

Mt Mee (QLD) July 2019



The 3rd weekend in July saw the SOTA road show travel to Mt Mee for their 6th event of the year, how fast is the year going? This event was held at Glen & Wilma Sommerville's beautiful "Ekala" property at Ocean View, Qld. It was probably a slightly below average turnout with numbers in the low 30's, but those that made the trip were blessed with a perfect winters day to ride their bikes and enjoy some sunshine. The terrain at Ekala has a lot on offer from rocky creek beds, dry gullies, steep hill climbs and some man made obstacles. It offers riders a challenging course for Div 6 through to the brain snapping stuff for the red line boys. And that log! I don't know if they come any bigger!

Now to the scores. It was good to welcome some visitors in Div 6 but unfortunately no finishers. Div 5 was taken out by Peter Gately on 9pts. Gavin Norton 34pts and Cliff Luhde 36pts had a close finish in Div 4. Div 3 was taken out by visitor Brad Green. Chris Lyon took out Div 2 on 19pts. As a junior, Jake Long took out Div 1 on 27pts with an impressive ride, Jake your talents are seemingly limitless. Div 0 had 3 entries with Richard Kent, Jayden Daley and Isaac Sommerville getting back on the bike after a lay-off. Richard getting the lollies with a nice ride on just 45pts. See attached score sheet for a full list of placings.

As usual our events would not happen without a team of dedicated people. Thank you firstly and most importantly to Glen & Wilma for the use of their amazing property. Without them it would not be possible. Words alone can't thank Glen enough for how well he prepares his property for us. Thanks to Wilma & Megan for giving up their Sunday to run the score tent. Thanks to the section setters who gave up their Saturday to finish off Glen's hard work and create an enjoyable course. Last but not least, I'm sure I speak on behalf of everyone in thanking Harry (& current HRV plonker plate holder) for his tireless efforts behind the scenes to organize our events.

We can now look forward to returning back to the Overflow near Beaudesert, Qld in few weeks time for the 7th event of the season, so we hope to see another good turnout there.

Cheers
Brad

