

Australian Time Trials Association

The Panther

19 August 2023
Langford Park



Place	Bib	Name	Category	Cat Place	Lap 1	Lap 2	Lap 3	Lap 4	Lap 5	Total	Speed	Standard Time	Std Place	Comment
1	12	Alastair Milne	MTB-M	1	07:52	08:29	08:37	08:38	08:36	42:12.0	28.2	-09:31	1	
2	25	Elliott Wardle	MTB-M	2	07:53	08:30	08:35	08:52	08:47	42:36.6	27.9			Junior MTB record
3	20	Joel Nicholson	MTB-M	3	08:29	09:12	09:38	09:26	09:04	45:48.8	25.9			
4	8	Kim Van Amerongen	MTB-M	4	09:05	09:24	09:32	09:37	09:32	47:10.4	25.2	-14:29	5	
5	16	David Equid	MTB-M	5	09:02	09:49	09:50	09:54	09:49	48:23.8	24.5	-13:37	2	
6	1	Richard Williams	HC / Adaptive-M	1	09:12	09:17	09:52	09:06	11:34	49:00.4	24.2			PB
7	11	Steff Van Amerongen	MTB-F	1	09:31	10:02	10:13	10:01	09:41	49:28.5	24.0	-13:54	3	
8	2	Heidi Thomas	HC / Adaptive-F	1	10:15	10:05	10:03	09:55	10:03	50:20.5	23.6			
9	21	Vanessa Johnson	Gravel/CX-F	1	09:57	10:15	10:19	10:21	10:10	51:02.0	23.3	-14:11	4	
10	24	Travis Wardle	MTB-M	6	09:25	10:12	10:17	10:41	10:41	51:16.4	23.2			
11	14	Troy Coulthard	Gravel/CX-M	1	09:25	10:18	10:22	10:36	11:14	51:54.6	22.9	-19:13	7	
12	5	Giselle Hosgood	Gravel/CX-F	2	10:02	10:35	10:43	10:41	10:29	52:29.1	22.6	-14:32	6	
13	18	Andrew Candy	MTB-M	7	10:31	10:39	10:54	10:37	10:45	53:25.6	22.2	-19:24	8	PB
14	17	Simon Donegan	Gravel/CX-M	2	18:48	08:31	08:42	08:55	08:56	53:50.9	22.1	-21:31	9	Puncture repair on Lap 1
15	15	Hayden Long	MTB-M	8	11:15	11:36	11:52	11:48	11:45	58:15.8	20.4	-24:37	10	
16	7	Jenny Sammons	MTB-F	2	12:26	12:56	12:55	13:12	12:42	1:04:10.6	18.5	-25:00	11	
17	19	Nick Cowie	Gravel/CX-M	3	11:49	14:05	13:27	13:31	14:01	1:06:52.6	17.8	-32:15	12	
18	13	Belinda Evans	MTB-F	3	12:50	14:03	14:30	15:10	13:36	1:10:08.9	16.9	-34:09	13	

THE PANTHER – Race Report

What a magic morning for a ride in the trees – ideal conditions greeted riders at this morning's event. Recent rain had dampened the gravel so grip was good, blue skies and no wind. It was about as good as we could ever expect for an off-road TT. Pity more riders didn't decide to join us, their loss as those who did participate were clearly happy with their rides.

Some notable performances were topped off by Alastair Milne as fastest male and Steff Van Amerongen fastest female, they get to share the Panther trophy for the next 12 months. An impressive effort by Elliott Wardle who was second fastest overall; he is a Junior/U18 rider and set a new Junior MTB record for this course.

The two HC/Adaptive riders showed what battery assistance can deliver when combined with skills at controlling their rigs on the fast downhill sections that were a bit slippery in places. A few riders found the descent back down towards the finish a bit challenging to pick the "right line" to maintain speed while remaining upright.

Two riders achieved PBs today and we should make special mention of Simon Donegan who repaired a puncture on his first lap then continued to complete the event. Given his times for the other 4 laps he could have been towards the top of the results list, if only.

Thanks to the volunteer team who assisted at today's event. Kim and Steff Van Amerongen were first on site this morning putting out the course marking arrows. Peter Vaughan managed the desk, Karl McIntyre towed the trailer and along with Darren Gilbert covered the roundabout. John and Mala Andrews were at the top of the course keeping stray MTB riders away, John Healy was focal point and Steve Oates ran the timing system for the event.

Next event, Winter by the Lakes 3 on 03 September at Champion Lakes.