9 MILE TRACK by Maillot Jaune

The Nine Mile event saw Twenty-six riders start out on a cool and blowy Sunday morning. These conditions did not slow anyone down as times and competition throughout the grades was hot.

Juniors: Casey Fraser aka the lone ranger, was the only junior female to ride and did a fine effort for her one lap. Junior boys saw Doyle Vaughan, Luke Baldwin and newcomer Kurt Dickson complete the track in good time. Corey Sammut tackled the senior track and completed two laps. Fantastic effort for a young lad.

Women: Shelley Clarke, Jo Lenton and Sandi James competed for line honours. Jo Lenton rode so well today that if she keeps it up she'll be in front of her husband by year end. Shelley felt so good she rode a third lap and was good company for Corey, both finished with a sprint.

Sport Men: Secret training paid off for Tasman Johnston coming in first, followed closely by Les (I can now count) Borchard who has taken to mountain biking like a duck to water. Evergreen Barney Stevens took out third place ahead of a young feisty field. Well done to Mark Lenton and Ces Fraser who completed the three laps in a very respectable time. Welcome to new rider Ian Dickson who appeared to enjoy his morning out. Another consistant effort was put in by Richard Walker followed by Nick Delisio on his newly recovered, still quite heavy bike. Gerald Vandenheuvel known as "three clogs" with the Hash House Harriers must have been using three legs this event as he broke his chain after the first lap.

Senior Men: As usual the first, second and third places is fought out between Dave Clarke, Royce Beck and Benny Goodman. Brian Devlin snuck in by the skin of his lyrca to beat Randall Burt. Trevor Barrie beat training partner Barry Gentle, followed up with Jason Lyall and Tony Hepburn. This senior men category is shaping up to be very interesting as only six minutes covers first to ninth position. Look forward to some good racing at the upcoming Poker Race.

The next Club event will be the Poker Race over the June Long Weekend. This is a big event attracting many riders locally and interstate. Early-bird entries close Friday 22nd May. Get your entries in to ensure we have a race plate with your name on it. For any further information see the Club website **www.bhmtb.asn.au** or phone Richard Walker on 0409 578 824.

MOUNTAIN BIKES 9 Mile Event 17/05/09

JUNIORS' Girls	lap1	lap2	lap3	Place
Casey FRASER	20.27	-	-	1st
Boys				
Doyle VAUGHAN	15.15	(31.59)	-	1st
Luke BALDWIN	16.14	(35.15)	-	2nd
Corey SAMMUT	16.29			3^{rd}
Kurt DICKSON	21.02	-	-	4
WOMEN				
Shelley CLARKE	15.26	31.21	(48.42)	1 st .
Jo LENTON	17.26	35.00	-	2^{nd}
Sandi JAMES	20.50	42.12	-	3rd
SPORT MEN				
Tasman JOHNSTON	13.16	27.18	41.16	1st
Les BORCHARD	14.06	27.57	41.54	2nd
Barney STEVENS	13.47	28.09	42.57	3rd
Mark LENTON	15.05	30.31	46.16	4
Ces FRASER	15.17	30.52	46.52	5
Richard WALKER	15.52	31.59	49.14	6
Nick DELISIO	17.46	36.52	56.46	7
Ian DICKSON	22.16	43.47	-	
Gerald VANDENHEUV	EL 22.32	-	-	
SENIOR MEN				
Dave CLARKE	11.16	22.53	34.39	1st
Royce BECK	11.31	23.04	34.46	2nd
Benny GOODMAN	12.01	24.23	36.38	3rd
Brian DEVLIN	12.23	25.13	37.55	4
Randall BURT	12.39	25.19	38.02	5
Trevor BARRIE	13.03	25.48	38.23	6
Barry GENTLE	13.06	25.44	38.40	7
Jason LYALL	13.12	26.16	39.53	8
Tony HEPBURN	13.12	27.18	40.49	9