Rocktober Big East Trials Championship 10/2/2021



When: Saturday, October 2nd 2021 Sign Up 9:00AM-10:00 AM Riders Meeting 10:00 AM
Where: Glacial Park, 86 Whalehead Rd, Gales Ferry, CT 06335
Sponsors: ESI Grips (www.esigrips.com) place prizes
Web Cyclery (www.webcyclery.com) for 10% off at Webcyclery to get your bike in proper order Ross has set us up with a discount code TD2021 and a box of prize goodies
Fee: \$20/rider Novice, Sport, Expert, Pro, no fee for Mountain bike and Junior categories.

Face Book Event, can be found at Northeast Bike Trials FB, sign up will give us a better idea of how many to expect. Riders will still have to sign up Saturday AM.

If you are wondering "can I do this?" watch the following video;

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YW3NmcDonPk The short answer is of course you can. For Mountain bike class and Juniors all you will need is a reliable mountain bike, helmet and a little determination. Expect some tight turns some less than hub height ups and downs. Comp style trials bikes are not required only recommended. Classes will include Mountain Bike, Juniors (ages 12 and under) Novice, Sport, Expert and Pro.

Details: We'll keep it simple, 6 gates/section, 4 sections (2 sections for Juniors and Mountain Bike), ridden 3 times by each participant. Sections will be marked at Glacial Park Ledyard CT. We will follow the NATS handbook for rules and section set up. Sections will be cleaned up and marked during the week leading to the competition, volunteers to assist are welcome. Most of the regular Wednesday Wrecking crew will be helping out so we have some built in horse power, but more is always welcome. I like the sections to be super fun and challenging but not frustrating. **Directions** Will be posted separately.

Contact: Tony Delima, my cell 860 772 8870 or e-mail <u>tony@fortecarbon.com</u> For a quick video of Glacial parks smaller features <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jz1SM6MKKAc</u> and a few of the larger <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mqo0ZXt5770</u> How a comp works: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qlT_ntxQCLA</u>