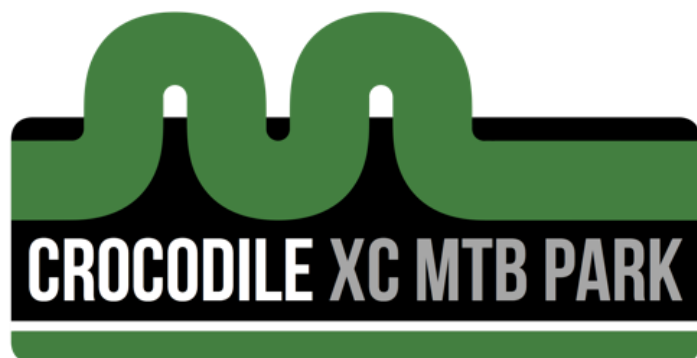


# **MTBNZ National Series Round 2 EVENT MANUAL**



## **WELCOME**

The Christchurch Singletrack Club is excited to have you come and race on the trails we put our heart and soul in to providing.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of Christchurch Singletrack Club the Landowners van Asch family and our sponsors for their support. These events would not happen without the support of our clubs & their landowners.

Lets get racing!

Ryan Hunt  
MTBNZ President

## **KEY CONTACTS**

CHAIRPERSON/PRESIDENT: Nikki Bligh - 021663684  
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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### EVENT SCHEDULE

Venue: Crocodile XC MTB Park, Halswell Quarry, corner Cashmere and Kennedy's Bush Road

Date: 21 January 2023

### XCO

Expected race length for fastest rider – number of laps will be based on this

Category	Men	Possible # of laps*	Women	Possible # of laps*
Sport	1 hour	4	1 hour	3
U15	1 hour	3	1 hour	2
U17	1 hour	4	1 hour	3
U19	1 hour 15	5	1 hour 15	4
Elite	1 hour 30	7	1 hour 30	5
Masters 1 (30's)	1 hour 15	4	1 hour 15	3
Masters 2 (40's)	1 hour 15	4	1 hour 15	3
Masters 3 (50's)	1 hour	4	1 hour	3
Masters 4 (60+)	1 hour	4	1 hour	3

\*this will be confirmed by the Chief Commissaire right before the race

RACE 1 - U15/U17/Sport Men

RACE 2 - Masters Men

RACE 3 - Women

RACE 4 - Elite/U23/U19 Men

8.00am: Registration opens

8.30am: Race 1 call up

8:45am: Race 1 start

10:15am: Race 2 call up

10:30am: Race 2 start

12:15pm: Race 1 and 2 Podium Presentation

12:15pm Race 3 call up

12:30pm Race 3 start

2:45pm: Race 4 call up

3:00pm: Race 4 start

5:15pm: Race 1 and 2 Podium Presentation

## START LIST

A start list will be posted when entries close.

## SPECTATORS

Follow instructions of marshals. Don't cross any tracks when a rider is approaching. Don't spectate from a position where you may be hit if a rider crashes.

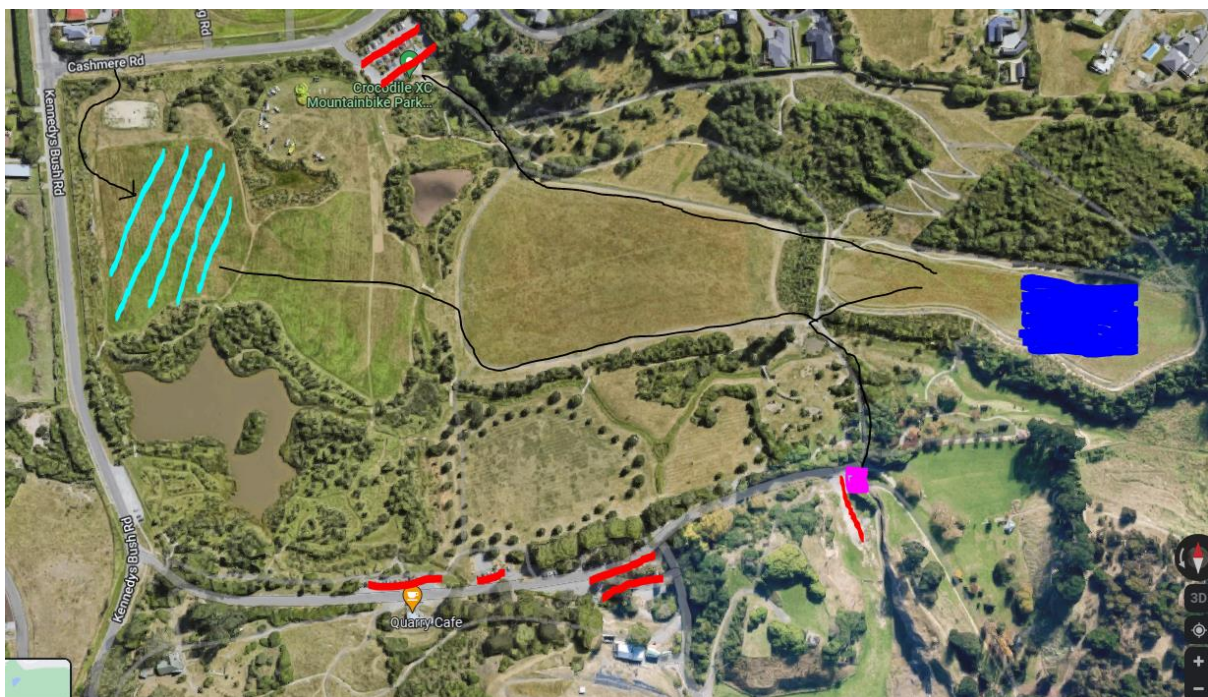
## PARKING

There is public parking available (shown in red) in Halswell Quarry Park (entrance off Kennedy's Bush Road) and in the carpark on Cashmere Road. There is overflow event parking (shown in cyan) in the bottom paddock of the quarry. Follow the directions from the entrance off Cashmere Road near the intersection with Kennedy's Bush Road. Do not drive over the horse sand area.

Please park sensibly so that you don't block anyone else in.

It is 600 m from the overflow parking to the event village (shown in blue).

The black lines show routes to the event village.



## PIT TENTS

Due to council regulations, you are unable to drive to the event village. If you would like a team set up you will need to carry your gear in. I would recommend dropping it off where the pink square is and walking from there, and then parking elsewhere.

## BIKE REPAIRS

This is a self supported event

## RACE NUMBERS

Race numbers must be displayed on the handlebars of the bicycle. Altering, cutting or placing of unauthorised sponsor's logos on numbers may result in disqualification. All riders must display their race numbers if riding the course on the official practice times or on race day.

## PRE EVENT PRACTICE

The course is generally open to ride at all times – however, we ask people to check the Facebook page for Crocodile XC MTB Park prior to riding to check for any closures or advisory notices, especially following heavy rain.

## SPORTSMANSHIP

Riders must not use offensive or abusive language during the race, act in any anti-sporting manner, be disrespectful to the event volunteers / officials or ignore the race regulations. Riders must act in a polite manner at all times and permit any faster rider to overtake on their right, without deliberately obstructing them.

## COURSE

Course maps will be released as soon as possible. Riders are not permitted to shortcut the course. The responsibility for following the official route lies with the rider. If you do not follow the official route you will be disqualified. Riders are not permitted to willingly alter the course in any way. This includes moving rocks, logs, tape or other natural obstacles.

## RULES

- Technical regulation for MTBNZ Series events
- MTBNZ

Can be found [Here](#) This includes MTBNZ Protection policy on page 14

## PRIZE-GIVING

Will follow at the completion on the event.

## RESULTS

Provisional results will be printed and posted on the MTBNZ website and Facebook page.

## RESPECT FOR THE VENUE

We would like to use this venue again! **Use the rubbish bins** provided for all litter – competitors must not drop any food wrappings or other litter on any course. All litter must be carried out and put in the bins provided.

## SOCIAL MEDIA

We encourage you to get involved in the event through social media. The key links are provided below:

Facebook	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/MTBNewZealand">https://www.facebook.com/MTBNewZealand</a>
Instagram	<a href="#">@mtbnz_official</a>
Website	<a href="https://www.mtbnz.org.nz/mtbnz-national-events-series">https://www.mtbnz.org.nz/mtbnz-national-events-series</a>
Event Hashtag	#MTBNZXC

## CANCELLATIONS

The organiser's reserve the right to cancel one or more of the events in the case of adverse weather conditions.

## **WITHDRAWALS / REFUNDS**

Withdrawals received 14 days before the event may be eligible for a refund upon presentation of a medical certificate. Withdrawals after 14 days and up to entry closing require a medical certificate. Requests are email to be emailed to Kristy Booth MTBNZ Secretary ([mtbnzsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:mtbnzsecretary@gmail.com)). If accepted a refund of the entry fee less a \$20 administration fee will be payable.

## **SAFETY COMMITMENT**

MTBNZ and Christchurch Singletrack Club are committed to providing and maintaining upmost health and safety standards, by ensuring that all risks and hazards associated with the event are adequately identified and managed to prevent harm from occurring to the event staff, participants and all other personnel involved in accordance with the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015. Please report any hazards or accidents/incidents to the Event Manager or Coordinator at the Event Information Desk.

## **SMOKE, DRUG AND ALOCHOL FREE**

The entire event is smoke, drug and alcohol free. Please ensure all your supporters are aware of this.

## **CONTINGENCY PLANNING**

The event recognises that there is the potential for circumstances outside of their control occurring that could result in the published event format and/or distance being adjusted in the interest of participant and officials safety. If inclement conditions exist, all decisions regarding the implementation of the contingency plan will be made by the Contingency Committee.

## **FIRST AID**

If you require any special medication (e.g. asthma inhaler) please make sure you have it with you. First aid will be based at the event village and have personnel on each course.

## **In an Emergency call 111**

### **Event details (example below)**

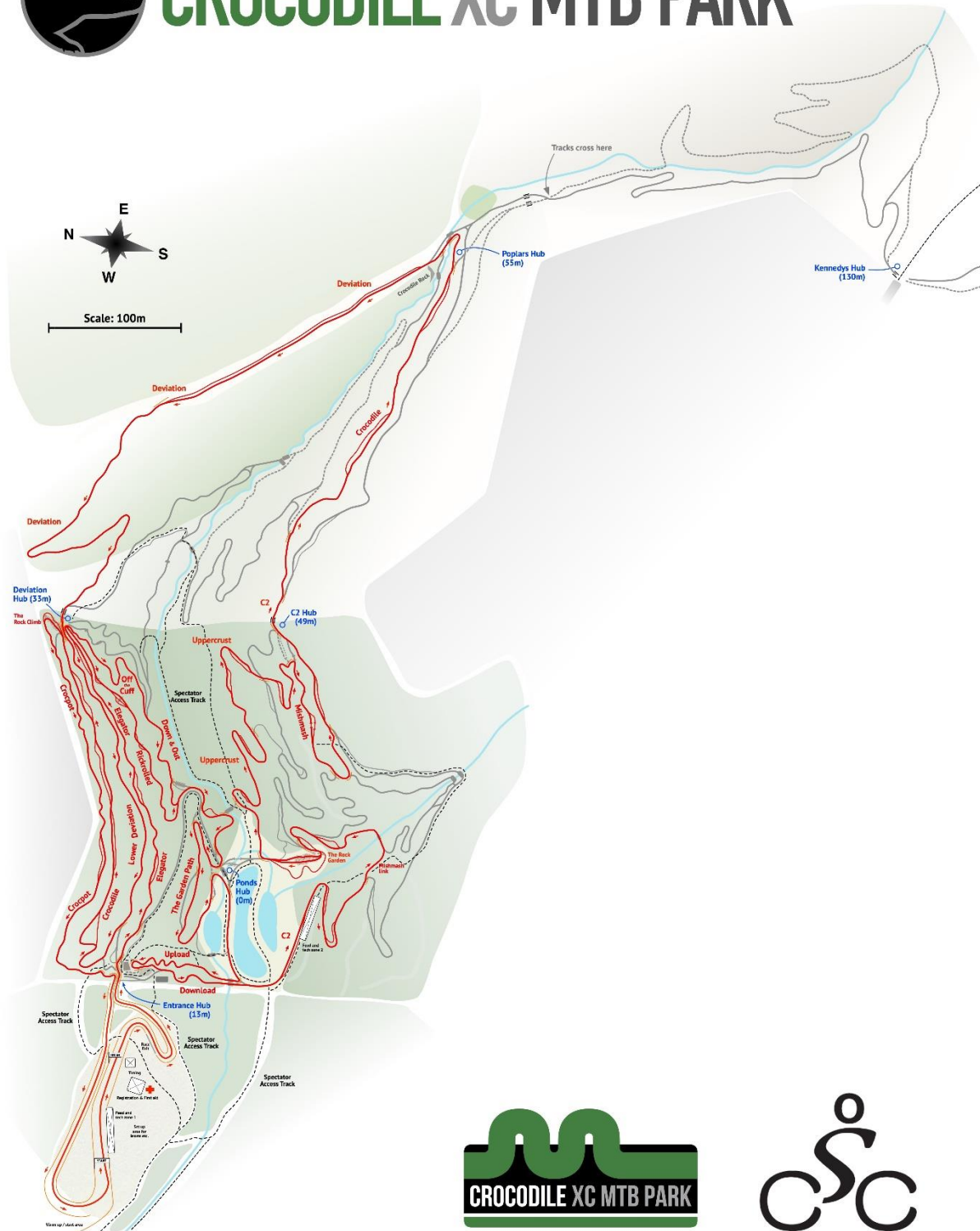
#### **Saturday 21 January 2023 Cross Country**

Venue: Crocodile XC MTB Park  
Cost: \$(INSERT)  
Briefings: Check the noticeboard at the registration tent at practice for any updates or notices. A compulsory race briefing will be held at call up.  
Practice: The course is open at all times outside of other events, but official practice will be on Friday 20 January from 2 – 5. Riders must be registered and have their race number on their bike to show that they are entered during this time. Registration will be available during this time.  
Equipment: as per protection policy  
Course: [Course description](#)

[INSERT MAP](#) include marshal points, first aid points, registration, toilets, food, parking etc.



# CROCODILE XC MTB PARK



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