

Scottish Student Cycling | MTB Video Challenge

8th March 2021 – 28th March 2021

CHALLENGE INFORMATION

Have you got what it takes to make a sick MTB edit? Well now is the opportunity to showcase both your riding and video editing skills.

Your challenge is simple – to get on your local trails (or urban area) and record your best riding. Whether you want to tackle this individually or as a club, this is an opportunity to display your abilities on two wheels.

There are 5 categories to enter, including Best Overall Video, Biggest Roost and Funniest Blooper. All you need to do is make an edit, upload and submit following the steps below and you are good to go! You can opt to create one video which showcases both your all-round riding, incorporating the categories – or submit a short clip for each category.

After all videos have been submitted, you will all get the chance to vote for the best in each category, in an online voting system. We look to round things off with a Zoom session, to announce the winners of each category and celebrate your riding!

Challenge Period:

8th March 2021 – 28th March 2021

Cost:

Entry is FREE! This means anyone can participate, though you will be winning pride rather than prizes.

Who Can Compete?

Any currently matriculated student enrolled at a Scottish higher/further education institution can compete.

You don't need any experience in video editing, and we encourage cyclists from a non-MTB background to take part.

Entries come in two forms:

- Individual entry
- Club entry



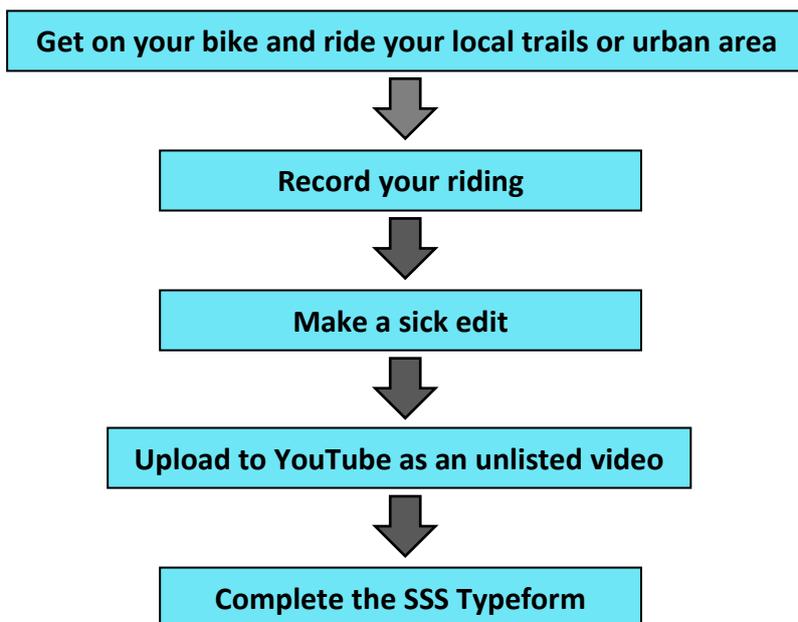
Categories:

Club Categories	Individual Categories	Mixed Categories
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Best Overall Video 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Best Overall Video Best Trick* Biggest Roost* 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Best Riding Funniest Blooper

*If submitting entries for 'Best Trick' and 'Biggest Roost' through a club submission, you must clarify the individual riding. These categories will be judged as an individual entry, not a club entry.

The aim is to feature as many categories in your video. Alternatively, if you only want to enter one category, such as best trick – just submit a short clip.

The Basics:



Video Filming and Editing Pointers:

- Film in landscape when possible
- Please keep the max length of the video to 4 minutes
- If uploading short videos (e.g. Best Trick attempt), please keep these as short as possible
- If you have an iPhone, iPad or Apple Mac then iMovie is a great, free app that you can use to edit videos. Other free apps you can download to edit the videos include: OpenShot, InShot and Kdenlive
- Add some background music to give your video that extra edge!

Video Upload Guidance:

Videos are to be uploaded to YouTube as an 'Unlisted Video'. An unlisted video means, only people who have the link will be able to view the video.

It is encouraged to write a short description on the video upload. Including the following examples:

- Date of filming
- Location/Trail
- Participants and club name
- Music used
- Time points in video of category entries (Trick, Roost and Bloopers) – please use the format of '00:00:21'

A guide to uploading unlisted YouTube videos can be found [HERE](#)

- Once your video has been uploaded to YouTube, please complete the SSS typeform (link below).
- If you have uploaded multiple videos to YouTube, please complete a separate SSS typeform for each upload.

How To Submit Your Video (SSS Typeform):

Please click [HERE](#) to submit your video by 28th March.

Remember, you must complete a separate form for each video you submit

Voting Process/Results:

Once all videos have been submitted, you will all get the chance to vote for the best in each category in an online voting system. The voting will take place between 29th March and 1st April. Keep your eyes peeled for the link going live!

Zoom Showcase Session:

To round out the challenge, we want to celebrate your riding and announce the winners of each category. We are going to run a Zoom Showcase, which all participants (and their fans!) are invited to.

Date: 8th April 2021

Time: 7pm start

Link: Will be emailed out at a later date

Further details to follow!

Covid-19 Guidance:

- As per the recent Scottish Government announcement, you are only allowed to meet up with one other person outdoors in order to exercise.
- Please ensure you remain physically distanced from anyone you encounter on your ride and follow [FACTS](#)

Withdrawal Policy:

If you decide you no longer want your video to be entered in to the competition, you need to notify the Event Organiser (Aaron Johnson) no later than **Sunday 29th March**.

Terms and Conditions:

- By entering this competition, it is assumed you have thoroughly read this Guidance document
- You choose to enter this event at your own risk and no responsibility whatsoever shall be attached to any person involved in the organisation of the event for any injury, accidents, loss or damage suffered
- It is your responsibility to ensure you participate in a safe space for activity and in compliance with all government guidelines

Questions:

Please direct all questions to Aaron Johnson - sss_cycling@hotmail.com

Social Media:

We love to hear your experiences at our events, so please tag us @ScotStuSport on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram! Please also use the hashtag: #ScotStuCycling

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