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AHNATAL / GERMANY









# DEAR GUESTS, WELCOME TO AHNATAL!

We are very proud and excited, to welcome all athletes, teams, officials and spectators to our first international Race in Ahnatal, in the middle of Germany!

BMX-Racing is very new for our Club and our region. 2012 was the opening ceremony and the first race on our track.

The track is one of the best tracks in Germany and Europe! It was built and designed by Tom Ritzenthaler in the years 2010 and 2011. We have a 5m UCI-Standard starting-hill and a split 2<sup>nd</sup>-straight. The track is really fast, about 32s for a top lap!

The municipality of Ahnatal was created within the framework of municipal reform in Hessen on 1<sup>st</sup> August 1972 by the merger of the villages of Weimar and Heckershausen. Since that time experienced a steady upswing Ahnatal is today an interesting and popular, through a variety of clubs, associations and public institutions distinct residential community in the direct surroundings of the city of Kassel, at the edge of the nature park Hawk forest between Dörnberg and Stahlberg. Ahnatal far has a millennial history. You can even assume that people here have already lived in the 4th century before Christ's birth. Finds from this period are testimony.

We hope to meet you here in Ahnatal!



**Michael Aufenanger** Mayor of Ahnatal



**Helmuth Persch**President
RSC-Weimar-Ahnatal



**Carsten Rövenstrunk**BMX-Racing
RSC-Weimar-Ahnatal





# AND ALSO WELCOME TO KASSEL!

Come to Kassel, the "Capital of the German Fairy Tale Route" where art and nature are equally important. Magnificent parks, internationally renowned art treasures, historical monuments and cultural institutions draw millions of visitors every year to this attractive city at the River Fulda. Kassel, situated in the heart of Germany, is easily and quickly accessible by Internail or on the motorway. We look forward to seeing you here in Kassel.

# Relaxation, nature enjoyment & spa in Bad Wilhelmshöhe

The mountain park Wilhelmshöhe is unique in the world. More than 400 woody plant species and beautiful plants grow on 240 hectares. When leisurely strolling or hiking, you will discover highlights, such as the nearly 300 years old Herkules, the fabulous Löwenburg, the Ballhaus, the greenhouse or just listen to sweet music during the mountain park concerts in the band stand. The highlights are the water-works in the summer months, always from the 1<sup>st</sup> of May to the 3<sup>rd</sup> of October, on Wednesdays, Sundays and public holidays, starting from 2.30 p.m. – This is an experience you do not

want to miss! Very popular: the thermal spa 'Kurhessen Therme' with its large sauna area at the foot of the mountain park.

# Arts, culture & architecture

Even the electors and landgraves of Hessen-Kassel were very interested in culture and all too happy to indulge their pronounced passion for collecting. As a result, Europe's oldest public museum and

Germany's first established theatre building were constructed: the Fridericianum and the Ottoneum. Marvel at the precious collections, such as the Alte Meister gallery, with works by Rembrandt, Rubens and Dürer. Or visit the Caricatura- Germany's unique forum for comedy and satire – or the unique Museum für Sepulkralkultur. With the world exhibition "documenta", which takes place every five years, Kassel has become the navel of the world in regards to contemporary art.

You are welcome!

More about Kassel: http://www.kassel.de/englisch/



# **OUR VENUE:**





# **TIME SCHEDULE:**

# Friday:

10:00 - 22:00	Opening of welcome Center	
17:00 - 19:00	Welcome of riders - registration	

# Saturday:

08:00 - 20:00	Opening of welcome Center	
11:00 - 12:00	2:00 Welcome of riders - registration	
11:30 - 12:15	Gate practice for Girls & Boys 8 till 11	
12:15 - 13:00	Gate practice for Girls & Boys 12 till 14	
13:30 - 15:00	0 Moto's Girls & Boys 8 till 14	
15:00 - 16:30	0 ¼, ½ and Finals	
16:30	Award Ceremony	

17:30 - 18:00	Welcome of riders - registration
18:00 - 18:30	Gate practice for Cruisers
18:30 - 19:15	Gate practice for Men 17 & over, Women 17 & over
19:30 - 20:30	Moto's Cruisers and Challenge Men/Women 17 & over
20:30 - 21:30	¼, ½ and Finals
21:30	Award Ceremony

# Sunday:

11:00 - 12:00	Welcome of riders - registration	
11:30 - 12:15	Gate practice for Boys/Girls 15/16, Junior Women, Junior Men	
12:15 - 13:00	Gate practice for Elite Women, Elite Men	
13:30 - 15:00	Moto's Boys/Girls 15/16, Junior Women/ Men, Elite Women/ Men	
15:00 - 16:30	¼, ½ and Finals	
16:30	Award Ceremony	

# **WELCOME CENTER:**

The "Welcome Center" is placed, like you can see on page 3, in a sports hall near the venue.

At the Welcome Center you can get:

- Informations of the Race, Camping and Hotels / Rooms
- Hand-out of the registration-forms (only CHEFS D`EQUIPE)
- Each CHEF D`EQUIPE gets an envelope with bracelets for the arm for each rider.



# **REGISTRATION:**

To be sent until August, 2<sup>nd</sup> 2013 by each Federation to: falk.putzke@bdr-online.org

Late registrations are possible after this date but with a penalty of **double fee**. (after check on free places)

All riders have to pre-register through their own federation!

For Dutch riders: pre-registration through <a href="https://www.knwu.nl/MijnKNWU">www.knwu.nl/MijnKNWU</a>

For Belgian riders: pre-registration through <a href="http://competitie.dewielerbond.be/OnlineInschrijven">http://competitie.dewielerbond.be/OnlineInschrijven</a>

For German riders: pre-registration through <a href="mailto:dm-meldungen@bdr-online.org">dm-meldungen@bdr-online.org</a>

Every federation will send this Registration sheet to <a href="mailto:fietscross@knwu.nl">fietscross@knwu.nl</a> by the following deadlines:

Deadline for Valkenswaard: Friday 7 June Deadline for Ahnatal: Friday 2 August Deadline for Zolder: Friday 30 August

Registrations have to be paid by bank transfer to following bank account:

#### Bund Deutscher Radfahrer e.V.

Commerzbank AG

Blz.: 500 800 00 Kto.-Nr.: 510 067 700 Swift-Bic.: COBADEFFXXX

IBAN: DE24500800000510067700 Comment: "int.-Race Ahnatal 2013"

# There is no paying back!

#### **REGISTRATIONS FEE\*:**

Boys/Girls 7/8 - 13/14	16,50 €
Boys/Girls 15/16:	26,50 €
Junior Men/Junior Women:	36,50 €
Elite Men/Elite Women:	51,50 €
Cruisers:	16,50 €
Men/Women 17+:	16,50 €

#### **PLATES:**

Every rider has to bring his own Plate, Sideplate and Numbers! (National Plate Numbers)

# **ENTRY FEE:**

Saturday:	Sunday:	Weekend:
5-12 years: 5,- €	5-12 years: 8,- €	5-12 years: 10,- €

13 years and over: 8,- € 13 years and over: 10,- € 13 years and over: 15,- €

There are about 500 seats available at the grandstands!

# **CLASSES:**

# 17.8.2013

Boys 7/8	Girls 7/8	(Challenge)
Boys 9/10	Girls 9/10	(Challenge)
Boys 11/12	Girls 11/12	(Challenge)
Boys 13/14	Girls 13/14	(Challenge)
Women 17+	Cruiser 17/24	(Challenge)
Cruiser 25/29	Cruiser 30/39	(Challenge)
Cruiser 40/44	Cruiser 45+	(Challenge)
Cruiser Women	Men 17/24	(Challenge)
Men 25/29	Men 30+	(Challenge)

Click pedals are only allowed for classes 13 years and over!

#### 18.8.2013

Boys 15/16	Girls 15/16	(Challenge)
Junior Men	Junior Women	(Championship)
Elite Men	Elite Women	(Championship)

# **PRIZES AND AWARDS:**

For Challenge classes Boys and Girls 8- till 15/16: trophies for 8 finalists of each category per race.

For Challenge classes Cruisers / Men 17+ / Women 17+: trophies for 3 finalists of each category per race.

Boys and Girls 15/16 will also have a competition over 3 races. The best 3 overall riders in the category Boys 15/16 will win a GT-bike. The overall winner of the category Girls 15/16 will also win a GT-bike. The  $2^{nd}$  best overall riders in the category Boys/Girls 15/16 will win a BMX AIR travelbag for 20''-bikes.

For Championship classes: Prize money in Ahnatal as listed below:

Platz	Elite Men	Elite Women	Junior Men	Junior Women
1	2000 €	450 €	500 €	200 €
2	1200 €	200 €	250 €	100 €
3	600 €	150 €	175 €	75 €
4	175 €	100 €	75 €	65 €
5	150 €	75 €	50 €	45 €
6	125 €	50 €	40 €	30 €
7	100 €	40 €	30 €	20 €
8	75 €	25 €	20 €	10 €
Total	4425 €	1090 €	1140 €	545 €



# 3-NATIONS-TROPHY

At the race in Zolder a 3-Nations Trophy will be presented to the country with the best result over the 3 races.

Riders in the following categories will earn points for their country: boys/girls 7/8, 9/10, 11/12, 13/14, 15/16, Junior men, Junior Women, Elite Men, Elite Women.

The winner of each category earns 10 points, then 8, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1. In the case of 2 countries having an equal amount of points at the race in Zolder, the country with the best result at the last race will be decisive as to which country wins the 3-Nations BMX Cup.

# **TEAMS AREA:**

Area is available for

- UEC registered Teams
- Trade Teams
- National Teams

Team Area is free for National Teams! All other Teams have to pay 50,- € for the entire weekend. (Tent 6x3m) Parking in connection to Team Paddock is available, max. 1 car / team!

Team area reservation is to be sent back to the organizer to the address <a href="mailto:bmx@hessen-radsport.de">bmx@hessen-radsport.de</a> You get a confirmation-Mail back.

# **PARKING:**

Free public parking areas are available next to the track. Arrows and various signs will lead you to the parking-zones. No Tents or Motorhomes will be accepted on the parking!

#### **FOOD SERVICE:**

Different food and drinks will be available around the track.

Hot dishes Hot and cold drinks

Different cakes

# **ADRESS OF TRACK:**

BMX-Arena Ahnatal From west: Autobahn A44, Exit 67 "Zierenberg"

Zentrale Sportanlage Then on B251 "Ehlen" → L3217

Rasenallee From south and north: Autobahn A7, Exit 80 "Dreieck

34292 Ahnatal Kassel Süd" on Autobahn A44 (then see above)

Destination: 51.366690° N, 9.414876° E

# **EXHIBITION-AREA:**

An exhibition-area will be installed on the track site with different shops and exhibitors. The exhibition-theme is "safety-equipment"! (Helmets, Braces, Guards, and so on...)

Interests of space for your Bike-Shop: <a href="mailto:bmx@hessen-radsport.de">bmx@hessen-radsport.de</a> for more information!

# **CAMPING-SITE AT THE TRACK:**

Because of the Exhibition on our normally Camping area, there are not many places possible for camping. We only have 70 places with electricity, some without. Cost is 35,- € for Caravans and 10,- € for Tents (Thursday to Sunday). It's possible to use showers and toilets in the sports hall near the track, follow the signs! For further questions and reservation please contact camping@bmx-ahnatal.eu

# CAMPING NEAR THE TRACK:

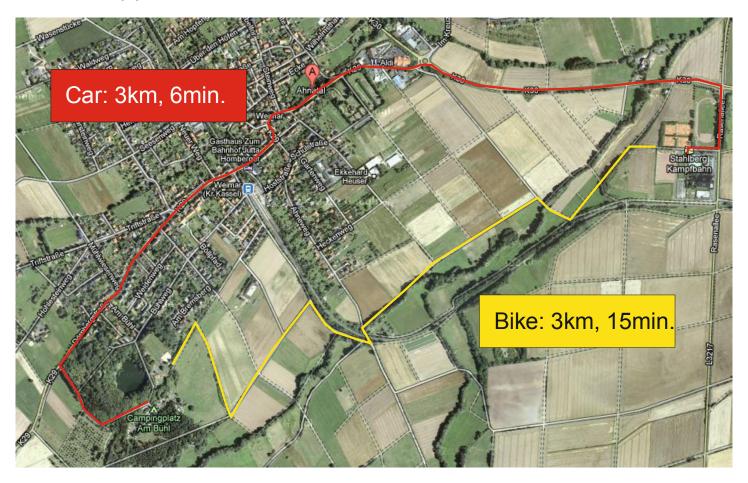
A little Camping site is near the track, named "Campingplatz Bühl". With a car you can be in 6min. at the track, with a bike it's about 15min.

Adress: <a href="http://www.campingplatz-buehl.de/">http://www.campingplatz-buehl.de/</a>

Campingverein Bühl e.V.

Am Bühl 24 34292 Ahnatal

Phone: 0049(0)5609-9216





# CAMPING IN ZIERENBERG (11km, 15min. by car):

Adress: <a href="http://campingplatz-zierenberg.de/Campingplatz-Zierenberg.htm">http://campingplatz-zierenberg.de/Campingplatz-Zierenberg.htm</a>

Campingplatz und Gasthaus "Zur Warme"

Im Nordbruch 2 34289 Zierenberg

Phone: 0049(0)5606-3966 Mobile: 0049(0)172-6456601

Mail: kirchberg-peter@t-online.de

# CAMPING IN KASSEL (12km, 20-25 min. by car):

Adress: <a href="http://www.fulda-camp.de">http://www.fulda-camp.de</a>

Fulda-Camp Kassel

Giesenallee 7 34121 Kassel

Phone: 0049(0)561-22433

Mail: info@fulda-camp.de

CLOSED, BECAUSE OF FIRE-DAMAGE! NOT SURE, WHEN RE-OPENING...

PLEASE TRY!



# HOTELS OFFICIAL, PLEASE USE THE KEYWORD "BMX":



Adress: http://www.waldhotel-schaeferberg.de

Waldhotel Schäferberg (6km from track, 68,- € single / 95,- € double)

Wilhelmsthaler Straße 14 34314 Espenau / Kassel Mail: <u>info@schaeferberg.de</u>

(Reservation must be done till August, 11<sup>th</sup>, Keyword BMX)



Adress: http://www.lastrada.de/startseite/

Hotel la Strada (14km from track, 78,- € single / 98,- € double / + breakfast 12,50 €)

Raiffeisenstraße 10 34121 Kassel

Mail: info@lastrada.de

(Reservation must be done till June, 22<sup>nd</sup>, Keyword BMX)



Adress: <a href="http://www.amsonnenhang.net">http://www.amsonnenhang.net</a>

Hotel Sonnenhang (3,5km from track, 51,- € single / 59,- € double)

Aspenstraße 6 - Sonnenhang 4

34128 Kassel

Mail: info@amsonnenhang.net

(Reservation must be done till July, 31st, Booking-ID: SEA-1608)



Adress: <a href="http://www.papen-aenne.de">http://www.papen-aenne.de</a>

Hotel und Gasthaus Papen Änne (3,6km from Track, single 50,- € / double 70,- €)

Wolfhager Straße 425

34128 Kassel

Mail: hotel@papen-aenne.de

(Reservation must be done till June, 30<sup>th</sup>, Keyword BMX)



Adress: http://www.schlosshotel-wilhelmsthal.de

Schlosshotel Wilhelmsthal (3,3km from Track, 45,- € single / 73,- € double / + breakfast 5,- € )

Wilhelmsthal 3 34379 Calden

Mail: info@schlosshotel-wilhelmsthal.de

(Reservation must be done till August, 4<sup>th</sup>, Keyword BMX)



Adress: http://www.hotel-schweizerhof-kassel.de

Hotel Schweizer Hof (8km from Track, 89,- € single / 109,- double)

Wilhelmshöher Allee 288

34131 Kassel

Mail: info@hotel-schweizerhof-kassel.de

(Reservation must be done till June, 16<sup>th</sup>, Keyword BMX)



Adress: http://www.city-hotel-kassel.de

City Hotel Kassel (11km from Track, 65,- € single / 90,- double)

Wilhelmshöher Allee 38 - 42

34119 Kassel

Mail: kontakt@city-hotel-kassel

(Reservation must be done till July, 15<sup>th</sup>, Keyword BMX)



Landesschulamt und Lehrkräfteakademie: Lehrerbildung und Personalentwicklung

Adress: www.lsa.hessen.de

Landesschulamt und Lehrerkräfteakademie 12km from Track / 38,17 €)

Rothwestener Str. 2-14

34233 Fuldatal

Mail: ayten.costa@lsa.hessen.de

(Reservation must be done till August, 8th, Keyword BMX)



# Hotel Haus Schönewald

Ihr Familienhotel am Tor zum Reinhardswald

Adress: http://www.hotel-schoenewald.de

Hotel Haus Schönewald (12km from Track / 39,50 € single / 65,- € double)

Wilhelmstr.17 34233 Fuldatal

Mail: hotel-schoenewald@t-online.de

(Reservation must be done till June, 22<sup>nd</sup>, Keyword BMX)

#### **HOTELS COMPLETE LIST:**

Please find below our link to all Hotels in Kassel and around:

http://www.hotel.de/de/kassel/hotels-36197/



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