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NCIM Race Night #5

The Akuna Cup – Second Edition

Both Adult and Youth Racing

Saturday November 26th, 2022: 6:00PM to 10:00PM

Tempo, Keirin, Scratch

Overview:

Registration is open to riders of Elite, Masters and Youth categories. Youth categories will be dependent on the number of registrants.

For 2022 all participants must have **EITHER:**

- A valid UCI Racing License – riders do not need the track specific option
- An Ontario Provincial Race License
- **AND** be certified to ride the Mattamy National Cycling Centre

NCIM Race Events are sanctioned by the Ontario Cycling Association. Race nights follow a simple format and positions are determined visually by the Chief Commissaire and finish line volunteers. Competition emphasizes fair play.

Cheating or unsportsmanlike conduct will result in disqualification and/or removal from the competition.

November 26th Race Schedule:

All races will be run in the order of Youth A, then Youth B, then Adults A - C

Please note that riders will not have access to the track before 6pm.

Race 1: Tempo – All riders start from the rail and race for a set number of laps. After the first 4 laps, the bell will be rung to indicate the start of the point laps. The first rider across the line in each lap will be awarded 1 point, including the final lap. Any rider that gains a lap is awarded 10 points; any rider that loses a lap is deducted 10 points.

A 30 laps / B 20 laps / C 20 laps / Youth A 15 laps / Youth B (If needed) 15

Race 2: Keirin – The Keirin is a 5 lap race with two laps rider behind a pacer. Riders will stage from the rail on the homestraight, with the starting position on the rail being determined by a numbered draw. For the **first lap only** riders must maintain position behind the pacer in numerical order as drawn to begin the race. After the first lap the riders may change position but must remain behind the pacer for the remaining paced laps. The pacer will gradually increase speed each lap and will pull off on the front straight with THREE laps remaining after which time the riders are free to race for the remaining distance.

Winners will advance to the major finale, and the remaining riders will race in the minor finale. The finale will take place after the completion of the Scratch race.

Race 3: Scratch – A basic mass start race. All riders start from the rail and race for a set number of laps. A bell rings with one lap to go. The final placings are determined during the final sprint, taking into account laps gained.

A 40 laps / B 35 laps / C 30 laps / Youth A 20 laps / Youth B (If needed) 15

Race 4: Keirin Finals (Small and Large Finals)

GEAR Restrictions:

A group max: 100 inches (52x14) for bunch UNLIMITED for Keirin (you asked for it...)

B group max: 96 inches (50x14, 53x15)

C Group max: 96 inches (50x14, 53x15)

Youth A max (UPDATED): 90 inches (50x15)

Youth B max: 86 inches (48x15)

Combined Youth max:

Coming soon on NCIM Race Night:

*December 17th: Nightmare before Christmas – Ugly Jersey Competition, Potluck and Santa's Primes
Scratch, Snowball, Belgian Win and Out, Wheel Race*

January 21st: Omnium Night