



SUNDAY MARCH 23 2014

EVENT INFORMATION

REGISTRATION

All entered riders must register at the Event Centre on:

Saturday 22 March: 2pm – 8pm

Sunday 23 March: 6am – 8.30am

When you come to registration you will receive a pack with your number, T shirt, sponsors' products and cable ties. You will also have the opportunity to enter the Saturday afternoon Time Trial, and be able to buy raffle tickets. [See Event Centre Plan](#)

All riders must register at the Event Centre BEFORE going out on course.

LATE ENTRIES

On line entries close at 5pm Wednesday 19 March. **However you may still enter in person at the Event Centre during Registration times.** All entries close at 8am Sunday March 23.

SATURDAY MARCH 22

The Willo Course will be marked out by 1pm.

Registration opens at 2pm. Once you put your race plate on, you are covered by our Event Insurance (through MTBA).

TIME TRIAL

A Time Trial will be held on Saturday afternoon at 4pm. (Details [here](#)).

All riders are welcome to register for the Time Trial. You must do this before 3.45pm.

No entries for the Time Trial will be taken after 3.45pm

All riders entered in the Time Trial must have registered for the Sunday race and have their Race Plates attached to their bikes. All riders must assemble at the southern end of the Event Centre at 3.45pm to hear starting times. Riders will be sent off in 1 minute intervals. If you miss your scheduled time, you miss the race.

SATURDAY EVENING

Food will be available from Snax on Trax at the Event Centre between 6pm and 8pm.

SUNDAY MARCH 23

SUNDAY EVENT TIMES

6.00 – 8.30am	Registration open (Adult Riders)
8.00am	Entries close
6.30 am	Food and Coffee services open
6.00 – 8.00am	Track open for riding (must register first)
7.00 – 10.00am	Mechanics services available
8.20am	Riders move to southern end of the finish area for race briefing (see Event Centre Map)
8.30am	Race Briefing for all riders
8.38am	Race Briefing for 13 Km riders
8.38am	All other riders move down to marshal area at Quarry. See Start Area Map
8.40am	Race Start 13 Km Categories
9.00am +	Race Start as per schedule
9.00 – 11.00am	Registration for Sub-Junior Race. More info here
10.00 am	Juniors (8 – 9 years) race at Event Centre
11.00am	Sub-Junior (4 – 7 years) race at Event Centre
11.30am +	Presentations Start as per schedule
12.45pm	Cut off time for starting a lap
3.pm	Food and Coffee services close

SUNDAY START TIMES

CATEGORY	START TIME	NO OF LAPS	GROUP NUMBER	PRESENTATION TIME
U13 Male	8.40 am		Start at Event Centre	11.30
U15 Male	8.40 am		"	11.30
U13 & U15 Female	8.40 am		"	11.30
75Km Open Male	9.00 am	3	1	13.15
75Km Masters Male	9.00 am	3	1	13.15
50Km Open Male (19+)	9.04 am	2	2	12.30
50Km U19 Male	9.04 am	2	2	12.30
50km Single Speed Male Open	9.04 am		2	12.30
50km Single Speed Masters Male	9.04am		2	12.30
50Km Masters Male	9.08 am	2	3	12.30
50Km Super Masters Male	9.08 am	2	3	12.30
75KM Super Master Male	9.08 am	3	3	13.15
75Km Open Female	9.12 am	3	4	13.15
75Km Masters Female	9.12 am	3	4	14.00*
50Km Open Female	9.12 am	2	4	12.30 or 1.15 TBC
50Km U19 Female	9.12 am	2	4	13.15
50Km Masters Female	9.12 am	2	4	13.15
50Km S Speed Female Open	9.12 am	2	4	12.30
Teams. 1 st rider goes now	9.12 am	1	4	13.15
25Km U17 Male	9.16 am	1	5	11.30
25Km U15 Male	9.16 am	1	5	11.30
25Km Masters Male	9.16 am	1	5	12.30
25Km Masters Female	9.16 am	1	5	12.30
25KM U17 U15 Female	9.16 am	1	5	12.30

BRIEFING AND START PROCEDURE

Race briefings will be held for all riders at 8.30 at the Event Centre (near the Finishing Arch). All riders must be present at the briefing. [See Event Centre Map](#)

At 8.40am the 13km riders commence, and all other riders move down the hill (700 metres), turn left as directed into the quarry and then move around following the arrows to marshal in their designated Group Numbers. These will be marked by signs on the road behind the Start Line. All Group Numbers are indicated on the Ride Plate, and on start lists (on the website and on the notice boards).

Riders will congregate into their designated start time zones (indicated by Group Number signage). Within each of these zones, riders sort themselves with the fastest riders going to the front of the pack, and the slower riders towards the back.

From their marshalled Group Zones (1 – 5), riders will be called by Race Marshals to commence the race at the designated times. (See above). All riders will race up the hill, past the event centre, and on to the course.

NB. The 500 metre start hill is rocky and uneven. Riders are advised to check this before the race commences to familiarise themselves the uneven nature of the terrain.

SUNDAY PRESENTATION TIMES

11.30	13km U13 Male 13km U15 Male 13km U13/U15 Female 25km U15 Male 25km U17 Male
12.30	25km U17/U15 Female 25km Master Female 25km Master Male 50km Single Speed Female Open 50km Single Speed Masters Male 50km Single Speed Male Open 50km Super Master Male 50km Master Male 50km Open Female 50km U19 Male 50km Open Male
1.15	50km U19 Female 50km Master Female 50km Teams 75km Super Master Male 75km Master Male 75km Open Female 75km Open Male Draw lucky number for Giant bike giveaway Draw raffle for Radical Light
2.00	Presentation 75km Master Female (if they have not come in by 1.45pm)
4.00	Last rider in, and sweep rider out
4 - 6	Pack up

PRACTICE LAPS

The course will be open for practice on Saturday 22 March from 8am – 8pm and on Sunday 23 March from 6am – 8.30am. Full race services, including First Aid, will be provided from 8.30am until 3pm Sunday. Limited services will be provided during notified practice periods. Wingello State Forest is open to the public for riding at other times. Riders who are not MTBA members are not covered by the MTBA License insurance coverage until they have registered and collected their race number plate.

MAP [Click here](#) for race map All riders will receive a map in their race bag, and enlarged versions of the map will be available at the Event Centre.

SPECTATOR POINTS

There are two good spectator points within a short walk from the Event Centre. A map of these points will be on the notice board at Event Centre and directions will be signposted to these positions.

DURING THE RIDE

Safety and Assistance for riders

A fully qualified First Aid Officer will be at the Event Centre on Saturday 4pm – 6pm and Sunday 8.30am – 3pm to attend to first aid needs. Marshals will be placed at junctions (where single track meets fire road) throughout the track. If you need first aid, speak to one of the marshals. If you come across an injured rider, please assist them, and tell another rider to alert the next marshal. Times will be adjusted where this is appropriate. Some of the downhill sections of fire roads have water bars which can be tricky with speed. Please ride within your ability at all times.

WITHDRAWING FROM THE EVENT

If you feel unable to complete the race, notify a marshal, return to the forest camp (and then continue onto the Event Centre). The Red Trail at Wingello is well marked with directions about how to return to the forest camp. Make sure you notify timing officials when you return to the Event Centre. All marshals will carry maps with them for your assistance. Maps will also be available at registration.

INDIVIDUAL RIDER WATER/FEED ZONE

Parking is arranged so that all 75km riders can park their cars beside the track, and feed from there. 50km riders can use a spot along this area for their water and food.

WATER & FOOD

All riders are expected to carry enough water for each lap. There is water at the Event Centre, and one water station on the track. All riders are expected to carry extra nutrition with them for each lap. If you are new to endurance events, the advice is to take more than you think you need, and eat and drink more often than you think you need! You will be surprised. This really works and makes a difference to your performance!

CUT OFF TIME

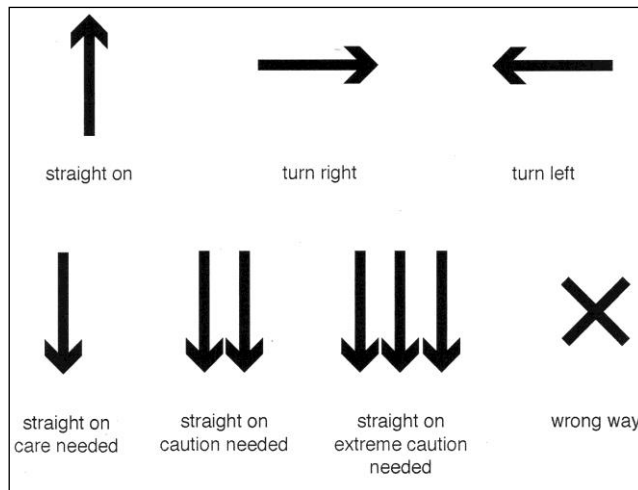
There will be a cut off time of 12.45pm. No rider from any category will be allowed to commence another 25km lap after this time

HELP AND ASSISTANCE

Volunteers will be available to help wherever possible and will be wearing green Willo T shirts. If they don't know the answer to your enquiry, they can point you in the direction of someone who will.

SIGNAGE

The course is signposted. The following signs will be used to direct you.



RACE RULES

- All riders must have a technically sound mountain bike in good working condition
- All riders must wear an Australian approved cycling helmet
- All riders must carry enough water and food to sustain them for the duration of the ride
- All riders must carry a pump, puncture repair kit and spare inner tube (and know how to use them)
- Race numbers must be firmly attached to the front of each bike, and be clearly visible
- Please do not litter the forest. All riders to take rubbish out as they leave
- Riders are expected to assist other injured riders. Where appropriate, the time will be compensated
- All riders must register at the prescribed times
- All riders must read, understand and agree to the terms of the MTBA Event waiver form and agree with the terms of the waiver form. Riders under 18 years of age must have a parent or guardian sign on their behalf. If you have entered on-line (most riders) you have already agreed to the waiver. All riders who received complimentary entries must fill out and sign a waiver form at Registration. Registration marshals will have lists of those required to do this.
- Overtaking – call “track” or “rider” if riders need to overtake. But remember, the rider in front has right of way, until a clear section becomes available for passing.

KOM

Points will be awarded for KOM at the top of a steep climb from Spratts Road (approximately five kilometres from the beginning of each lap) for each of the three laps. Points will be awarded to the first five riders in the male 75km and female 75km categories to get to the top of the climb. The KOM winner will be the rider with the highest number of points after three laps have been completed. (For both male and female 75km categories) The KOM will be marked 1km and 500 metres before the start of the climb and marked clearly at the finish of the climb for KOM points. (Map will be published on the website showing the KOM)

RACE NUMBERS

Each rider will be given an individual number plate. This plate must be firmly attached to the front of your bike. Text on the number plates will be coloured according to the category and will include name, number and category. Your Starting Group No will be listed on the right hand corner of the Race Plate.

PRIZES AND PRESENTATIONS

Presentations will be held throughout the morning, from 11.30am – 2pm. Check the notice board for specific times. Winners in all categories will be presented with prizes donated by our sponsors.

CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY

The cut off time for refunds was Wednesday 9 March. No refunds for cancellation are now available. However, if you cannot attend the race, you have two options:

- Transfer your entry to 2015
- Transfer your entry to a friend

To do either of these options, you must contact the race organisers. Use the enquiry button on the website. [Here](#)

TRANSFERRING OR CHANGING ENTRIES

After Wednesday 19 March 5pm all changes must be done at the Registration Tent at the Event Centre. Before this time contact race organisers [Here](#)

There are no refunds available for any expense incurred by transferring from a longer distance to a shorter distance. If transferring to a longer distance, riders must pay the extra amount owing, before the new registration will be accepted. If the new rider is not a MTBA member the new rider will need to take out a MTBA Day Licence even if the rider they are replacing has already paid for a Day Licence online – the insurance policy is specific to the original rider registering.

DAY LICENCE REFUNDS

All riders who paid Day licences to register, who have since paid annual MTBA fees, will have the rider component of the Day licence fee refunded. Rider must show correct MTBA licence at Registration to receive this refund. (The refund will be paid into the riders nominated credit card account only. This will be done as soon as possible after the race -).

RE-SCHEDULING

If for some reason, the event has to be cancelled (forest fires, closure of forest, seriously bad weather or something else totally unforeseen) all registered riders will be informed by email and through this website (and the SHCC and CORC websites). In this event, the race will be re-scheduled and all riders registrations will be transferred to the new date. If you cannot make the new date, you may transfer your entry to another rider. Or you may transfer your entry to the James Williamson Enduro Challenge for the following year. To process either of these options, you must contact race organizers within two weeks of the re-scheduled announcement. [Contact us](#). In the case of re-scheduling, these are the two options available but no refunds will be available.

START LISTS

Start lists will be on the board at the Event Centre. They are also available from the website [here](#)

INSURANCE

All riders are covered by MTBA Insurance. See the [MTBA website](#) for information on the insurance cover for MTBA members and Day Licence holders.

RACE RESULTS

- Lap times will be available live to riders on-screen at the end of each lap.
- Results will be available for categories throughout the day on screens, continually updated throughout the race.
- Results will be available on a local intranet, for riders with iPhones, iPads, Blackberries etc. Updated hourly.
- Results will be available on <http://jameswilliamson.com.au/enduro/>, <http://www.southernhighlandsc.com.au> ; and www.corc.asn.au on the night of 23 March

EVENT FACILITIES

The event centre is at the airfield. [Click here](#) for map. Food, first aid, toilets and a bike mechanic will be available at the Event Centre on Sunday 23 March. This is where everyone must come to register. The event centre will have a wide display of sponsored products for sale and to try.

FOOD

[Snax on Trax](#) will offer a delicious range of food from the event centre, on Saturday evening from 4pm – 8pm, and on Sunday from 6.30am – 3.30pm.

PARKING AT THE EVENT CENTRE

Parking for the race will be available at the airfield. Marshals will guide you to park in specific areas. Please follow these directions, as this will allow traffic to move freely to and from the site all day.

BIKE MECHANIC

A bike mechanic will be in attendance at the race to provide mechanical assistance. They will be there to fix any unforeseen problems. All riders are responsible in making sure that their bikes are fully operational, and serviced before the race. Riders will be charged for parts, and a small labour fee.

MOBILE RECEPTION

There is limited mobile reception at Wingello, although Telstra Next G covers most areas in the forest.

SUB JUNIORS & JUNIORS

4 – 10 year olds race at the Event Centre on a small section of single track at the back of Registration. There are two categories for this race. [Click here for map](#)

- At 10am, the 7, 8, 9 year olds will race.
- At 11am the 4, 5, 6 year olds will race.
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These age demarcations are flexible. This activity is designed to let all the younger kids have a go, whilst recognising that their riding ability varies a lot. Talk to the volunteers at registration to help you decide which level your child can ride/race at. This is meant to be a fun activity not a real “race”! All sub juniors and juniors must register for this race between 9am & 11am at Registration. There is no fee for this category. All riders in these two events get a race plate and a prize. More information click [here](#)

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