

Team manager  
meeting  
Challenge categories



*UEC BMX European Championships  
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## Welcome tot the 2021 UEC BMX EUROPEAN CHALLENGE in Zolder (Belgium)

### Presenting:

- **Marc Wauters (BEL)**                      Organiser Circuit Zolder
- **Luc Willems (BEL)**                      Organiser BMX Zolder
- **Jolanda Polkamp (NED)**                President UEC BMX Commission
- **Wilbert Kerhof (NED)**                President Commissaire Panel
- **Dorien Wijnants (BEL)**                Assistant PCP

- **UEC will livestream the Challenge event on internet**  
[www.uec.ch](http://www.uec.ch)
- **Special attention: a camera man will be filming next to gate**
- **The person with the camera will be instructed not make a movement once the start cadance has begun.**

**In order for a category to be held, at least 9 riders must be pre-registered in that category.**

**Based upon pre-registrations (2 weeks before the event)**

- **Women**
  - *Women 17-24*                      - *37 riders*
  - *Women 25+*                         - *7 riders*
- **Combined classes will not have a split podium ceremony, which means only 1 winner for a combined class**



- Riders receive black bracelets for entrance to the track
- People with accreditation receive an orange bracelet
- Staff have red bracelets
- Saturday entry = yellow / Sunday entry = bleu

- **UEC collects personal information from National Team managers and Chef d'Equipe for event related information only**
- **This information will only be used during the 2021 UEC BMX European Championships to inform coaches and Team Managers of changes or meetings**
- **After the event this data will be deleted according to the EU General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)**

- **Team Manager area during racing : Area next to finish line for all, up to fence behind Staging only TM and Assistant TM**
- **NO TEAM MANAGERS ALLOWED IN STAGING DURING PRACTICE OR RACING**
- **Video analysts can be in both grandstands**
- **Accreditation and bracelets for team managers will grant access to all grandstands**
- **If one of your riders does not plan to start, please inform JS Timing as soon as possible, whether for medical reasons or other reasons**

- UEC will organise a BMX time trial event on Sunday
- Race on Sunday between moto's and 1/8 finals
- A BMX Time trial is a race against the clock with teams of riders of the same nationality and same gender
- A team of riders consists of 3 men, or 3 women
- Categories are Men aged 17 and over;  
Women aged 17 and over
- In a BMX Team Time Trial event riders of a team will start at the same time. The finishing time shall be taken on the 3<sup>rd</sup> rider crossing the finishing line



- **Shorts are allowed, but the shins and knees must be covered with protection to just above the ankle**
- **On board cameras are forbidden during competition. Allowed during practice; only if mounted on bike or helmet visor**
- **Not allowed on the track without the right equipment**
- **All Challenge riders must either wear a clearly visible national flag of their country on both shoulders or the national jersey**

- **For all Challenge categories scrambled seeding is used for the motos**
- **The posting of race information including start lists and results will be done electronically**  
**UEC Website – event page**  
**[www.facebook.com/bmxrace.results](http://www.facebook.com/bmxrace.results) or**  
**Twitter account – @JSTiming**
- **Countries will receive Country moto sheets, collect them from the Copy office on the finish line**
- **Front and side plates provided by the organiser must be used by riders**

- **Properly functioning riders' equipment including bicycles, clothing and safety equipment is the responsibility of the riders, TM, or parents**
- **If a problem with equipment is noticed in staging the rider will be sent away till the problem is fixed. The rider's heat will be put back 10 heats if the rider does not return before their start. We will not wait longer than 10 heats.**
- **If the problem is noticed when the rider is on the top of the start hill:**
  - **During practice: rider can receive an official warning and cannot be allowed back until problem is fixed**
  - **During racing: if a problem is identified when the rider is on the track, he will receive a DNF**
- **It is each rider's responsibility to be in the staging area and on the gate in the correct gate position at the appropriate times**

- **PCP, Technical Delegate and Organiser will monitor the weather conditions and if necessary decide on the present level of risk based on observations and consultation with riders**
- **If weather conditions are unacceptable, the above mentioned people have the authority to immediately suspend activity on the track**
- **Team Managers will always be informed of any changes using the contact information**

- **Medics are situated under the 8m hill**
- **If one of your riders does not plan to start, please inform JS Timing as soon as possible, whether for medical reasons or other reasons**

- **Award ceremony for all classes behind the 8m hill**
- **Trophies for all 8 challenge finalists**
- **All finalists on the podium**
- **Award ceremony for all classes directly after the finals**
- **Riders must present themselves at the podium within 10 minutes after crossing the finish line**
- **Riders must appear at official ceremonies wearing competition clothing. The wearing of caps, hats, helmets, headbands, goggles, sunglasses and all branded material is not allowed**

**Any questions?**

**Thanks for your attendance and  
good luck to everyone**



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