



Rider Profile

Name: Peter Oye

Nickname: Pistol

Date of Birth: 29/8/56

Place of Birth: Adelaide

Height: too short

Weight: 78kg

Occupation: Asset Manager

Pets: Dog (Large Munsterlander)

Hobbies: Dirt Bikes, Water Skiing

Club: Gawler Motorcycle Club

Age when started racing: 47 (2004)

What was your first machine: 1973 Montesa Capra 250 (to get to surf breaks)

Reason for starting racing: After seeing my son have so much fun in his first year of racing (2003) I thought damn, why should he have all the fun!

Racing achievements: Finished ever event entered except one. Reliability Trials: First in Class 2005, 2005 (Greybeards) Enduro: First in Class 2005 (Greybeards)

Team of people who you travel with you to events: Usually family

Discipline competed in: Reliability Trials, Enduro

Goals for the Future: Keep riding for another 10 years and continue to promote the sport in SA

Role models/Most respected rider(s): My son Tom. Also any rider who pushes beyond their limit to finish a tough event.

Best part about racing: The camaraderie and social aspect of Enduro and Reliability trials in SA

Worst part about racing: The way my body feels on Monday morning when the alarm goes off

Sponsors (if any): My wife

Career Highlight: Learning how to change tyres properly from my son!

Toughest competitor(s) competed against: The 30 or so riders who usually finish in front of me

Any riding rituals: Pee at every stop

Normal pre-competition meals: big bowl of cereal

Worst injury sustained from riding: worn out credit card

FAVOURITE:

Food: roast, Thai, salt & pepper squid

Colour: Blue

Type of machine: Suzuki DRZ400 (a good all rounder)

Track or race circuit: Any non bitumen surface

Favourite sport apart from Motorcycle sport: water skiing

Favourite Sporting team/s: Kangaroos (AFL) Eagles (SANFL)



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