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2010 World Solo 24HR MTB Championships

Application for Australian and New Zealand Qualifying Events

Canberra Off-Road Cyclists (CORC) to host event at Stromlo Forest Park, Canberra, Australia

October 9th – 10th, 2010

With these championships being held in Australia, the aim of Twenty4Sports and CORC is to have as many Australian and New Zealand riders as possible qualify to compete.

To achieve this, any Australian or New Zealand rider who has previously qualified for a 24 Hours of Adrenalin World Solo 24 Hr MTB Championships will automatically be grandfathered into the event, plus there can be more qualifying events than normal from Australia and New Zealand. The procedure for becoming a qualifying event from Australia and New Zealand is being managed by CORC on behalf of Twenty4Sports. Events in other countries need to apply directly to Twenty4Sports.

There is no fee payable to become a qualifying event, and new events on the calendar will also be considered. However, certain standards and obligations to both the organizers and the riders must be met. These are summarized on the next two pages.

Australian and New Zealand Organizers who wish their events to become qualifying events should contact Russ Baker at:

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Qualifying Event Standards and Conditions

- All expenses relating to meeting the qualifying event standards and conditions shall be met by the qualifying event.
- The qualifying event must take place before 20 September 2010.
- The minimum age for a Solo rider is 18 on the start date of the qualifying race unless a higher minimum age is specified by the respective national mountain bike body.
- The qualifying event must be a 24 hour race and it must have Male and Female Solo 24 Hr categories. Team categories and sub-24Hr duration races are permitted to be held within the qualifying event, but only riders entered in Solo 24Hr categories can qualify.
- The logo for the 2010 24Hrs of Adrenalin World Solo 24Hr MTB Championships Qualifying Event must appear in all advertising, programs, media releases and promotional material for the qualifying event.
- The logo for the 2010 24Hrs of Adrenalin World Solo 24Hr MTB Championships Qualifying Event must appear on number plates and identification badges for the qualifying event.
- A minimum of two hard banner signs of the 2010 24Hrs of Adrenalin World Solo 24Hr MTB Championships Qualifying Event logo at least 1.0m high and 1.4m wide must be located in the finish straight in the zone from 20m before the finish line to 20m after the finish line.
- The Overall Solo Male and Female Winners must each receive a **minimum** cash prize of \$A 1,500 which they can use to pay for their entry to the 2010 24Hrs of Adrenalin World Solo 24Hr MTB Championships plus a full fitout pit area (Hoecker marquee, table, chairs, power, lights, heater, floor) and some travel subsidy.
- The qualifying event must provide to CORC by email within 7 days of the completion of their event, an Excel file containing Solo race results and contact details (Name, address, DOB, email, phone) for all Solo riders in their event. A standard format will be supplied to qualifying events.





Qualifying Event Organiser Entitlements

Once the organisers of qualifying events have agreed to these conditions and their event has been accepted:

- The organizers of qualifying events shall provide CORC with artwork files for their event logo.
- The organizers of qualifying events shall be entitled to use the 2010 24Hrs of Adrenalin World Solo 24Hr MTB Championships Qualifying Event logo for a period from the date of acceptance until 12 months after the date of their qualifying event.
- Their event will be identified as a qualifying event on the 24 Hours of Adrenalin website, the 2010 24Hrs of Adrenalin World Solo 24Hr MTB Championships website, in the event program, in advertising and by public address announcements at the 2010 24Hrs of Adrenalin World Solo 24Hr MTB Championships.
- The event organizers will be advised of the number of qualifiers from their event. For qualifying events which are also the Australian or New Zealand National Solo 24Hr Championships, this number will use the 75% / 50% rule based on the number of laps completed by the overall male and female winners, for example:
 - Riders completing 75% or greater of the winner's laps for their gender will qualify for the Elite Worlds and the Age Group Worlds categories.
 - Riders completing from 50% to less than 75% of the winner's laps for their gender will qualify for the Age Group Worlds categories.
 - If they have not already qualified above, the first 5 male and first 3 female single speed riders will qualify for the World single speed categories.
 - If they have not already qualified above, age group winners in the standard 24Hrs of Adrenalin World Solo 24Hr MTB Championships 5-year age groups will also qualify as age group riders.
- For non-National Solo 24Hr Championships races, the number of qualifiers will be dependent on the size of the solo categories at the event, but would normally be a minimum of 10 Male and 5 Female riders.
- As is standard practice for the 24Hrs of Adrenalin World Solo 24Hr MTB Championships, individual riders may make an application to Twenty4Sports if they have not qualified, stating their race history and seeking a special exemption.

