2015 QLD MOUNTAIN BIKE ORIENTEERING CHAMPIONSHIPS QLD STATE SERIES ROUNDS 6, 7 & 8 NATIONAL MTB SERIES ROUNDS 4, 5 & 6

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Saturday 22 August 2015 – Middle & Sprint Distance Sunday 23 August 2015 – Long Distance

BULLETIN 1

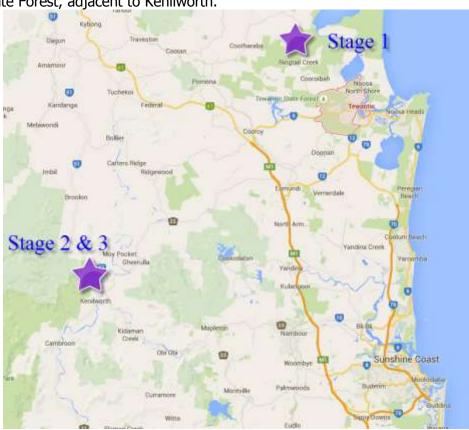
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Venues:

All events are based around Tewantin and Kenilworth on the QLD Sunshine Coast about 2 hours drive north of Brisbane Airport.

The Middle Distance event will be held in the Ringtail State Forest, about 10km north of Tewantin and Sprint in Kenilworth township about 50km west of Tewantin. The Long Distance event is being held in massive Imbil State Forest, adjacent to Kenilworth.



Google Map - showing location of the events, including the Event Centre.









EVENT DETAILS

Saturday 22nd August 2015 Middle Distance Championship

Event Area: Ringtail State Forest

Getting there: Travel north from Brisbane on the Bruce Highway to Tewantin.

Allow 2 hours from Brisbane airport.

Start Times: From 8:30am

Terrain: Pine plantation with a network of single tracks and forest roads.

Saturday 22nd August 2015 Sprint Distance Championship

Event Area: Kenilworth Township

Getting there: From the Middle Distance event travel to Kenilworth. Allow 40min.

Start Times: From 2:30pm

Terrain: Combination of urban streets, council parks and open farmland.

Sunday 23rd August 2015 Long Distance Championship

Event Area: Imbil State Forest

Getting there: The start area is a short ride from the accommodation centre at Kenilworth Homestead

Start Times: From 8:30am

Terrain: Pine plantation with a network of single tracks and forest roads.









Event Dinner and Presentations:

Date: Saturday 22nd August

Venue: Function Barn at <u>Kenilworth Homestead</u>

Time: 6:30pm for 7:00pm service

Presentations: 8:00pm for Middle and Sprint stages.

Menu: A buffet service comprising...

Roast (beef or pork), Chicken drumsticksPotato Bake, Roast vegetable medley

Garden SaladVegetarian pasta

- Pavlova / Apple Crumble with custard & ice-cream

- Tea & coffee

Cost: \$30 per head. \$17.50 for juniors (Under 15). Drinks available for purchase.

Book: Via Eventor when you enter.



Entry Fees:

| | Early Bird (until 31st July) | Standard (until 7 th Aug) | |
|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Sprint + Middle + Long | \$120.00 Snr | \$150.00 Snr | |
| | \$75.00 Jnr | \$105.00 Jnr | |
| SI Hire | \$5.00 | | |
| SI Purchase | \$40.00 | | |
| Mapboard Hire | \$5.00 | | |

Entries close on 7th August.









Travel and Accommodation:

The event centre is at the Kenilworth Homestead just outside of Kenilworth. Accommodation can be booked and paid directly with them and consists of a small number of cabins and retro vans, bunk beds in dorm rooms (4 singles to a room. Group toilet/shower facilities) and wide open camping spaces for tents, caravans and camper trailers.



For other options in and around the area check out these sites...

Kenilworth Recreation Grounds for powered site for caravans and motorhomes

Mary Valley Country

Kenilworth Hotel

Mary River Holidays









Pre & Post Event riding:

Parkland MTB Trails -

http://www.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au/addfiles/documents/mountain_biking/track18_4circuits.pdf

For a comprehensive guide book of maps for rides in SE QLD, check out... www.organisedgrime.com.au



Event Sponsors: We'd like to thank our sponsors <u>Wildfire Sports</u> and <u>Organised Grime</u> for providing prizes for our presentation ceremony.













TECHNICAL INFORMATION

The Australian MTBO Competition Rules will apply to all events.

SportIdent will be used for timing. SI sticks may be hired if you don't have you own or buy one for \$40 when you enter.

Please note that during these events, it is only permitted to ride on tracks which are marked on the map, on marked routes shown on the map and distinguished with flagging tape, or on open areas of ground shown on the map as open land or rough open land and indicated as permissible to ride on the legend.

Complaints:

Any complaints or protests must be submitted within 15 minutes of the last competitor in their class finishing.

Classes offered:

| 18 | Long Distance | Middle Distance | Sprint Distance | |
|----------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| Course 1 | M21 | M21, M17-20 | M21, M17-20, M40 | |
| Course 2 | M17-20, M40 | W21, M40, M50 | W21, W17-20, M50 | |
| Course 3 | W21, M50 | W17-20, W40, M16, M60 | W40, M16, M60 | |
| Course 4 | W17-20, W40, W50, M16, M60, M70 | W50, M70 | W50, M70 | |
| Course 5 | W14, W16, W60, M14 | W14, W16, W60, M14 | W14, W16, W60, W70, W80, M14, M80 | |
| Course 6 | W70, W80, M80 | W70, W80, M80 | | |

Other - Men/Women Open A, B & C.

'Recreational' entries for those not wishing to ride in the Championship (age) classes are available in Men/Women Open A, B & C.

Course Details:

Course length and climb figure will be available in the next bulletin. The table below show the expected winning times for the age bands.

| | Long | Middle | Sprint |
|-----------------------|-----------|---------|---------|
| Elite – Men & Women | 105 - 115 | 55 - 60 | 20 - 25 |
| Masters – Men & Women | 105 - 115 | 55 - 60 | 20 - 25 |
| Juniors - Men & Women | 84 - 92 | 44 - 48 | 16 - 20 |

National MTBO Series:

The QLD Sprint, Middle and Long Distance stages comprise the fourth, fifth and sixth round of the 2015 National MTBO Series. For information on classes eligible for the Australian National MTBO League, Juniors and Masters Division, see this website - MTBO National League



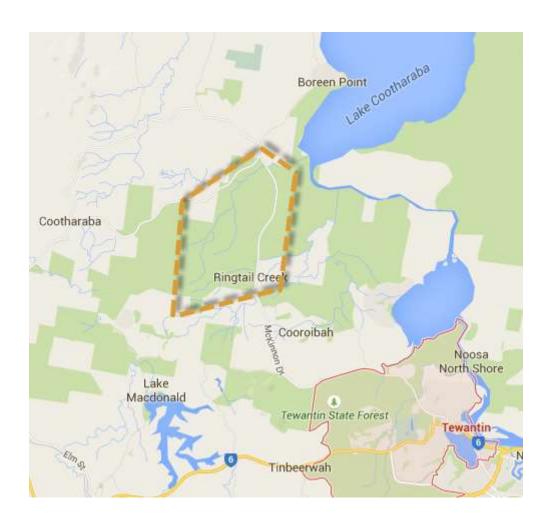






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