

North West Inter-Regional MTB Team Selection Criteria

15-17 Sept 2017 Venue TBC

The team will consist of 4 males, 4 females

Rider's selection will be based on final points tally from National Series Races **plus** their points tally from the outlined national events up to the closing date for entries, TBC

North West top 5 male and female riders in each event will be given 5-4-3-2-1 points irrespective of their actual race position.

Selection events:

Round 2: Wasing Park, Berkshire	22-23 April
Round 3: Aske Estate, Richmond	13-14 May
Round 4: Dalby Forest, Yorkshire	10-11 June
National Champs, Cannock Chase, Staffordshire	22-23 July

Final selection is based on Male - 2 highest points scorers from youth A plus 2 wildcard selected by the region.

Female – 2 highest points scorers from youth A plus 2 wildcard which may include youth B selected by the region.

After the last selection race, our top scoring 2 Male & 2 Female riders will be selected to represent the Region.

In the event of a tie on points the decider will be the highest placing in the National Series Standings.

3rd and 4th male and female place will be decided by wild card decided by the region.

Reserves – a reserve male and female rider will be selected by the region.

Selection for the wildcards will be made by a panel based on the following criteria that shall constitute the 'performance' for the purpose of selection:

- Attacking riding - ability to make repeated efforts.
- Bike handling ability - cornering skills etc
- Finish position
- Tactical awareness

The selectors will consider performances in each individual event in it's own right, taking into account the above key selection points. Performance at the Crank It MTB Racing series and the Midweek MTB Madness series may also be considered.