X-12 Hillclimb PRO Rules

- 1. A rider's meeting will be held prior to each event.
- 2. All race bikes are parked in the pit area. No play riding in the pits. PLEASE keep your kids under control. We are running out of patience with kids on minis endlessly pit riding, racing around spinning donuts and creating needless dust clouds, and we have the right to ask people to leave if they don't take care of it. Please don't roar around needlessly in 4-wheelers or side-by-sides either. Using them to get to the starting line or your truck is fine, but this is a hillclimb, NOT King of the Hammers!
- 3. No competitors or spectators on the hill during the event.
- 4. Pro Classes are as follows:
- a) 600 Pro-Altered Knobby Tire (minimum 16 years of age)
- b) 450 Pro-Modified (minimum 15 years of age)
- c) 0-700 Exhibition (minimum 16 years of age)
- d) Open Exhibition (minimum 16 years of age)
- e) 40+Pro-Master (0-700 Exhibition Rules apply) (minimum 40 years old)
- f) 450cc X-Climb (must qualify from 450 Pro-Modified class) (recommend hand guards) Goggles mandatory. Number of contestants to be determined at each event.
- 5. Protective Gear Mandatory Helmet, long pants, Jersey (long sleeved), Boots & Chest Protector and must be worn by all pro-class athletes. All competition bikes must have a dead-man kill switch with maximum 18" cord and one brake. It is Mandatory that all equipment be in good working order.
- 6. Absolutely NO class jumping.
- 7. NO bike switching or rider switching.
- 8. One rider per bike. One bike per class.
- 9. There must be 20 bikes in staging at all times. Mechanical Rule: Each athlete can have one 20-minute mechanical per Weekend. You must communicate your situation with the designated staging area official. Failure to communicate your situation will result in the loss of your ride. Any hint that your mechanical is based on letting the hill conditions change, will result in disqualification for the entire event.
- 10. If you hold up the hill for more than 30 seconds your ride won't count.

- 11. If you break the timing light beam at the bottom of the hill, it is considered a ride. If you jump the timer you will be given a footage at the timer, no re-rides.
- 12. Two attempts is considered a ride. If you remove the flag and leave the post that will be considered out of bounds.
- 13. Bikes must run a number on their front number plate.
- 14. If a rider has a "non-repairable" failure with his bike and there is another qualifying bike that is not being ridden in that class and with approval from a board member, that rider could ride the other bike. This decision would have to be made prior to the beginning of the class and could be ridden with someone else's number.
- 15. Footage will be taken off of the front wheel.
- 16. The rider must have one hand of the handlebars when going over the hill and through the timer for a successful attempt. Two feet on the ground on one side of the bike is considered the end of the ride. Footage will be marked at that point. If a rider jumps the timer they will be given a full footage and no re-ride per Referee's determination.
- 17. In case of a tie on 2 or more bikes best run, the other run will be the tie breaker. No run-offs unless both runs for both bikes are the same.

600 Pro-Altered Only Rules:

- -Wheelbase length (axle to axle) for 600 Pro class is limited to a maximum of 66". No 250, 300, 380 two-stroke no 450, 400, 426 or 450 big bore bikes allowed in the 600 class. The 600 class is for old school 490-600, 2-stroke singles, and 4-cylinder 600's. All single cylinders must be 2006 or older, 4-cylinder bikes can be any year.
- -You can subtract from a knobby tire, paddles are okay. Steel is okay.
- -Nitro is OKAY, as is NOS. Ethel, regular gasoline and approved race gas are fine as well.
- -You must be 16-years old to compete in the 490-600 Pro-Altered class.
- -Engines for the Pro-Altered classes must be naturally aspirated (i.e. turbo or blowers are not allowed)

450 Pro-Modified Only Rules:

- -Engines cannot exceed 450cc; must be a current OEM model 4-stroke or 2-stroke up to 480cc. Motorcycles in the 450 pro class must be naturally aspirated.
- -Engine modifications must meet AMA SuperCross rules & regulations.

- -Any length swing arm and rubber paddle tires are okay. No Steel is allowed in this class. Rubber paddles or knobbies with material removed is okay.
- -Nitrous bottles must be removed.
- -To file a protest: The competitor must submit the protest in writing and
- -You must be entered in the class to protest another athlete or bike.
- -Engines for the Pro-Modified classes must be naturally aspirated (i.e. turbo or blowers are not allowed).
- -Money winners may be subjected to a "cc" verification and fuel specific gravity testing.
- -You must be 15-years old to compete in the Pro-Modified class.
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700 & Open Exhibition Only Rules:

- -Exhibition Classes must have no more or no less than 2 wheels any length swing arm is permitted. Chains, studded tires, bolted tires, metal paddles of any kind are now allowed.
- -Rubber Knobby, or Rubber Paddles are fine and, <u>NEW for 2025: steel</u> paddles, chains and bolts are okay, as long as a steel safety fender is <u>used</u>.
- -Race gas, Methanol and Nitrous are acceptable fuels. **NEW for 2025**: Nitro Methane is now OKAY also.
- -You must be 16-years old to compete in any class except 450.
- 22. Three (3) number plates with the rider's number are MANDATORY.
- 23. No alcoholic beverages are allowed in the pit area during the event.
- 24. If the timing lights fail to record your time; you will have the opportunity for a re-ride. After the Re-ride you will receive either the slowest time of the class or the time of your re-ride, whichever is faster. If your time was missed, you will have 20 minutes to make your next ride, the 20 minutes can be used anyway the rider sees fit.
- 24. The X-12 Hillclimb reserves the right to refuse entry to anyone. Only competitors in good standing and a professional attitude will be permitted to compete.
- 25. All video and still photography other than for personal use, may remain the property of, X-12 Hillclimb and Big Nasty productions.

26. Quiet time is from 11:00 pm to 8am.

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