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Bailey Motorsports Athlete Qualifies for X Games

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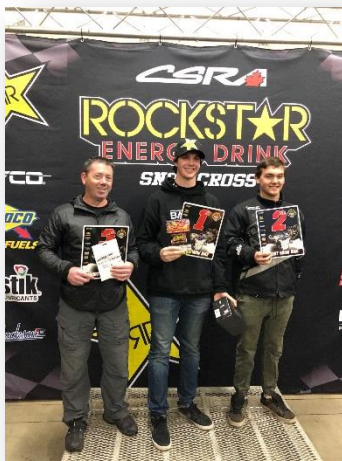
An action-packed weekend all started with the snowbike event at ERX Park. Yanick Boucher and mechanic Derek Uttley were on hand to compete at the X Games qualifier. There were well over 30 entries and only 12 would earn their ticket to the games. Derek had the bike well prepared this year and Yanick has had some good time to practice and test, it really showed as he had to speed to compete with the best that were there. Yanick would walk away with second in the first of the two qualifiers, a great accomplishment to say the least. Watch for him at X Games on January 26!

Yanick Boucher #53

My 2nd time at the qualifier for X Games was a success! There were 38 riders trying to get their ticket to Aspen, but they only take 12 so it was definitely some nerve racking times. My first race was going well, I left 3rd off the start, after 2 laps I got into first but got a mechanical issue with 2 laps to go and couldn't finish. So I had to go through lqg to get a spot in the back row of the final. With a back row start I was able to sneak up to 2nd place after the first turn and then at this point I just rode a smart race and made sure not to make mistakes, I was able to hold on and earn a spot for X Games!

On Sunday, the CSRA held races at our home track at The Compound, the event was geared towards the younger riders in the series, with the hope that some new riders would come out and try the sport at local event. Countless hours went into building the track and preparing the facility to host an event like this. It was the first time something like this has been organized, it went off like they had done it 100 times before. Thanks to Glen and his Family for organizing this with the CSRA staff. It was an awesome day for the BAILEY riders that raced, they showed the rest of the competitors in their classes how to get around the track. We are looking forward to our first Official race of the season at Sault Sainte Marie on January 12-13.

Breaking news, the CSRA has just signed a deal with the TSN network to live stream and air six of our events this year! Watch for more on this coming soon.



Ryan Hunt #729

Changing it up a bit for the first race of the CSRA snowcross at The Compound in Muskoka. I signed up for sport snow bike as there was no pro class for the sleds which left me still wanting to ride. I got to finally try out my Yeti-TM on the track! With no practice on the bike I got geared up, I just had the plan of having fun all day. There was only five riders in the class but it was still lots of fun to battle with Jake Weir and actually have some racing going on the track. The first Moto didn't go as planned as I was leading the last lap, I stepped on the brake lever and stalled my bike and lost a position and finished second. The second Moto came around and I knew I had the speed to take the win and once I got out front I left a big gap and had some fun and took the overall win in the class. Bike worked great and I will only get more comfortable on it the more I ride it, thanks Flybyu. All around it was an awesome day and an awesome event put on by the crew at The Compound, on the track that I call home all season.



Brooklyn Karkoulas #500

Brooklyn spent an extra day preparing for race day, travelling to the track two days in advance for some extra seat time. Her preparation paid off on race day, when the team and spectators saw the 13 year old junior racer take the win in Junior girls and 3rd place podium finish in Jr 14-15. When asked how she felt about the first race, the younger rider said, "I always love the track structures built here at the compound, so to be able to have a CSRA race here is a real bonus".



Hailey Belanger #574

So It's a new year! It's a new sled! The 550 I was racing last year sort of got retired, and ya the season started completely different than it normally does! Literally in our back yard at The Compound.

Everyone finished building the track Thursday afternoon. So I was able to get a few hours after school Thursday, Friday and full day Saturday of riding! Going into Sunday I was loving my new sled and feeling really good on my 2018 600 RS. In my transition girls class I went 2-2 for a Second overall for

the day! My team mate was on fire congratulations Dakota on winning! Then in my transition boys class! I saw a lot of new faces! I was sort of worried, I honestly didn't know how I'd stack up against them. But was able to take the lead and not look back! Winning both heats. Giving me the overall win for the day! I would like to thank everyone that helped make this event possible it's not as easy as it looks.



Thanks to all who attended the recent CSRA race at The Compound. We are very impressed with how things went over the weekend. The turnout was amazing. We had a full lot with teams and equipment parked everywhere. Hardly any room for those spectators that came, most had to park on the side of the highway. Seeing the smiles on the faces of all the kids here made it all worthwhile. It was like – “WOW” and still is “WOW”.

The Goodale Family – Glen, Darlene, Curtis, Amanda, and Adam.

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