



Bendigo Mountain Bike Club 6 Hour Rider Briefing Pack

When:

- Date: Sunday the 13th of September 2015
- Plate Collection: 6 Hour - From 8.00am to 9.30am Sunday.
3 Hour - From 10.15am – 12.30pm Sunday
- Rider Briefing: 6 Hour - 9.50am in the transition area.
3 Hour - 12.50pm in the transition area
- Race Starts: 6 Hour - Race starts at 10.00am,
3 Hour - Race starts at 1.00pm
- Course Closed: 4.00pm
- Presentations: 4.45pm

Late race entry is available on Saturday between 3pm & 5pm, with no additional entries taken after this time. Race numbers will be limited to 400 riders.

Where: Andy's Trail Network, Calder Highway, Big Hill.

Directions from the North (Bendigo, Alexandra Fountain):

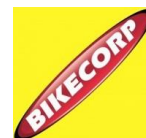
- Travel South along Pall Mall/High Street
- Continue on High Street through Golden Square & Kangaroo Flat
- Continue along High Street/ Calder Hwy past Bunnings/ Lansell Square (on left) and Harvey Normal (on right)
- Crest over Big Hill and **Andy's Trail Network** is on your Left
- Take caution when turning Left off Calder Highway and follow traffic directions by marshals.

Directions from the South (Melbourne):

- Travel North along the Calder Hwy/Fwy toward Bendigo
- Continue pass the large Caltex (Left) & Ravenswood Moto-X track (right).
- Merge into the right hand lane after you pass the Calder Alternate Hwy intersection.
- As you start to climb 'Big Hill' you will see Big Hill vineyard on your Left prepare to turn right using the turning lane (at the Belvoir Park Road intersection) and enter Andy's Trail Network.

Please respect the marshals and obey there instructions, taking caution when crossing the highway.

PLEASE REMEMBER :
ANDY'S TRAIL NETWORK IS LOCATED ON PRIVATE
PROPERTY. NO UNAUTHORISED ACCESS IS PERMITTED.





Parking:

Andy's trail network is abundant with parking space, in order to ensure people have the best proximity to the track please listen and follow requests from the parking marshals. Whilst vehicles are able to be parked in close proximity to the event village, direct vehicle access is not permitted within the event village.

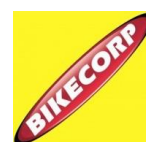
Registration:

The Registration tent will be located in the centre of the transition area. Here you will be able to collect your race numbers and cable ties. **Each rider must present their valid MTBA licence in order to collect their number.** If registering for team mates you must also present their MTBA licence.

If you're unable to present a current MTBA licence, you will be required to purchase a day licence. Registration will be open on Saturday between 3- 5pm (late entries can be processed here), with **NO ON THE DAY ENTRY AVAILABLE ON SUNDAY.** Sunday plate collection will close at 9.30am sharp for 6hr competitors and 12.30pm for 3hr competitors please be sure to register as soon as you arrive on site.

On Site Facilities and Amenities:

- Toilets:** Port-a-loos on site; stocked with toilet paper and hand wash.
- Water:** No potable water will be onsite, Riders are required to provide their own hydration or purchase from onsite vendors.
- Catering:** Coffee will be onsite from 7am with Lady Sultan & Pizza DeWheels covering all bases over the lunch period.
- Kids:** Kids welcome with activities on offer during the day.
- Rubbish:** There will be a number of smaller bins situated around the transition area. There will also be a large skip. Gels and food wrappers being discarded on the course will not be tolerated. Everyone has three pockets in a jersey; choose one of them to stash your litter!
- First Aid:** We will have first aid personnel on site. The first aid tent will be set up next to the timing tent in the transition area. If you come across an injured rider, we ask that you render assistance and if need be send another available rider directly back to the transition area to notify our first aid personnel.
- Camping:** Camping at the race site will be available at the nominal tariff of \$10/ person. Please ensure that you set up in the designated area and make your payments at the registration tent. The toilets will be onsite.





Course... it's all NEW!!

Total distance 11.5kms.

View the course in detail online via [ARCGIS](#) or [GARMIN CONNECT](#)

All events start on the Calder Highway side of 'the tunnel' and we ask that you seed yourselves accordingly. Each event begins with a dash back through the tunnel around the dam and merging onto the course, meandering through the event village and finally onto single track.

The course loops around in a figure of eight and is approximately 11.5km in length. The first half of the course gets the adrenalin pumping with timber berms, bridges and free flowing trail, not to mention an amazing flyover. There are a number of A and B lines throughout the loop with the south side being the longer part of the course.

The northern end of the course is where competitors traverse up above the valley and this again features some A and B lines. There are a challenging set of switch backs that climb the top of the hill which leads directly into a rewarding downhill section including jumps that is sure to put a smile on the dial so long as you ride within your limits.

