best-ranked riders as follows:

Place	Prize
1st	€30,000
2nd	€15,000
3rd	€10,000

4th	€5,000
5th	€3,000
6th	€2,000
7th	€1,000
8th	€500
9th	€500
10th	€500
11th	€500
12th	€500
13th	€500
14th	€500
15th	€500

Elite Women – Ladies Trophy

The prize money for the Elite Women (Ladies Trophy) also amounts to EUR 70,000, to be distributed among the 15 best-ranked riders as follows:

Place	Prize
1st	€30,000
2nd	€15,000
3rd	€10,000
4th	€5,000
5th	€3,000
6th	€2,000
7th	€1,000

8th	€500
9th	€500
10th	€500
11th	€500
12th	€500
13th	€500
14th	€500
15th	€500

Under 23 – Rookies Trophy

For the Under 23 category (Rookies Trophy), the prize money is EUR 4,500, to be distributed among the 5 best-ranked riders as follows:

Place	Prize
1st	€2,500
2nd	€1,000
3rd	€500
4th	€250
5th	€250

Art. 4

An overall classification is established based on time.

The classification is drawn up on the basis of the riders' finishing times, in the same way as in a road stage race. Riders may also earn time bonuses (see Art. 5).

If a rider finishes with a time deficit of more than five minutes, is taken out of the race under the 80% rule, or abandons the race, a penalty of five minutes will be added to the time of the winner of that round.

These five minutes do not include any bonus seconds possibly earned during the intermediate sprint or for the fastest lap.

If a rider does not start in one of the rounds of the X²O Badkamers Trophy, a penalty of five minutes will be added to his/her classification time, based on the time of the winner of that round.

For the final overall classification of all categories, all times from the 8 races are taken into account.

In the event of a tie on time (hours, minutes, seconds), the rider's best result in the X²O Badkamers Trophy will be decisive. If this is also identical, the result in the final round will determine the ranking.

Hundredths of a second are not taken into account.

Art. 5 – Time Bonuses

Intermediate Sprint

At each round of the regularity competition, an intermediate sprint is organised at the finish line at the end of the first lap. Riders can earn the following bonus seconds for the overall classification:

- Winner of the intermediate sprint: 15 seconds
- Second place: 10 seconds
- Third place: 5 seconds

Fastest Lap

At each round, riders can also earn bonus seconds based on the fastest lap completed during the race (the starting lap is not included). The riders with the fastest laps receive:

- Fastest lap: 15 seconds
- Second fastest lap: 10 seconds
- Third fastest lap: 5 seconds

These bonuses are not cumulative; a rider may only receive one fastest-lap time bonus per race.

Art. 6 – Calendar X²O Badkamers Trophy (Elite & U23), Season 2026–2027

- 1 November – Koppenbergcross, Oudenaarde
- 15 November – Bollekescross, Hamme-Zogge

- 22 November – Be-Mine Cross, Beringen
- 22 December – Hofstade Plage Cross
- 23 December – Azencross, Loenhout
- 1 January – GP Sven Nys, Baal
- 7 February – Krawatencross, Lille
- 14 February – Brussels Universities Cyclocross, Brussels

Art. 7

The first three riders in the results of each race must report to the podium after the race for the award ceremony.

The leader of the overall classification must also report to the podium after each race for the ceremony and make him-/herself available to the press.

Art. 8

After each race, an intermediate classification will be drawn up and published on the X²O Badkamers Trofee website.

The final overall classification will be published after the last race on the official website: www.trofeeveldrijden.be.

For all categories, a time classification applies.

Only riders who finish within five minutes of the winner of a round are included in the intermediate and final overall classifications of the X²O Badkamers Trofee.

Art. 9

A riders' village will be provided for all riders in the categories Elite Men, Under 23, and Elite Women.

All riders are required to park their respective vehicles/campers in this area in accordance with the applicable organisational regulations.

The organisation provides priority parking for (Pro-)Continental teams that have a reserved space via their KBWB parking stickers (subject to availability). Individual riders receive their parking pass upon registration.

Art. 10

The riders finishing 1st, 2nd, and 3rd in the elite race are required, if requested by the organisation, to report to the VIP area after the podium ceremony for a short interview.

This is organised by the press officer in consultation with the organisation.
If the riders finishing 1st, 2nd, or 3rd refuse to participate, a fine of €500 will be imposed.

Art. 11

Any cases not provided for in these regulations shall be decided by the Steering Committee.

