



Broken Hill Mountain Bike Club Inc.

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SILVERTON HERITAGE TRAIL

by Mountain Goat

Sunday 5th May 2013.

The Club's third point score race of the season was held in ideal autumn conditions. Easterly winds saw a fast race start. The 29 riders who made the start line all got away incident free. One rider who we'll call Budgie lost 4 or 5 places soon after the race start in a matter of seconds when a premeditated track detour turned out to be not as quick as he had hoped. He was warned however.

C-Grade/Social Class saw 6 riders on the start line. It would be Claire Brunero who would finish 38 seconds in front of shearing specialist Theresa Garbert. First race rider Brian McDouglas rounded out the podium not far behind the two girls. It was also noted that ex local club member Mapa (Croweater) Johnston's No. 1 son-in-law was out having a crack. Hopefully young Harro will be far less maintenance than his father-in-law. Good efforts also were put in by Peter Henry and Sasha Murphy.

Junior Boys Class had 4 potential gun riders make the start grid. Oscar Jones (son of Bigmat) rides years beyond his actual 10 years of age. He completed the two lap race in just over 46 minutes. Lookout if he sticks at it. Tyson Daley rode well to finish second. Ryan Borchard and Finley Adams couldn't be separated and finished in the same time. Well done boys.

Men's B-Grade had 7 starters. Rod (Wiggins) Lambert finished more than 10 minutes clear of second placed 50+ rider Fish. The battle for third was close with Corey edging out Craig (Blue-Bagger) Olsen by just 6 seconds. Club President Richard Walker rounded out the top 5.

Men's A-Grade (with one chick in amongst them) had 12 riders on the front of the start grid. The battle to take line honours over this 4 lap course was always going to be hotly contested. Even the mountain goat himself was within a sniff of the lead, first time over the mother's day bridge. But it wasn't long before the two younger bucks in Shearer Chinner and Bigmat Jones began to stretch the elastic band. Things were neck and neck between these two until Bigmat unleashed a blistering sprint at the completion of the 3rd lap. As Matt rolled off the course, Steve headed out on the final lap (that's right, Matt had missed the race briefing due to urgent No. 2 commitments and didn't realise it was a 4 lap race). The 9-Mile Road course next race should be a good one.

It was also noted that Megan Algate whooped up her husband by a whopping 2 minutes. Well done, Mrs Algate. For all those concerned, Dr Devlin is recovering well after dropping his bike again on a slippery corner. Special mentions must also go to the hours of work put in by up and coming track technician Stephen 'Rock Ape' Pascoe for having the track in top condition. Thank you to Brodee and the crew for your continued efforts, It is much appreciated.

Next Race:

The Club's next event will be held on the 9 Mile Road course Sunday May 26th.

Rego from 9-9.45am. Race starts at 10am.

Course is in an anticlockwise direction.

For more info visit Broken Hill Mountain Bike website.



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SUNDAY 5th MAY 2013

MEN'S A GRADE

			Lap 1		Lap 2		Lap 3		Finish
1	101	STEVE CHINNER	0:16:01	0:16:01	0:32:26	0:16:25	0:48:50	0:16:24	1:05:07
2	114	MATT JONES	0:16:03	0:16:03	0:32:24	0:16:21	0:48:50	0:16:26	1:05:37
3	102	BENNY GOODMAN	0:16:28	0:16:28	0:33:51	0:17:23	0:51:04	0:17:13	1:09:19
4	105	DAVID STEPHENSON	0:17:50	0:17:50	0:35:37	0:17:47	0:53:22	0:17:45	1:10:58
5	106	TREVOR BARRIE	0:17:28	0:17:28	0:35:11	0:17:43	0:53:05	0:17:54	1:11:14
6	111	GEORGE ADAMS	0:17:49	0:17:49	0:36:23	0:18:34	0:54:41	0:18:18	1:12:54
7	104	LES BORCHARD	0:17:29	0:17:29	0:35:55	0:18:26	0:54:38	0:18:43	1:13:09
8	117	TONY HEPBURN	0:17:51	0:17:51	0:36:15	0:18:24	0:54:52	0:18:37	1:13:29
9	107	DAVID LYLE	0:18:25	0:18:25	0:37:11	0:18:46	0:56:40	0:19:29	1:16:16
10	115	MEGAN ALGATE	0:18:49	0:18:49	0:38:02	0:19:13	0:57:32	0:19:30	1:17:05
11	112	NICK ALGATE	0:19:07	0:19:07	0:39:24	0:20:17	0:59:29	0:20:05	1:19:12
12	108	BRIAN DEVLIN	0:18:14	0:18:14	0:38:37	0:20:23	0:58:34	0:19:57	1:19:31

MEN'S B GRADE

			Lap 1		Lap 2		Finish	
1	208	ROD LAMBERT	0:16:43	0:16:43	0:33:52	0:17:09	0:51:05	0:17:13
2	206	MARK FISHER	0:19:36	0:19:36	0:40:18	0:20:42	1:01:15	0:20:57
3	201	COREY SAMMUT	0:21:14	0:21:14	0:42:53	0:21:39	1:04:17	0:21:24
4	203	CRAIG OLSEN	0:21:16	0:21:16	0:42:58	0:21:42	1:04:23	0:21:25
5	215	RICHARD WALKER	0:23:37	0:23:37	0:48:04	0:24:27	1:13:10	0:25:06
6	209	JUSTIN PASCOE	0:26:30	0:26:30	0:55:10	0:28:40	1:23:55	0:28:45
7	204	DARREN ORR	0:31:39	0:31:39	1:05:40	0:34:01	1:43:58	0:38:18

C GRADE / SOCIAL

			Lap 1		Finish	
1	302	CLAIRE BRUNERO	0:25:18	0:25:18	0:50:25	0:25:07
2	301	THERESA GARBERT	0:25:11	0:25:11	0:51:03	0:25:52
3	310	BRIAN McDOUGAL	0:25:36	0:25:36	0:53:28	0:27:52
4	311	BYRON HARRINGTON	0:29:00	0:29:00	1:00:09	0:31:09
5	312	PETER HENRY	0:47:03	0:47:03	1:37:35	0:50:32
6	305	SASHA MURPHY	0:38:06	0:38:06		

JUNIOR BOYS

			Lap 1		Finish	
1	403	OSCAR JONES	0:22:51	0:22:51	0:46:05	0:23:14
2	404	TYSON DALY	0:37:57	0:37:57	1:38:40	1:00:43
=3	401	RYAN BORCHARD	0:51:55	0:51:55		
=3	402	FINLEY ADAMS	0:51:55	0:51:55		