Race Ready and Hannegan Speedway FAQ

For the upcoming practices on 4/17/25 and 4/24/25 and all the Thursday Night MX Race Series, we'll be using the racing scoring software Race Ready. Future events this season will **not** be using the system: AMA Western Hare Scrambles, the 2 Legends Poker Runs, Team Tortoise Hare Scramble, the Filthy Pup Poker Run and the Cowbell Enduro.

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- 1. Do I need to sign up in Race Ready system? Yes, all riders will be entered into the Race Ready system. We can do it for you, or you can build your profile and sign up ahead of time. We will have multiple lines at the sign-up window designated to each style of sign-up.
- 2. Do I have to pay online or can I pay with cash. Yes, you can pay with cash (no CC or debit cards) at the track, but you should have your profile built in Race Ready to speed up the sign-up process. We will have a line at sign-up for riders that want to pay with cash and have their profile in the system.
- 3. If I sign up online, do I need to go to the sign-up window. Yes, **all** riders need to come to the sign-up window with their **helmet** before they ride.
- 4. What is the RFID tag, and do I need one? The RFID is an RFID barcode tag mounted on the underside of your helmets visor. Yes, you will need it to race the Thursday Night MX series. You can ride the upcoming practices without the tag, but you will still need to create a profile in Race Ready.
- 5. What is the cost to the rider for the Race Ready System? We worked hard to keep the cost low to the rider with the new system. There are only two added costs this season. First there is a \$10.00 cost for the RFID tag. Second, is a processing fee that is added to any credit card payment when paying online.
- 6. Why the added fees? To have more accurate scoring, we needed to move to a live timing and scoring system. Today, all systems use some form of RFID/transponder system. Other systems we looked at required expensive transponders and subscriptions for the transponders. The RFID tags were the least costly but most reliable system for the rider.

The credit card processing fee is built into the system and out of our control. You will still be able to pay with cash at the track to avoid this cost. One benefit of this system is the public live timing and scoring. A link can be shared with friends and family that allows them to monitor your race standing and track your event.

- 7. If I already have a Race Ready RFID tag, can I use it or do I need a new one? Yes, if you already have a Race Ready RFID tag and it is fully functional or does not have an expiration date during our race season, you can use it. If you have a tag that's expired or has too many failures reads, you may need to purchase a new one.
- 8. Where do I get an RFID tag? We will have them at the track. They can be purchased online within Race Ready and picked up at sign up or purchased with cash at sign-up and received there.
- 9. How will sign-up work? We will have different lines at the sign-up window. One line for riders that have registered and paid online and need to be checked in to the event. Another for riders who have Race Ready profile built and wish to pay with cash. Another for riders that don't have a Race Ready profile and need to pay with cash to enter into the event. We understand for the first couple of weeks at sign-up, it will take a little bit longer to get everyone up to speed with the new system. This is why we are rolling this out for the first couple practices, so we all have a chance to adapt to the new system.

We appreciate your patience and understanding with this transition to the new system. We know once everyone (riders, track crew and spectators) are up to speed with the new system, we'll have a better program!