

UCI MOUNTAIN BIKE CONTINENTAL SERIES + XCO WORLD JUNIOR SERIES

KABIBO BANJAK

ALEGRIA 2026

INTERNATIONAL XCO & XCE CHALLENGE



TECHNICAL GUIDE





MABUHAY!

**We are thrilled to invite you to the
UCI Mountain Bike Continental
Series – KABIBO BANJAK ALEGRIA
2026: International XCO & XCE
Challenge!**

**Join us for this prestigious and
adrenaline-pumping event that will
gather the best mountain bike
riders from across Asia and beyond,
set against the stunning backdrop
of Doña Conchita Lakeview Resort,
Municipality of Alegria, Surigao del
Norte, Philippines, on June 5–7,
2026.**

**This year's competition proudly
carries UCI Continental and Junior
Series status, making it one of only
a few in Asia to offer high-ranking
points for Elite, Under 23, and
Junior Categories.**

**Come and be part of this world-
class mountain biking experience—
a weekend of fierce competition,
breathtaking trails, and the vibrant
spirit of Alegria!**

**We can't wait to welcome you and
make KABIBO BANJAK ALEGRIA
2026 an event to remember!**

HON. DOMINADOR G. ESMA, JR.
Municipal Mayor
Alegria, Surigao del Norte

HON. RENE G. ESMA
Municipal Vice Mayor
Alegria, Surigao del Norte

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INTRODUCTION

The word “**KABIBO**” means *joy* or *fun*, while “**BANJAK**” means *pedal*. Put together, **KABIBO BANJAK** celebrates the pure joy and excitement of pedalling a bicycle.

KABIBO BANJAK ALEGRIA (KBA) is the annual bike festival of the vibrant and scenic Municipality of **Alegria**, nestled in the province of **Surigao del Norte, Mindanao, Philippines**. What began as a modest local event has grown into a much-anticipated celebration, drawing cyclists from across the country to experience the thrill, camaraderie, and breathtaking trails of Alegria.

In its four years of existence, the KBA has become a highlight on the national cycling calendar—welcoming both professional racers and enthusiastic beginners who share a common love for adventure on two wheels.

Among Alegria’s proudest achievements was hosting one leg of the **Asia Mountain Bike Series in 2025**, a testament to the Local Government’s commitment to world-class race organization. Riding on this success, Alegria earned the prestigious honor of being chosen by the **UCI**, through the recommendation of the Asian Cycling Confederation (**ACC**), as one of the few hosts in Asia for the **UCI Mountain Bike Continental Series** and the **XCO World Junior Series in 2026**—marking another milestone in its inspiring journey toward becoming a premier cycling destination in the Philippines.

EVENT DETAILS

TITLE	UCI MTB CONTINENTAL SERIES - KABIBO BANJAK ALEGRIA 2026 + XCO WORLD JUNIOR SERIES
LOCATION	ALEGRIA, SURIGAO DEL NORTE, MINDANAO, PHILIPPINES
UCI RACE CLASSIFICATION	CONTINENTAL SERIES (CS)
UCI EVENT CLASSIFICATION	JUNE 6, 2025 (MAIN RACE: INTERNATIONAL RACE)
RACE FORMAT	CROSS COUNTRY OLYMPIC (XCO), CROSS COUNTRY ELIMINATION (XCE)
	<p style="text-align: center;">CROSS-COUNTRY OLYMPIC (XCO):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. ME: MEN ELITE (23 ABOVE) UCI CATEGORY 2. WE: WOMEN ELITE (23 ABOVE) UCI CATEGORY 3. MU: MEN UNDER 23 (19-22) UCI CATEGORY 4. WU: WOMEN UNDER 23 (19-22) UCI CATEGORY 5. MJ: MEN JUNIOR (17-18) UCI CATEGORY 6. WJ: WOMEN JUNIOR (17-18) UCI CATEGORY 7. MEN YOUTH (16 BELOW) *NONE UCI 8. WOMEN YOUTH (16 BELOW) *NONE UCI 9. MEN MASTERS A (35-45) *NONE UCI 10. MEN MASTERS B (46 ABOVE) *NONE UCI <p style="text-align: center;">CROSS-COUNTRY ELIMINATOR (XCE):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. MEN ELITE (17 ABOVE) UCI CATEGORY 2. WOMEN ELITE (17 ABOVE) UCI CATEGORY 3. MEN YOUTH (16 BELOW) *NONE UCI 4. WOMEN YOUTH (16 BELOW) *NONE UCI
UCI REGULATIONS	The race will be conducted under the Union Cycliste Internationale (UCI) regulations, adhering to UCI’s Financial Obligation guidelines and also the Asian Cycling Confederation (ACC) regulations.
FOR XCO	FOLLOWING SHALL BE APPLIED IN THE XCO UNDER UCI REGULATIONS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FEED/TECH ZONE (4.2.035) • 80% RULE (4.2.064)

POINTS ALLOCATION

The Kabibo Banjak Alegria as a UCI MTB Continental Series and XCO World Junior Series, POINTS will be allocated as follows in accordance with UCI Cycling Regulations, Part 4 Mountain Bike, Annex 2:

ELITE (23 ABOVE)	UNDER 23	JUNIOR (17-18)	XCE (17 ABOVE)	
POSITION	POINTS			
1 st	100	60	90	10
2 nd	80	40	70	6
3 rd	60	30	60	4
4 th	50	25	50	2
5 th	40	20	40	1
6 th	35	18	35	x
7 th	30	16	30	
8 th	27	14	27	
9 th	24	12	24	
10 th	22	10	22	
11 TH	20	8	20	
12 TH	18	6	18	
13 TH	16	4	16	
14 TH	14	2	14	
15 TH	12	1	12	
16 TH	10	x	10	
17 TH	9		9	
18 TH	8		8	
19 TH	7		7	
20 TH	6		6	
21 ST	5		5	
22 ND	4		4	
23 RD	3		3	
24 TH	2		2	
25 TH	1		1	

CASH PRIZES

CROSS COUNTRY OLYMPIC (XCO)

CATEGORIES	POSITION	CASH PRIZE (PHP)	CASH PRIZE (EURO)
ME: MEN ELITE (23 ABOVE) *UCI	1 st	₱15,500.00	€ 224.6
	2 nd	₱13,000.00	€ 188.4
	3 rd	₱10,500.00	€ 152.2
	4 th	₱8,000.00	€ 115.9
	5 th	₱6,500.00	€ 94.2
	6 th	₱5,500.00	€ 79.7
	7 th	₱4,000.00	€ 58.0
	8 th	₱3,500.00	€ 50.7
	9 th	₱3,000.00	€ 43.5
	10 th	₱1,500.00	€ 21.7
WE: WOMEN ELITE (23 ABOVE) *UCI	1 st	₱15,500.00	€ 224.6
	2 nd	₱13,000.00	€ 188.4
	3 rd	₱10,500.00	€ 152.2
	4 th	₱8,000.00	€ 115.9
	5 th	₱6,500.00	€ 94.2
	6 th	₱5,500.00	€ 79.7
	7 th	₱4,000.00	€ 58.0
	8 th	₱3,500.00	€ 50.7
	9 th	₱3,000.00	€ 43.5
	10 th	₱1,500.00	€ 21.7
MU: MEN UNDER 23 (19-22)	1 st	₱8,000.00	€ 115.9
	2 nd	₱6,500.00	€ 94.2
	3 rd	₱5,500.00	€ 79.7
	4 th	₱4,500.00	€ 65.2
	5 th	₱3,500	€ 50.7
	6 th	₱3,000.00	€ 43.5
	7 th	₱2,500.00	€ 36.2
	8 th	₱2,000.00	€ 29.0
	9 th	₱1,500.00	€ 21.7
	10 th	₱1,000.00	€ 14.5
WU: WOMEN UNDER 23 (19-22)	1 st	₱8,000.00	€ 115.9
	2 nd	₱6,500.00	€ 94.2
	3 rd	₱5,500.00	€ 79.7
	4 th	₱4,500.00	€ 65.2
	5 th	₱3,500	€ 50.7
	6 th	₱3,000.00	€ 43.5
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	8 th	₱2,000.00	€ 29.0
	9 th	₱1,500.00	€ 21.7
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MJ: MEN JUNIOR (17-18) *UCI	1 st	₱8,000.00	€ 115.9
	2 nd	₱6,500.00	€ 94.2
	3 rd	₱5,500.00	€ 79.7
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	5 th	₱3,000.00	€ 50.7
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	8 th	₱2,000.00	€ 29.0
	9 th	₱1,500.00	€ 21.7
	10 th	₱1,000.00	€ 14.5
YOUTH MEN (16 BELOW) *NON-UCI	1 st	₱5,000.00	
	2 nd	₱3,000.00	
	3 rd	₱2,500.00	
	4 th	₱2,000.00	
	5 th	₱1,500.00	
YOUTH WOMEN (16 BELOW) *NON-UCI	1 st	₱5,000.00	
	2 nd	₱3,000.00	
	3 rd	₱2,500.00	
	4 th	₱2,000.00	
	5 th	₱1,500.00	
MASTERS A (35-45) *NON-UCI	1 st	₱3,000.00	
	2 nd	₱2,000.00	
	3 rd	₱1,000.00	
	4 th	₱500.00	
	5 th	₱500.00	
MASTERS B (46 ABOVE) *NON-UCI	1 st	₱3,000.00	
	2 nd	₱2,000.00	
	3 rd	₱1,000.00	
	4 th	₱500.00	
	5 th	₱500.00	

CROSS COUNTRY ELIMINATOR (XCE)

CATEGORIES	POSITION	CASH PRIZE (PHP)	CASH PRIZE (EURO)
MEN & WOMEN ELITE (17 ABOVE)	1 st	₱5,500.00	€ 79.7
	2 nd	₱4,000.00	€ 58.0
	3 rd	₱3,000.00	€ 43.5
	4 th	₱2,000.00	€ 29.0
	5 th	₱1,500.00	€ 21.7
MEN & WOMEN YOUTH (16 BELOW)	1 st	₱5,500.00	€ 79.7
	2 nd	₱4,000.00	€ 58.0
	3 rd	₱3,000.00	€ 43.5
	4 th	₱2,000.00	€ 29.0
	5 th	₱1,500.00	€ 21.7

NOTE:

1. Currency conversion is based on October 30, 2025.
2. In the event of a difference in the conversion value, the date of the latest version of this Technical Guide shall prevail.
3. In case of confusion in the conversion, the amount in pesos shall always be the basis.

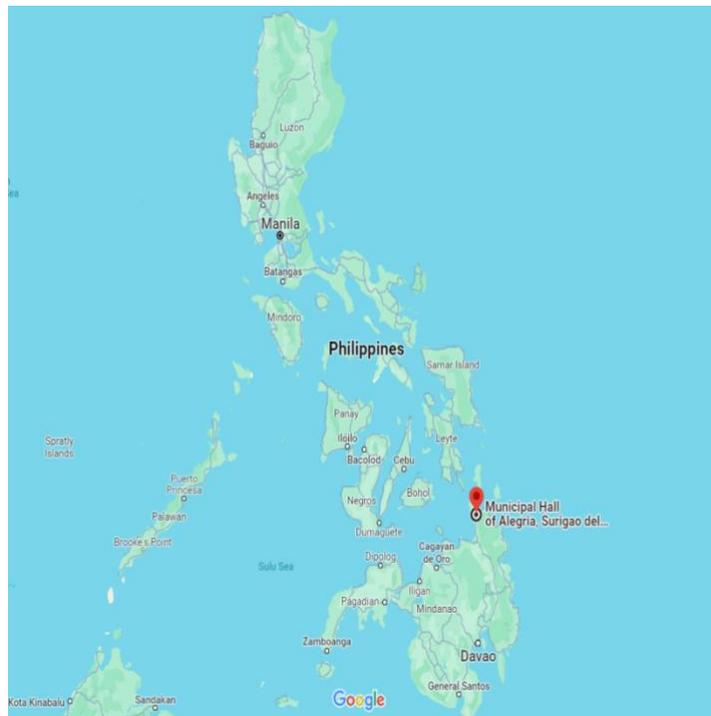
REGISTRATION DETAILS

<p style="text-align: center;">OPENING</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">NOVEMBER 10, 2025</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">DEADLINE</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MAY 10, 2026</p> <p style="text-align: center;">*May still register after the deadline but will not be able to avail the cycling jersey and finisher's medal.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">REGISTRATION AND FEES</p>	<p>A1: PLAY WITH ALL EVENTS (XCO & XCE) PHILIPPINE NATIONALS: ₱2,200 OTHER NATIONALITIES: \$55 *Must pay before the deadline.</p> <p>A2: XCO ONLY (UCI CATEGORIES) PHILIPPINE NATIONALS: ₱1,800 OTHER NATIONALITIES: \$50 *Must pay before the deadline.</p> <p>A3: XCE ONLY PHILIPPINE NATIONALS: ₱800 OTHER NATIONALITIES: \$10 *Must pay before the deadline.</p> <p>A4: XCO (NON-UCI CATEGORIES: 16 BELOW) PHILIPPINE NATIONALS: ₱1,000 OTHER NATIONALITIES: \$20 *Must pay before the deadline.</p> <p>NOTE:</p> <p>Registration fee for late registrants (after the deadline), will be ₱2,600 (Philippine Nationals) or \$60 (Other Nationalities), play with all events (XCO & XCE), with NO CYCLING JERSEY.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">INCLUSIONS</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">ALL PARTICIPANTS:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Event Cycling Jersey 2. Handle Bar Plate 3. Body Number 4. Finisher's Medal 5. 1 meal (Lunch during race days)
<p style="text-align: center;">REGISTRATION LINK</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">https://forms.gle/e000a81L331TVRQN6</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">REGISTRATION QR CODE</p>	

EVENT SCHEDULE

JUNE 4, 2026 (PRE-EVENT)	
8:00-12:00	SECRETARIAT OPEN
	LICENSE CONTROL
	CLAIMING OF RACE KIT
8:00	FOOT INSPECTION OF RACE COURSE
9:00-14:00	OFFICIAL PRACTICE
15:00	RIDERS/TEAM MANAGERS MEETING
19:00	WELCOME NIGHT
JUNE 5, 2026: CROSS COUNTRY OLYMPIC (XC0) PART 1	
12:00	OPENING PROGRAM
13:00	WOMEN YOUTH (16 BELOW)
13:02	YOUTH MEN (16 BELOW)
14:10	MEN MASTERS B (46 ABOVE)
15:20	MEN MASTERS A (35-45)
16:45	AWARDING CEREMONIES
JUNE 6, 2026: CROSS COUNTRY OLYMPIC (XC0) PART 2	
8:00	OPENING PROGRAM (INTERNATIONAL RACE)
9:00	WOMEN JUNIOR (WJ), WOMEN UNDER 23 (WU23), WOMEN ELITE (WE)
11:00	MEN JUNIOR (MJ)
13:00	MEN UNDER 23 (MU23)
15:00	MEN ELITE (ME)
16:45	AWARDING CEREMONIES
JUNE 7, 2026: CROSS COUNTRY ELIMINATOR (XCE)	
8:30	QUALIFYING RUN FOR WOMEN, MEN YOUTH
	QUALIFYING RUN FOR WOMEN, MEN 17 ABOVE
10:00	ELIMINATION HEATS 1/8 WOMEN, MEN YOUTH
11:00	ELIMINATION HEATS 1/8 WOMEN, MEN 17 ABOVE
12:00	ELIMINATION HEATS ¼ WOMEN, MEN YOUTH
12:30	ELIMINATION HEATS ¼ WOMEN, MEN 17 ABOVE
13:00	SEMI FINALS WOMEN, MEN YOUTH
13:30	SEMI FINALS WOMEN, MEN 17 ABOVE
14:00	SMALL FINALS WOMEN, MEN YOUTH
14:30	SMALL FINALS WOMEN, MEN 17 ABOVE
15:00	BIG FINALS WOMEN, MEN YOUTH
15:30	BIG FINALS WOMEN, MEN 17 ABOVE
16:00	AWARDING CEREMONIES

GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION OF ALEGRIA, SURIGAO DEL NORTE



Alegria is located in the northeast part of Mindanao Island, Philippines. It is a municipality in the province of Surigao del Norte, under the Caraga Region.

Coordinates for reference: 9° 28' 0.12" N, 125° 34' 36.12" E

TRAVEL INFORMATION

The municipality of Alegria can be accessed/travelled to by plane, ship, or car if coming from outside the province of Surigao del Norte.

AIR

The easiest and fastest route going to the Municipality of Alegria for participants with their sports equipment is by plane via the airport in Butuan City. The distance from Butuan City, Bangcasi Airport, to Alegria, Surigao del Norte, is only around 88 kilometers.

TRAVEL ACCESS FROM BANGCASI AIRPORT, BUTUAN CITY TO ALEGRIA, SURIGAO DEL NORTE

From Bangcasi Airport, Butuan City, Alegria may be accessed by any land transport vehicle. For public transport, buses, tourist vans, or taxis are also available.

SEA

As an alternative, the Municipality of Alegria may also be accessed via sea travel.

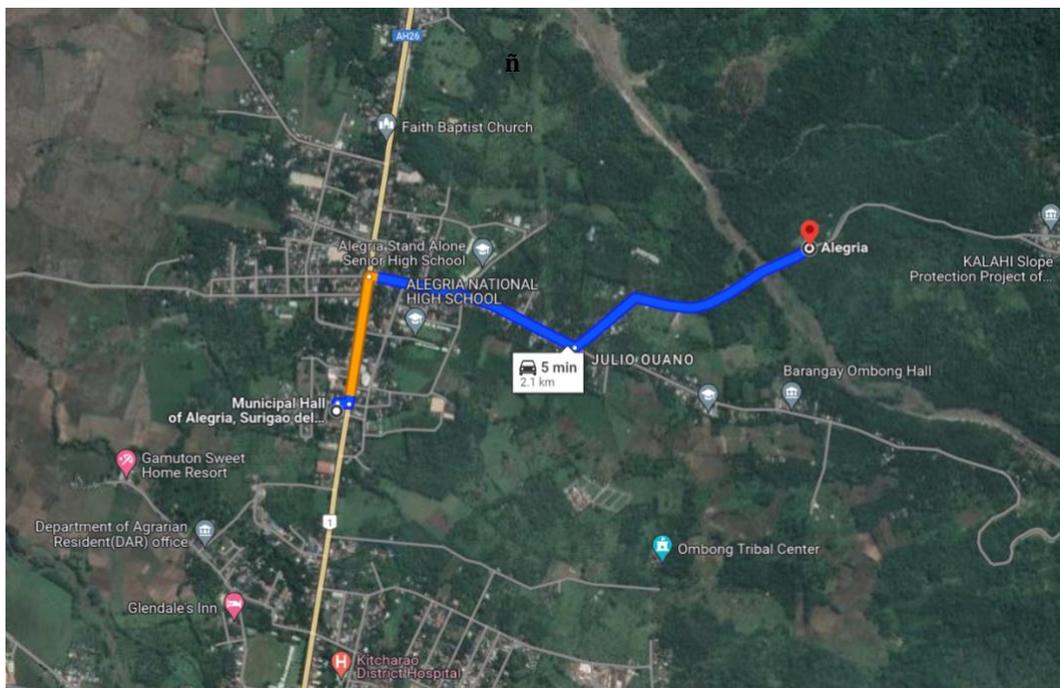
Routes are as follows:

Manila Seaport > Cebu Seaport > Surigao City Sea Port > Municipality of Alegria (via bus, tourist van or car rental).

LAND

If already on the island of Mindanao, the municipality of Alegria can easily be accessed by any vehicle. Participants need only to go through the Maharlika Road or National Highway to Alegria, Surigao del Norte. We strongly recommend referring to any maps available online.

RACE COURSE INFORMATION



The venue of the XCO race will be at **Doña Conchita Lake View Resort**. From the Municipal Hall of Alegria, Surigao del Norte, the distance is only around 2.1km.

RACE VENUE



The distance per lap is around 3.5km and shall consist of around 5% paved/concrete road and 95% unpaved or off-road. A mix of ascends and descends, with built obstacles. The whole course is guaranteed 100% rideable.

Feed/Tech Zone (FTZ) will also be delegated in the area, which is identified to be appropriate and effective for the participants and their support. A minimum of 2 F/T ZONES are identified to be placed. **UCI Regulations 4.2.035-049 shall apply.**

ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS TO LEGALLY PARTICIPATE IN THE RACE:

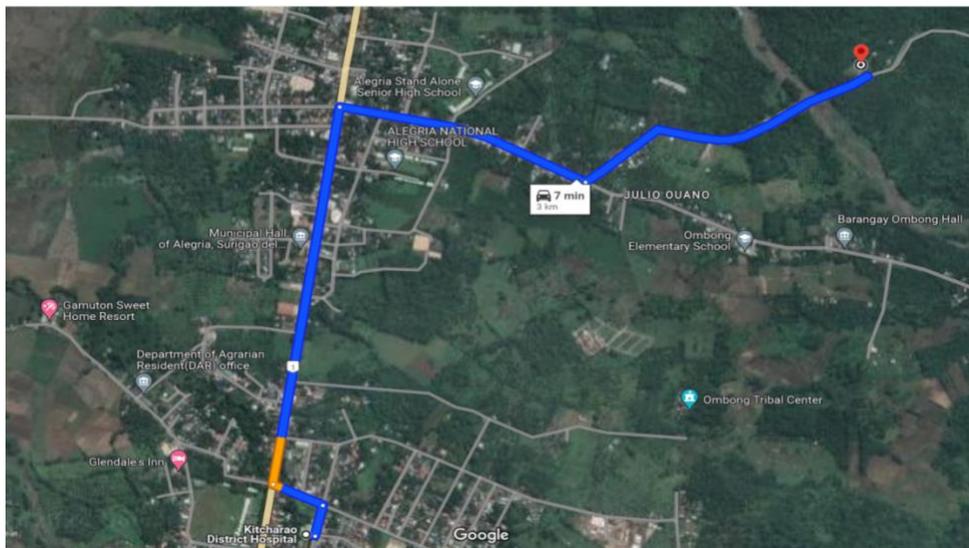
- UCI & PHILCYCLING LICENSE
- MTB HELMET
- MTB RACING ATTIRE
- MTB RACING SHOES
- WAIVER, DEED OF RELEASE, QUITCLAIM
- PARENT’S CONSENT FOR PARTICIPANTS IN THE YOUTH CATEGORY
- HEALTH DECLARATION FORM

CONTINGENCY PLAN IN CASE OF

MINOR INJURY

To assist in case of minor injuries in the race, a minimum of three (3) medical stations shall be installed, manned with at least 1 medical doctor, 3 nurses, 6 rescue officers from the Municipal Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP) and 10 municipal emergency response personnel from the Local Government of Alegria.

SERIOUS INJURY



For serious injuries, which are to be identified by the doctor or any of the health personnel assigned at the race venue, the injured participants shall be immediately transported to the nearest district hospital by an ambulance or rescue vehicle stationed in the race venue; from the race venue, the distance to the nearest district hospital is only around 3km.

SEVERE INJURY

For severe injuries, declared by the medical doctor assigned in the race venue, or by the attending physician in the district hospital, the injured participant will be brought immediately to the hospitals in Surigao City.

HOSPITALS IN SURIGAO CITY

NAME	LEVEL	OWNER
CARAGA REGIONAL HOSPITAL	2	GOVERNMENT
SURIGAO DOCTORS HOSPITAL	2	PRIVATE
SURIGAO MEDICAL CENTER	1	PRIVATE
MIRANDA FAMILY HOSPITAL	1	PRIVATE

MEDIC & SECURITY DETAILS IN THE RACE VENUE

AMBULANCE:	1
RESCUE VEHICLE:	1
NUMBER OF DOCTORS:	1
NUMBER OF NURSES:	3
NUMBER OF RESCUERS:	16
MEDICAL STATION:	3
FIRE TRUCK:	1
POLICE CAR:	1
POLICE PERSONNEL:	10
ARMY PERSONNEL:	5

ORGANIZING OFFICERS

NAME OF ORGANIZATION	OFFICERS	ROLE
LGU OF ALERIA	MR. DONJIE SAPPHERE B. ZERDA	Race Director, Head Sports Coordinator
SURIGAO CYCLING CONNECT	MR. WILLIAM RHYS BONPIN	Assistant Race Director
LGU OF ALEGRIA	HON. DOMINADOR G. ESMA, JR Municipal Mayor	Executive Chairman of the Event
	HON. RENE G. ESMA Municipal Vice Mayor	Deputy Chairman of the Event
	MRS. UNIZA P. GARRIDO Municipal Tourism Officer	Committee Head on Accommodation
	MS. JASMIN B. SALINO Municipal Tourism Officer II	Assistant Committee Head on Event Accommodations and Programs

FOR ASSISTANCE AND INQUIRIES

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ACCOMMODATION GROUP/CHAT ROOM	WhatsApp 
PARTICIPANTS' GROUP/CHAT ROOM	WhatsApp 

DEED OF RELEASE, WAIVER AND QUITCLAIM

I, _____, of legal age, married/single, a national of _____, living in _____, hereby absolutely release, completely clear, and forever discharge **SURIGAO CYCLING CONNECT**, and the **LOCAL GOVERNMENT OF ALEGRIA**, with all its members, staffs, and other personnel in-charge of **UCI MTB CONTINENTAL SERIES, KABIBO BANJAK ALEGRIA 2026, INTERNATIONAL XCO & XCE CHALLENGE**, from any action, cause of action, sum of money, liability, damages, claims and demands whatsoever, which in law or in equity I may have, or which my heirs, insurer, successors and assigns hereafter may have upon any injuries or damages sustained by me in the course of participating in the above mentioned bike event.

I further warrant that I have understood fully all the possible risks in participating in this event, and hereby warrant that I will institute no further action against all the involved organizations, persons, officers, and/or agencies behind the above-mentioned event, by reason of, or in connection with the injuries or damages sustained in the course of my participation.

This **DEED OF RELEASE, WAIVER AND QUITCLAIM** is of my voluntary act, with full knowledge and consciousness as to all its effects and consequences.

RIDER/CYCLIST

Coach/Team Manager

Witness

PARENTAL/GUARDIAN'S CONSENT
WITH DEED OF RELEASE, WAIVER AND QUITCLAIM

I, Mr./Ms./Mrs. _____, of legal age, a national of _____, living in _____, the parent/guardian of _____, whose age is below eighteen years, hereby authorize my child/ward to participate in **UCI MTB CONTINENTAL SERIES, KABIBO BANJAK ALEGRIA 2026, INTERNATIONAL XCO & XCE CHALLENGE**, to be held at Alegria, Surigao del Norte, on June 5-7, 2026.

I hereby warrant my child's/ward's fitness to join the above-mentioned event and have fully understood all the possible risks for his/her participation. I further warrant that I will not institute any action against all the organizations, persons, officers, and/or agencies behind the **UCI MTB CONTINENTAL SERIES, KABIBO BANJAK ALEGRIA 2026, INTERNATIONAL XCO & XCE CHALLENGE**. Hence, I am releasing, completely clearing, and forever discharging **SURIGAO CYCLING CONNECT**, and the **LOCAL GOVERNMENT OF ALEGRIA**, with all its members, staffs, and other personnel in-charge of the mentioned event, from any action, cause of action, sum of money, liability, damages, claims and demands whatsoever, which in law or in equity we may have, upon any injuries or damages he/she may sustained in the course of participating in this event.

This **CONSENT, DEED OF RELEASE, WAIVER AND QUITCLAIM** is of my voluntary act, with full knowledge and consciousness as to all its effects and consequences.

Parent/Guardian

Witness

Witness

Where to Eat

DOÑA CONCHITA LAKEVIEW RESORT
Brgy. Budlingin, Alegria, Surigao del Norte
Contact Number:

KENT & KAYE BBQ & BULALUHAN
Brgy. Poblacion, Alegria, Surigao del Norte
Contact Number:

MISS CRISPY FOOD & BEVERAGE HOUSE
Brgy. Ouano, Alegria, Surigao del Norte

TERMI BISTRO
Brgy. Ouano, Alegria, Surigao del Norte
Contact Number: 0985-881-7244

BARRIO BISTRO
Brgy. San Pedro, Alegria, Surigao del Norte
Contact Number: 0976-051-7750

CONCHITA EL CAFE
Brgy. Poblacion, Alegria, Surigao del Norte
Contact Number: 0963-549-3205

Where to Stay

DOÑA CONCHITA LAKEVIEW RESORT
Brgy. Budlingin, Alegria, Surigao del Norte
Contact Number: 0999-560-9098

ALEGRIA INN & SPA
Brgy. Poblacion, Alegria, Surigao del Norte
Contact Number: 0999-560-9098

TRISHA'S INN
Brgy. San Pedro, Alegria, Surigao del Norte
Contact Number: 0951-047-3082

KABIBO TRAVELLERS INN
Brgy. Gamuton, Alegria, Surigao del Norte
Contact Number: 0917-771-3931

How to get there

 **BY PLANE**
From Manila to Butuan City
Philippine Airlines - Daily
Cebu Pacific - Daily

 **BY BUS**
From Davao, Butuan, Cagayan
de Oro Surigao, & other parts of
Mindanao - Daily

 **BY BOAT**
From Cebu to Surigao City
Cokaliong - Daily (Except Monday)
Medallion - Tue/Thu/Sat
Starlites Ferries - Daily

 **BY MOTORCYCLE OR TRICYCLE**
Around Alegria - Daily

Contact us

 0917-771-3931

 MUNICIPAL TOURISM OFFICE
Gamuton, Alegria, Surigao del Norte

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Embrace Nature's Escapade



Alegria

PROVINCE OF
SURIGAO DEL NORTE

Suroy na!
#ALEGanadiRIA
#ALEGrediRIA

Brief History

Alegria was created by Republic Act No. 5239. It was originally the sitio of Anahaw founded by immigrants from the municipality of Bacuag. Sitio Anahaw was situated near Lake Mainit, and would often be flooded due to heavy rains. During rainy seasons, the local families transferred to a place now called Alegria.

The name Alegria was derived from the Spanish word which means "lively". Its name was given by Judge Sixto Olga who happened to spend a night in the place. The people offered him a party dance. Because their affair was lively, he told the people to change the name Anahaw to Alegria.

The Municipality of Alegria is bounded on the north by the Municipalities of Tubod and Mainit, on the east by the municipalities of Bacuag and Gigaquit, on the south by Municipality of Kitcharao, Agusan del Norte and on the west by the scenic Mainit Lake. It is gifted with vast fertile lands ideal for agriculture specifically rice, coconut and other crops, with tributaries and a lake which is a source of many different varieties of freshwater fish. Alegria is one of the big producers of rice in the province, advocating the production of organic rice.

Today, through the leadership of the visionary Local Chief Executive, Rene G. Eσμα, Alegria is now focused in uplifting the lives of the people through efforts in attaining goals for wealth and progress focusing on the development of local enterprise, agriculture and tourism.



ALEGRIA SURIGAO DEL NORTE TOURISM MAP



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Festivals and Events

ADLAW NAN ALEGRIA

(Celebrated every May to June)

- Pangani
- Kabibo Banjak Alegria (KBA)
- Downhill Skate Boarding
- Mutya nan Alegria
- Kabibo Festival/Adlaw nan Alegria
- Trail Run



KABIBO SA PASKO

(Celebrated every December)

- Electric Float Parade



Places to explore & discover

Makawa Falls



Tabon-Tabon Cave



Pungtod Hot Spring



Makap-akpak Cave



Kalingo-Lingohan Falls



Dinabojan Falls



KABIBO BANJAK

ALEGRIA



ASIA MOUNTAIN BIKE SERIES

1ST INTERNATIONAL MOUNTAIN BIKE RACE IN MINDANAO

HISTORY | SUCCESS | SURIGAONON BRAND THAT REACHED THE INTERNATIONAL SCENE



KABIBO BANJAK

The word "KABIBO" means joy or fun, while "BANJAK" means pedal. Put together, KABIBO BANJAK celebrates the pure joy and excitement of pedalling a bicycle.

KABIBO BANJAK ALEGRIA (KBA) is the annual bike festival of the humble municipality of Alegria, in the province of Surigao del Norte, Mindanao, Philippines.

HUMBLE BEGINNINGS

KBA began in 2021 as a simple local race during the pandemic and threat of insurgency, a time when people were overcome by fear and uncertainty. What started humbly soon turned into a remarkable success.

The next KBA was held in 2023. It was expected to attract the riders coming from the same province and region, yet, the attention it gained was unexpected, for it attracted riders from different places in the Visayas and Mindanao. On its third year (2024), the event gained popularity, attracting national attention and drawing riders from Luzon.

BECOMING AN INTERNATIONAL EVENT

In 2025, KBA was privileged to be conferred the honor of hosting one of the three (3) races in the Philippines for the Asia Mountain Bike Series (AMS) of 2025. Historically, it became the first-ever international mountain bike race held in the island of Mindanao. Due to the points accumulated by our Filipino riders from the three AMS races in the Philippines (one of those is the KBA), the Philippines became the Top 1 in Asia for riders in the Women's Elite Category in the 2025 series.



GOAL | OBJECTIVES

Filipino excellence through a world-class mountain bike race!

To be recognized as one of the world's top mountain bike races, highlighting Filipino talents and skills, while showcasing Alegria's natural beauty.



- Boost the local economy through bike tourism.
- Inspire and promote aspiring Filipino cyclists to elevate their skills and international ranking.
- Unite and inspire the people towards a progressive, peaceful, and joyful community.

THE FUTURE

Remarkable &
Historical in the
Philippines

ASIAN CONTINENTAL SERIES (ACS)

To host one of the UCI MOUNTAIN
BIKE CONTINENTAL + XCO
WORLD JUNIOR SERIES 2026.

Alegria, Surigao del Norte earned the prestigious honor of being chosen by the UCI, through the recommendation of the Asian Cycling Confederation (ACC), as one of the few hosts in Asia for the UCI Mountain Bike Continental Series and the XCO World Junior Series in 2026, marking another milestone in its inspiring journey toward becoming a premier cycling destination in the Philippines and beyond.

THE FIRST CONTINENTAL SERIES AND WORLD JUNIOR SERIE

The first-ever UCI Continental Series and XCO World Junior Series in the Philippines

STRATEGIC BENEFITS OF UCI MTB CONTINENTAL SERIES



ECONOMIC GAINS AND TOURISM

The influx of international, national and local riders, teams, spectators and media will directly increase the demand for hotels or accommodations, restaurants, transportation, and local products.

INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION

to be recognized as a prime cycling and adventure destination, attracting future events and tourists.

ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT

Local riders gain exposure to world-class competition, improving their skills, experiences, and international rankings.

COMMUNITY EMPOWERMENT & UNITY

Unites locals, strengthens volunteerism, and builds pride in Alegria as a peaceful, progressive, and fun-loving host town.

LEGACY

JOIN US!

Let's Create
a LEGACY
Together!

MORE THAN A RACE!

