

## Life Cycles Teams Race 2008: Results

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We were so lucky with the weather!Â We just could not have wished for a better day - cloudless blue sky and light breezes, though the air was cold after an early frost.

There was a large turnout, 82 Teams comprised of 128 riders.Â And it was great to see so many families and young folk taking part.

The MTB tracks were in great condition, thanks to the good people of Bike Taupo.Â The pumice soils are just great at this time of the year, drying off quickly after any rain in the days prior.

Team 57 rider Clive Oakes looks to be happy in this picture!Â

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Thanks to Raewyn Taylor and Life Cycles for sponsorship of this event.Â They provided some great value spot prizes - helmets, computers, pumps and lots of other cycling stuff!Â You should check out their shop at 16 Oruanui Street, Taupo.Â And Raewyn took a major role in running the event, managing the lap scoring system for 4 hours straight.

Husband Kevin Taylor captured some great photos, including this one of Individual Man #26 Brendon Reynolds, "giving it heaps".

Collectively the 128 riders completed 519 laps, which totals up to 4671 kilometers. No wonder you felt tired!

As on the "Score Board" on-the-day, the results below have those people riding singleSpeed bikes shown in with their normal group, but identified with the letters SS.

The leader on the day was Cabin (Mark Leishman) who took first place in the class of Individual Man, and first place overall, and he was riding a singlespeed bike.Â Andrew Bott (second overall) and Patrick Avery (third overall) were not far behind him.Â The leading teams in the categories of Open, College, Mixed, and Family were all just one lap down on these top riders, so clearly there was a good level of skill and fitness amongst the participants.Â And best of all, those riders who took part for the fun and fitness, rather than for glory, all seemed to enjoy the day, based on the smiles and the feedback afterwards.Â Thanks to you all for making it a great day.

The full results are set out below.

Life Cycles Teams Race 2008

Results

Team Number  
Team Name

Team Members  
Class  
Overall Place  
Class Place  
Total Laps Completed  
Finish order after cutoff

17  
Cabin  
Mark Leishman

Indiv Man SS

1  
1  
9  
32  
19  
Andrew Bott

Indiv Man

2  
2  
9  
38  
8  
Patrick Avery

Indiv Man

3  
3  
9  
41  
6  
Dirk Peters

Indiv Man

5  
4  
8  
11  
186  
Garth  
Garth Weinberg  
Indiv Man SS

6

5

8

17

183  
Scott Racing  
Jim McMurray  
Indiv Man SS

12

6

8

33

7  
Jeffrey McDowell

Indiv Man

16

7

8

53

185  
Mike Saunders

Indiv Man SS

17

8

8

55

26  
Brendon Reynolds

Indiv Man

18

9

7

2

184  
Zippy's  
Morgan Wilson  
Indiv Man SS

19

10

7

6

14

Craig MacDonald

Indiv Man

22

11

7

14

13

FCR

Craig Greenwood

Indiv Man

26

12

7

23

1

Darrin Hall

Indiv Man

27

13

7

24

4

David Hudson

Indiv Man

28

14

7

27

23

Bevan Sprat

Indiv Man

33

15

7

49

21

Wally Sanford

Indiv Man

36

16

7

52

28

Greg Knight

Indiv Man

7

29

Bradley Setters

Indiv Man

7

18

Geoff Smith

Indiv Man

42

19

6

3

9

Ken McGavin

Indiv Man

45

20

6

13

25  
Dylan Toms

Indiv Man

48

21

6

19

15  
Ian Jensen

Indiv Man

50

22

6

35

16  
Bruce Jaine

Indiv Man

51

23

6

36

2  
Mike Northcott

Indiv Man

6

3  
Bryce Dickinson

Indiv Man

6

5  
Crunchie  
Craig Donaldson

Indiv Man

6

30  
Alex Fierro

Indiv Man SS

6

31  
Jason Williams

Indiv Man SS

6

10  
Carl Larsen

Indiv Man

5

12  
Reon Forster

Indiv Man

5

22  
Ian Farquha

Indiv Man

5

27  
Glen Hart

Indiv Man

4

11  
Geoff Barclay

Indiv Man

3

24  
Troy Toms

Indiv Man

2

56  
Team Good Times  
Paul, Wade, Zippy  
Open

4

1

8

9

61  
Dollar BW  
Wayne, Craig  
Open

9

2

8

29

59  
Top Gear Cycles  
Mark, Carwyn, Marty, Brad  
Open

13

3

8

40

60  
Avanti Plus  
Jamie, Brent  
Open SS

15

4

8

47

63

Matt & Wozza  
Matt, Warren  
Open

21

5

7

10

62

Barron  
Bevan, Aaron  
Open

25

6

7

22

65

Team S&P  
Paul, Shane

Open

30

7

7

39

58

Mad As  
James, Regan, Kerry, Dan  
Open

37

8

7

54

57

Itchy Dickies  
Clive, Glen

Open

44

9

6

12

64  
Bill's Team  
Bill, Andy  
Open

6

66  
Team James  
James, Simon  
Open

5

91  
SAC Racing  
Sam, Conor  
College

8

1

8

26

92  
JAS Racing  
James, Sam  
College

29

2

7

34

94  
Ruthless Rascals  
Michael, Matt, Isac  
College

43

3

6

4

93  
Ryan & Daniel

College

4

5

108  
JD  
Jon, Dani  
Mixed

11

1

8

31

106  
The Two Dakars  
Bevan, Lynaire  
Mixed

20

2

7

8

107  
Brains & Heidi  
Craig, Nikki  
Mixed

23

3

7

16

109  
Avanti + Hastings  
Mike, Elizabeth  
Mixed

32

4

7

46

111  
2 Mc's  
Faith, Hamish  
Mixed

54

5

6

45

110  
Sure Michelle  
Michelle, David  
Mixed

6

5

122  
Avery  
Maryann, Monique  
Women

14

1

8

43

123  
M & M's  
Emma, Mandy  
Women

31

2

7

44

126  
Sistas  
Mitch, Yvette  
Women

41

3

6

1

125  
Flying Turtles  
Di, Sarah  
Women

47

4

6

18

124  
Can't be that Hard  
Anna, Gillian  
Women

52

5

6

37

121  
Jesse & Laura

Women

6

6

127  
Motuoapa Madness  
Kim, Robyn, Clara  
Women

7

5

7

139  
Bridget Keogan

Indiv Woman

34

1

7

50

141  
Sarah Beadel

Indiv Woman

35

2

7

51

133  
Alexa Peters

Indiv Woman

38

3

7

57

140  
Jenny Loe

Indiv Woman

46

4

6

15

137  
Jo Donaldson

Indiv Woman

49

5

6

25

135  
Pretty 'n' Pink  
Melissa Johnson  
Indiv Woman

53

6

6

42

138  
Nicole Symons

Indiv Woman

56

7

6

56

136  
Nic Leary

Indiv Woman

6

182  
Fiona McGoffin

Indiv Woman SS

6

134  
Jane Saunders

Indiv Woman

4

142  
Jude Marsden

Indiv Woman

4

151  
McDeer  
Nigel, Paul  
Family

7

1

8

21

155  
Camerons  
Brent, Nick  
Family

10

2

8

30

152  
The Kats  
Eddie, Roy, Danie, Darrick  
Family

24

3

7

20

150  
The Fox Racers  
Kerry, Quintin  
Family

55

4

6

48

153  
Braithwaite One  
John, Amy, Ethan  
Family

4

5

154  
Braithwaite Too  
Lynette, Steve, Luke  
Family

4

20  
Matt Grundy

Indiv Boy

6

176  
Kieran Barclay

Indiv Boy <13

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Kids Course

Team Number  
Team Name  
Team Members  
Class

Total Laps Completed

161  
Forrest Runners  
Flynn, Kiann  
Boys <13

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