



# MELTDOWN 35



Welcome to RUTS' 35th Meltdown Dual European Scrambles  
We pray that you have a safe and enjoyable race.

2 Corinthians 5:17 Therefore, if any one is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has passed away, behold, the new has come.



## SAT AFTERNOON YOUTH RACE

Utilizes parts of adult Course A

Start, Finish and PITS are all near course A/B Start line, just north-east, 1 mile from sign ups.

Parent waiver must be signed and delivered to signups table



**1:30 pm.** YOUTH race #1 (50cc) will start on 1 line. 3 mile loop, 30-45 minute race. Finish / Start is same place. Live engine

**2:30 pm.** YOUTH race #2 (65cc). 2 Rows, start by class, 1 min apart. 7 miles of race course. 45-60 minute race. Dead engine

**3:30 pm.** YOUTH race #3 (85cc). 2 Rows, start by class, 1 min apart. 7 miles of race course. 60 minute race. Dead engine

**RACE START LOCATION** — Youth course start is down Granite road 1/2 mile Nort East of camp. Youth Race start, finish and Pits are in the same location. Follow the "off color" ribbon from sign ups to the start location, or take the granite road. Same vicinity as last year.

**Youth 50cc is 3 miles long** and full of fun terrain including 2 track and single track. Riders will go around the course in a large clockwise direction loop. Start/Finish/Pit area is all right next to each other. We will give the racers the white flag after approximately 20-25 minutes of racing. Depending on how long the laps are taking. We expect them to be racing between 30-45 minutes total.

**Youth 65cc and 85 course is 7 miles long** . There will be 2 lines of race starts. Lines will start 1 minute apart or less. The Youth course is 7 miles in length using parts of the same course that the fastest guys in the desert use . A rocky Ridgeline drops into a deep sand wash that leads you into the granite boulders. Ride smart lines to avoid getting hung up . Youth course follows A loop all the way into RUTS Hill. 65cc's Do not go over RUTS Hill, take the Alternate AROUND RUTS Hill. 85cc may choose to go over RUTS Hill or take the alternate. Racer will be approximately 45 minutes. There will be two check points on the course. They are FLYING checks. Do not stop.

**CHASE DADS** are allowed on our courses, provided you are wearing an ORANGE day glow vest, available at sign ups. You MUST sign in with our sign ups person (JODY SCOTT) and get a vest to be allowed on the course.

**RAFFLE! LIVE MUSIC! FREE BBQ SAT starts @ 6 pm. Youth Awards @ 7pm Bring chairs and drinks.**

Sunday Chapel at the stage. Free coffee and donuts (7-7:30am). Start your day off right.



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**RIDERS MEETING** — A mandatory riders' meeting will be held 15 minutes prior to each race on the starting lines. Important start, race, and course instructions/markings will be given at that time. Please do not dig a hole with your rear wheel.

**THE START** — Start for the 50's race is LIVE ENGINE. Start for the 65's and the 85's is dead engine.

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### RACE INSTRUCTIONS

- If you break down, stay with your bike. **DO NOT LEAVE THE COURSE!** Wait for help or a sweep rider. If you get hurt or break down on the course, stop the next rider and give him or her your number and club info so we can inform them and send help. There are "stuck stubs" available at signups. Use them!
- **If you do leave the course, be sure to notify home check so we know you are safe and do not spend hours looking for you.**
- Do not ride backwards on the course. There will be spotters throughout the courses. **DO NOT CUT THE COURSE.** Do not follow dust. Stay on the ribbon; it is safer and you won't be DQ'd.

**CHECKS** — All checks are flying checks (do not stop; check workers will record your number when you go by). Make sure your number is displayed clearly. You must be noted at all checks. Please hoot and holler at the check workers as you go by. High fives are a total bonus!

**PITS.** All riders will go through pits right AFTER home check / finish each lap at 15 MPH or slower, there will be NO pit bypass lane.

**COURSE MARKINGS** — Stay within 20 feet of the course markings - that's 20 feet on either side of the ribbon. The course is marked with bright pink ribbon. **Bright orange day-glow cards and down arrows indicate danger.** Pay close attention to the down arrows. The more you see, the more severe the conditions are and the slower and more cautious you need to ride. **Road crossings are marked with bright orange day-glow cards with a big "X" on them.** Use these markings for your own safety and benefit. We want you to have a safe and enjoyable race. Be aware of road crossing signs, look both ways and SLOW down.

**SPECTATOR AREAS** are at the start and finish. Please follow instructions of RUTS volunteers and comply with BLM permit stipulations.

**BE SAFE AND SMART** — **CAMP SPEED LIMIT IS 15 MPH OR LOWER!** Watch out for kids—yours and others. Weeks of preparation have occurred to help make this weekend an enjoyable and safe one, but we still need your help. Let's make this a weekend to remember.

*If your enjoying your race, please hoot and holler at all check points and the finish line.  
Our course workers LOVE to hear you shout. The louder the better!*

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