

MID COLUMBIA WATER CROSS NEWSLETTER

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We are pleased to announce our 2005 racing season schedule. This year has dramatic changes from the IJSBA. We added some classes, took away some classes, and even combined some classes. They even lowered the age of racing. We believe this is a step forward in our sport. Contact the IJSBA at 714-751-8695 or their website: www.ijsba.com for official information.

We take pride in announcing our schedule early for the racers. It gives everyone time to prepare. Our first race will be one you will want to prepare for. It is the Western States Cup. This series will consist of 3 races in three different regions. Region 1, Region 2, and Region 3. For more information: www.westernstatescup.com

Round I-WSC-April 23rd and 24th, 2005 will be held by Everclear Promotions. Aaron Boatman is the promoter for Region 1. This will be a kickoff to three rounds of an exciting and prestigious West Coast Tour. It will be held at Granada St. /Long Beach, CA. What a great way to start the season. For more information Everclear Promotions: fax# (928)680-9415 or www.everclearpromotions.com.

Round II-WSC-June 18th and 19th Will be held by Mid Columbia Water Cross. Kevin Redinger is the promoter for Region 3. This event will be held at the prestigious and beautiful Howard Amon Park in Richland, Wa. The water is rough, the course is tight, and the competition cannot be beat. For more information: Mid Columbia Water Cross: (509)575-0745 or www.midcolumbiawatercross.com

Round III-WSC- July 29th-31st This event will be held by Pacific Coast Entertainment. Evan Kilkus is the promoter for this Region 2 event. It will be held at the Water Front Festival in Benicia, CA. For more information contact: PCE (415) 497-8621 or www.PacificWatercross.com

The Western States Cup will be one of the greatest events on the West Coast. Racers, friends, family, and spectators will be traveling from all of the West Coast to either participate or spectate.

Mid Columbia Water Cross's schedule for 2005:

JUNE 18TH & 19TH ROUND II WSC HOWARD AMON PARK
JULY 16TH & 17TH HOWARD AMON PARK
SEPT. 10TH & 11TH WASHINGTON STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS
LAKE TAPPS, SUMNER, WA

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Round II Western States Cup will also be a World Finals Qualifying race. Some qualifying classes may not be offered at this event due to time restraints and scheduling. Please watch our website for more information. There will be cash payback and series cup trophies to the champions.

We are incredibly excited that Mid Columbia Water Cross and its very competitive Region 3 racers will be included in the Western States Cup this year. We encourage all racers to attend as many rounds as possible and to bring home as many Cups as possible.

The format for the Western States Cup will be as follows: a 3 moto system, moto I on Saturday, and motos II and III on Sunday (subject to change). This is a single round event held over two days.

The 2005 Summer Cup Championships will be two rounds of racing held over two days. This race is a WFQ as well. There will be awards handed out for the overall champions on this weekend.

The 2005 Washington State Championships, we are proud to announce, will be held at Lake Tapps in Sumner, WA. This will be a one-day only event and is a non qualifying event. Due to time restraints there will be a reduced class structure. Class to be announced. And do not forget the 28th annual **HARVEY'S CUP** and the 3rd annual conversion race.

Please take the time to visit our new and improved website. If there is any information or notifications that you would like to see listed there please let us know. This website is for everyone to use and enjoy. We encourage you to contribute information to this site. We would also like to thank Christopher Riley (Jetskinews.com) and Joe Mc Laughlin for setting up this site for us.

Mid Columbia Water Cross is a USWRA sanctioned promoter for 2005. If you are planning on attending the Western States Cup events in California, note these are both APBA sanctioned events. Be prepared to purchase an APBA membership, possibly at a discounted rate??? For more information, please contact www.uswra.com or the www.apbaracing.com. The USWRA offers a rider profile information, we encourage everyone to participate and send in your information.

Spring is just around the corner. We look forward to a fun and exciting race season. Look for flyers and entry forms soon. We at Mid Columbia Water Cross, are open to any and all suggestions that may enhance our promoting of this sport. We encourage all racers to be involved in the growth of this sport.