



## Rider Profile

**Name:** Kirk Gibbs

**Nickname:** Gibbo

**Date of Birth:** 16/2/89

**Place of Birth:** Millicent, SA

**Height:** 178cm

**Weight:** 72kg

**Occupation:** Fitter & Turner

**Pets:** cat, chooks

**Hobbies:** motorbikes, football, mountain bike riding & swimming

**Club:** Mt Gambier JMCC

**Age when started racing:** I was five years old

**What was your first machine:** QR50

**Reason for starting racing:** My older brother & sister got a Z50 & all I wanted to do is ride it so my parents got sick of me asking them so they bought me a bike

**Racing achievements:** 125 & 250 Junior Australian Champion in 2004, 4<sup>th</sup> Overall National Cup 2005 & 14<sup>th</sup> Overall Pro Lites 2006

**Team of people who you travel with you to events:** My mum & dad

**Discipline competed in:** Motocross & Supercross

**Goals for the Future:** Top ten in Pro Lites next year & make every final in the Supercross rounds & get on a team

**Role models/Most respected rider(s):** Darryl Hurley, Daniel Reardon & Shane Metcalfe

**Best part about racing:** I love to compete & race against the best & it makes me happy

**Worst part about racing:** crashing

**Sponsors (if any):** Blue City Motorcycles, Alloy MX, AXO bots, Matrix Helmets, Vandenhurk Engineering

**Career Highlight:** Winning two Junior Australian Titles in the same year

**Toughest competitor(s) competed against:** All the Pro Lite Class, so fast

**Normal pre-competition meals:** pasta, rice, meat & vegetables

**Worst injury sustained from riding:** two broken wrists

### FAVOURITE:

**Food:** Meat & vegetables

**Colour:** Blue

**Type of machine:** Yamaha

**Track or race circuit:** Renmark SA or Echo Valley Qld

**Favourite sport apart from Motorcycle sport:** Football

**Favourite Sporting team/s:** Saint Kilda – AFL



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