2024 ACU Eastern Solo Enduro Championship

1. Events

All ACU Eastern solo events will be run under Short Course or Hare & Hounds regulations as per the ACU Handbook, unless stated by the organising club in the Supplementary Regs.

2. Eligibility

Open to riders holding a current ACU licence. Minimum age as per ACU Regulations for type of event.

Motocross riders wishing to enter the championship will be graded as follows:

- Expert MX rider: Championship Class
- Top Five Junior MX riders: Championship Class
- 6th to 15th Junior riders: Expert Class

Gradings will be taken from the motocross gradings/positions as of 1" January of the year of the championship. This to take account of any riders upgraded from the previous completed season.

3. Classes

Classes eligible for Solo Championship points shall be:

Championship

This includes a Championship Rookie Class consisting of riders who have been upgraded from Expert to Championship in the previous three seasons where events have been held (2021, 2022 & 2023), plus riders who self-promote to this class. The previous year winner will not be eligible in the current year.

- Expert
- Clubman
- Expert Vets over 40
- Clubman Vets over 40
- Super Vets over 50.

Age Related Classes - Riders must be 40 or over, and 50 or over on 1st January in the Championship year.

4. Entries

Supplementary Regulations must be published in the ACU Eastern Gazette.

5. Machine specifications

Lights to be fitted to machines for all ACU Eastern Enduro Solo Events. However, for events not held on Forestry England land, the organiser can permit a rider to start without lights being fitted but a penalty of 60 seconds per light shall be applied.

The supplementary regs for the event shall state whether MX or enduro tyres are permitted.

6. Calculation of championship points

For each event the calculation of points for overall and all classes will be as follows:

1st 20 points 6th 10 points 11th 5 points 2nd 17 points 7th 9 points 12th 4 points 3rd 15 points 8th 8 points 13th 3 points 4th 13 points 9th 7 points 15th 1 point 15th 1 point

In the case of ties in the results of each day, the competitors concerned will each receive the points for this position i.e. Competitor A -20 points; Competitor B -20 points and Competitor C-15 points.

7. Title

The title of "ACU Eastern Enduro Champion" will be awarded to the best overall performance in the Championship Class.

Winners of the Expert; Clubman; Expert Vets over 40; Clubman Vets over 40; Super Vets over 50, will be acclaimed as 'ACU Eastern (class) Enduro Champions'.

8. Calculation of championship positions

At the conclusion of the series, the winner of each class and the overall title of "ACU Eastern Enduro Champion" will be determined as follows:

- a) 4 rounds all to count.
- b) More than 4 rounds one event to be dropped.
- c) Any rider competing in the last round will not be eligible for championship points if they have not scored points in a previous round.
- d) If the calculation of points in accordance with clause 8(a) subsequently results in a tie the following will take precedence:
 - Driver with the highest number of first places
 - Driver with the highest number of second places etc.

9. Awards

The Centre Annual Trophies will be awarded to the individual champions and may be held by the champion until requested for return by the ACU Eastern; the awards cannot be won outright. ACU Eastern may require a written undertaking to return the trophy when requested. Replicas, for permanent keepsake will be given to the Champions. Should the individual champion not be resident within the ACU Eastern boundaries, the trophy will be engraved with the name of that Champion and may be presented to the winner at the ACU Eastern Function. However, the trophy will be returned immediately that evening to the Centre for safe keeping as it will not be permitted to leave the ACU Eastern boundary.

10. Refusal of Entry

If requested by an organising club, or if they consider it appropriate in the best interests of the sport, the Eastern Centre Competitions Committee may, at their discretion, declare any rider ineligible to compete in any Centre Championship event (of any discipline) where the rider has been the subject of a formal disciplinary enquiry by any part of the ACU and had their competition licence withdrawn for a period of at least six months and/or fined more than £500.