

Fundraiser for Mid Canterbury MTB Club

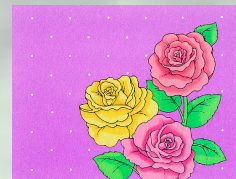
The McDonald's Ashburton 6 hour is the major fundraiser for the Mid Canterbury MTB Club. Each year funds raised have gone back into the development and maintenance of our track which enables club members and the general public to enjoy mountainbiking close to the Ashburton township. Young and old from far and wide spend hours clocking up the ks on the track and support from participants in the 6 hour is greatly appreciated.

The Mid Canterbury MTB Club has also donated funds raised to key groups within our community linked to mountainbiking such as St John, Westpac Rescue Helicopter and Bike Methven. The club has also used funds to support club members in their mountainbiking ventures.

We encourage all keen mountain bikers from the Ashburton area to get their entries in and show visitors to our district just how we roll on a bike here in Mid Canterbury!

We haven't forgotten about the mums!

With the event being held on Mother's Day we are acknowledging all our entrants who are mums with 'roses' on the day. There will also be a special prize draw for any mums who are at the event whether they are riding or supporting. Listen out on race day for information on how to enter and you must be at prizegiving to claim your prize.

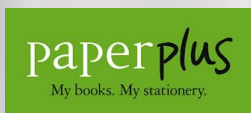


An event for all ages and abilities

The McDonald's Ashburton 6 hour is an event for all ages and abilities and we want everyone to have a fun, safe and enjoyable day. Please remember that as well as the guns and the weekend warriors there will be first timers and kids taking part in the event. To make this an enjoyable day for all please remember the following;

- if you are a slower or less confident rider pull to the left where and when it is safe to do so to let another rider pass
- if you are approaching a rider from behind call out to them, let them know you are there and let them know when you are passing
- if you hear a rider approaching from behind let them know you know they are there and that you will pull over when you can
- when you are being passed, keep looking ahead and keep your feet on the pedals
- no riders are to use personal music devices or headphones while on the track.

Thank you to the following sponsors who have already shown their support of our race. Please show them your support by visiting their websites or businesses.



Remember, get those entries in before 1st May to avoid the late entry fee and all entries must be received by 4th May. Get your entries in at our website

www.midcanterburymtbclub.co.nz

check out and Like our Facebook page www.facebook.com/MidCanterburyMTBClub and support our major sponsor McDonalds Ashburton.

Next newsletter will have important information about registration, the event village and team transitions.

