2024 AusCycling MTB Schools Series – R3 Technical Guide

Geelong Mountain Bike Club

4th August 2024

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1.EVENT INFORMATION

Host Club	Geelong Mountain Bike Club
Event Date	4th August 2024
Event Start Time	8:00 AM
Venue Address	You Yangs MTB (Stockyards)
Parking Information	<u>Drysdale Road Carpark - You Yangs MTB</u> (Stockyards)
Entries Closing Date & Time	Thu, 01 Aug 2024 11:59 PM AEST
More Information	https://auscycling.org.au/page/mountain-bike-schools-stateterritory-series https://www.facebook.com/GeelongMTB https://gmbc.com.au/

2.EVENT SCHEDULE

Please note the below schedule is subject to change.

Round 3 - Geelong 4th August 2024

Start	Finish	Event	
7:45		Venue Open	
8:00	9:00	Official Course Practice	
9:10	9:20	Under 9 Boys and Girls (Race & Novice divisions)	
9:20	9:40	Under 11 Boys and Girls (Race & Novice divisions)	
9:40	10:10	Under 13 Boys and Girls (Novice divisions)	
10:10	10:40	Under 13 Boys and Girls (Race divisions)	
10:40	11:30	Under 15 Boys (Novice divisions)	
10:45	10:55	Presentations for Completed Events	
11:30	12:15	Under 15 Boys (Race divisions)	
12:15	1:00	Under 15, Under 17 and Under 19 Girls (Race & Novice divisions)	
1:00	2:00	Under 17 and Under 19 Boys (Novice divisions)	
2:00	3:00	Under 17 and Under 19 Boys (Race divisions)	
3:00	3:10	Presentations for Completed Events	



3.1 EVENT CATEGORIES

The categories below will be run for this event.

Category	Class	Event Distance (Approx.)
U9	Male/Female	2.4kms
U11	Male/Female	5kms
U13	Male/Female	7.5kms
U15	Male/Female	12kms
U17	Male/Female	15kms
U19	Male/Female	20kms
Age categories are decided as at the age you are at the 31st December of the year of the event.		

There will be a Novice and Racing sub-category in each age category:

- **Novice** this category is about fun and fitness and suitable for a rider who is new to MTB racing or has limited experience racing before. Novice available for all age groups U11, U13, U15, U17, U19
- Racing this category is suitable for a rider who is for those faster kids who are a little more serious about racing and have experience racing at either Club, State or National levels. They will have an AusCycling race license. Racing available for all age groups U11, U13, U15, U17, U19

Please note: Riders may be promoted or demoted during the series at the discretion of AusCycling (published on the series page after each round).

3.2 ENTRY PROCESS & COST

Entry will be online only. Start lists are advertised after entries have closed. It is the rider's/rider's guardian's responsibility to ensure that their entry is correct.

Event Entries Link	https://entryboss.cc/races/21027
Entries Close	Thu, 01 Aug 2024 11:59 PM AEST
Entry Fee	\$30.00

3.3 MEMBERSHIP

As this is a Mass Participation (Schools) event, AusCycling Personal Accident & Public Liability insurance covers each rider, but only for the duration of the round event.

Non-AusCycling members are encouraged to sign-up for a 4-week Free Trial Membership or Race Membership with their local Club if interested in participating in other MTB events outside of the Schools Series. Click here for further information > https://www.auscycling.org.au/membership



3.4 EVENT REGISTRATION (SIGN ON)

- All riders must attend the Event Registration (sign on) before official practice and collect their race plate.
- It is the rider/parent/guardian's responsibility to check all details are correct when registering via the online portal.

4. VENUE INFORMATION

The following are prohibited at Geelong Mountain Bike Club/ You Yangs MTB:

- Pets
- Alcohol
- Smoking (including E-Cigarettes or other vaping devices)

All attendees at the MTB Schools Series are required to adhere to the <u>National Integrity Framework</u>. Failure to do so, or to follow any reasonable direction provided by Geelong Mountain Bike Club, or appointed officials at the event, may result in removal from the venue.

5. FURTHER INFORMATION

- Awards and prizing is per the series guidelines.
- Series points are awarded in accordance with the series guidelines.

For further information please contact:

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