

Balfour Beatty London Youth Games 2014



RULES: CYCLING BMX

ABOUT THE COMPETITION

DOCUMENT VERSION: 1

i This changes when rules updates are made

COMPETITION DATES: 08-Jun-14
LYG COMPETITION CODE: CYC-BMX

PUBLISH DRAW: Friday 16-May-14

i This date is when the schedule and timing for the day will be published at londonyouthgames.org

COMPETITION FORMAT: The event will use the standard BMX format. Each race is contested by up to 8 riders. In each category riders will compete in 3 "Motos" or qualifying race. Points are awarded for the riders position in each moto to rank all riders in each category.

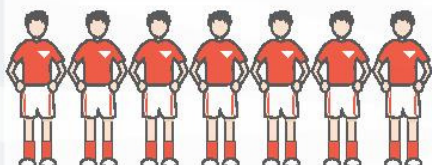
DRAW FORMAT: Depending on the number of entries the riders ranked highest in each medal event will progress to quarter-finals and semi-finals. All riders will participate in a Final (A final = 1st – 8th, B final = 9th – 16th etc) based on their performance in the mot

FINAL POSITIONS: See sports rules overleaf

MEDALS: GOLD-winner, SILVER-2nd place, BRONZE-3rd place. Individual and Team medals awarded. Top female riders will receive medals



WHO IS IT FOR?



Any Licence, minimum grade or standard required? No restriction

For this competition you can bring a squad as follows:

Minimum Squad on Day: 1 Maximum: 12 (4 per event – recommend min 1 female per event)

Alternates Permitted: 2

i Some competitions allow alternates. This is where you can bring a previously un-nominated competitor

Event	Oldest Date of Birth	Youngest Date of Birth	Likely School Year
Senior 18&U	01-Jan-96	31-Dec-06	Year 3 –13
Youth 14&U	01-Jan-00	31-Dec-06	Year 3 – 9
Junior 11&U	01-Jan-03	31-Dec-06	Year 3 – 6

HOW DO I ENTER?

CLOSING DATE: Friday 02-May-14
Competition Type: Open Secondary

Squad Nomination Information:

For open secondary competitions you will need to provide full details of your squad before the closing date so each competitor can be checked and confirmed as eligible. Teams are submitted online. Contact your Borough Team Organiser for online access. Download your squadsheet from your competition pages - londonyouthgames.org/sport

SQUAD NOMINATION FOR OPEN SECONDARY COMPETITIONS:

Minimum Nomination: 1
Maximum: 24 (8 per event – recommend min 1 female per event)

Squad Editing: Yes
19-May to 22-May

i Some competitions permit you to make changes after the closing date Your Borough Team Organiser must approve and submit these where permitted

ENTRY FORM

Name:

Email:

Sport:

School/Borough:

Contact Number:



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WHAT KIT AND EQUIPMENT DO I NEED?

Kit and Equipment: All boroughs provide their own equipment. Competitors must wear protective clothing whilst on the track, including a full-face helmet, gloves, long-sleeve top & bottoms. Only 20" BMX or cruiser bikes are allowed and stunt pegs must be removed. Front brakes must also be removed from the bike. All competitors must have a race number board attached & clearly visible on the front of the bike (provided by borough/individual).

Team Manager Notes: Recommended that Boroughs book practice session at a local BMX track before the competition. Contact joe.mctague@accesssport.co.uk

i Please read ALL the rules below carefully as there may be additional information relevant to kit, equipment and Team Managers below.



SPORT SPECIFIC RULES

The competition will run in accordance with the rules of the British Cycling Federation, including the following:

1. Competitors must live in or go to school in the borough they are representing. To find out your local Borough Team Organiser visit www.londonyouthgames.org/myborough
2. Only 20" BMX bikes or BMX cruiser bikes may be used and must be in safe condition. Stunt pegs, bells and front brakes must be removed.
3. Team managers must register the team during the registration time above.
4. All competitors must wear a full-face helmet, full-finger gloves, a long-sleeve top and trousers.
5. Team Managers are to report to the registration desk before 11am to check-in for the race. Registration is closed after 11am and competitors may risk not competing after this time.
6. No competitor is permitted on the track until their Borough has reported to the registration desk..
7. All competitors must have a race number board attached and clearly visible on the front of the bike. Numbers will be allocated and distributed beforehand. Check the schedule available to download at www.londonyouthgames.org/cyclingBMX
8. Competitors cannot race in more than one event. Competitors can ride up in an older event category.
9. In the event of adverse weather conditions, the circuit may be amended at the discretion of the race organiser should conditions justify it and the organiser's decision will be final. Any rider contravening this rule will be uninsured whilst doing so.
10. All competitors must be covered with BCF third party liability insurance. The insurance will be taken out on your behalf at the cost of approximately £1.50 per participant and will be invoiced to the Borough.

Competition Format:

11. Competitors will be informed which race they are in based on their unique race number. These will be displayed on notice boards on the day.
12. Competitors who miss their start time face disqualification.
13. All events will run simultaneously.
14. Incorrect information provided during nominations can disqualify the team and cause their entire Borough team to receive penalty points. Please check competitor's details.

15. The Competition Director reserves the right to suspend/cancel the event where required by weather/unsafe conditions.

INDIVIDUAL POSITIONS: All riders will receive a points score based on their final position in each medal event. Positions from each medal event are combined for Borough positions. 1st place = 50 pts and follows LYG points. Those placed below 33rd will be

WHERE AND WHEN IS IT?

QUALIFIERS

No separate qualifying days

FINALS

Sunday 08-Jun-14

Merton BMX Track, CR4 1SF
londonyouthgames.org/mertonbmxtrack

Registration Time: 9am TBC

Estimated End of Play: 3.30pm TBC

