



**James  
Williamson**  
ENDURO  
CHALLENGE

## **Entries open for the James Williamson Enduro Challenge 2014**

It is that time of the year again, with entries now open for the Willo Enduro 2014. The 2014 Race will be held on Sunday March 23<sup>rd</sup>. Mark this in your diaries. Entries are made via the MTBA site at <https://www.registernow.com.au/mtba/ERegister.aspx?E=1652>

The James Williamson Endurance Challenge is a special event. It brings together many aspects of the things that James loved - mountain biking, a well-run event, meeting new people, encouraging everyone, riding fast and having a good time. And it brings together people from all sections of the mountain bike industry – elite riders, beginners, juniors, seniors, mountain bike race organisers – all there for the day, to enjoy their riding, compete with each other, and celebrate the Willo legacy. Don't miss out on taking part in this unique mountain biking event – enter now and join us in March at Wingello in the Southern Highlands of New South Wales. And once again, all entered riders will receive a Willo T shirt. Enter before mid January to ensure you receive a T shirt of your exact size (as I know a few missed out this year). Orders for T Shirts are put in at the end of January, which means that after this time, we can guess your size, but can't guarantee it, so to make sure, enter early!

### **We have introduced two new New Categories for 2014:**

- Single Speed category For Open Male, Open Female, Masters Male and Masters Female. Prizes will be awarded to the first across the line in each of these four categories and only for 50KMS
- Teams This category has been introduced so that parents (who also have to look after kids!) can ride – each doing a 25KM lap. But it is also available for any combinations of male, female or mixed ages. Riders for this category must be 13 years or over and must be able to complete 25KMS in under 2 hours

As well, in 2014, we are introducing a new event on Saturday. Riders may wind up their legs with a Time Trial to be held on a small section of single track adjacent to the Event Centre. This will be held between 4pm and 6pm on Saturday afternoon. More details in later newsletters.

### **James Williamson Junior Development Camp**

The third James Williamson Junior Development Camp will be held this year from 15<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> November with a new venue at Bungarra, Jindabyne. Twenty four juniors will be taught by coaches Shaun Lewis, Jeni King, Dylan Cooper, Ben Henderson with back up from Niki Fisher and Pete Dowse. We are especially privileged this to also have Olympic and World Cup cross country stars, Bec Henderson, Kathrin Stirnemann (world cup XCO racer from Switzerland) and Dan McConnell to help coaching this year. Bec came first in the 2013 U23 World Cup Series, Dan came 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Elite Men's category and Kathrin was ranked 20<sup>th</sup> in the Elite Women's field for 2013. And can we add a big thank you to all of you, the many Willo Enduro Riders, whose entry fees fund this important camp. (<http://jameswilliamson.com.au/fund/>)

**[www.jameswilliamson.com.au/enduro](http://www.jameswilliamson.com.au/enduro)**



**James  
Williamson**  
ENDURO  
CHALLENGE

**JAMES WILLIAMSON JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT CAMP CANBERRA NOVEMBER 2012**

