



2020 Australian Speedway U21's Championship

Saturday 25th January 2020

Goulburn Valley Motorcycle Club

SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

EVENT:	Australian Speedway U21 Solo Championship
DATE:	Saturday 25th January 2020 Rain Off Date Sunday 26th January 2020
VENUE:	Undera Speedway Echuca Road Undera Vic.
TRACK LICENCE NUMBER:	MA TBA
MA PERMIT NUMBER:	MA 2243
EVENT CONTACT:	Leckie Milne – 0408 221 372 Email: leckie2@hotmail.com
EVENT KEY OFFICIALS:	Referee: Lyal Allen Clerk of Course: Jane Collier Race Secretary: Gary Timmerman

1. ANNOUNCEMENT

The Gouldburn Motorcycle Club hereafter called the Promoter will conduct the 2020 Australian Speedway U21'S Championship FOR Speedway 500cc Solo Machines at Undera Park Speedway on Saturday 25th January 2020.

2. JURISDICTION

2.1 The abovementioned meeting has been authorised by Motorcycling Australia which has issued the Motorcycling Australia Permit Number MA 2243 and is open to holders of current Motorcycling Australia Senior National Competition Licences.

2.2 The meeting will be held in accordance with the **2019** General Competition Rules (GCR's) contained in the Manual of Motorcycle Sport which is available at: <https://www.ma.org.au/licences-rules/rules/general-competition-rules/>, these Supplementary Regulations, and any final instructions approved by MA. By entering this meeting all parties agree to comply with these rules, regulations, by-laws and instructions.

3. EVENT OFFICIALS

The following officials will be overseeing the meeting:

ROLE	NAME
Referee	Lyal Allen
Clerk of Course	Jane Collier
Race Secretary	Garry Timmerman
Scrutineer	TBA

4. NOMINATIONS

4.1 Nominations are now open and close 4:30pm AEDT Wednesday 18th December 2019. **Late entries will not be accepted.**

4.2 Only nominations completed and received on line via ridernet <http://bit.ly/2020U21Nominations> will be accepted.

4.3 Once nominations have been accepted, any rider needing to withdraw from the Championship must do so in writing to Motorcycling Australia at: track@ma.org.au

5. ENTRY FEE

No Entry Fee applies. **All competitors and legal guardians are required to sign on. For those where a parent cannot attend, a temporary guardian deed appointment is required and must be presented at sign on. These forms are available on the MA website.**

6. ENTRY PASSES / CREW (MECHANICS) LICENCES

Competitors will receive one (1) Rider and (2) Crew Passes. **Any mechanic who wishes to gain entry into the pit area is required to hold a current Motorcycling Australian crew (mechanics) license or Senior National Competition License and sign on. Any person who does not hold a current license will not be granted access into the pit area.**

7. INSURANCE

7.1 National Personal Accident Scheme provides basic cover for death and permanent disability.

7.2 Ambulance Insurance is compulsory for licensees.

It is strongly recommended that competitors give consideration to taking out weekly benefits insurance.

8. MEDICAL SERVICES

Onsite Response Paramedic Services

9. MACHINE EXAMINATION

9.1 Machine Examination will begin at :3:00pm on Saturday 25th January 2020.

9.3 Machines entered in the competition must have successfully passed a machine examination prior to taking part in practice, qualifying or racing. An MA decal will be placed on the front number plate to indicate that it has been successfully examined.

9.4 Current competition licences and full riding gear must be presented at machine examination. Eligibility checks can take place at any time during the meeting. Machines which suffer accident damage in practice or race sessions must be re-examined before participating again.

9.5 In addition to supervising the pulling down and checking of machines after official protests have been received by the Clerk of Course in accordance with the GCRs, the Referee can order that any machine be measured and if this occurs the Scrutineer will supervise a team member to pull down any machine that has taken part in the event. Failure to comply with this regulation will result in this matter being referred to the Referee for further action.

9.6 Machines will not be sealed for later checking after the event. All machines that are to be pulled down and scrutineered will take place at the circuit before the machine is released by the Scrutineer. A member of the rider's team must be available at all times to carry out the strip down under the control of the Scrutineer. Failure to comply with this regulation will result in this matter being referred to the Referee for further action.

9.7 All machines and rider apparel **MUST** comply with the 2019 GCR's for Speedway Competition.

10. ENTRIES TO CONSTITUTE A CHAMPIONSHIP

To constitute a class of the 2020 Australian Speedway U21's Championship for the purpose of gaining Championship status, the number of contestants entered and competing shall be sixteen (16).

11. STARTS

All races will be tape starts.

12. VESTS

Riding Vests may be provided and must be worn by the Rider.

13. RACE FORMAT

13.1 Qualifying format will be determined by the MA Track Commission depending on the number of entries.

13.2 The Championship will be twenty (20) heats, one (1) B final and one (1) A final with four (4) riders in each

13.3 All heats and finals will be over four (4) laps.

13.4 Scoring As Per GCR 14.10.17

13.5 Finals.

SOLOS:

A Final Event twenty two (22) will be the A final.
The top three (3) point scorers will go direct to the A final, plus the winner of the B final.

The place getters in this final will determine who is 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th in the Championship.

B Final Event twenty one (21) will be the B final.
The riders for the B final will be 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th point scorers after 20 heats.
The winner of the B final will go to the A final, 2nd, 3rd, 4th in the B final will determine who is 5th, 6th and 7th in the Championship.

13.6 Points for meetings will be first position = three (3) points, Second position = two (2) points, Third position = one (1) point, fourth position = zero (0) points.

13.7 Non finishers will receive one of the following alongside their names on the score sheet.

M (excluded due to 2 minute rule)

R (retired from the race)

F (fall but not excluded)

T (excluded for false start)

E (excluded)

N (non-started)

13.8 If riders are tied on Points for the A or B final, the Count Back System will determine any ties.

13.9 **Qualifying Meeting may be held subject to entries.**

14. EVENT SCHEDULE

14.1

	SATURDAY 25 TH JANUARY
SIGN ON & MACHINE EXAMINATION	3:00PM - 5PM
RIDERS BRIEFING	6:15PM – ALL RIDERS & GUARDIANS MUST ATTEND
PRACTICE	5:00pm - Practice will be 1-4,5-8,9-12,13-16
RIDER INTRO	7.00PM

* Practice shall be in Race Draw Format eg: 1 to 4, 5 to 8, 9 to 12, 13 to 16.

14.2 For the purposes of drug and alcohol testing, the commencement of the meeting will be deemed to be 3:00pm 25th January 2020 with the completion of the meeting for the participant being when the participant has vacated the venue.

15. AWARDS AND PRIZEMONEY

15.1 Speedway Solo Under 21 Championship:

\$25.00 a point will be paid for the twenty heats.

Bonus money will be 1st \$600.00, 2nd \$400.00, 3rd \$300.00, 4th \$150.00

15.2 Trophies and sashes for 1st to 4th positions in Championship classes.

15.3 MA medallions will be presented to the first 3 place getters in the Championship.

15.4 Qualifying Speedway Solo Under 21 - Qualifying Meeting may be held subject to entries.

\$20.00 a point will be paid for the twenty heats.

NO Bonus Money will be Paid.

“NO TOW MONEY TO BE PAID FOR THIS CHAMPIONSHIP MEETING”

16. PAYG

16.1 PAYG withholding affects the payment of prize money, if you do not provide an ABN or declare the sport is a hobby, the Promotor must withhold 46.5% of prize money over \$50.00 which is otherwise payable to you. Please tick one of the boxes on the entry form and if appropriate provide your ABN to ensure the full amount of prize money is paid to you.

17. PRESENTATIONS

Trophy presentation will be held on the track after the A Final Championship. Placegetters – machines and riders must attend the presentation.

18. MACHINES AND RIDERS

18.1 All machines entered must comply with the 2019 GCR's for Speedway Solo competition.

18.2 Referee may allow change of machinery during the event.

19. RIDING NUMBERS

Will be allocated by the MA Track Commission.

20. SELECTION OF RIDERS & STARTING POSITIONS

Selection and starting positions will be carried out by the MA Track Commission 4:30pm AEDT Wednesday 18th December 2019.

21. RIDERS BRIEFING

A riders briefing will be held prior to the commencement of racing, which **ALL competitors and Guardians MUST attend**. Details will be included in the Final Instructions.

22. FLAGS

As per GCR Appendix B

23. CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION

The track comprises a circuit of 275 metres in length. The track surface comprises of Decomposed Granite.

24. TRACK INSPECTION

All participating competitors will be given the opportunity to walk and inspect the track prior on track participation. This inspection must be done on foot and competitors are reminded that service vehicles may be in operation on the circuit at this time. If any rider has a safety issue with the track, this should be taken up with the Clerk of Course.

25. TRACK DISSATISFACTION

Competitors who are not satisfied with any aspects of the track can present these concerns to the Clerk of Course if those concerns cannot be resolved, the competitor will be invited to withdraw from the meeting.

26. FACILITIES

Canteen & Toilets

27. SOUND

Sound testing may take place at any time at the discretion of the Chief Scrutineer or the Clerk of Course. Refer to GCR for details.

28. TYRES

Speedway Tyre. Refer to the GCR's

29. ANTI-DOPING POLICY

29.1 All competitors, officials and support personnel are advised that drug testing may take place in accordance with MA's Anti-Doping Policy, as carried out by the Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority. Refer to MA website for details.

29.2 If any doubts exist over banned substances it is recommended competitors contact the Drugs in Sport Hotline, tel: 1800 020 506. When drug testing takes place, the payment of prize money may be delayed at MA discretion until the results of the tests are known.

30. DRUG & ALCOHOL TESTING PROCEDURE

All competitors, officials and support personnel are advised that random drug and alcohol testing may take place during competition, Refer to the MA website for the details on the safety policy – drug and alcohol testing.

31. CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

MA's Code of Behaviour applies to all competitors, team managers, mechanics, crew, team members, officials and parents/guardians and is contained within MA's Member Protection Policy. Refer to www.ma.org.au

32 FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

All competitors should have a minimum 2kg, dry powder A : B (E) class, working fire extinguisher in their pit area.

33. ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION AND SOCIAL MEDIA.

All competitors, officials, support personnel and parents are reminded of MA's electronic communications and social media policy, found at www.ma.org.au, which sets out a framework for acceptable online behavior where communications involve fellow MA members, volunteers, officials, coaches, sponsors, partners, staff and any other connected persons.

34. ADMISSION CHARGES

Cost of entry to General Public

Adults	\$25.00
16 years and under	FREE

35. TEAM CLOTHING

Team Clothing is encouraged, such as a team shirt.

36. ENVIRONMENTAL MATS

An absorbent mat that measures a minimum of 500mm x 500mm must be placed underneath the engine/gearbox and fuel tank in the pit, paddock or work area.

37. SPECIAL NOTES AND WARNINGS:

37.1 NO Thongs/Sandals or open shoes to be worn in the pit area

37.2 The carrying or consumption of alcoholic beverages in the pit area is prohibited.

37.3 NO Smoking in the pit area

37.4 NO animals allowed. Guide Dogs and Assistant Animals Excepted. which must be kept on a leash at all times.