

# **GEA JOHNSON**

After only a few years in the sport, Gea posted the fastest time of ALL US ELITE WOMEN. Gea is a Masters World Champion and World Record Holder in 2 events. Remarkably, she is also one of the top US Elite sprinters and currently has the fastest time in the USA of ALL Elite women in the

500m. This not only includes women in her age group, but all US elite women who will be vying for the Olympics (most of these women are in the early 20's with many years of experience). Incredibly, Gea is accomplishing these goals at age 48 and with substandard training conditions and equipment. Gea trains on the street in the desert in Arizona, where there is no velodrome. Gea's amazing story needs to be told and supported. When Gea is able to move near a velodrome and train properly, one can only imagine what she will be capable of accomplishing. We know Gea is going to make history.

#### GEA JOHNSON – TRACK CYCLING

- Masters World Champion x4
- Masters World Record Holder x2
- Top US Elite Sprinter

#### **IMMEDIATE GOALS:**

- Compete on the Elite UCI/World Cup circuit to gain the experience and points necessary to be eligible for the Olympic Team.
- Break US Elite National Record
- Re-break my own Masters World Records



"A champion doesn't always win with ease. A true champion has faced adversity, tasted failure, seen disappointment, and yet still rises to the challenge on every front, emerging victorious with a bold determination to share the process with others." -Gea Johnson

#### PERSONAL CYCLING STATS:

Current World Record Holder Age 45-49:

- 500mTT
- Flying 200m

2014 Masters World Champion Age 45-49:

- 500mTT
- Sprints



\*\*\*World Record Attempt at Masters World Championships 2014 - rode the fastest time by all US ELITE women at sea level!

\*\*\*Clipped In AZ wrote an article about Gea's performances at the World Championships: http://clippedin.bike/gea-johnson-worlds-2014

#### 2014 Elite Nationals - Silver

• 500mTT

\*\*\* Check out a recent article on Gea (before the World Championships 2014): http://clippedin.bike/gea-johnson-track-2014

GEA Just re broke both of her World records – 200m / 500m - in Colorado Springs July 2015 AND rode the fastest time of any US Elite woman in the 500m so far this year!!



## 2014 Masters National Champion

Age 45-49:

- 500mTT
- Sprints
- Team Sprint

\*\*\*Set Track Record at Masters Nationals - broke the 500m track record held by Missy Erickson by .597, which she set in 2013. Missy Erickson is touted as the #1 US Elite sprinter! http://velodrome.org/mva/sites/default/files/docs/Track%20Records%20updatedOct2014.pdf

## 2013 Masters World Champion

Age 45-49:

- 500mTT
- Sprints

## 2013 Masters National Champion Age 45-49:

- 500mTT
- Sprints

## 2013 Elite Nationals - Bronze

• 500mTT

## 2012 Masters National Champion Age 45-49:

- 500mTT
- Sprints
- Team Sprint



