



March 2019 Newsletter



2019

The first race of the season is in the books, but we are still needing everyone to step up and take an active role to make the next one even better. Our next hosted race is May 4th and 5th. In the meantime there 2 OTHG Nationals that will take place prior to that event, the South National on March 29-31st, and the Sierra National on April 26-28th. Be sure to run the proper background/number color and letter 'R' . Be sure to read OTHG laws and by laws on our new website, renoothg.com. It is up and running and looking good. These races are some of the best races you can go to and compete at.

Our OTHG monthly meeting are held on the first Tuesday of every month at Pizza Plus located Prater/McCarren. Pizza is served at 6:30pm and the meeting starts at 7:00pm. We will see you then.

2019 BMX Spring Series

RD. 1 OTHG @ Fernley
March 16th & 17th

RD. 2 WMX @ Winnemucca
April 6th & 7th

RD. 3 GRMX @ Carlin
April 20th & 21st

RD. 4 OTHG @ Fernley
May 4th & 5th

RD. 5 OTMX @ Fernley
May 11th & 12th

RD. 6 WMX @ Winnemucca
June 1st & 2nd

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2019 National Schedule

RD. 1-South National
March 29-31, 2019
Milestone MX Park

RD. 2-Sierra National
April 26-28, 2019
Oatfield MX Park

RD. 3-Reno National
May 24-26, 2019
Fernley MX

RD. 4-Bay National
August 30-Sept. 1, 2019
Argyll MX

RD. 5-Valley National
October 25-27, 2019
DT1 MX Park



March 2th-3rd and 10th & 11th Work Weekends



After 3 hard days of work on the track and the facility, OTHG Members got to play on the 4th day with other club members and their families.



Troy Decker, 105R, 52+ Nov.



Mike Worrall, 21R, 30+ Int



Danny Martin, 294R, 30+ Exp



Kevin Hargett, 574R, 45+ Exp



Hargett's enjoying a father/son ride! Who wins?



Round 1-BBMX Series

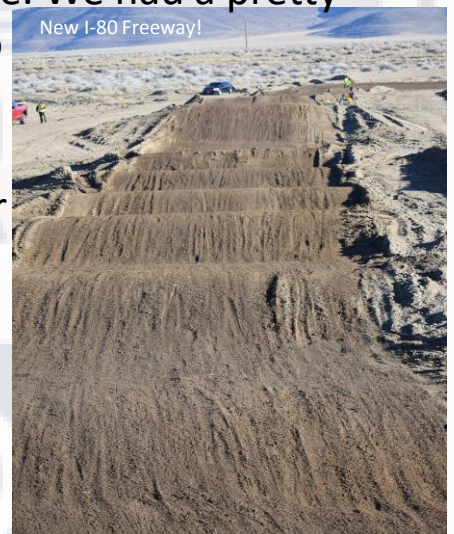
The Reno Chapter had Round 1 of the BBMX Series.

We had a record weekend that saw 400+ show up to ride practice on Saturday and 520 entries on race day (WOW!). Morning started out cold (frozen track), but the day turned out to be a beautiful day for racing. Racing started on time and all 22 motos were finish with plenty of sunlight left. Track got pretty rough both Saturday and Sunday.

With the new classes by BBMX, the only way to gain club race point at the local races is to be part of the club race. We had a pretty good gate with 25 of us lining up. You can check to see how you did on battlebornmx.com. Awesome first race of the 2019 year gang.

Big shout out to everyone that helped out for this race. The weekend would not have been possible without everyone's help. The more people that helps out the easier everyone's job is. Thank you!

See everyone real soon.



Keith Mansfield, 303R, 52+ Nov.



Anthony Fagundes, 222R, 45+ Exp



Mike Smith, 313R, 38+ Nov.



Bob Woebeking, 164R, 45+ Nov
Keith Mansfield, 303R, 52+ Nov.





From the Editor,

I was debating whether to tell this story or not and decided to tell it. On January 27, 2019, I competed at the Oakland Supercross Futures race at the O.co Stadium. I must admit, leading up the event was pretty excited, that was until I got a chance to walk the track on Saturday during the pro qualifier. I started to freak out and started to second guess racing on the next day. The reason, the whoops. OMG. Seeing them on TV and seeing the pros do them make them seem easy. Not the case. They are deep and about ten feet apart.

Sunday rolled around and luckily they took out the first whoop section and then mellowed out the second. Practice came around and the first jump I attempted was the finish line followed by the double where the triple was located. Each time on the track I did a new obstacle and built my confidence. At the end of the day, I can honestly say I had a blast and am looking forward to doing it Again, soon. Who's in with me?
Aaron Bissell/124R



MY "SAND" BOX

Age is just a number. The first part of the year I had many conversations about my age and whether I feel that old. Just for the record I am 46 years old or young, what ever you prefer but I don't feel 46. If it was not for the platinum color hair, I am sure I could tell people that I am in my early 30's (maybe). I know I don't act my age. Most of the time I act like a little kid, especially when I am in a bike store or at a big race watching National caliber riders. The only time I feel my age, and at time older is the Tuesday after a race. Getting out of bed can pose a big problem for me on those long race weekends. I ask myself is it really worth it and the answer is: HELL YEAH. See you at the races. "Racing is life. Anything before or after is just waiting."
Steve McQueen