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Club Standing Supplementary Regulations

Rover Motocross Championship



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REVIEW AND AMENDMENTS

ANY proposed / desired changes to these Championship Regulations must be submitted to the Controllers for approval. The Controllers reserve the right to introduce new Regulations and / or amend existing Regulations with the approval of Motorsport South Africa (MSA).

Amendments and updates to the rules will be recorded in the Amendment Record, detailing the updated version, date of approval of the amendment and a short summary of the amendment. The new version of the rules will be published by MSA at least seven (7) days prior to the next event being held unless a shorter notice period is approved by MSA.

AMENDMENT RECORD

<i>Modified Rule Number</i>	<i>Date Applicable</i>	<i>Date of Publication</i>	<i>Clarifications</i>
3.16	Immediate effect	21.01.2021	Wording added
3.16 e)	Immediate effect	21.01.2021	Wording deleted and added
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All race meetings shall be held under the 2021 Motorsport South Africa (MSA) General Competition Rules (GCR's), Standing Supplementary Regulations (SSR's), these Club Regulations, the event Supplementary Regulations (SR's) issued by the promoters / organisers and any APPLICABLE Circulars of MSA.

1. CONTROLLERS AND CLUB NAME

Club Name: Rover Motorcycle Club
Controllers: Rover Club MX Committee

2. AIM OF THE CHAMPIONSHIP

The Rover Motorcycle Club MX Committee at its sole discretion shall declare the winners of the 2021 Rover Motorcycle Club Motocross Championship in the following bike classes; however, it is entitled to withhold such declaration from any competition, should circumstances warrant such action.

3. CLASSES AND TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

3.1 Junior Support Class

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 4th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 9th birthday occurs.
Please note that the age for female competitors will be from the year of their 4th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 10th birthday occurs.
- b) 2 Stroke air & water cooled not exceeding 52cc, PW 80cc or 4 stroke not exceeding 110cc.
- c) Wheel size - Rear 10" and Front 12"
- d) Non-Championship Class

3.2 MX 50cc

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 4th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 9th birthday occurs.
Please note that the age for female competitors will be from the year of their 4th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 10th birthday occurs.
- b) 50cc 2 Stroke water cooled motorcycles not exceeding 52cc.
- c) Wheel size - Rear 10" and Front 12"
- d) Carburettor size – 19mm as per the motorcycle manufacturer specifications (stock)
No modification allowed to the form or shape of the intake or exit path through the carburettor.

3.3 65cc Support Class

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 7th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 12th birthday occurs.
Please note that the age for female competitors will be from the year of their 7th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 13th birthday occurs.
- b) Clutch lever with gears, motorcycle not to exceed 65cc or 110cc 4 stroke.
- c) Wheel size – Rear 12" and Front 14"
- d) Non-championship class

3.4 85cc Support Class

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 8th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 13th birthday occurs.
Please note that the age for female competitors will be from the year of their 8th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 16th birthday occurs.
- b) Clutch lever with gears, motorcycle not to exceed 85cc 2 stroke or 150cc 4 stroke.
- c) Wheel size - Rear 14" and Front 17"
- d) Non-championship class

3.5 MX 65cc

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 7th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 12th birthday occurs.
Please note that the age for female competitors will be from the year of their 7th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 13th birthday occurs.
- b) 65cc Clutch lever with gears, motorcycle not to exceed 65cc.
- c) Wheel size - Rear 12" and Front 14"

3.6 MX 85cc Junior

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 8th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 13th birthday occurs.
Please note that the age for female competitors will be from the year of their 8th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 16th birthday occurs.
- b) Clutch lever with gears not to exceed 85cc 2 stroke or not to exceed 150cc 4 stroke.
- c) Wheel size – Rear 14" and Front 17"

3.7 MX 85cc Pro Mini

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 10th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 15th birthday occurs.
- b) Clutch lever with gears, motorcycle not to exceed 85cc 2 stroke or not to exceed 150cc 4 stroke.
- c) Wheel size – Rear 14" and Front 17" or Rear 16" and Front 19".

3.8 MX High School

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 13th birthday, to 31 December of the year in which their 18th birthday occurs.
- b) 2 Stroke motorcycles not exceeding 126cc.
- c) Wheel size - Rear 19"/18" and Front 21"

3.9 MX2

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 15th birthday and older.
- b) 125cc – 150cc 2 stroke & 250cc 4 stroke motorcycles.
- c) Wheel size – Rear 19"/18" and Front 21"

3.10 MX1

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 16th birthday and older
- b) 125cc 2 stroke - 300cc 2 stroke & 250cc 4 stroke – 450cc 4 stroke motorcycles
- c) Wheel size - Rear 19"/18" and Front 21"

3.11 MX3

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 30th birthday and older
- b) Wheel Size – Rear 19"/18" and Front 21"
- c) Motorcycles of unrestricted capacity

3.12 MX Enduro

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 15th birthday - 125cc and over (must be competing in Enduro or Offroad locally).
- b) Motorcycles must be an Enduro motorcycle.
- c) Non-championship class

3.13 SNR Support

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 16th birthday and older.
- b) Non-Championship Class
- c) Motorcycles of unrestricted capacity

3.14 VMX Pre Motorcycle 75, 80, 85

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 35th birthday and older.
- b) Only open to motorcycles from pre 1975 up to 1989.
- c) Capacity classes for all of the above vintage groups for 125, 250 and 500 cc motorcycles.

3.15 VMX Motorcycle 90, 95

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 35th birthday and older.
- b) Only open to motorcycles from 1990 to 1995.
- c) Capacity classes for all of the above vintage groups for 125, 250 and 500 cc motorcycles.

3.16 VMX Support

- a) Open to riders from the year of their 45th birthday and older.
- b) Class motorcycle will depend on the year of manufacture and sold before that date (E.g. Pre-75 Vintage Motocross and Enduro motorcycle manufactured and sold before 1975).
- c) The model year as used in the manufacture sales and parts catalogue will apply
- d) Technical regulations for Vintage Motorcycles:
 - Only period after market/ bolt-on products or exact replicas available for the year model may be retrofitted to the motorcycle
 - Street Scrambler motorcycles will qualify to compete in a class below their vintage years and all bolt-on modifications are free. All lights and indicators must be removed. Any other parts may be removed.

- If a year model was manufactured to the same technical specification as the preceding year model it will compete in the same class as the preceding year model.
 - The motorcycle will fall into the same vintage class as the vintage year of any part fitted to the motorcycle if it wasn't manufactured with the part.
 - Side stand must be removed
 - Any commercially available pump fuel, racing fuel or Afgas can be used for air cooled engines.
- e) Eligibility of riders:
 Minimum requirement is a Club MX licence issued by MSA. Minimum requirement is a Social MX licence issued by MSA.
- f) Non-Championship class.

3.17 MX Ladies

- a) Open to female riders from the year of their 13th birthday. These riders can compete on motorcycles not exceeding 125cc 2 stroke.
- b) Open to female riders from the year of the 15th birthday. These riders can compete on motorcycles not exceeding 150cc 2 stroke or 250cc 4 stroke
- c) Wheel size as per manufacturer specifications for the specific motorcycle size.
- d) Eligibility is minimum an MSA club MX licence.

4. COMBINING OF CLASSES

Where classes are combined riders need to choose the class they would like to enter. The combining of the MX 85 Jnr / 125cc classes are prohibited. The following combining is allowed: 65cc / 85cc Jnr and then MX 125 / 85 Pro Mini classes may be combined at the discretion of the COC. VMX classes may also be combined at the discretion of the CoC but riders who enter both classes will need to decide in which class to ride as preference.

5. ELIGIBILITY OF RIDERS

The Club Championship shall only be open to Rover Motorcycle Club Members and only from date of membership. No points scored during the racing year prior to becoming a club member will count towards the Club Championships. All competitors must hold a minimum of a valid MSA Motocross licence with Club status with the exception of competitors who only compete in the Junior Support, 65cc Support, 85cc Support, or Senior Support or VMX Support class who need a minimum of a MSA Motocross licence with Social status.

6. RACE DURATION

Races shall be run over a course with a maximum distance of 800m for Junior Circuits and 1.8km for Senior Circuits. Refer to SSR 240 of the 2021 MSA National Motocross SSR's.

Times:

Junior Support	-	8 min + 1 lap
MX 65cc Support	-	10 min + 1 lap
MX 85cc support	-	10 min + 1 lap
MX 50cc	-	10 min + 1 lap
MX 65cc	-	12 min + 1 lap
MX 85 Jnr	-	15 min + 1 lap
MX 85 Pro Mini	-	15 min + 1 lap

MX High School	-	15 min + 1 lap
MX 1	-	18 min + 1 lap
MX 2	-	16 min + 1 lap
MX 3	-	15 min + 1 lap
VMX (all)	-	10 min + 1 lap
Enduro	-	10 min + 1 lap
Snr Support	-	12 min + 1 lap
MX Ladies	-	12 min + 1 lap

Where classes are combined, the highest runtime will apply. Shortening or lengthening of a class runtime is allowed if approved by the CoC.

7. FUEL

Refer to SSR 255 in the 2021 MSA National Motocross SSR's.

8. SCRUTINEERING

Refer to Motocross SSR 226 in the 2021 MSA National Motocross SSR's.

9. SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

Refer to the SSR 225 and 228 in the 2021 MSA National Motocross SSR's.

10. CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS TO COUNT

The championship will comprise of six (6) rounds. All race dates and heats will count. **If less than six (6) races are run due to Force Majeure, the MX Committee will decide on a fair formulation of a winner per class.** A minimum of three (3) competitors per class is needed to declare class championship; however, the Controllers are entitled to withhold such declaration from any competition, should circumstances warrant such action.

11. COMPETITION NUMBERS

Competition numbers must be displayed in accordance with SSR 221 – 224 of the 2021 MSA National Motocross SSR's and applicable bulletins issued by MSA in ALL regards.

12. POINTS TO SCORE

Refer to SSR 243 in the 2021 MSA National Motocross SSR's. Competing riders who are ineligible for the Club Championship will be ignored for the purpose of scoring Club Championship points. No race will score towards the Club Championship which fails to draw a minimum of three (3) Club members' entries and starters for practice and for the first heat thereof. If a competitor is riding in a higher status event, already participating in the club championship, they will be awarded average points towards the Club Championship to be calculated as an average across all heats raced for the year. The higher tier race needs to be upon invite of MSA and provided that proof of this selection is forwarded to the relevant Regional representative.

13. SEPERATION OF TIES

Refer Art 7 in the 2021 MSA National Motocross SSR's and if this is ineffective Rover Motorcycle Club MX Committee will declare the winners on any basis they may deem fit.

14. ANNOUNCEMENT OF POINTS AWARDED

Scoring for each race will be available for Rover Motorcycle Club Secretary on the Monday following the event. Any objections concerning the scoring must be in writing not later than the Friday following the Monday on which the scoring was available. Announcement of the race winners for prize giving will take place on the day, unless unforeseen circumstances arise, and a 15-minute period for protest of results once the results are displayed will be allowed. Only Rover club members shall acquire points toward the club championship once club membership is fully paid (from payment date). A non-member may enter and ride a Rover club MX race but the non-member race fee will apply but no points will count toward the club championship.

15. DECLARATION OF CHAMPIONSHIP

Rover Motorcycle Club MX Committee as its sole discretion is responsible for declaring the winners of the championship or to withhold such declaration.

16. PENALTIES

Refer to the 2021 GCR Handbook, 2021 MSA National Motocross SSR's and SR for the day's event.

17. PAYMENT AND ENTRIES

Refer to SR's for each race date. Late entries, late payments and late arrivals for documentation will incur penalties. Any objection will be dealt with at the sole discretion of Rover Motorcycle Club MX Committee. Proof of payment must be emailed to the Club. No previous entry from a previous race date or membership at the Club guarantees entry to all races. Online entries on website www.rovermcc.co.za

18. ENTRANT'S LICENCES

Where the entrant is NOT the rider, an entrant's license's must be obtained from MSA and submitted together with the entry form, failing which the Entrant's name will not be published in the programme. All competitors to present licenses at documentation. **No verbal license numbers will be accepted. No license NO RIDE.**

19. RACE CLASS ENTRY

Any rider who enters one race class but rides a race class not entered for will acquire no points for any race on the day in any class. Riders are to ensure that they know the specific classes and enter correctly on Race Control or any other specified means by the administration team. A penalty fee of R500 may apply should any rider not comply. Riders are to be ready in the paddock area at least 10 minutes prior to their race start. Back to back race class needs to be noted to the CoC at any race day to ensure leniency in time to refuel.

20. TROPHIES

- 20.1 Junior Classes will receive trophies for 1st – 3rd and the rest of the competitors will receive finisher medals.
- 20.2 Senior Classes will receive trophies for 1st – 3rd
- 20.3 Non-Championship Classes will receive Certificates or medals.
- 20.4 Should any restrictions be in place for trophies in terms of COVID-19 or any other legislation, this may be converted to certificates.