



MXoAN 2026 MEDIA BRIEF

About the Motocross of African Nations

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Event Overview

Championship:	FIM Africa Motocross of African Nations (MXoAN)
Edition:	27th Running of the Championship
Discipline:	Motocross
Level:	Continental Championship
Held:	Every year
Sanctioned by:	FIM Africa
Hosted in 2026 by:	Namibia Motorsport Federation (NMSF)
Organised by:	Windhoek Motocross Club (WMXC)
Venue:	Gallina Motocross Park, Windhoek, Namibia

Please refer to the event as both the Motocross of African Nations and MXoAN throughout your coverage. Using both the full name and the abbreviation helps build recognition of the championship while ensuring audiences understand what MXoAN stands for.

About the Championship

- Africa's biggest national team motocross championship.
- Brings together the best riders from across the continent.
- Riders compete for their country, not just themselves.
- Every race helps their country earn points towards the Team Championship.
- Riders also compete for individual class awards.
- The championship is run under the rules of FIM Africa.

Who Governs the MXoAN?

The MXoAN is governed by FIM Africa, the African branch of the Fédération Internationale de Motocyclisme (FIM), the world governing body for motorcycle sport.

FIM Africa is responsible for the championship rules, technical regulations and overall running of the event.

Why the MXoAN Matters

- It brings together Africa's best motocross riders.
- Riders represent their countries on an international stage.
- It gives young riders valuable international racing experience.
- It helps grow motocross across Africa.
- It strengthens relationships between African motorsport federations.

MXoAN 2026

Host Country: Namibia

Dates: 29–30 August 2026

Confirmed Nations:

- Namibia (Host)
- Zimbabwe
- Zambia
- South Africa
- Kenya
- Angola
- Uganda
- Madagascar
- Mozambique
- Botswana

Expected Riders: Approximately 180 riders

Championship Classes: MX50, Female MX50, MX65, Female MX65, MX Lites, MX125, MX2, MX1, WMX, Veterans & Masters

MXoAN 2026 at a Glance

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Organising Club	Windhoek Motocross Club (WMXC)
Sanctioning Body	FIM Africa
Governing Body	Fédération Internationale de Motocyclisme (FIM)
Event Type	Continental Country Team Championship
Host Country	Namibia
Confirmed Nations	Namibia, South Africa, Zimbabwe, Zambia, Kenya, Uganda, Angola, Mozambique, Botswana and Madagascar
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Official Website	www.mxoan-namibia.com
Tickets	Available online via www.nam-events.com
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Event Format

The Motocross of African Nations (MXoAN) is Africa's biggest country team motocross championship.

Unlike a normal motocross event, riders are racing for more than just themselves. Every result helps their country earn points towards the Overall Country Team Championship. While riders also compete for individual class awards, the main goal is to help their nation finish on top.

Team Championship

- Countries enter official teams in each championship class.
- Each country may enter up to five official riders per class.
- Riders race in their national colours and represent their country throughout the event.
- The **two highest-scoring team riders** from each country **in every class** earn points for their nation.
- The country with the most points at the end of the event is crowned the Motocross of African Nations Champion.

Individual Riders

If there is space available in a class, individual (privateer) riders may also enter with approval from their national federation.

- Individual riders compete for Individual Class Awards.
- Their results do not count towards the Team Championship.
- Individual riders are identified by their official white bibs.

Championship Classes

Class	Category	Age
MX50	Junior	5–9 years
MX65	Junior	7–12 years
MX Lites	Junior	10–14 years
MX125	Senior	13–17 years
MX2	Senior	16 years and over
MX1	Senior	17 years and over
WMX	Senior	Women's class
Veterans	Senior	35–49 years
Masters	Senior	50 years and over

**Each rider may compete in one class only.*

**Veterans and Masters compete together on track as the V&M MX class but are scored and awarded separately.*

Race Format

Each championship class competes in:

- 2 Official Practice Sessions
- 1 Free Practice Session
- 3 Championship Heats

Championship Class	Race Duration
MX50	10 minutes + 1 lap
MX65	12 minutes + 1 lap
MX Lites	15 minutes + 1 lap
MX125	15 minutes + 1 lap
MX2	18 minutes + 1 lap
MX1	18 minutes + 1 lap
WMX	12 minutes + 1 lap
Veterans & Masters (VMX)	12 minutes + 1 lap

How scoring works

Points are awarded after every race:

Position	Points	Position	Points
1st	20	9th	7
2nd	17	10th	6
3rd	15	11th	5
4th	13	12th	4
5th	11	13th	3
6th	10	14th	2
7th	9	15th	1
8th	8		

Team Scoring

- The two best team riders from each country in every class score points for their nation.
- These points are added together across all races and classes.
- The country with the highest total wins the Overall Country Team Championship.
- If teams finish on equal points, the team with more higher finishing positions is ranked ahead.
- If still tied, the final heat decides the winner.

Awards

The MXoAN recognises achievement in three categories:

- Overall Country Team Awards – 1st, 2nd and 3rd overall countries.
- Country Class Awards – 1st, 2nd and 3rd country in each championship class.
- Individual Class Awards – 1st, 2nd and 3rd riders in each championship class.

Spectator Information

Whether you're a lifelong motocross fan or attending your first event, the Motocross of African Nations 2026 promises an exciting weekend of world-class racing, family entertainment and Africa's best motocross action.

What to Expect

- Two full days of international motocross racing.
- More than 180 riders representing countries from across Africa.
- Junior and senior championship classes competing throughout the weekend.
- The Official Grand Parade.
- Podium ceremonies and championship celebrations.
- Food and beverage vendors.
- Family-friendly entertainment.

Venue

Gallina Motocross Park: Brakwater, Windhoek, Namibia

- Travel north on the Western Bypass (B1) towards Okahandja.
- Continue past Bokomo, which will be on your left.
- Shortly after Bokomo, take the Brakwater/Gallina off-ramp.
- At the end of the off-ramp, turn right.
- Continue to the next T-junction and turn left, travelling parallel to the Western Bypass.
- From there, simply follow the MXoAN directional signage to Gallina Motocross Park.

Google map's location: J33C+5V, Windhoek

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/HkaT5q4ybMMLPo8>

GPS coordinates: -22.39689, 17.07228

Countries & Riders

At the time of publication, the following countries have confirmed their participation:

Country	Status	Expected Riders
Namibia (Host)	Confirmed	30
South Africa	Confirmed	33
Uganda	Confirmed	33
Zambia	Confirmed	10
Kenya	Confirmed	22
Zimbabwe	Confirmed	24
Angola	Confirmed	4
Mozambique	Confirmed	2
Madagascar	Confirmed	6
Botswana	Confirmed	11

Tickets

Tickets are available online through NamEvents.

Please note: As the Motocross of African Nations is an international event, ticket prices are displayed in US Dollars (USD) on the ticketing platform. Approximate Namibian Dollar (NAD) values are provided below for the convenience of local spectators.

Ticket	Price (USD)	Approx. Price (NAD)
Early Bird Weekend Pass (Adult)	US\$8	± N\$145
Early Bird Weekend Pass (Child 6–12)	US\$4	± N\$72
Saturday Spectator Ticket (Adult)	US\$5	± N\$90
Saturday Spectator Ticket (Child 6–12)	US\$2.50	± N\$45
Sunday Spectator Ticket (Adult)	US\$5	± N\$90
Sunday Spectator Ticket (Child 6–12)	US\$2.50	± N\$45
Weekend Pass (Adult)	US\$9	± N\$165
Weekend Pass (Child 6–12)	US\$4.50	± N\$82

Food & Refreshments

A variety of food and beverage vendors will be available throughout the weekend, including:

- Hot food vendors
- Coffee and refreshments
- Cold drinks

Please note: Food and beverage vendors will operate on a **cash basis**, so spectators are encouraged to bring sufficient cash for purchases.

CASHLESS BAR

The bar at Gallina will operate on a cashless system. You will load money onto a NamEvents cashless card and use the card to pay at the bar. Cash will not be accepted at the bar. Before the event ends, visit the Cashless Help Desk to collect any unspent balance back in cash on the spot. It's quick and no admin is required.

Parking

- Dedicated spectator parking will be available outside the venue.
- Security personnel will be on site throughout the event.
- While security will be present, spectators are encouraged not to leave valuables or important belongings unattended in their vehicles.
- Please follow all event signage and the directions of event staff.

Stay Connected

Website: www.mxoan-namibia.com
Facebook: mxoannamibia
Instagram: @mxoan_nam_2026
Commentator: Greg Moloney The Voice of Choice
Tickets: www.nam-events.com

**If you can't attend in person, Greg Moloney will be sharing highlights on all the racing on his Facebook page throughout the weekend.*

Live Streaming

The FIM Africa Motocross of African Nations 2026 will be streamed live throughout the race weekend, giving audiences across Africa and beyond the opportunity to follow the action as it unfolds.

The livestream will be available on:

- FIM Africa YouTube Channel
- MXoAN Namibia Facebook Page
- FIM Africa Facebook Page

Know Before You Go

- Gates open from **06:00** each day.
- Wear comfortable shoes as you'll be walking around the venue.
- Bring sunscreen, a hat and sunglasses.
- Mornings can be cool, so a light jacket is recommended.
- The bar and some vendors accept both cash and card, but carrying cash is recommended.
- Please follow all marshal instructions and remain within designated spectator areas.
- Help us keep Gallina clean by using the bins provided.

Grand Parade

The Grand Parade is one of the key visual moments of MXoAN. Participating countries enter with their teams, national colours and flags. Namibia, as host nation, enters last. This is a major media and photography opportunity.

SUSTAINABILITY & RIDE GREEN

MXoAN 2026 supports the FIM Africa Sustainability Charter and Ride Green initiative, encouraging everyone at Gallina to help reduce the environmental impact of the event.

Please make use of the designated waste and recycling bins, keep the venue clean, and respect the surrounding environment.

Ross Branch, FIM Environmental Ambassador, will also be attending the event, helping us promote the Ride Green message and responsible motorsport across Africa.

Small actions. Big event. Let's leave Gallina better than we found it.

Full Timetable

Friday | 28 August 2026 - Not open to public on Friday.

Registration & Administration

Time	Session
09:00 – 17:00	Registration & Documentation

Saturday | 29 August 2026

Time	Session	Duration
FIRST PRACTICE		
07:20 – 07:35	MX125	15 min
07:39 – 07:54	MX2	15 min
07:58 – 08:13	MX50	15 min
08:26 – 08:41	MX65	15 min
08:45 – 09:00	MX Lites	15 min
09:04 – 09:19	WMX*	15 min
09:32 – 09:47	Veterans & Masters*	15 min
09:51 – 10:06	MX1	15 min
SECOND PRACTICE		
10:10 – 10:22	MX50	12 min
10:35 – 10:50	MX65	15 min
10:54 – 11:09	MX Lites	15 min
11:13 – 11:28	WMX*	15 min
11:41 – 11:56	Veterans & Masters*	15 min
12:00 – 12:15	MX125	15 min
12:19 – 12:34	MX2	15 min
12:47 – 13:02	MX1	15 min
13:10 – 14:10	Grand Parade	60 min
14:10 – 14:20	Lunch Break for Riders	20 min
FIRST HEAT		
14:30 – 14:42	MX50	10 min + 1 lap
14:46 – 14:58	MX50 Female	10 min + 1 lap
15:02 – 15:16	MX65	12 min + 1 lap
15:29 – 15:46	MX Lites	15 min + 1 lap
15:50 – 16:04	WMX*	12 min + 1 lap
16:08 – 16:22	Veterans & Masters*	12 min + 1 lap
16:35 – 16:52	MX125	15 min + 1 lap
16:56 – 17:16	MX2	18 min + 1 lap
17:20 – 17:40	MX1	18 min + 1 lap

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Sunday | 30 August 2026

Time	Session	Duration
FREE PRACTICE		
07:20 – 07:30	MX125	10 min
07:34 – 07:44	MX2	10 min
07:48 – 07:58	MX50	10 min
08:11 – 08:21	MX65	10 min
08:25 – 08:35	MX Lites	10 min
08:39 – 08:49	WMX*	10 min
09:02 – 09:12	Veterans & Masters*	10 min
09:16 – 09:26	MX1	10 min
SECOND HEAT		
09:45 – 09:57	MX50	10 min + 1 lap
10:01 – 10:13	MX50 Female	10 min + 1 lap
10:17 – 10:31	MX65	12 min + 1 lap
10:35 – 10:52	MX Lites	15 min + 1 lap
11:05 – 11:19	WMX*	12 min + 1 lap
11:23 – 11:37	Veterans & Masters*	12 min + 1 lap
11:41 – 11:58	MX125	15 min + 1 lap
12:11 – 12:31	MX2	18 min + 1 lap
12:35 – 12:55	MX1	18 min + 1 lap
13:00 – 13:30	Lunch Break for Riders	30 min
THIRD HEAT		
13:35 – 13:47	MX50	10 min + 1 lap
13:51 – 14:03	MX50 Female	10 min + 1 lap
14:07 – 14:21	MX65	12 min + 1 lap
14:25 – 14:42	MX Lites	15 min + 1 lap
14:55 – 15:09	WMX*	12 min + 1 lap
15:13 – 15:27	Veterans & Masters*	12 min + 1 lap
15:31 – 15:48	MX125	15 min + 1 lap
16:01 – 16:21	MX2	18 min + 1 lap
16:25 – 16:45	MX1	18 min + 1 lap
17:20	Individual Placing Prize Giving	
19:00 for 19:30	Main Prize Giving Event	

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The Track

Gallina Motocross Park is known as a fast and technical sand circuit, offering a challenging mix of speed, rhythm and precision. While the track is completely flat with no natural elevation, its layout demands consistency, fitness and technical riding ability.

Track Information	
Length	1,320 m
Surface	80% Sand
Elevation	Flat
Character	Fast & Technical
Key Features	Jumps, Tabletops, Step-ups, Rhythm Section, Whoops
Riding Style	Fast, flowing and technical
Recommended Tyres	Mid-soft sand or scoop tyre

Media Contact

Thank you for helping us share the excitement of the Motocross of African Nations 2026.

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