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This does not need any explanation. Local rider; extensive injuries. Introduce your children to mountain biking. It's a healthy sport. Courtesy of the NSMB.com

--Monica Craver--

Yesterday, 07:52 PM

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[Smoke](#)
Pot Stirrer

Just Another Victim

--OR-- "How the Mighty Have Fallen"

So, I finally had a bad enough crash this week to put me in the hospital. It's been a few years (the last time was when I got t-boned by Lee in the late 90's, and before that I managed to pop a lung going uphill back in about 1989.....).

Anyway, A-Line claims another. Ironically, it was during sweep, and I thought I should slow it down a bit on that shale straightaway. Bad call. Full speed pinball ejection into the boulders on the right. I'd hazard a guess that I was clocking around 50km/h on impact.

At any rate, I got off pretty lucky. Final tally (after two days of hanging out in ER's):

- 2 broken ribs
- 1 hematoma
- several abrasions
- one peeled back thumbnail
- strained shoulder
- strained groin/hip adductor thingy
- bruised kidney (incl. blood in urine)
- bruised liver

I'll be back on it next week.....or so.



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