

## **BROKEN HILL MOUNTAIN BIKE CLUB GOLF CLUB TRACK by Maillot Jaune**

A beautiful Sunday morning awaited twenty-three fanatical riders out at the technical Golf Club Track. This is an excellent track as it keeps riding tight and makes for good competition within each category. The riders started from the Golf Club car park for the first time and as they jostled for position before the first turn, the spectators were taking bets on who was going to be the first customer for the St Johns crew - fortunately they all done their dough.

The Junior track is a good introduction to mountain bike riding as it very trouble-free with some easy technical sections. Junior Girls consisted of Casey Fraser, Kate Baldwin and Olivia Burt who completed two laps each without any problems. Corey Sammut lead the junior boys for three laps. Zac Demery, Luke Baldwin and Doyle Vaughan cycled well to fight out minor placings.

Shelley Clarke and her trusty steed was the only lady to compete on the day, feeling the effects of a previous late night didn't effect her riding and she happily grabbed first, second and third.

Sport Men tussled well with Taz Johnston taking the major points followed by Lucky Phil Dupal and Richard Walker who all seem to enjoy the Sunday riding events (along with a little secret training). This was a first event for newly MTB convert Les Borchard, who can't count to three and rides like the energizer bunny. Good to see AJ Stanley come out for a ride who managed to keep the young gun Nick Delisio at bay who would've felt the full weight of his down-hill bike on this track. Clyde Thomson unfortunately didn't complete, needs to remember 'brakes not face' is the better technique used to stop.

Senior Men: Ever fast Dave Clarke took out line honours, how do we slow this man down? Followed by 'Mechanical Free' Brian Devlin in second place. Benny Goodman took the time to admire his handy track work and rode in leisurely for third place. This track has everybody complaining on the way around but loving it at the end. This is a good competitive track as you would expect to find anywhere in the country.

The next Club event will be the Silverton Time Trial, on Sunday 5th April. The Club will have hotdogs at the Silverton Pub after the next event for a gold coin donation.

Registration from 8.30am at the end of the Regeneration area on the Silverton Road. Race starts at 9am. For any further information see the Club website [www.bhmtb.asn.au](http://www.bhmtb.asn.au) or phone Richard Walker on 0409 578 824.

**MOUNTAIN BIKES**  
**Golf Club 08/03/09**

<b>JUNIORS'</b>	lap1	lap2	lap3	Place
<b>Girls</b>				
Casey Fraser	9.21	18.50	-	1st
Kate Baldwin	12.58	24.30	-	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Olivia Burt	14.00	27.48	-	3 <sup>rd</sup>
<b>Boys</b>				
Corey Sammut	7.39	14.43	21.47	1st
Zac Demery	9.16	17.24	26.29	2nd
Luke Baldwin	9.01	18.13	27.35	3rd
Doyle Vaughan	9.20	18.38	29.44	4
<b>WOMEN</b>				
Shelley Clarke	37.00est	1.11.00est	-	1st
<b>SPORT MEN</b>				
Tasman Johnston	23.33	47.01	1.10.09	1st
Phil Dupal	25.13	51.06	1.16.11	2nd
Richard Walker	26.29	53.44	1.22.55	3rd
Adrian Stanley	25.55	1.00.54	1.27.31	4
Les Borchard	30.10	59.21	1.29.21	5
Nick Delisio	28.38	59.47	1.31.05	6
Clyde Thomson	DNF	-	-	
<b>SENIOR MEN</b>				
Dave Clarke	22.25	44.00	1.05.54	1st
Brian Devlin	22.25	44.43	1.08.12	2nd
Benny Goodman	22.28	45.31	1.08.53	3rd
Jason Lyall	22.29	45.50	1.09.24	4
Randall Burt	23.00	46.50	1.10.29	5
Trevor Barrie	23.36	47.09	1.12.04	6
Wayne Demery	26.29	50.45	1.16.15	7
Tony Hepburn	23.32	48.15	DNF	