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# **SPORTS REGULATION BMX SPINE & DIRT**



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# 1. GENERAL

The BMX Spine and Dirt competitions are organized as part of the 2025 Outdoormix Festival, taking place from Friday, June 6 to Monday, June 9, 2025.

These events are organized by the *Association de loi 1901 WeAreHautesApes*, represented by its president Mr. Clovis Brice.

The Spine ramp and kicks are brought and assembled by New Air Concept.

Check-in and registration close 2 hours before each competition.

Every contestant must show up at least 1h before the beginning of each competition. Any absence will result in disqualification.

## 2. COMPETITIONS & TRAINING

#### 2.1. EVENTS

The *BMX Spine competition* will take place on Sunday, June 8 and Monday, June 9, 2025. The contestants get on the spine one by one, and will have to perform as many tricks as they can within the time limit. Runs are 45 seconds to 1 minute long, and the race director and judges decide on the duration of each run. Each contestant gets two runs, during which they must score as high as they can. The judges can allow a third run to one or every contestant.

The starting order during qualifications is determined by the order of registration or by the number on the participant's plate. Qualifying results influence the starting order in the final, so that the last qualifier is the first to compete, and the first qualifier is the last to complete the final run.

Free trainings are organized on Friday, June 6 and Saturday, June 7, 2025, every contestant can participate. Official trainings are mandatory 1 hour before every competition round.

The *BMX Spine Best Tricks* is a competition during which every contestant performs one single trick during a given time. Each trick is marked by the judges and the contestant with the highest score wins the competition.

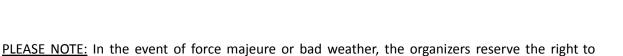
The BMX Dirt event takes place on Saturday, June 7, 2025.

The organizers, the race drector and judges may decide to organize a meeting with the athletes to pass on race rules and instructions, or to pass on any other information.

Just like the *Spine competition*, competitiors perform, one after the other, a run during which they perform a series of tricks during the time defined by the Race Director and the judges. The duration of these runs varies between 45 seconds and 1 minute. Each participant is entitled to 2 runs to achieve the best score. By decision of the judges only, a third run may be granted to one or all participants.

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reschedule events. No reimbursement will be made in the event of a competitor's non-attendance



#### 2.2. Program

at the modified event times.

FRIDAY, JUNE 6	Free training :  - BMX SPINE: 10:00 a.m. → 6:00 p.m.  - BMX DIRT: 10:00 a.m. → 6:00 p.m.
SATURDAY, JUNE 7	Free Training :  - BMX SPINE: 10:00 a.m. → 5:00 p.m.  Best tricks :  - BMX DIRT: 5:00 p.m. → 5:30 p.m.
SUNDAY, JUNE 8	Training + Qualification : - BMX SPINE: 1:00 p.m. → 3:00 p.m.
MONDAY, JUNE 9	Training + Finale  BMX SPINE: 12:30 p.m. → 3:00 p.m.  Best tricks:  BMX SPINE: 3:00 p.m. → 3:30 p.m.  Podium:  BMX DIRT: 4:00 p.m.  BMX SPINE: 4:05 p.m.

# 3. ACCESS AND MANDATORY EQUIPMENT

#### 3.1. Access to the competition

In order to register for the BMX Dirt & Spine competitions, every contestant must provide:

- A medical certificate, enabling them to practice BMX in competition, issued less than 3 years before the event.
- An international insurance covering them during the event.

Registration to the BMX events is individual, nominative and non-transferable. No partial or full reimbursement will be given by the organisation. The minimum age to take part in the BMX events is 16

There will be only one category for this competition, common to all ages. There will be no junior or women's categories. All athletes will therefore be entered in a single competition covering all three events.

In order to take part in the BMX events every contestant must have paid the registration fee (on the event website <a href="www.outdoormixfestival.com">www.outdoormixfestival.com</a> or at the event reception desk), given the mandatory documents and be equipped with the mandatory equipment. On top of that, underage contestants will have to present a parental authorization.

Before going to the events, every contestant must check-in at the event reception desk.

#### 3.2. Matériel requis

**BMX**: seuls les vélos de type BMX sont autorisés pour ces épreuves. Une vérification du matériel pourra être faite par le Commissaire de Course. En cas de non-conformité du matériel, le Commissaire de Course pourra prendre la décision de disqualifier le coureur.

Équipement du coureur : Le port d'un casque homologué pour la pratique du BMX est obligatoire (casque bol, à oreillettes ou intégral). Le port de toute autre protection spécifique à la pratique du vélo (dorsale, genouillères, coudières, protège-tibia) reste fortement conseillé. La tenue vestimentaire, par son design ou sa fabrication, ne doit pas constituer un danger pour la sécurité du coureur. De la même manière, le design ou la publicité imprimée sur la tenue vestimentaire ne doit pas contenir de déclaration ou d'image offensante, susceptible de nuire à l'image de l'organisateur et du sport.

## 4. COURSE / MARKINGS / STOPWATCH

The Spine ramp is delimited by its structure.

La Spine Ramp, le module est délimité par sa structure. Safety barriers are set up all around to ensure the safety of athletes and spectators.

The race director is in charge of the security of the riders during the competition. He is the one in charge of issuing time outs and sanctions. He will also be responsible for confirming riders' attendance and awarding prizes. He will also act as Technical Delegate if no one else has been appointed.

Penalties will be issued as such:

- Staying on the road during the event or going uphill: disqualification
- Disobeying to the race marshalls: disqualification
- Riding during an other contestant's run: disqualification
- Riding outside training times: disqualification
- Refusing to wear the mandatory equipment: disqualification

This list is non-exhaustive and the race director can issue other penalties as he sees fit.

### 5. INSURANCE AND LIABILITY

The organization takes out insurance covering its own civil liability as organizer, those of its employees and those of people volunteering to help organize the event. "Individual accident" insurance is also taken out to cover bodily injury to participants themselves, as well as accidents caused to third parties.

Participants are responsible for their own medical and hospitalization expenses (personal insurance). The organization declines all responsibility for loss, theft or damage to material or individual equipment, and cannot be held liable under any circumstances. No reimbursement will be made if a participant withdraws during the race.

## 6. PODIUMS & PRIZES

Grades are awarded by the judges for each rider in accordance with the principles of equality between athletes and objectivity, based on the following criteria: the quality of the overall run / the difficulty and diversity of the figures / the amplitude on each bump.

Runs are judged by a minimum of 3 judges. In this case, all three scores are taken into account to obtain the participant's final score, with only the best score being retained over all runs in the qualifications and finals. If 5 judges are present, the highest and lowest scores will be removed from the count.

Complaints are tolerated, but must be made to the Race Director and the Judges.

One of the judges is designated as the main or reference judge for the *BMX Competitions*. He or she is responsible for the work of the other judges, and for ensuring that results are published and that ties are broken in accordance with the procedures and limits laid down in these rules.

At the end of the final, a podium will be drawn up by the judges based on the participants' scores. Prizes, including a prize money of €3,200, will be awarded to the top three finishers in each event. The organizer reserves the right to distribute the prize money as he sees fit.

The organizer reserves the right to open new categories for podium finishes, as long as there are more than three entries in that category. This concerns the distribution of prizes and prize money from existing categories to these new categories.

All competitors must attend the prize-giving ceremony. Prizes may not be given to third parties and will not be sent by post, except for prize money, for which a transfer may be made after the event.

For all categories, a podium will be set up as soon as five participants are registered and present.

# 7. CANCELLATION AND COMMITMENT

The organization reserves the right to modify the present rules at any time, in order to ensure the

interest and safety of the participants. In the event of force majeure, the organization reserves the right to cancel or interrupt the BMX competitions, and will not be entitled to any reimbursement. Registration for the competition implies full acceptance of the present regulations. Failure to comply with these rules may result in the withdrawal of the competitor's number.

**WARNING:** in the event of force majeure or bad weather, the organization reserves the right to move the events. No reimbursement will be made in the event of a competitor's non-attendance at the modified event times.

As an Outdoormix Festival contestant, you are the image of your sport and of the event. We therefore ask you to respect the staff, the public and other participants, as well as the equipment, structures and cleanliness of the site. Failure to comply with these rules of good manners may result in sanctions being applied by the Race Steward (help with cleaning or repairs, distribution of goodies, or even criminal sanctions if the Race Steward deems that the offence requires referral to the appropriate authorities).

For "FULL PASS" purchases, concert evenings are included in the pass. In the event of concert cancellation, no refund will be made.

## 8. COMPLAINTS

Complaints concerning the conduct of the event or the behaviour of other competitors must be submitted in writing and signed by the competitor within 60 minutes of the facts being established. Complaints concerning the ranking must be submitted within 30 minutes of the results being announced and posted.

# 9. RESPECT FOR THE ENVIRONMENT

In order to respect the environment and the natural spaces crossed, it is strictly forbidden to leave waste (paper, packaging, plastic...) on the site. Garbage cans will be available and must be used by competitors.

# 10. IMAGE RIGHTS

By participating in the BMX events during the 11th edition of the Outdoormix Festival to be held from June 6 to 9, 2025, each participant expressly authorizes the organizer to use or reproduce his or her name, image, voice and sporting performance in connection with this event.