

2018 Central Goldfields MTB Winter Series – Round 5

*Congratulations on your entry into the 2018 Central Goldfields MTB Winter Series. Both Clubs have come together to run a uniquely structured, fair and fun winter series that is close to home and enjoyable for all levels of racing. A huge thank you to our very small team of volunteers who have helped get this event organised - it is greatly appreciated. **This pack has valuable information for both you and any spectators who are coming with you.** Please read through it to be sure you understand how it all works.*

Ride well, ride safe, have fun.

Overall Series Information

Round	Dates	Venue
Rd 1	Sunday 3 rd Jun	Spring Gully
Rd 2	Sunday 17 th Jun	Walmer State Forest
Rd 3	Sunday 1 st Jul	La Larr Ba Gauwa
Rd 4	Sunday 22 nd Jul	Spring Gully
Rd 5	Sunday 5th Aug	Walmer State Forest
Rd 6	Sunday 26 th Aug	La Larr Ba Gauwa

- This is a club based series brought to you by the Castlemaine Rocky Riders and the Bendigo Mountain Bike Club. The event is proudly sponsored by Hume and Iser Home Hardware.
- Grade Racing – A, B, C, D (40 – 60 mins) E (30 – 40 mins).
- Recreational Ride category is for riders that don't wish to race (approx. event time is 25 mins).
- Dirt Squirts is for younger riders under the age of 10 (approx. event time is 25 mins).
- Recreation Riders and Dirt Squirts if not MTBA members will need to buy a day license. To purchase a MTBA membership please go here <www.mtba.asn.au/membership/>
- Best 5 results count from 6 race series
- Grades will determined by Club Handicappers.
- Series Directors: Club Presidents Stuart MacGregor & Colin Norris



- Race Timing: Electronic timing
- Entry Fees: CRR & BMBC Club Members \$65 series, \$15 single round. Non Members \$100 series, \$25 single round. On the day entries will incur a \$5 extra admin Fee.

Day Licenses are: \$18 for 3-18 yrs old or \$33 for 19+ yrs old. If you are new to MTB, you can take advantage of MTBA Free Trial license for 8 weeks. Go to this site for more details: www.mtba.asn.au/membership/

A reminder for all riders to bring their 'Race Plate Numbers' from previous rounds. Riders who forget their race plate and need to be issued with a new one will incur a \$10 fee.

- Online Entry: Via Entry Zone, plus casual on the day entries. www.entryzone.com.au
- Prizes: Ribbons for Grade 1st, 2nd & 3rd plus minor cash and some sponsor prizes each round. Overall Series Top 15 sharing in larger cash prize pool.

Round 5 Information:

Date:

- Sunday 5th August, 2018

Venue: Walmer State Forest, Castlemaine

GETTING THERE from Bendigo - [Google Maps: Daltons Road](#)

Taking the first Castlemaine/Harcourt exit off the Calder Fwy, travel 8km into Castlemaine. Turn right at Parker St (computer shop on corner). Parker St becomes Walker St at rail crossing. Continue straight. At the top of hill follow the road around to the right and continue on Richards Rd (with Don KR factory on left). Follow road around to left and continue up hill on Daws Rd. At the top of the hill look for MTB event signage. Daltons Road (unsealed) will be on your right.



PARKING

Car parking will be along Daltons Road. The Event Village is located 400m from the main car parking area. Portable toilets will be available at the Event Village only.



REGISTRATION

Race registration will be at the race village **between 8.30 and 10:00am**

All riders must check-in at registration.

Dirt Squirts and Rec Riders - be early at rego so you don't miss your 10am start time.

Times:

- Registration & Plate Collection: 8.30AM – 10.00AM
- Dirt Squirts (500m) and Recreational Riders (1.7km) Event: 10.00AM to 10.25AM
- Rider Briefing: 10.20AM
- Grade Racing Starts in wave order A, B, C, D, E: 10.30am
- Grades A, B, C will race 3.65km course, Grades D and E will race 1.7 km course. Please refer to attached map.
- Presentations: 11.45AM

On Site Facilities and Amenities:

- Toilets: 2 Port-a-loos stocked with toilet paper

Catering:

- On-Site Vendor: Brew to U selling Coffee.

Kids: Kids Welcome!!

Rubbish:

- Please take out what you bring in. Gel Wrappers etc must not be disposed of on the track. We ask you respect the environment and leave it as you found it.

First Aid:

- First Aid/Paramedic will be on-site. If you come across an injured rider please render assistance or send another rider to notify First Aid personal.

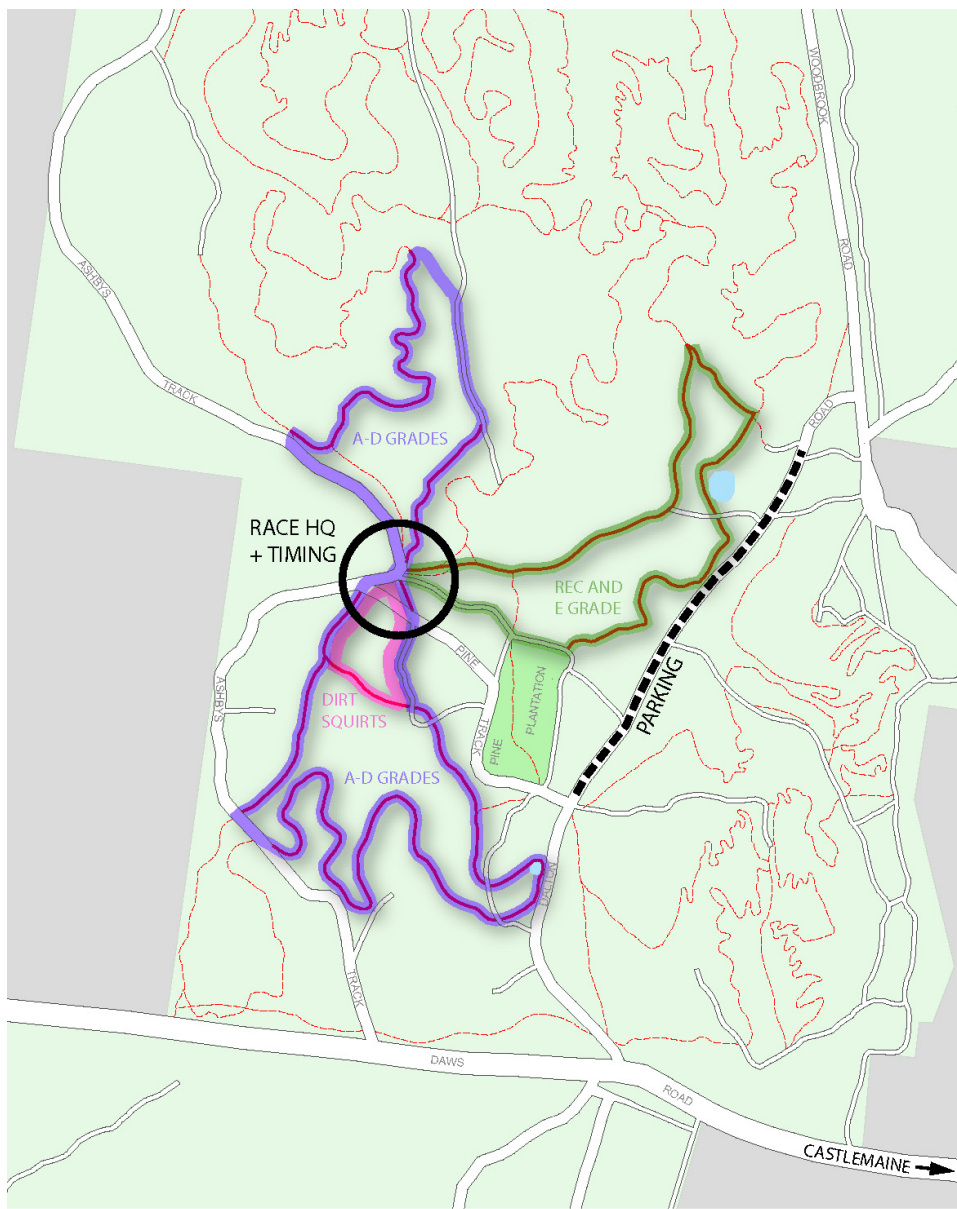
Rider Etiquette:

- Riders passing other riders will have some opportunity on various single track sections and some wider fire road sections of the track, please pass with care and support your fellow riders on course.



Round 5 – Map of Courses

- Purple = Grades A, B, C
- Green = Grades D, E, Recreational Riders
- Pink = Dirt Squirts



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