

2009 Lang Lang Speed Trials Intention to Race Form

Who: Anyone with a human powered vehicle who wants to ride really FAST

When: Easter (April 10-13) 2009

Where: Lang Lang Proving Grounds; About an hour out of Melbourne, on the road to Philip Island.

What: Can you ride? ANYTHING! There are essentially no rules, other than the vehicle must be powered by human power ONLY. The vehicle may have any number of wheels.

WHY: Because we love to ride fast.

OzHPV, the Australian wide association of human powered vehicle users, is planning to run a series of events at the Lang Lang Proving Grounds during Easter 2009 (April 10-13). There are reasonably tight security issues in using the Lang Lang facility, and with this in mind, we need to establish the number of competitors likely to attend the event.

So, if you & your team & vehicle wish to be included in the events, you will need to return this form, along with a \$20 deposit, before February 1, 2009.

Read on...

The Lang Lang proving grounds are located about an hour south east of Melbourne, on the way to Philip Island. The track is a 5km round banked asphalt circuit. You can ride a bike in what is essentially a continuous straight line. The aim of the events over Easter is to break 2 long standing Australian records, and possibly create a few more in the junior & master ranks. The records we are trying to break are the flying 200m record set by Steele Bishop of 84kmh, and the 1 hour record of Ben Goodall, set at 58.3km.

We have access to the track for 4 days, and for more or less the entire day. Generally, the best conditions for riding are early morning, when it's colder, but the wind is typically at it's lowest, or close to sunset, when the day is close to it's warmest, and the wind is starting to ease. But, we can plan to run at any time during the day.

Any number of different types of races may be held; that bit is up to you. If you don't register, you have no say! Register your intent, and tell us what you want to do.

If you fail to register your intent to race, you will not be given access during this time. If you register & the event does not go ahead, you will receive a full refund. If you register & do not race, you will not receive a refund. What will the event cost? We've no idea yet. It's very dependent on how many enter & what events they prefer to compete in. It will be considerably less than the money you will spend getting the vehicles ready! It will be more than \$20, so there will be some more to pay. I'd guess entry will be about \$20 per day.

So, here's where you let us know if you plan to race. Remember; If I don't get this before Jan 1, you will NOT be able to race. Commit now! If you'd like to try a few team members in one vehicle, that's also fine. Put them all on the one form, pay the \$20, and let us know. We just want to find out how many people are seriously interested. It will also impact on our ability to attract sponsorship & thus establish some prizemoney.

Name:.....

Team Name:.....

Vehicle Name & type:.....

Mobile no:.....

Email:.....

OzHPV Member: (Y/N)...

Races interested in (Please circle any you would like to have a go at:)

1 Hour record Flying 200m 1km TT 100km TT 6 Hour record

Other:.....

Please post or email this form to:

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