

UEC BMX COMMISSION

To all European BMX Federations

Dear Friends

With small delay, I would like to inform you about what's going on in European BMX in the next future,

After meeting of UEC BMX Commission at Weiterstadt and Basel on 7th of June 2008,

We included as well results of our discussion by the meetings with Chef d equip, National team couches and riders during the Europeans at Weiterstadt and different proposals from Holland, France, British Cycling, Belgium Danish Federation and Russia concerning General rules, UEC BMX Competition rules, Assignment of races and Information's. Here we made a difference between

General Rules and UEC Competition Rules applicable only for European Championships.

At review to the World Championships at China and big success of European riders (6 Champions and 2 Vice-Champion out of 8 classes) this is sensational and we are all proud for this. For this reason

and after discussion with rider and couches at Weiterstadt we decided to not change the present Competition rules with exception splitting of Classes 30+ to Master and Challenge and 40+ to To split to 40 and 45+ class, this is to discus at the next meeting with all UEC BMX Federations.

But what is new?

- 1.** In the future we adopt again the UEC BMX Convention. The next Convention will be held up at Saturday 18th of October 2008, venue and agenda will com with separate mail end of August 2008.
- 2.** Number of European Championship rounds will be fixed to 12 rounds, with possibility to change if necessary; from 10 till 14 races.
- 3.** As well in the future; no limitation will be made at class 17/24 Challenger.
- 4.** Assignment of races: we will continue our system of placing, but we do enlarge them to Russia,
we confess this problem, but there is no way to avid them, we have as well homework to develop BMX across over the Europe, so we decided to offer our Russia Friends to organise two rounds of European Championships 2011.
- 5.** Chef d equip meeting; No specific meeting for the Trade Team Chefs, they have to refer they National Chef d equips.
- 6.** We will not lead Trade Team registration more. (Low number of them) Each Trade team Have to take contact directly with organizer for they tent place and other affairs.
Organizer may not place the Trade Team at National team area or give them better place or access to the truck as National Teams. National Teams have to have absolutely preferential treatment.
Penalty for organizer for this infraction is 500€ per each event day.
- 7.** Truck Inspector (Ivo Lakuch??) have to be paid by organiser according to UEC reimbursement list (105 € daily and flight)
- 8.** All requested changes on truck by Truck Inspector have to be done. Truck Inspector will standing inform UEC BMX Commission and this will act on time if necessary.
- 9.** Financial: Overall Standing price money paid by UEC will rise at 2009 for 6000€ more.
Price money for each single race (one round) will rise for 2000€ (4000€ per event) paid by Organizer.
- 10.** Deposit as already announced and now confirmed, rise from 2000€ to 5000€ per event.
This have to be paid until November the 1st 2008.
- 11.** Race Entrée fee for the riders stay unchanged as 2008.

12. UEC takes full ownership for distribution of accreditation cards, and will adopt Accreditation card centre for Chef d equips, Team Chefs and UEC UCI officials.

13. In the future, trucks inspection will be mandatory before assignment of races by UEC.

14. At the same weekend and same place as UEC BMX Convention we will organise the course for the International Commissars. It is mandatory for all Federations, organizer of European BMX Championships 2009 and 2010 to send at least one Commissar to this course.

Assignment of European BMX Championship races for 2010 rounds and Finals 2011.

By 9 Bids UEC Director Committee confirm us the following organizer;

Rounds 1/2 France
Rounds 3/4 Italy
Rounds 5/6 Suisse

Rounds 7/8 Germany
Rounds 9/10 Holland
Finals 2011 Holland

Finals 2010 rounds 11/12 as already decide is at NORWAY

Charge book for the BMX European Championship events and changes for 2009 will follow with separate mail to the Organizer

Chef Commissars for all races 2009 are appointed and will be informed with separate mail.

Chef Administrator for all races 2009 is **Mr René Nicolas**
Responsible for the accreditation card centre **Mr Karl Marak**
All event coordination at all affairs **Ilija Kesic**

UEC BMX Commission wish you good Holidays, and our (European) BMX riders the best possible success by Olympic Games.

With kind regards

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