



# GVVA Track Challenge Schedule

**Friday and Saturday May 6<sup>th</sup>, and 7<sup>th</sup>,  
2022**

We have designed this schedule to be a fun event.

**Categories:** A, B, C and D. We will attempt to place riders of similar abilities in the same category. Depending on numbers we may wish to combine categories.

**Race order:** will be run in the following order: D then C then B then A

**Omnium Events\*:** Riders must participate in every Omnium event to be eligible for Omnium rankings (*Scratch Race, Tempo, Elimination, and Points Race*).

**Registration** on-line at [GVVA.ca](http://GVVA.ca)

## Friday Evening

5:00 pm – Pick up race number, confirm events

6:00 pm Racing Begins – Friday evening will be team events. If you don't have one then we will make one up.

**Team Sprint** - 3 riders (3 laps A and B, or 1.5 laps C and D).

**Italian Pursuit** - Teams of 6 riders, mixed teams of 1-3 C, 1-3 B, 1-2 A. Same concept as team sprint, with riders doing their 1/2 lap on the front and then retiring from the race. If we have odd numbers, we can make it 3.5 laps (teams of 7)

**Team Pursuit** – Teams of 4 riders. (A 12 laps, B 9 laps, C 6 laps, D 3 laps) – challenges between teams or younger teams against individuals, can be arranged!

**Derny Race** – Open. Pairs of two riders made up of a lead rider (A or B) who will act as the “derny” followed by a C rider. 20 laps

## Saturday

**9:00 am – 10:00 am: Registration open / Track available for warm up**

**10:00 am** Racing Starts:

**Flying 200 Meter Time Trial** D / C / B / A - 2.5 laps, timed on the final 200 meters. Starting from the back straight.

We will use flying 200 for seeding the Keirin and match sprint events and possibly for adjusting participants in A, B, C and D categories.

For the sprint tournament, 4 riders will be grouped together with the closest times. Within each group of 4, 1 verses 3 and 2 verses 4. Then, winners face each other and losers race each other. Every rider will get two match sprints facing different riders. All riders will be entered into the keirin unless they chose not to.

**Keirin Finals** - D / C / B / A – Riders will be grouped according to their flying 200 time. All riders will be entered in the Keirin heats unless they chose not to. Riders will do only one keirin. 6 laps, 4 behind the Derny then two more to the finish line.

**Time Trial** - D (1 lap), C 500 meters (1.5 laps), B and A 1000 meters (kilo or 3 laps). There will be allowance for adjusting distances ie A and B who are masters or women can ride their normal distances of 500 meters.

**Scratch Race\*** - D (6 laps) and C (10 laps) / B (20 laps) / A (30 laps)

**Tempo\*** - D (8 laps) / C (10 laps) / B (20 laps) / A (30 laps)

## **Break**

**Match Sprints** – first round

**Match Sprints** – 2<sup>nd</sup> round

**Elimination\*** C/B/A – elimination every lap

**Points Race \*** D (12 laps) / C (24 laps) / B (36 laps) / A (42 laps)

**Colwood Crawl** – to end the day's racing on an easy one. All riders start and move slowly around the track, 1 to 3 minute unknown start time for a one lap race. Riders who cross the start line before the start or who fall, put their foot down, back up or lean against the rail are eliminated.