



USA CYCLING

## Robert Lea

**Birthdate:** 10/17/83

**Hometown:** Taneytown, Md.

**Education:** Penn State University

**Discipline:** Track

**Team:** Northwestern Mortgage Cycling Team

**Website:** www.teamnmc.com

### Career Highlights:

Two-time Junior World Championship team member (2000, '01)

Three-time Collegiate All-American

2004 Elite National Track Champion, pursuit

2004 Elite National Track Champion, team pursuit

2003 Elite National Track Champion, kilo



### Introduction

With multiple wins under his belt, Robert Lea is known for his strengths in the pursuit, madison, and points race. The promising young rider claimed seven National Championship titles in 2004 and was awarded the Nicole Reinhart Memorial Fund scholarship.

### Personal

Bobby is currently a student at Penn State with plans of graduating in December 2005.

### How He Got Here

Lea's parents were cyclists, and he has held a racing license since the age of ten. In 1997, he won his first national title at the Junior Track National Championships.

### Did You Know?

Bobby's favorite cycling hero is Greg Lemond.

### Latest Performance

#### 2004

Elite National Track Champion, pursuit

Elite National Track Champion, team pursuit (with Guillaume Nelessen, James Carney, and Colby Pearce)

Collegiate National Track Champion, kilo

Collegiate National Track Champion, pursuit

Collegiate National Track Champion, points race

Collegiate National Track Champion, team pursuit (with Mike Friedman, Andy Lakatos, Jordyn Drayton)

Collegiate National Track Champion, Omnium

5th – USCF Elite National Track Championships, points race

#### 2003

Elite National Track Champion, kilo

Elite National Track Champion, team pursuit (with Kyle Wamsley, Tim Reinhart, Colby Pearce)

U23 National Track Champion, kilo

U23 National Track Champion, points race

U23 National Track Champion, pursuit

Collegiate National Track Champion, kilo

Collegiate National Track Champion, pursuit

Collegiate National Track Champion, points race

Collegiate National Track Champion, team pursuit (with Mike Friedman, Andy Lakatos)

Collegiate National Track Champion, omnium

2nd – New Jersey Road Race

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