

Race update

The past few weeks have been jam packed with racing for the Racer's Edge/GT team. The team has been all over the map, racing from Connecticut to Virginia, Pittsburgh to central Maryland and everywhere in between.

April 16-18, the team went to Howell, NJ for the NBL regional. With 13 riders present, Racer's Edge scored fourth in the team competition.

The following weekend the team had riders present at Chesapeake BMX (Severn, Md.), Hagerstown BMX (Md.) Trumbull BMX (Ct.), South Park BMX (Pittsburgh) and West Mooreland BMX (Pittsburgh), just to name a few.

May 1st marked the kick off of the downhill season at Massanutten, Va. The team only had three riders in attendance and managed to land two of them on the podium. Kevin Liebig took fourth in the 30-39 expert class and Phil Cook grabbed third in the 40-49 expert.

May 2nd was another day of BMX locals. Mike Hartlove, Don Hampton and their families, all met up with Lars Tribus at Trilogy Park BMX in Pottstown, Pa. The Bell's, Jefferson's, Hummel's, and Bryan's gathered at South Park and West Mooreland. The Kuehn's rallied at Trumbull and Torrington and the Holda's at Chesapeake. Each were getting some valuable practice for the up-coming National at Woodbridge, Va.

May 7th, the team invaded NOVA BMX for the NBL Freedom National. With more than 25 members present, the team was out to make their presence known and did so with style. On Saturday, Christi Hartlove, Mike Hummel and Chris Bryan all scored perfects and the team would end up finishing third overall. On Sunday, Anthony Jefferson would join the others with another perfect score as the team tied for first place!

Adding to a great weekend, the team picked up several new riders, including the Harney family from Winchester, Va. and Heather Havens (national #1 25-29 Cruiser) from New Jersey.

As always, huge thanks go out to all of our sponsors: GT, Atomlab, THE, Speedesign, Sinz, EVS, DH Productions, SDG, Answer BMX, Fly Racing, Intense Tyres, and Hot Shoppe Design Factory. Thanks also to BMX team photographer, Marty Wastler for all the great pics.

Stay tuned to www.RacersEdgeOnline.com for more information. Next big races are: NBL National at Pottstown, Pa. May 28-30 and US Open of Mountain Biking the same weekend at Mountain Creek in Vernon, NJ. Hope to see you there.