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MEDIA INFORMATION

MOTUL OHVALE FIM ROAD TO motoGP PIRELLI

GENERAL INFORMATION

The FIM and Dorna Sports are delighted to announce a new platform on the Road to MotoGP™: the FIM MiniGP World Series. Unifying and standardising MiniGP competitions from around the world under the same umbrella, the series aims to create an equal platform for young riders worldwide and increase their skill and opportunity on the Road to MotoGP™.

The FIM MiniGP World Series will comprise MiniGP competitions organised by one or more FMNs, or CONUs across the globe that sign up to be part of the new initiative, with each competition in the Series adhering to the same set of sporting and technical regulations in order to standardise competition.
MiniGP Cups or competitions wishing to be included as part of the new Series and thereby gain Road to MotoGP™ status can be either national in nature or representing a larger geographical area at a regional or continental level.

Races must take place on karting circuits that meet minimum standards set by the FIM or national federation in question, who will also decide on the minimum circuit length. Riders must be between 10 and 14 years old, competing on equal Ohvale GP-0 160 machinery. The official single tyre supplier for all the FIM MiniGP World Series will be Pirelli, with a standard tyre allocation given per event.

A minimum of four events comprising a minimum of eight races must be included on the calendar, with a minimum number of 15 permanent riders in each competition. The first event must take place by July 2021, and the final event of the season should be held no later than the 17th of October. At the end of the season, the top competitors will be offered some incredible opportunities.

The champion of every national, regional, or continental MiniGP cup will be given the opportunity to participate in a World Final, which will take place during the week leading up to the final MotoGP™ event of the season. The winner of the World Final will, subject to age and location/nationality, will secure a spot in one of the Road To MotoGP™ programs on the next rung of their career ladder.

The top riders from each national, regional, or continental MiniGP cup will also have – depending on their age and location – either direct access to the Idemitsu Asia Talent Cup
selection or the availability of entry into the Honda British Talent Cup, Northern Talent Cup or European Talent Cup.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

The goal is to have a series of national championships across the globe that follow the same rules and conditions so as to have standardized MiniGP competitions all over the world. In this way riders from different countries will have the same formation and experience.

All the FIM affiliated National Federations (FMNs) and affiliated Continental Unions (CONUs) around the World are welcome to participate in this Series, but they will have to meet several conditions to be included in the FIM MiniGP World Series, these are the following:

- **Modality of the series:**
  - National: organised by 1 FMN
  - Regional: organised by 2 or more FMNs
  - Continental: organised by a CONU
- **Ages** of participants: 10-14
- **Motorcycle, tyres & Lubricant:** Partners section
- **Circuits:** must be permanent and follow minimum standards by FIM including circuit length & width as well as minimum safety requirements
- **Riders Equipment:** must follow minimum standards marked by FIM.
- **Events:** a minimum of 4 events and 8 races in 2021
- **Nº of participants:** approximately 15 riders per Series
- **Sporting & Technical Regulations:**
  - FIM will publish technical & sporting regulations for the FIM MiniGP World series Final.
  - It will be mandatory for the National, Regional and Continental Series to apply the Technical Regulations to their championships,

PARTNERS

- **Motorcycle**: OHVALE GP-0 160 4 Speed motorcycles, with single cylinder engine
- **Tyres**: Pirelli
    - Official single & Sole tyre supplier for the FIM MiniGP World Series Final
    - In 2021 it is not mandatory for national/regional/continental series to use Pirelli tyres; however, it will be from 2022.
- **Lubricant**: Motul
    - Official single & Sole lubricant supplier for the FIM MiniGP World Series Final
    - Official single & Sole lubricant supplier for the FIM MiniGP national, regional & continental Series.
    - Series participating in 2021 who had agreements before the season began with other Lubricant suppliers can continue to use them in 2021, however in 2022 it will be mandatory for all the Series to use Motul.

OHVALE CONDITIONS

- OHVALE will be the official and sole motorcycle supplier of the FIM MiniGP World Series.
- The bike with which the series shall run with will be the OHVALE GP-O 160 with 10" wheels.
- The participants* of all the national series that will be part of the FIM MiniGP World Series, will be offered the following special conditions:
    1. Price for the 1 Motorcycle 2,900 EUR + VAT + transportation costs.
    2. Engine 250 EUR + VAT + transportation costs.
    3. The following spare parts would be FOC for the participants and would be included in the sale of the motorcycle:
        - Acerbis brake protector
        - Carburetor kit PE28
        - Kit of crankcase cover, rear light & tank foam (FIM Europe regulation)
    4. All motorcycles will be sold with a sealed engine to ensure technical equality amongst the series.
    5. Apparel Kit with the championship graphics.
    6. Sticker kit with the championship's logos
    7. Bikes will be bought by the participants directly from the OHVALE official local dealer.

*For participants who already own a motorcycle points 2 through 7 also apply to them.

- OHVALE Official local dealer will be present at each event with spare parts and technical service.
- OHVALE will also be present in the FIM MiniGP World Series Final:
    - Offering technical and mechanical support
    - To those participants that will join the Final from overseas, OHVALE will provide the motorcycle FOC (excluding spare parts and repairs).
- Participants will have to include OHVALE logo on the Motorcycle

THE MOTORBIKE

Dimensions

Overall length	1490mm (58.7 in)
Overall width	680mm (26.8 in)
Overall height	880mm (34.6 in)
Wheelbase	1040mm (40.9 in)
Ground clearance	145mm (5.7 in)
Seat height standard	680mm (26.8 in)

Engine

Type	ZS Horizontal single cylinder-4 stroke-Air cooling
Bore and stroke	60x55 mm (2.36 x 2.16 in)
Displacement	155.5 cm3 (9.49 cu - in)
Compression ratio	11.5:1
Valve train	Chain driven - SOHC - Two valves
Lubrication system	Forced pressure and wet pump
Ignition	Electronic
Starter	Kick lever

Drive Chain

Clutch operating system - Clutch type	6 – plate wet clutch - cable operated
Primary Drive	67 / 18 (3.722)
Transmission	4 speed
Final reduction	Regina Chain gold series. Drive ratio 35/16 (2,187)
Gearshift pattern	N-1-2-3-4

Frame

Type	Tubolar steel trellis frame
Front suspension	Upside down fork 33mm (1.3 in)
Rear suspension	Aluminium swing-arm. Monoshock with piggy-back - Fully adjustable: hydraulic compression and rebound damping, spring preload, wheelbase
Front tire size	PIRELLI 100/80-10 DIABLO SUPERBIKE
Rear tire size	PIRELLI 120/80-10 DIABLO SUPERBIKE
Front brake	Cast alluminum wheels 2.50 x 10" - 3.00 x 10"
Rear brake	Single disk Ø 180mm (optional Ø 190mm disk) Monoblock radial caliper with 4 pistons Assial master cylinder with integrated tank and metal braided hose
Fuel capacity	Single disk Ø 155mm Radial caliper with 2 pistons Master cylinder with integrated tank and metal braided hose

PROJECTION

The riders participating in each of the MiniGP Series will be offered the following opportunities:

- **National & Continental levels**: the top riders from each National MiniGP Series will have (according to their nationality or geographic area and age): direct access to the ATC selection and the availability of one entry into the BTC, NTC or ETC.*
- **World Final**: The top 3 classified riders National, Regional and Continental MiniGP Series will be given the opportunity to participate in the FIM MiniGP World Series Final that will be take place during the week of the FIM MotoGP World Championship final season event at Valencia. The winner of the FIM MiniGP World Series Final will secure a spot in one of the Road to MotoGP programs.*

SHOWCASING

- For Cups organized in countries that host a MotoGP or WorldSBK event there will be the opportunity to organize an event of their FIM MiniGP Cup during the World Championship event, subject to the following conditions:
    - That the MotoGP/WorldSBK circuit has a go-kart track within the circuit or in close proximity.
    - That this go-kart track is not used as a parking space or anything else essential to the running of the MotoGP/WorldSBK event
    - Until the COVID-19 pandemic resolves, the following will also apply:
        - The Cup will only be able to join the MotoGP/WorldSBK subject to the evolution of the pandemic and the approval of the corresponding Governments and authorities
        - The running of the Cup will have to remain outside of the MotoGP/WorldSBK paddock and none of its participants will be able to access this paddock.
- This event will be given an appropriate media coverage and it will give the cup the opportunity to showcase the championship towards the MotoGP/WorldSBK community. (Also subject to the evolution of the pandemic).

SERIES INCLUDED IN 2021

For 2021 the following series have been selected to participate in the FIM MiniGP World Series:

- FIM MiniGP Alpe Adria Series
- FIM MiniGP France Series
- FIM MiniGP Indonesia Series
- FIM MiniGP Ireland Series
- FIM MiniGP Italy Series
- FIM MiniGP Malaysia Series
- FIM MiniGP Netherlands Series
- FIM MiniGP North America Series
- FIM MiniGP Portugal Series
- FIM MiniGP Qatar Series*
- FIM MiniGP Spain Series
- FIM MiniGP UK Series

The top 3 classified riders of all these series will be invited to participate in the FIM MiniGP World Series Final which will take place from the 9th to the 11th November in Valencia**.

*The FIM MiniGP Qatar Series will not be present in the 2021 FIM MiniGP World Series Final, it is the first cup to be included in the 2022 FIM MiniGP World Series.

**Date and event subject to the evolution of the pandemic and the approval of the corresponding Governments and authorities.

SERIES' LOGOS

WORLD FINAL - BIKE DESIGNS

WORLD FINAL - PROVISIONAL TIME SCHEDULE

11 countries and 33 riders

Tuesday 9th November

11:00 Rider arrival deadline
12:00 Rider briefings, entry forms, photo & video shooting
A,B & C Group lottery - 11 riders per group

Wednesday 10th November

START	FINISH		DURATION	COMMENTS
10:00	10:20	Free Practice 1 - Group A	00:20	
10:25	10:45	Free Practice 1 - Group B	00:20	*According to personal best time of all Free Practices, combined classification:*
10:50	11:10	Free Practice 1 - Group C	00:20	
11:15	11:35	Free Practice 2 - Group A	00:20	
11:40	12:00	Free Practice 2 - Group B	00:20	*Bottom 14 to Q1*
12:05	12:25	Free Practice 2 - Group C	00:20	
12:30	12:50	Free Practice 3 - Group A	00:20	
12:55	13:15	Free Practice 3 - Group B	00:20	*Middle 11 directly to Q2*
13:20	13:40	Free Practice 3 - Group C	00:20	
13:45	14:05	Free Practice 4 - Group A	00:20	
14:10	14:30	Free Practice 4 - Group B	00:20	*Top 8 directly to Q3*
14:35	14:55	Free Practice 4 - Group C	00:20	
15:15	15:30	Qualifying 1	00:15	*Top 4 go to Q2*
15:35	15:50	Qualifying 2	00:15	*Top 4 go to Q3*
15:55	16:10	Qualifying 3	00:15	*Grid Positions - Bottom 18 go to Race B1 - Top 15 go to Race A1*

Thursday 10th November

START	FINISH		DURATION	COMMENTS
10:00	10:20	Warm Up - Bottom Group	00:20	*Bottom 18 Qualified (Race B1)*
10:25	10:45	Warm Up - Top Group	00:20	*Top 15 Qualified (Race A1)*

11:15	**11:27**	**Race B1**	*12 laps*	**00:12**	*Top 2 go to Race A1*	*No Points*
12:00	**12:12**	**Race A1**	*12 laps*	**00:12**		*Points - 25, 20, 16 ...*
12:30	**12:42**	**Race B2**	*12 laps*	**00:12**	*Winner goes to Race A2*	*No Points*
13:15	**13:27**	**Race A2**	*12 laps*	**00:12**		*Points - 25, 20, 16 ...*
14:00	**14:18**	**SUPER FINAL RACE**	*18 laps*	**00:18**	*Top 18 in Championship (grid positions)*	*Double Points - 50, 40, 32 ...*

SERIES' CALENDARS*

FIM MiniGP Alpe Adria Series

DATES	CIRCUITS	CIRCUIT LENGTH
24-25 Jul	Slovakiaring, Slovakia	1,171 m
7-8 Jul	Dlha, Slovakia	1,100 m
14-15 Aug	Cheb, Czech Republic	1,202 m
25-26 Sep	Maruf, Croatia	1,500 m

FIM MiniGP France Series

DATES	CIRCUITS	CIRCUIT LENGTH
20 Jun	Aigues Vives, France	1,600 m
24-25 July	Paray-sous-Briailles	1,500 m
28-29 Aug	Marcillat-en-Combraille	1,016 m
18-19 Sep	Fontenay le Comte, France	1,100 m
9-10 Oct	Alès, France	1,208 m

FIM MiniGP Indonesia Series

DATES	CIRCUITS	CIRCUIT LENGTH
31 Jul - 1 Aug	Sentul, Bogor, Indonesia	1,050 m
28-29 Aug	Sentul, Bogor, Indonesia	1,050 m
25-26 Sep	Sentul, Bogor, Indonesia	1,050 m
15-16 Oct	Sentul, Bogor, Indonesia	1,050 m

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FIM MiniGP Ireland Series

DATES	CIRCUITS	CIRCUIT LENGTH
11 Jul	Athboy Karting, Co Meath, Ireland	850 m
24-25 Jul	Mondello Park, Co Kildare, Ireland	1,000 m
28-29 Aug	Mondello Park, Co Kildare, Ireland	1,000 m
12 Sep	Athboy Karting, Co Meath, Ireland	850 m
3 Oct	Kilcoran raceway Co Waterford, Ireland	990 m
17 Oct	Watergrass Hill, Ireland	850 m

FIM MiniGP Italy Series

DATES	CIRCUITS	CIRCUIT LENGTH
25-Apr	Magione, Italy	2,507 m
9-May	Modena, Italy	2,068 m
20-Jun	Varano, Italy	2,350 m
11-Jul	Modena, Italy	2,068 m
22-Aug	Varano, Italy	2,702 m

FIM MiniGP Malaysia Series

DATES	CIRCUITS	CIRCUIT LENGTH
14 Aug	Sepang, Malaysia	1,247 m
15 Aug	Sepang, Malaysia	1,247 m
5 Sep	Tangkak, Malaysia	1,200 m
25 Sep	Sepang, Malaysia	1,247 m
26 Sep	Sepang, Malaysia	1,247 m

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FIM MiniGP Netherlands Series

DATES	CIRCUITS	CIRCUIT LENGTH
3 Jul	Veldhoven, Holland	800 m
14 Aug	Assen, Holland	1,000 m
28 Aug	Lelystad, Holand	725 m
17 Oct	Francorchamps, Belgium	1,084 m

FIM MiniGP North America Series

DATES	CIRCUITS	CIRCUIT LENGTH
11-13 Jun	Road America, USA	1,100 m
25-27 Jun	Ridge Motorsports Park, USA	965 m
13-15 Aug	Pittsburg Int'l Race Complex, USA	1,150 m
17-19 Sep	Barber Motorsports Park, USA	750 m

FIM MiniGP Portugal Series

DATES	CIRCUITS	CIRCUIT LENGTH
19-20 Jun	Pamela, Portugal	1,270 m
31 Jul - 1 Aug	Bombarral, Portugal	1,225 m
5 Sep	Evora, Portugal	908 m
19 Sep	Santo André, Portugal	1,020 m

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FIM MiniGP Qatar Series**

DATES	CIRCUITS	CIRCUIT LENGTH
15 Oct 2021	Losail Circuit, Qatar	763 m
21 Nov 2021	Losail Circuit, Qatar	763 m
Mar 2022	Losail Circuit, Qatar	763 m
Apr 2022	Losail Circuit, Qatar	763 m
Sep 2022	Losail Circuit, Qatar	763 m
Oct 2022	Losail Circuit, Qatar	763 m

FIM MiniGP Spain Series

DATES	CIRCUITS	CIRCUIT LENGTH
5-6 Jun	Kotarr, Burgos, Spain	2,250 m
10-11 Jul	Kartcenter, Malaga, Spain	1,580 m
7-8 Aug	Circuito DR7, Tarancón, Spain	1,175 m
4-5 Sep	As Pontes, A Coruña, Spain	1,260 m

FIM MiniGP UK Series

DATES	CIRCUITS	CIRCUIT LENGTH
17-18 Jul	Pembrey, Wales, UK	1,850 m
14-15 Aug	Whilton Mill, Northants, UK	1,200 m
20-21 Aug	Cadwell Park, Lincolnshire, UK	1,136 m
25 Aug	Silverstone Stowe, Northants, UK	1,281 m
18-19 Sep	Three Sisters, Wigan, UK	1,200 m

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