



MTB RIDES

MAY JUNE JULY 2007

| WHEN | WHERE | TIME | HOW HARD | WHAT U NEED TO KNOW |
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| Sunday, 6 May 2007 | Beachfront Hotel - Rapid Creek | 4.30 -6.30 pm | Moderate with some slightly longer distances covered | Jon to lead a ride from the Beachfront Hotel using cycle paths to MTB tracks at Holmes Jungle / Berrimah and looping back to finish at the pub |
| Sunday, 13 May 2007 | Charles Darwin top carpark | 4.30 -6.30 pm | Moderate effort with some technical elements | Matt to lead a ride through Darwin's best single tracks. Mix it up with an alternate combination of single track, fire trail and 4wd track. Rid recommended for biting insects |
| Sunday 20 May 2007 | Palmerston XC Racing Meet at Mitchell Creek Bridge Lambrick Ave for a neutral ride to start | 4.00 for a 4.30 start | Racing – hard as u can go | Original old timer Dick is resurrecting one of the original old timers MTB race tracks. Club sanctioned event. DORC membership or day license required. Gold coin donation entry fee. Esky provided for pit racing. |
| Sunday, 27 May 2007 | Howard Springs Pine Forest | 4.30 -6.30 pm | Moderate to unknown. Should be fairly flat and non technical | Bill is leading an expedition in the wilds of Shoal Bay. Lucky dip with uncharted territory and new tracks. |

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| Sunday, 3 June 2007 | Cool Spot Fannie Bay | 4.30 -6.30 pm | Easy to Moderate | Jump on the Tour Tub with City sight seeing led by Aaron |
| Sunday 10 June 2007 | Charles Darwin top carpark | 4.30 -6.30 pm | Moderate effort with some technical elements | Matt to lead a ride through Darwin's best single tracks. Mix it up with an alternate combination of single track, fire trail and 4wd track. Rid recommended for biting insects |
| Sunday, 17 June 2007 | Howard Springs XC Racing | 4.00 for a 4.30 start | Racing – hard as u can go | It's fine amongst the pine. Aaron to organise XC racing. Format to be advised. Club sanctioned event. DORC membership or day license required. Gold coin donation entry fee. Esky provided for pit racing afterwards. |
| Sunday, 24 June 2007 | Charles Darwin top carpark | 4.30 -6.30 pm | Moderate effort with some technical elements | Matt to lead a ride through Darwin's best single tracks. Mix it up with an alternate combination of single track, fire trail and 4wd track. Rid recommended for biting insects |
| Sunday, 1 July 2007 | Palmerston to Elizabeth River and beyond | 3.30 - 6.30 pm | Rated difficult as longer distances covered but not technical | Kyle to lead an epic ride to Katherine North and back. Bring 3 litres of water and fuel for the ride. |
| Sunday, 8 July 2007 | Holmes Jungle XC Racing | 4.00 for a 4.30 start | Racing – hard as u can go | Kyle to set track using combination of existing single track, 4WD tracks etc. Club sanctioned event. DORC membership or day license required. Gold coin donation entry fee. Esky provided for pit racing afterwards. |

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| Sunday 15 July 2007 | Noonamah Pub | 7.30 am – 11.30 am | Moderate to hard. Variety of terrain with hills, rocky terrain and plains. Mostly 4wd and animal tracks. Distance around 40 – 45km | Meet at the pub and travel in convey, by car, to the start of the ride. Please be ready to leave Noonamah at 7.30. Bring 3 litres of water and fuel for the ride. Steve to lead tour de back blocks |
| Saturday 21 July 2007 | Howard Springs Pine Forest 3 Hour Day/Nighter | 4.00 for a 4.30 to 7.30 pm race | Racing – hard as u can go | Darwin's premiere MTB event of the year. If you only race once this year, this should be it! Aaron, Andrew and Steve to organise. Multi classes, eg 1 hr, 2hr and 3hr, solo and teams. Club sanctioned event. DORC membership or day license required. Gold coin donation entry fee. Stay for the after race party, drinks, food and pole dancing. Charge up the batteries and start training now. |
| Sunday 29 July 2007-04-27 | Beachfront Hotel - Rapid Creek | 4.30 -6.30 pm | Easy to moderate | Start at the pub, quick scoot out to Lee Point, no submarines necessary this time and finish back at the pub. Or on a show of hands, just stay at the pub. |
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| Rides cater to all skill levels but be self sufficient – bring water, spares and tools plus all necessary safety equipment | | | | |