



BIU NEWS 2011 APRIL SOME MATTERS IN JAPAN

Dear Hiro

Haven't got news from you for some days, How about you? I find there will be some activity on BJU website.

**Best Regards
Jason**

Sorry for our long silence since we sent the last news. There are a lot of things to write and here are some for this time.

(1) National championship

The round 1 in Gunma Pref. was canceled for the safety reason. And now the problem is the round 2 in Nagano. The organizer is Mr. Terai. BJU made the vote and yesterday it was approval by 3 against 2. So it will be organized on 26 June as it was planned. The BJU sport director Hiro has vote for NO for some reasons. The first is riders who lives in Tohoku area has handicap to take part to the event. They got damage from 3.11 earthquake and tsunami. The second is safety reason. After 3.11, we have earthquake everyday (M7x over 5 times. M6 over 50 times in one and half month). Now there is very high risk to have another big earthquake in the near future in Kanto area including Tokyo city. The third is, the distance from the nuclear generating station in Fukushima to the venue is 200km. May be it is enough distance but the matter is still not over. Hiro cannot guarantee anything for the participants and cannot stay in BJU for this matter with the other officials if they take the decision to hold the event. Hiro will resign his post of the sport director and leave BJU. The charity Biketrial event for 8 May in Miyagi pref. for the victims will be his last event in BJU.

(2) Event on May 8.

Hiro and Mishima have decided to visit Miyagi pref. where they had one of the most damage by earthquake and tsunami. They still have very hard condition. We have BJU members and fans

there. Mr. Mishima made contact to SUGO (racing circuit by Yamaha) and they will help the event. We have 2 purposes for this time. Mishima will bring some money we collected by raise in Kameoka cup and passed it to BJU. Hiro will make mini competition with the same concept of Kameoka cup to provide a fun time for the Biketrial people in Tohoku area. We are planning to have lunch party at the end of the event. We heard that people there are expecting this event and I feel happy and expecting to see them soon. You can check about it on the BJU site.

- (3) In Kansai area (west), there are 2 events. KJT which uses UCI rules and Kameoka cup by Hiro uses BIU rules. And as we informed you here that Kameoka cup got the participants over 100 in last Feb. The last Sunday KJT was held in Kyoto and the participants were only 30. Comparing to Kameoka cup, KJT is losing the participants. We think the number of participants is = supporters of the event. In this way the results tells which is winner.

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2011 WBC INFORMATION

BIU already sent WBC program and delegates list to the delegates of host countries of WBC 2011. And they have checked them already. Yesterday BIU sent entry form and got answer from Marius as follows. So you will receive all information (map of the place, venue and hotel information) about WBC 2011 from the host countries soon.

Dear Marius,

I am going to send you the entry list of WBC. Please check and let me know if it needs modification. As you know, all entry should be sent to BIU before closing date.

Sincerely yours,
Hiro

Right, Hiro.

Ready to be sent to all the delegates!

Regards.
Marius

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AMERICANS WISHING TO COMPETE IN BIU

We got a mail from Peter in the USA. There is a possibility to have riders to WBC from the USA. It is good news.

Hiroshi,

I finally have 2 riders interested in competing in BIU rounds this year. What do I need to do to get their licenses and make arrangements?

Thank you,
Peter J. Hellenbrand
Fracture Analysis
Boeing Research & Technology
The Boeing Company

Dear Peter,

Thanks for your mail. It' been a really long time, isn't it/ The license cards you need, I can send you by post. The organizers are preparing the information. You will receive it soon. Keep in touch.

Sincerely yours,
Hiro

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