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THE DOWNHILL STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS RETURNS TO MAYDENA THIS FEBRUARY 24TH – 26TH 2023.

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PARTICIPANT INFORMATION





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UPLIFT PASSES

DH entry includes uplifts for Sunday only. The DH track is open from Friday so a 2-day pass is your best bet to get practice on every day the track is open.

DH Competitors can get a 25% discount on their uplifts for Friday and Saturday by using the code MBPDH23 at checkout.

REGISTRATION

Online registrations for the Maydena Downhill close Friday 17th February 11:59 pm. Late entries will be accepted at the event. Late registrations strictly close at 12pm Saturday 25th February.

WAIVER

Prior to riding in the bike park you'll need to sign our waiver. Sign it online before you arrive to save time at check-in and get riding sooner! You can sign it online HERE

RACE PLATES

Allocation of race plates is undertaken upon the close of online registrations. Riders who register after the close of online registrations will be allocated the next available plate.

AGE CLASSIFICATION

Age categories are determined by the age of the entrant on the 31st of December 2023 (Minimum age 11)

MEDICAL SERVICES

Medical Services will be provided throughout the event by Maydena Bike Patrol Team. Medical staff will be located at the MBP Base and on course.

TIMING

Results can be found at:

https://www.maydenabikepark.com/ maydena-downhill/



HELMET REQUIREMENTS

All riders are expected to always wear a compliant helmet whilst on their bike.

This applies during competition, practice and when commuting to and from their events.

Bicycle helmets that satisfy current Australian or equivalent international standards are compulsory.

SAFETY EQUIPMENT

The AusCycling Technical Regulations require the following safety equipment for Downhill:

- Full-face helmet with a fixed non-detachable mouthpiece;
- A jersey or shirt covering the elbows must be worn as a minimum. 3/4 length jerseys are acceptable;
- Knees must be covered by full-length trousers and/or self-fastening knee or knee/shin guards expressly designed for off-road cycling.

For Under 13/15/17 categories, the following equipment is mandatory at all times whilst on track:

- Full-finger gloves must be worn;
- Full-length jersey jersey must cover elbows at all times:
- Knee pads and elbow pads must be worn.

Maydena strongly recommends the use of the following:

- Back and shoulder protection expressly designed for the purpose;
- Full finger gloves;
- Elbow protectors and/or long sleeve jersey to the wrist;
- Goggles expressly designed for the purpose



STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS DH

RACING DOWN THE PURPOSE-BUILT NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS DOWNHILL COURSE.

This year our infamous downhill track will be host to the 2023 Tasmania State Downhill Championships. Racing down the purpose-built downhill course, this will be Aussie downhill racers only chance this year to ride and race this track.

THE TRAIL

The course combines fast, open speedway sections with wide, off-camber tech. Riders descend 400m in elevation, over a 3-4-minute race run. With the course combining fast, open speedway sections and wide, off-camber technical sections, riders will need to stay sharp to take the win. Test yourself against Australia's best downhill riders on our world-class downhill course!

// INCLUDED WITH ENTRY

- Race Entry
- Uplifts for race day only
- Practice Uplifts on Friday and/or Saturday can be booked with a 25% discount using code MBPDH23

// RACER INFORMATION

- All riders must have a valid AusCycling license
- Riders must complete at least 2 full practice runs to be eligible to race
- Full face helmet and knee pads are mandatory for all racers

// CATEGORIES

MENS | U13, U15, U17, U19, Open (19-29), Masters (30-39), Vet's (40-49), OG's (50+) WOMENS | U13, U15, U17, U19, Open (19-29), Masters (30-39), Vet's (40-49), OG's (50+)





DH TRAIL MAP

RACING DOWN THE PURPOSE-BUILT NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS DOWNHILL COURSE.

The Maydena downhill course wes designed and constructed by Dirt Art specifically for the 2021 & 2022 Downhill National Championships.

The purpose-built course is a culmination of what Maydena has become renowned for in terms of challenging riders with its highly variable terrain.

Starting from the midline, the course begins with a fast flow section, which quickly transitions into a series of steep and technical sections with multiple line choices for racers. The lower half of the track switches gears with faster sections interlinked with a series of larger bike park style features.

The downhill track can be accessed via the two uplift options described below.

// UPLIFT OPTIONS

OPTION 1: MIDLINE DROP-OFF

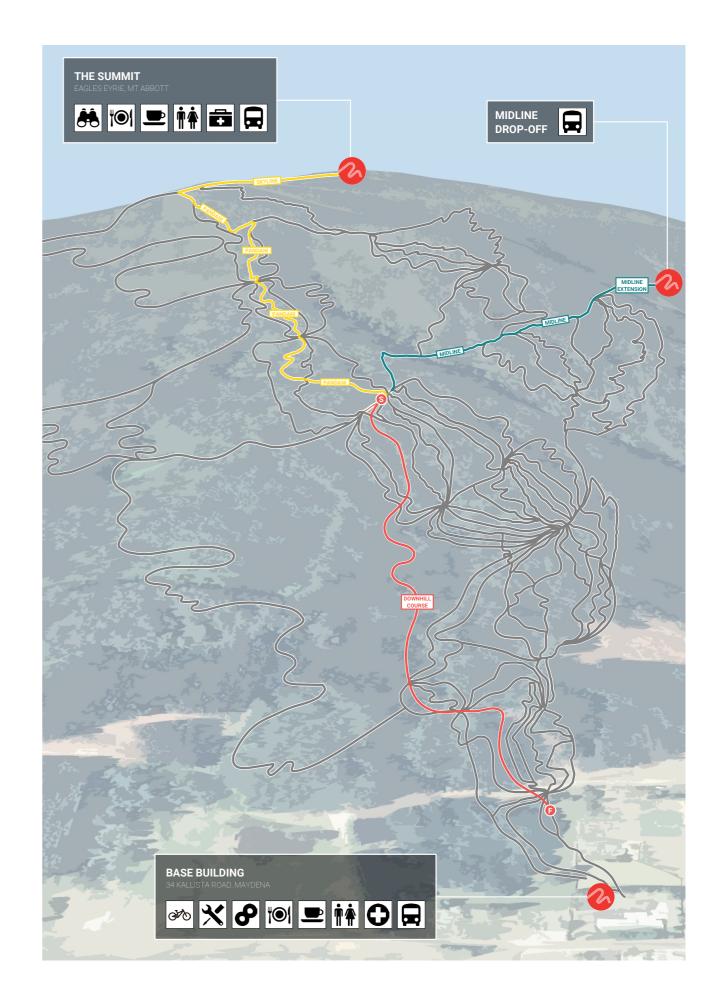
The midline shuttle drop-ff option is the quickest and easiest way to get to the start of the downhill course.

- The duration of the shuttle is approx. half the time of option 2.
- Riders will pedal across the midline trail, which is predominately flat but has some short climbs that are easily negotiated even on a downhill bike.
- Option 1 represents the best option for riders wanting to fit in as many practice laps as possible

OPTION 2: SUMMIT DROP-OFF

The summit drop-off option is the alternate way to get to the start of the downhill course.

- The duration of thge shuttle is significantly longer that option 1 approx. double the time.
- We reccomend riders utilise the Skyline and Pandani trails as the most direct and easiest way to get to the start of the downhill course.
- Option 2 is best suited to riders that want a warm up on descending trails as opposed to pedalling across from midline.





EVENT & VENUE INFO





WORLD-CLASS TRAILS

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OVERVIEW

TRAIL NETWORK CLOSURES

With only minor closures over the weekend the majority of the hill will be open for riders to enjoy.

TRANSPORT

There are a few options for transport from Hobart Airport. Rental cars or shuttles to the park are the most commonly used options.

You can view our preferred partners for shuttles and hire vehicles to the park <u>HERE</u> and you can check out <u>GETTING HERE</u> page.

BIKE SHOP

We will have qualified bike mechanics available all weekend for the event. As well as most replacement parts available in the shop.

If you require special or boutique parts, namely brake pads, please bring spare parts as we may not have all the various brands.

FOOD AND BEVERAGE

There will be a variety of food options out of the Canteen at the bike park, including healthy bowls, pizza and sandwich options.

Not to mention over the course of the weekend we will have various food and beverage specials to enjoy.

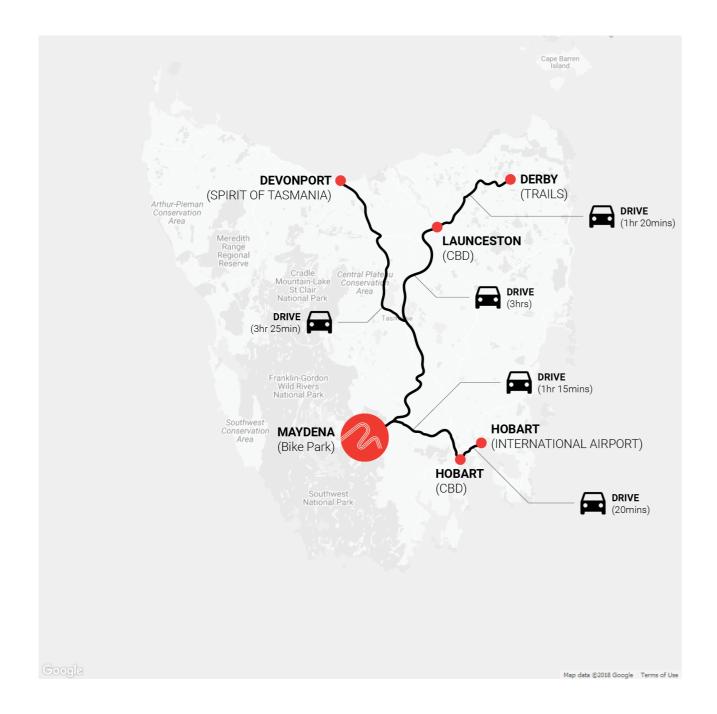
PIT SPACES

Email info@maydenabikepark.com



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MAYDENA BIKE PARK IS LOCATED 1HR 15MIN DRIVE FROM HOBART INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, WHICH HAS VARIOUS FLIGHTS ARRIVING AND DEPARTING DAILY.





FLYING TO HOBART

FLIGHTS ARRIVE AND DEPART DAILY FROM HOBART INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT FROM ALL MAJOR DOMESTIC CARRIERS: VIRGIN AUSTRALIA, QANTAS, JETSTAR, AND TIGERAIR.





SCHEDULE





FRIDAY FEBRUARY 24TH

	START TIME	END TIME
Registration Open	8:30am	4:00pm
State Champs DH Course Walk – Uplifts depart 8am	8:00am	9:30am
Uplifts operational	9:30am	4:00pm
State Champs DH course open – Unofficial Practice	9:30am	4:00pm



SATURDAY DECEMBER 4TH

	START TIME	END TIME
Registration Open	8:30am	
Uplifts operational	9:30am	4:00pm
State Champs DH course open - Official Practice	9:30am	4:00pm

SUNDAY DECEMBER 5TH

	START TIME	END TIME
Plate Pickup – No new entries	8:30am	9:30pm
Uplifts operational	8:30am	4:00pm
State Champs DH course open – Elite Only Practice	8:30am	9:30am
State Champs DH course open – Official practice	9:30am	12:00pm
State Champs DH – Racing	1:00pm	4:00pm
Awards & Aprés @ The Rockshox Beer Garden	4:00pm	



CONTACT US

IF YOU HAVE ANY FURTHER QUESSTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT US.

// DETAILS

GUEST SERVICES





