

Yakima HighRoller bike rack review

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Camp Woodward is a mecca for any **biker**. Whether it's freestyling off a vert ramp or rolling down Excedrin descends on dirt packed trails, **Camp Woodward** will give an adrenaline junkie a fix of jaw-dropping excitement.

Camp Woodward has state-of-art facilities which are user-friendly at their 4 locales in the U.S. A **bike rack** that is equally as cutting edge and easy-to-use is essential for anybody hauling their mountain or BMX **bike** into **Camp Woodward**. The **Yakima HighRoller** meets these requirements.

The **Yakima HighRoller** installs with ease within 15 minutes. It is versatile enough to fit any roof-top **rack** system whether it has round or square crossbars. Three hex bolts are fed through the **HighRoller** and then through U-shaped clips which attach to the roof rack system. Two base plated covers are used to provide a bit of added security but mainly to provide aesthetics by hiding the hex bolts used to install the **HighRoller**.

The **Yakima HighRoller** secures the front tire of the **bike** by wedging the wheel between two hoop shaped bars. The front wheel is placed in the wheel tray and the back hoop shaped bar is raised to fit tightly against the back of the tire. A tension knob is then turned to increase the tension of the back hoop shaped bar to cause a snug fit. The back wheel is secured in the wheel tray by a tension strap (which is fed through the wheel spokes. A **bike** can then be locked to the **HighRoller** with a cable lock (**lock core** purchased separately).

The **HighRoller** performs admirably since it's easy of use while also tightly securing a **bike** to a roof-top rack system. It quickly adjusts to fit wheels up to 29 inches in diameter and tires up to 3 inches wide. Since the **Yakima HighRoller** secures a **bike** by its tires, it does not damage a bike's paint job. The **HighRoller** is also unaffected by a **bike's** braking and suspension systems, so it is adaptable to all designs. Its ability to adjust to round or square crossbars makes it fit roof rack systems from **Thule** in addition to **Yakima**. Removing a **bike** from the **Yakima HighRoller** happens in a jiffy. The tension from the front tire is released by the push of a button and the wheel strap for the back tire releases easily.

The **Yakima HighRoller** provides an easy-to-use and reliable roof-top **bike rack**. Of course, it requires a roof rack system or factory installed rails or crossbars. Visit the **Fit My Car** section on the **Yakima website** to see what your vehicle may need to install the **HighRoller**. The MSRP is \$179 for the **HighRoller**, and it carries **Yakima's** "Love It Till You Leave It" limited lifetime warranty.

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