

GAUTENG CYCLING GAUTENG FIETSRY

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Treasurer: Jaco Olivier

GAUTENGCYCLING COLOURS REGULATIONS 2023

1) OFFICIAL COLOURS, EMBLEM AND APPAREL

The official colours and emblem of Gauteng Cycling arein line with the Gauteng Sports Confederation Provincial Sport Colours regulations.

The official apparel of Gauteng Cycling is in line with the Gauteng Sports Confederation Provincial Sport Colours regulations.

2) **DEFINITIONS**

"Member" means a Provincial Federation or other which is a member of GSC as per article 14 of the constitution of GSC

"Gauteng Cycling" by affiliation is a "Member of GSC" and can award "Member colours" into section 15.8 of the Gauteng Sports Confederation Provincial Sport Colours Regulations:

- 15.8.1. Members are entitled to use their own colours, emblems and insignia which they award and use in their sole discretion. "Member" colours should be used in the case of invitation matches, "B"- and Veteran (Master) sides, "Development" teams competing against other provinces/countries in friendly matches honorary/long service awards, amongst others.
- 15.8.2. No member is allowed to use the GSC Emblem, or any combination thereof as member colours purposes of awarding member colours.

President: Charles Krös Vice President: Jaco Oliver Additional signatory: Eddie Roller

> **<u>Regional Representatives</u>**: Gauteng North: David Labuschagne; Central Gauteng: Zuki Mxoli; Eastern Gauteng: Karen Cox Lewis; Southern Gauteng: Massimo Guglielmi; Western Gauteng: Vacant

EXCO: Road: Peter McGuire; MTB: Paola Damilano; Track: Eddie Roller; Technical: MTB: Vacant - Road & Track: Lynn Stevenson; Para: Vacant; BMX: Clinton Orr; Coaching: Kevin Record; YT&D: Zizi Gantsho; Recreation: Vacant;

Other: Schools Representative:Merita van Wyk; Safety Representative: Craig Bezuidenhout;

15.8.3. "Provincial colours" are reserved for interprovincial participation only and reserved for athletes representing Gauteng in competitions at the highest level consistent with the Academy and High Performance System of the Republic.

"Provincial team(s)"- a team of one or more sportsmen and/or sportswomen selected in terms of an approved selection process to represent Gauteng at the highest level, in a sporting contest involving one or more Province(s)

3) APPLICATION FOR COLOURS

- 3.1 Gauteng Cycling can award Gauteng Provincial Colours subject to meeting the application requirements approved by GSC
- 3.2 Prerequisites:
 - 3.2.1 Road, TT and Track: Only riders in possession of a valid CSA membership with Cycling South Africa and belonging to an affiliated Gauteng Regional Cycling Club shall be eligible for Provincial Colours. Juniors and upwards are also required to be in possession of a valid Domestic Racing Licence.
 - 3.2.2 MTB: Only riders in possession of a valid CSA membership with Cycling South Africa and belonging to an affiliated Gauteng Regional Cycling Club shall be eligible for Provincial Colours. UCI categories (Juniors / Under-23 and Elite) are also required to be in possession of a valid Domestic Racing Licence.
 - 3.2.3 Good sportsmanship and good conduct, both on and off the field of sport.

4) QUALIFYING AGE CATEGORIES PER DISCIPLINE

Although Cycling South Africa award colours only once per category, Provincial colours shall be awarded in every year of selection /participation. For Provincial Colours, the following age categories, as acknowledged by Cycling South Africa, and subject to age categories set out in the national discipline handbookshall qualify:

- 4.1 Age Groups U11-U17 (age 8 16 years at 31 Dec of every year) Junior Colours
- 4.2 Age Group Junior and above (age 17 years and older at 31 Dec of every year) Senior Colours

5) QUALIFICATION PER DISCIPLINE

5.1 ROAD AND TIME TRIAL

- 5.1.1 Qualifying criteria for Provincial:
 - 5.1.1.1 Represent the Gauteng Province in inter-provincial competitions of the required nature and standard as recommended by Gauteng Cycling.
 - 5.1.1.2 Podium at any higher order cycling event (UCI event) including National Championship
 - 1st, 2nd, 3rd- Provincial Colours

Podium at Provincial Championships

- 1st- Provincial Colours
- 5.1.1.3 Selected to represent South Africa, either as National or Federation selection -Provincial Colours
- 5.1.2 The selection process shall be in accordance with team selection policies as published from time to time. The team selection policies must strive to adhere to and be in accordance with:
 - The Gauteng Sports Confederation Provincial Sport Colours Regulations.
 - Cycling South Africa guidelines and policy documents applicable at the time.

5.2 TRACK CYCLING

- 5.2.1 Qualifying criteria for Provincial:
 - 5.2.1.1 Represent the Gauteng Province in inter-provincial competitions of the required nature and standard as recommended by Gauteng Cycling.
 - 5.2.1.2 Podium at any higher order cycling event (UCI event) including National Championship
 - 1st, 2nd, 3rd- Provincial Colours

Podium at Provincial Championships

- 1st- Provincial Colours
- 5.2.1.3 Selected to represent South Africa, either as National or Federation selection -Provincial Colours

- 5.2.2 The selection process shall be in accordance with team selection policies as published from time to time. The team selection policies must strive to adhere to and be in accordance with:
 - The Gauteng Sports Confederation Provincial Sport Colours Regulations.
 - Cycling South Africa guidelines and policy documents applicable at the time.

5.3.MOUNTAIN BIKING (MTB)

5.3.1. Qualifying Age Categories – (Age as of 31 December of every year)

- 5.3.1.1. Nipper Boys & Girls 8yrs 10 yrs
- 5.3.1.2. Sprog Boys & Girls 11yrs & 12 yrs
- 5.3.1.3. Sub Junior Boys & Girls 13yrs & 14 yrs
- 5.3.1.4. Youth Men & Women 15yrs & 16 yrs
- 5.3.1.5. Junior Men & Women 17yrs & 18 yrs
- 5.3.1.6. Under-23 Men & Women 19yrs 22yrs
- 5.3.1.7. Elite Men & Women 23yrs 29yrs
- 5.3.1.8. Sub Veteran Men & Women 30yrs 39yrs
- 5.3.1.9. Veteran Men & Women 40yrs 49yrs
- 5.3.1.10. Masters Men & Women 50yrs 59yrs
- 5.3.1.11. Grand Masters Men & Women 60yrs +

5.3.2. Cross-Country Olympic (XCO)

A rider can be awarded Provincial Colours if selected and represents their province in the official Team at the inter-provincial XCO event, as determined by the National MTB Commission, via one of the qualifications listedbelow:

- 5.3.2.1. Qualification through the Provincial Cycling XCO Series:
 - 5.3.2.1.1. Results will be based off the Provincial XCO Log.
 - 5.3.2.1.2. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial XCO Cup Events. with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
 - 5.3.2.1.3. All races to count.
 - 5.3.2.1.4. No lapped riders.
 - 5.3.2.1.5. Rider's average time cannot be more than 10% from winner's average time.
 - 5.3.2.1.6. Male Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 5 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 3 participants.
 - 5.3.2.1.7. Female, Sprog and Nipper Riders must place as follows:

- Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
- Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 3 participants, OR
- Place first with a minimum of 2 participants.
- 5.3.2.2. Qualification through the Provincial Cycling XCO championship:
 - 5.3.2.2.1. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial Cup Events, with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
 - 5.3.2.2.2. No lapped riders.
 - 5.3.2.2.3. Rider's average time cannot be more than 10% from winner's average time.
 - 5.3.2.2.4. Male Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 5 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 3 participants.
 - 5.3.2.2.5. Female, Sprog and Nipper Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 3 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 2 participants.
- 5.3.2.3. Qualification through the Cycling SA National Series:
 - 5.3.2.3.1. Applicable to Sub Juniors upwards. Sprogs and Nippers are not part of the National Series Log.
 - 5.3.2.3.2. Riders must have competed in 75% of the SA XCO Series (Cups + Champs) and must place in the top 3 of the SA XCO Cup Series Log at the end of the series.
 - 5.3.2.3.3. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial XCO Series (Cups + Champs), with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
- 5.3.2.4. Qualification through selection of a National Team:
 - 5.3.2.4.1. Riders may be awarded Provincial Colours if they have been selected onto a national team for XCO and participated in the event in question.

Notes: Average time is calculated by adding the race times and dividing by the number of races. If a rider takes part in all 4 races, then all 4 race times are added together and divided by 4. If a rider only takes part in 3 races, the race times are added and divided by 3.

5.3.3. Cross-Country Olympic (XCC)

A rider can be awarded Provincial Colours if selected and represents their province in the official Team at the inter-provincial XCC event, as determined by the National MTB Commission, via one of the qualifications listedbelow:

- 5.3.3.1. Qualification through the Provincial Cycling XCC Series:
 - 5.3.3.1.1. Results will be based off the Provincial XCC Log.
 - 5.3.3.1.2. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial XCC Cup Events. with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
 - 5.3.3.1.3. All races to count.
 - 5.3.3.1.4. No lapped riders.
 - 5.3.3.1.5. Rider's average time cannot be more than 10% from winner's average time.
 - 5.3.3.1.6. Male Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 5 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 3 participants.
 - 5.3.3.1.7. Female, Sprog and Nipper Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 3 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 2 participants.
- 5.3.3.2. Qualification through the Provincial Cycling XCC championship:
 - 5.3.3.2.1. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial Cup Events, with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
 - 5.3.3.2.2. No lapped riders.
 - 5.3.3.2.3. Rider's average time cannot be more than 10% from winner's average time.
 - 5.3.3.2.4. Male Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 5 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 3 participants.
 - 5.3.3.2.5. Female, Sprog and Nipper Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 3 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 2 participants.
- 5.3.3.3. Qualification through the Cycling SA National Series:

- 5.3.3.3.1. Applicableonly to Under-23 and Elite.
- 5.3.3.3.2. Riders must have competed in the SA XCC Champs and placed in Top 5.
- 5.3.3.3.3. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial XCC Series (Cups + Champs), with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
- 5.3.3.4. Qualification through selection of a National Team:
 - 5.3.3.4.1. Riders may be awarded Provincial Colours if they have been selected onto a national team for XCC and participated in the event in question.

Notes: Average time is calculated by adding the race times and dividing by the number of races. If a rider takes part in all 4 races, then all 4 race times are added together and divided by 4. If a rider only takes part in 3 races, the race times are added and divided by 3.

5.3.4. Cross-Country Olympic (XCM)

A rider can be awarded Provincial Colours if selected and represents their province in the official Team at the inter-provincial XCM event, as determined by the National MTB Commission, via one of the qualifications listedbelow:

- 5.3.4.1. Qualification through the Provincial Cycling XCM Series:
 - 5.3.4.1.1. Results will be based off the Provincial XCM Log.
 - 5.3.4.1.2. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial XCM Cup Events. with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
 - 5.3.4.1.3. All races to count.
 - 5.3.4.1.4. No lapped riders.
 - 5.3.4.1.5. Rider's time cannot be more than 10% from winner's time.
 - 5.3.4.1.6. Male Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 5 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 3 participants.
 - 5.3.4.1.7. Female, Sprog and Nipper Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 3 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 2 participants.
- 5.3.4.2. Qualification through the Provincial Cycling XCM championship:

- 5.3.4.2.1. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial Cup Events, with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
- 5.3.4.2.2. No lapped riders.
- 5.3.4.2.3. Rider's time cannot be more than 10% from winner's time.
- 5.3.4.2.4. Male Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 5 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 3 participants.
- 5.3.4.2.5. Female, Sprog and Nipper Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 3 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 2 participants.
- 5.3.4.3. Qualification through selection of a National Team:
 - 5.3.4.3.1. Riders may be awarded Provincial Colours if they have been selected onto a national team for XCM and participated in the event in question.

Notes: 10% from winner's time is calculated per event and is not an average over the Series.

5.3.5. Enduro (END)

A rider can be awarded Provincial Colours if selected and represents their province in the official Team at the inter-provincial END event, as determined by the National MTB Commission, via one of the qualifications listedbelow:

- 5.3.5.1. Qualification through the Provincial Cycling END Series:
 - 5.3.5.1.1. Results will be based off the Provincial END Log.
 - 5.3.5.1.2. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial END Cup Events. with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
 - 5.3.5.1.3. All races to count.
 - 5.3.5.1.4. No lapped riders.
 - 5.3.5.1.5. Rider's time cannot be more than 5% from winner's time.
 - 5.3.5.1.6. Male Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 5 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 3 participants.
 - 5.3.5.1.7. Female, Sprog and Nipper Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR

- Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 3 participants, OR
- Place first with a minimum of 2 participants.
- 5.3.5.2. Qualification through the Provincial Cycling END championship:
 - 5.3.5.2.1. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial Cup Events, with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
 - 5.3.5.2.2. No lapped riders.
 - 5.3.5.2.3. Rider's time cannot be more than 5% from winner's time.
 - 5.3.5.2.4. Male Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 5 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 3 participants.
 - 5.3.5.2.5. Female, Sprog and Nipper Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 3 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 2 participants.
- 5.3.5.3. Qualification through the Cycling SA National Series:
 - 5.3.5.3.1. Applicable to Sub Juniors upwards. Sprogs and Nippers are not part of the National Series Log.
 - 5.3.5.3.2. Riders must have competed in 75% of the SA END Series (Cups + Champs) and must place in the top 3 of the SA END Cup Series Log at the end of the series.
 - 5.3.5.3.3. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial END Series (Cups + Champs), with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
- 5.3.5.4. Qualification through selection of a National Team:
 - 5.3.5.4.1. Riders may be awarded Provincial Colours if they have been selected onto a national team for END and participated in the event in question.

Notes: 5% from winner's time is calculated per event and is not an average over the Series.

5.3.6. Downhill (DHI)

A rider can be awarded Provincial Colours if selected and represents their province in the official Team at the inter-provincial DHI event, as determined by the National MTB Commission, via one of the qualifications listedbelow:

- 5.3.6.1. Qualification through the Provincial Cycling DHI Series:
 - 5.3.6.1.1. Results will be based off the Provincial DHI Log.
 - 5.3.6.1.2. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial DHI Cup Events. with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
 - 5.3.6.1.3. All races to count.
 - 5.3.6.1.4. No lapped riders.
 - 5.3.6.1.5. Rider's time cannot be more than 5% from winner's time.
 - 5.3.6.1.6. Male Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 5 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 3 participants.
 - 5.3.6.1.7. Female, Sprog and Nipper Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 3 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 2 participants.
- 5.3.6.2. Qualification through the Provincial Cycling DHI championship:
 - 5.3.6.2.1. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial Cup Events, with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).
 - 5.3.6.2.2. No lapped riders.
 - 5.3.6.2.3. Rider's time cannot be more than 5% from winner's time.
 - 5.3.6.2.4. Male Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 5 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 3 participants.
 - 5.3.6.2.5. Female, Sprog and Nipper Riders must place as follows:
 - Place in the top 3 with a minimum of 4 participants, OR
 - Place in the top 2 with a minimum of 3 participants, OR
 - Place first with a minimum of 2 participants.
- 5.3.6.3. Qualification through the Cycling SA National Series:
 - 5.3.7.3.1. Applicable to Sub Juniors upwards. Sprogs and Nippers are not part of the National Series Log.
 - 5.3.7.3.2. Riders must have competed in 75% of the SA DHI Series (Cups + Champs) and must place in the top 3 of the SA DHI Cup Series Log at the DHI of the series.
 - 5.3.7.3.3. Riders must have competed in 75% of the Provincial DHI Series (Cups + Champs), with the exception of UCI categories (analysed on

an individual basis based on their performance on the national and international circuits).

- 5.3.6.4. Qualification through selection of a National Team:
 - 5.3.6.4.1. Riders may be awarded Provincial Colours if they have been selected onto a national team for DHI and participated in the event in question.

Notes: 5% from winner's time is calculated per event and is not an average over the Series.

5.3.7. Selection Races per Discipline

- 5.3.7.1. Onus is on the rider to ascertain that they participate in the required selection races in each discipline.
- 5.3.7.2. The required races may vary owing to circumstances beyond the control of Gauteng Cycling. Onus is on the rider to remain informed of any changes. Notices will be posted on the Gauteng Cycling MTB and Gravity Telegram Groups.
- 5.3.7.3. All information pertaining to all the events, will be posted on the Gauteng Cycling MTB and Gravity Telegram Groups. Onus is on the rider to join these groups and to remain informed.
- 5.3.7.4. Venues to be confirmed closer to event date.

GC XCO Series

#1 : 18 Feb #2 : 18 Mar #3 : 22 Apr #4 : 13 May Champs : 3 Jun

GX XCC Series

#1 : 9 Aug #2 : 26 Aug #3 : 16 Sep #4 : 14 Oct Champs : 28 Oct

GC XCM Series

#1 : 22 Jan – Summer Fast One
#2 : 10 Jun – TrailseekerSondela
#3 : 1 Jul – Trailseeker Van Gaalen
#4 : 16 Jul – Winter Fast One
Champs : 3 Sep – Spring Fast One

GC END Series

#1 : Sunday 19 Feb + SA Cup #1 – Thaba Trails
#2 : Sunday 7 May
#3 : Sunday 18 Jun
#4 : Sunday 9 Jul
Champs : Sunday 6 Aug

GC DHI Series (events in KZN due to lack of DHI trails in Gauteng)

#1: 4 & 5 Feb – Cascades, Pietermaritzburg
#2: 1 & 2 April – Giba
#3 & Champs: 6 & 7 May – St. Ives

5.4.BMX

- 5.4.1. A rider must represent Gauteng Province at one of the Inter-Provincial Championship events.
- 5.4.2. Inter-Provincial Championships are run simultaneously with the SA Cup Legs 2, 5, and 7. The Gauteng Commission will enter two (2) teams of eight (8) riders each. A total of sixteen (16) riders.
- 5.4.3. The rider must Place in the overall top 25% in his/her age group in the SA Cup Series at the end of the series.
- 5.4.4. The Commission will select riders based on their overall performance throughout the season.
- 5.4.5. Riders will be informed of their selection, prior to the event.
- 5.4.6. In addition to the above, a rider must Place in the overall top 25% in his/her age group in the Gauteng Provincial Series.
 - 5.4.6.1. The Gauteng Provincial Series will comprise of sixteen (16) races as indicated on the 2023 Racing Calendar.
 - 5.4.6.2. To qualify for the Gauteng Provincial Series, a rider must compete in at least eight (8) of the sixteen (16) events.
 - 5.4.6.3. The best scoring thirteen (13) legs of the sixteen (16) legs of each will serve as the final standing, of the thirteen (13) events a rider must attend at least:
 - Three (3) Alrode BMX Club Events
 - Three (3) Cradle BMX Club Events
 - Three (3) Kempton BMX Club Events
 - Three (3) Eduplex BMX Club Events

And an additional event at any BMX Club of the rider's choice.

- 5.4.6.4. Points are scored for the three (3) moto's and the final of each of the sixteen (16) legs.
- 5.4.6.5. Gauteng Provincial Series Points will be awarded as such:

GAUTENG PROVINCIAL SERIES – ALL CLASSES POINTS					
ΜΟΤΟ'S		FINALS			
Position	Points	Position	Points		
1 st place	100	1 st place	200		
2 nd place	90	2 nd place	180		
3 rd place	80	3 rd place	160		
4 th place	75	4 th place	150		
5 th place	70	5 th place	140		

6 th place	65	6 th place	130
7 th place	60	7 th place	120
8 th place	55	8 th place	110

6) Technical Staff and Officials:

6.1 Provincial Colours or Certificate of Recognition may be awarded to athletes, technical staff and other officials subject to an appropriate motivation and according to the rules of the Gauteng Sport Confederation Provincial Sport Colours Regulations.

7) Approval of Policy

President:	Charles Kros	Hor
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TRACK Commisioner	Steven Dike	Astron
BMX Commissioner	Justin Wheeler	JUheeler
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