

Training Cycle: Phase 5
Cycle Duration: 6 Weeks
Work Week 6/6

Focus: Active Recovery: Lower Volume & Intensity (Recover Mentally & Physically)

Intensity Note:

- Blue highlights indicate HR Zone 2 or less (Builds your aerobic engine burns fat as a primary fuel source)
- Red highlights indicate HR Zone 3+ (Builds your strength, speed & LT burns stored sugar as a primary fuel source)

Monday

- Body Analysis please use your Coach Robb Body Analysis Spreadsheet to log this information for evaluation purposes
- Rest Day

Misc. Notes the key to long term improvement in your health, wellness and ultimately your performance is to improve something every day by 1%. We have discussed this together previously, but what makes this concept so powerful now is the fact that you have a foundation that makes your 1% improvement that much more powerful. The bigger the base of accomplishment, the more momentum you will gain – especially when you are void of injury or illness. Remember that the muscles, tendons, ligaments and blood chemistry are a result of what you eat and drink over the next six months – the amount of time to completely replace your body. With this in mind, plan ahead with your eating: purchasing, prepping and actually consuming the food that is high in vitamins, minerals and clean protein sources for amino acids.

Evening Mental Protocols: watch this video in a place where you have zero distractions for 2:33 (the length of the video)
 Psychology: concept video "The Importance of Consuming Enough Fluids" – video link

Tuesday

Body Analysis – please use your Coach Robb Body Analysis Spreadsheet to log this information for evaluation purposes
 Note: If your heart rate is up by four or more beats over last week's average – do not train, sleep and eat instead

Complete Racing Solutions Bike: Fragmented Intervals (45' Total)

Pre-Hydration & Nutrition: 10-15 minutes prior to this workout, consume 8-10 ounces of <u>Energy Fuel</u> to top off both your calories and provide you the much-needed electrolytes

Warm up-HR Zone 1: Focus on optimum pedal mechanics right from the beginning

Duration: 10 minutes **Gearing:** small chain ring up front, middle rear gearing **Cadence:** 80-85 (no higher/lower) **Misc.:** stretch and hydrate before moving into your main set

Main Performance Block #1: 10 Minutes (Lower End of HR Z2)

Set Notes: with your cadence between 75-85; tallest gearing that you can maintain while keeping the chain tension tight and maintaining your cadence zone; every 10 minutes stand up and stretch your hamstrings, quads, calves and lower back.

Performance Block #2: 20 minutes (Upper End of HR Z2)

Repeat the following for the next 30 minutes

2 Minutes: initially out of the saddle for 30" and then into a seated position for 1:30 holding the tallest gear combination than you can maintain a 50-60 range-capture the highest speed achieved during the 1:30 interval. Maintain a smooth pedal stroke for the entire interval.

At the end of the interval, go into a very easy gear combination and maintain for 3 Minutes.

Repeat the 2 minute "on" / 3 minute "off" until 20 minutes has transpired (please don't surpass)

Cool Down (HR Zone 1): Keep a close eye on your HR level for the final 5 minutes

Duration: 10 minutes **Gearing:** the easiest combination that allows for 85-90 cadence & HR Z1

Cadence: 85-90 **Misc.:** don't dismount until your heart rate is within HR Z1

(Immediately following your bike workout) Complete Racing Solutions Core Work

Workout notes: complete each of the following exercises for 15 seconds; your rest interval is 15 seconds as you move to the next exercise. Go through each exercise and then repeat the entire set - total of 2 sets.

Standing Abdominal Twists: click here for video
Abdominal Roll Out on Fit Ball: click here for video
Abdominal Roll Out on Fit Ball: click here for video
Ab Crunch on Fit Ball: click here for the video link
Post Workout Protocols

• Flexibility: complete dynamic movements, static stretches & foam rolling exercises for optimum recovery

- **Nutrition:** immediately consume 8-10 ounces of iced cold <u>Energy Fuel</u> and <u>Best Whey Protein</u> (1 scoop of each) mixed with almond milk.
- Evening Protocols please reference yesterday's notes & video links



Wednesday

- Body Analysis please use your Coach Robb Body Analysis Spreadsheet to log this information for evaluation purposes
 Note: If your heart rate is up by four or more beats over last week's average do not train, sleep and eat instead
- Complete Racing Solutions Row: Negative Split Pacing Blocks (6,000 Meters)

Misc. Notes: this workout is going to hold you accountable both mentally and physically. Have your monitor set to 500 meter/1:00 minute rest interval. Adjust the load levels as indicated to avoid pulling a muscle or straining your lower back. Breathe in on the coil in and exhale on your leg extension. Hydrate with Energy Fuel and stretch as necessary to maintain consistent results.

Pre-Hydration & Nutrition: 10-15 minutes prior to this workout, consume 8-10 ounces of <u>Energy Fuel</u> to top off both your calories and provide you the much-needed electrolytes

Warm up-HR Zone 1: Focus on a straight back and leading with your legs and finishing with your arms coming to your chest.

Load Level: 3 Duration: 1000 meters Pull Rate: less than 30 Stretch from head to toe

Main Set#1: adjust the damper setting to five (5) **Pull Rate:** 25-35

Complete 500 meters at 70-75% - capture your elapsed time: this is your Baseline Number

Complete4000 meters in Descending Blocks

Intervals #1 & #2 - maintain the same pace as your Baseline number

Intervals #3 & #4 - hold a pace that is 2 seconds faster than your baseline number

Intervals #5 & #6 - maintain the same pace as your Baseline number

Intervals #7 & #8 - hold a pace that is 2 seconds faster than your baseline number

Cool Down-HR Zone 1: Focus on a straight back and leading with your legs and finishing with your arms coming to your chest.

Load Level: 3 Duration: 500 Meters Pull Rate: less than 30 Stretch from head to toe

Post Workout Protocols

- Flexibility: complete dynamic movements, static stretches & foam rolling exercises for optimum recovery
- Nutrition: immediately consume 8-10 ounces of iced cold <u>Energy Fuel</u> and <u>Best Whey Protein</u> (1 scoop of each) mixed with almond milk.
- **Evening Protocols** please reference yesterday's notes & video links

Thursday

- Body Analysis please use your Coach Robb Body Analysis Spreadsheet to log this information for evaluation purposes

 Note: If your heart rate is up by four or more beats over last week's average do not train, sleep and eat instead
- Complete Racing Solutions Bike: Even Tempo/Aerobic Enhancement (40 minutes)

Workout Notes: keep a close eye on your HR throughout this ride to ensure that you keep the intensity levels easy (HR Z2 or less) for maximum productivity (burn fat and enhance your aerobic engine). To keep you mentally stimulated, play around with your gearing while staying within your **HR Z2.**

Pre-Hydration & Nutrition: 10-15 minutes prior to this workout, consume 8-10 ounces of Energy Fuel to top off both your calories and provide you the much-needed electrolytes

Warm Up: HR Zone 1

Post Workout Protocols

Duration: 5 minutes **Gearing:** small chain ring up front, middle rear gearing **Misc.:** stretch and hydrate before moving into your main set

Main Set: 30 Minutes (High End of HR Zone 2: pay close attention to not trip into Z3)

Set Notes: with your cadence between 75-85; tallest gearing that you can maintain while keeping the chain tension tight and maintaining your cadence zone; every 10 minutes stand up and stretch your hamstrings, quads, calves and lower back.

Warm down: 10 Minutes (HR Zone 2 or less)

Duration: 5 minutes (no shorter) **Gearing:** small chain ring up front, middle rear gearing

Cadence: 70-80 (no higher/lower) Misc. Notes: stretch your lower back, calves and quads prior to dismounting

(Immediately following your bike workout) Complete Racing Solutions Core Work

Workout notes: complete each of the following exercises for 15 seconds; your rest interval is 15 seconds as you move to the next exercise. Go through each exercise and then repeat the entire set - total of 2 sets.

Standing Abdominal Twists: click here for video
Abdominal Roll Out on Fit Ball: click here for video

Abdominal Pike on Fit Ball: click here for video link Ab Crunch on Fit Ball: click here for the video link

- Flexibility: complete dynamic movements, static stretches & foam rolling exercises for optimum recovery
- Nutrition: immediately consume 8-10 ounces of iced cold <u>Energy Fuel</u> and <u>Best Whey Protein</u> (1 scoop of each) mixed with almond milk.
- Evening Protocols please reference yesterday's notes & video links



Friday

- Body Analysis please use your Coach Robb Body Analysis Spreadsheet to log this information for evaluation purposes
- Complete Rest Day

Mental Notes: the benefits of a rest day are actually larger than your hard workout days; this is because your body doesn't get any stronger or improve regarding your endurance during training. Your body actually improves physically when you feed it high quality, high quantity food and allow for adequate rest (7-8 hours of evening sleep and if logistically possible, 1-2 hour naps during the day). When your body sleeps deeply, for a long period of time and uninterrupted, your body releases the much-needed human growth hormone (HGH) naturally and you wake up leaner, stronger and have an improved immune system. With this in mind, please embrace your rest day as if it was one of your harder workout days; your body will appreciate it.

Evening Protocols – please reference yesterday's notes and video links

Saturday

- Body Analysis please use your Coach Robb Body Analysis Spreadsheet to log this information for evaluation purposes
 Note: If your heart rate is up by four or more beats over last week's average do not train, sleep and eat instead

 Please complete the following based on your track availability Note: seat time is always preferred
- Complete Racing Solutions MX Workout #2

[Please reference the spreadsheet at the bottom of this document]

Pre-Hydration & Nutrition: 10-15 minutes prior to this workout, consume 8-10 ounces of <u>Energy Fuel</u> to top off both your calories and provide you the much-needed electrolytes

Workout Notes: Familiar protocols - strive to be consistent for all three main sets. If you have more than a two second deviation, then your average speed needs to increase slightly or you need to slow down your initial pace. Remember, the idea is to teach your body what it is like to maintain a consistent pace from the first to last lap. If possible, try to wear your HR monitor to help keep you honest throughout this workout.

Post Workout Protocols

- Flexibility: complete <u>dynamic movements</u>, <u>static stretches</u> & foam rolling exercises for optimum recovery
- Nutrition: immediately consume 8-10 ounces of iced cold <u>Energy Fuel</u> and <u>Best Whey Protein</u> (1 scoop of each) mixed with almond milk.
- 2 Hour Nap After Post Ride Meal

Misc. Notes: the benefit to a nap is the release of hGH (human growth hormone); with this in mind, eat a post ride meal that is high in carbohydrates (this is a natural sleep aid). The goal is to fall asleep as quickly as possible and stay asleep for 2-3 hours (schedule pending) without waking up hungry. If you wake up hungry, then you need to make a note in your food & training journal that what you ate for lunch wasn't enough. Your brain is fed by your liver, if it runs out of sugar, you will be woken up!

(Afternoon Workout) Complete Racing Solutions Row: Negative Split Pacing Blocks (6,000 Meters)

Misc. Notes: this workout is going to hold you accountable both mentally and physically. Have your monitor set to 500 meter/1:00 minute rest interval. Adjust the load levels as indicated to avoid pulling a muscle or straining your lower back. Breathe in on the coil in and exhale on your leg extension. Hydrate with Energy Fuel and stretch as necessary to maintain consistent results.

Pre-Hydration & Nutrition: 10-15 minutes prior to this workout, consume 8-10 ounces of <u>Energy Fuel</u> to top off both your calories and provide you the much-needed electrolytes

Warm up-HR Zone 1: Focus on a straight back and leading with your legs and finishing with your arms coming to your chest.

Load Level: 3 Duration: 1000 meters Pull Rate: less than 30 Stretch from head to toe

Main Set#1: adjust the damper setting to five (5) Pull Rate: 25-35

Complete 500 meters at 70-75% - capture your elapsed time: this is your Baseline Number

Complete 4000 meters in Descending Blocks

Intervals #1 & #2 – maintain the same pace as your Baseline number

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Intervals #5 & #6 - maintain the same pace as your Baseline number

Intervals #7 & #8 – hold a pace that is 2 seconds faster than your baseline number

Cool Down-HR Zone 1: Focus on a straight back and leading with your legs and finishing with your arms coming to your chest.

Load Level: 3 Duration: 500 Meters Pull Rate: less than 30 Stretch from head to toe

Post Workout Protocols

- Flexibility: complete <u>dynamic movements</u>, <u>static stretches</u> & foam rolling exercises for optimum recovery
- Nutrition: immediately consume 8-10 ounces of iced cold <u>Energy Fuel</u> and <u>Best Whey Protein</u> (1 scoop of each) mixed with almost milk
- Evening Protocols please reference yesterday's notes & video links



Sunday

- Body Analysis please use your Coach Robb Body Analysis Spreadsheet to log this information for evaluation purposes
 Note: If your heart rate is up by four or more beats over last week's average do not train, sleep and eat instead

 Please complete the following based on your track availability Note: seat time is always preferred
- Complete Racing Solutions MX Aerobic Workout #3

[PLEASE REFERENCE THE SPREADSHEET AT THE BOTTOM OF THIS DOCUMENT FOR YOUR WORKOUT OUTLINE]

Pre-Hydration & Nutrition: 10-15 minutes prior to this workout, consume 8-10 ounces of <u>Energy Fuel</u> to top off both your calories and provide you the much-needed electrolytes

Workout Overview: To get the most out of this workout, make sure that you allow yourself some room to pick up the pace the second half of your main intervals. If possible, wear a HR monitor to keep you from going too hard initially - pay close attention to the indicated intensity levels. Proper hydration will be imperative for you to optimize your time on the motorcycle - mental clarity will be important for the last interval of starts.

Post Workout Protocols

- Flexibility: complete dynamic movements, static stretches & foam rolling exercises for optimum recovery
- **Nutrition:** immediately consume 8-10 ounces of iced cold <u>Energy Fuel</u> and <u>Best Whey Protein</u> (1 scoop of each) mixed with almond milk.
- 2 Hour Nap After Post Ride Meal

Misc. Notes: the benefit to a nap is the release of hGH (human growth hormone); with this in mind, eat a post ride meal that is high in carbohydrates (this is a natural sleep aid). The goal is to fall asleep as quickly as possible and stay asleep for 2-3 hours (schedule pending) without waking up hungry. If you wake up hungry, then you need to make a note in your food & training journal that what you ate for lunch wasn't enough. Your brain is fed by your liver, if it runs out of sugar, you will be woken up!

(No Nap - No Afternoon Workout - choose one of the following)

Complete Racing Solutions Row: Distance Intervals

Workout Notes: this workout is going to acclimate your body to staying comfortable while it is working at a high level of intensity. To maximize the amount of oxygen available to your working muscles, focus on diaphragmatic breathing through your stomach and then your chest. Remember to lead with your legs for maximum power output and optimized endurance.

Pre-Hydration & Nutrition: 10-15 minutes prior to this workout, consume 8-10 ounces of Energy Fuel to top off both your calories and provide you the much-needed electrolytes

Warm up: HR Zone 1: Focus on a straight back and leading with your legs and finishing with your arms coming to your chest.

Load Level: 3 Distance: 1000 Meters Pull Rate: 20-25 Stretch from head to toe

Main Set#1: 1000 Meters-picking up the pace every 200 meters up to HR Z3 (no higher) - Repeat 3x

Load Level: 5 Pull Rate: 30+

Transition Set: 1000 Metes @ HR Z2 – stretch & rehydrate as necessary

Main Set#2: 6 x 500 meters: HR Z2 (no higher) - 500 meter/ Active Recovery: HR Z1 (no higher)

Load Level: 5 Pull Rate: 30+

Cool Down-HR Zone 1: Focus on a straight back and leading with your legs and finishing with your arms coming to your chest.

Load Level: 3 Duration: 500 Meters Pull Rate: less than 25 Stretch from head to toe

Complete Racing Solutions Bike: Fragmented Intervals (:50 Total)

Warm up-HR Zone 1: Focus on optimum pedal mechanics right from the beginning

Main Performance Block #1: 10 Minutes (Lower End of HR Z1)

Set Notes: with your cadence between 75-85; tallest gearing that you can maintain while keeping the chain tension tight and maintaining your cadence zone; every 10 minutes stand up and stretch your hamstrings, quads, calves and lower back. Hydrate with Energy Fuel, Complete Red & Purples to maintain your blood sugar & energy levels.

Performance Block #2: 20 minutes (High End of HR Zone 2)

Repeat the following for the next 30 minutes

2 Minutes: initially out of the saddle for 30" and then into a seated position for 1:30 holding the tallest gear combination than you can maintain a 50-60 range-capture the highest speed achieved during the 1:30 interval. Maintain a smooth pedal stroke for the entire interval.

At the end of the interval, go into a very easy gear combination and maintain for 3 Minutes (Low End of HR Z2) Repeat the 2 minute "on" / 3 minute "off" until 20 minutes has transpired (please don't surpass)

Cool Down (HR Zone 1): Keep a close eye on your HR level for the final 5 minutes

Duration: 10 minutes **Gearing:** the easiest combination that allows for 85-90 cadence & HR Z1

Cadence: 85-90 **Misc.:** don't dismount until your heart rate is within HR Z1



Complete Racing Solutions Aerobic MX Workout #2	Workout Focus: Muscular Endurance and Strength	
	Description	Intensity
Warm Up - 10 Minutes	Focus: Gradual Warm Up	
Protocols:	Row or Bike for 10 minutes - break a solid sweat prior to moving over to your motorcycle	40%
1 100000.01	Stretch for 5 minutes - head to toe; hydrate if needed	10 /0
Main Set #1	Focus: Starts & Transitions	Intensity
Protocols:	10 Minutes of starts - use your core; keep your upper body relaxed	N/A
	10 Minutes of first turn transition - push with the outer knee and keep the inner knee pressed up	N/A
	Rest For 5 Minutes - Stretch from head to toe / Re-hydrate with Energy Fuel	,
Main Set #2	Focus: Intensive Endurance	Intensity
Workout Protocol:	Complete your interval with a start and then settle into the track at a pace that you can	
	maintain (less than a two second deviation) for 15 minutes	
Elapsed Times:	Lap 1 Time: Lap 2 Time: Lap 3 Time: Lap 4 Time: Lap 5 Time:	80-85%
Elapsed Times:	Lap 6 Time: Lap 7 Time: Lap 8 Time: Lap 9 Time: Lap 10 Time:	80-85%
Elapsed Times:	Fastest Lap Time: Average Lap Pace:	
	Rest For 10 Minutes - Stretch from head to toe / Re-hydrate with Energy Fuel	
Main Set #3	Focus: Intensive Endurance	Intensity
Workout Protocol:	Complete your interval with a start and then settle into the track at a pace that you can maintain (less than a two second deviation) for 15 minutes	
Elapsed Times:	Lap 1 Time: Lap 2 Time: Lap 3 Time: Lap 4 Time: Lap 5 Time:	80-85%
Elapsed Times:	Lap 6 Time: Lap 7 Time: Lap 8 Time: Lap 9 Time: Lap 10 Time:	80-85%
Elapsed Times:	Fastest Lap Time: Average Lap Pace:	
	Rest For 10 Minutes - Stretch from head to toe / Re-hydrate with Energy Fuel	_
Main Set #4	Focus: Intensive Endurance	Intensity
Workout Protocol:	Complete your interval with a start and then settle into the track at a pace that you can maintain (less than a two second deviation) for 15 minutes	
Elapsed Times:	Lap 1 Time: Lap 2 Time: Lap 3 Time: Lap 4 Time: Lap 5 Time:	80-85%
Elapsed Times:	Lap 6 Time: Lap 7 Time: Lap 8 Time: Lap 9 Time: Lap 10 Time:	80-85%
Elapsed Times:	Fastest Lap Time: Average Lap Pace:	
	Rest For 10 Minutes - Stretch from head to toe / Re-hydrate with SPORTS DRINK	
Elapsed Times:	Fastest Time: Average Time:	
	Rest For 5 Minutes - Stretch from head to toe / Re-hydrate with Energy Fuel	
Main Set #5	Focus: Starts & Transitions	Intensity
Protocols:	10 Minutes of starts - use your core; keep your upper body relaxed	N/A
	10 Minutes of first turn transition - push with the outer knee and keep the inner knee pressed up	N/A
	Rest For 5 Minutes - Stretch from head to toe / Re-hydrate with Energy Fuel	
Warm Down	10 Minutes of easy riding - nothing structured or intense (watch the HR monitor to ensure)	40%
	Stretch passively from head to toe. Eat a complete meal within 20 minutes of this workout.	

Workout Notes: Familiar protocols - strive to be consistent for all three main sets. If you have more than a two second deviation, then your average speed need to increase slightly or you need to slow down your initial pace. Remember, the idea is to teach your body what it is like to maintain a consistent pace from the first to last lap. If possible, try to wear your HR monitor to help keep you honest throughout this workout.

Post Workout Protocols

- Flexibility: complete dynamic movements, static stretches & foam rolling exercises for optimum recovery
- **Nutrition:** immediately consume 8-10 ounces of iced cold <u>Energy Fuel</u> and <u>Best Whey Protein</u> (1 scoop of each) mixed with almond milk.



Complete Racing Solutions Aerobic		
MX Workout #3	Workout Focus: Aerobic Enhancement / Pacing	l
	Description	Intensity
Warm Up	Focus: generate blood flow into all the working muscles	
Elapsed Time	Ride either your bike on the trainer or row for 10 minutes - even tempo / sweating when finished	40%
	Stretch passively (no bouncing) from head to toe	
Main Set #1-Starts	Focus: Body Balance and Reaction Time	Intensity
Workout Protocol:	Complete 10 starts from the gate; when the gate drops, evaluate where you are on the bike for	
	optimum hook up (front end stays down and the bike tracks straight). Focus on breathing deep	
	and using your legs and core muscles to track the bike straight (verses your arms where the bike	
	pivots around the steering head). Fight the tendency to tighten up - this cuts off your breathing.	
	Begin to internalize what your "pace" feels like when nail your starts.	
Elapsed Times:	Interval 1: Interval 2: Interval 3: Interval 4: Interval 5:	N/A
Elapsed Times:	Interval 6: Interval 7: Interval 8: Interval 9: Interval 10:	N/A
Elapsed Times:	Fastest Interval: Average Interval:	
	Rest For 10 Minutes - Stretch from head to toe / Re-hydrate with Energy Fuel	
Main Set #2-20 Minute Moto	Focus: Aerobic Enhancement / Negative Split	Intensity
Workout Protocol:	Complete your interval with a start and then settle into the track at a pace that you can	
	maintain (less than a two second deviation) for 20 minutes. At the halfway point, increase your	
	pace slightly (1 to 2 seconds) and maintain to the end of the moto.	
Elapsed Times:	Lap 1 Time: Lap 2 Time: Lap 3 Time: Lap 4 Time: Lap 5 Time:	75-80%
Elapsed Times:	Lap 6 Time: Lap 7 Time: Lap 8 Time: Lap 9 Time: Lap 10 Time:	80-85%
	Fastest Lap Time: Average Lap Pace:	
	Rest For 10 Minutes - Stretch from head to toe / Re-hydrate with Energy Fuel	
Main Set #3-20 Minute Moto	Focus: Aerobic Enhancement / Negative Split	Intensity
Workout Protocol:	Complete your interval with a start and then settle into the track at a pace that you can	
	maintain (less than a two second deviation) for 20 minutes. At the halfway point, increase your	
	pace slightly (1 to 2 seconds) and maintain to the end of the moto.	
Elapsed Times:	Lap 1 Time: Lap 2 Time: Lap 3 Time: Lap 4 Time: Lap 5 Time:	75-80%
Elapsed Times:	Lap 6 Time: Lap 7 Time: Lap 8 Time: Lap 9 Time: Lap 10 Time:	80-85%
	Fastest Lap Time: Average Lap Pace:	
	Rest For 10 Minutes - Stretch from head to toe / Re-hydrate with Energy Fuel	
Main Set #4-Starts	Focus: Body Balance and Reaction Time	Intensity
Workout Protocol:	Complete 10 starts from the gate; when the gate drops, evaluate where you are on the bike for	
	optimum hook up (front end stays down and the bike tracks straight). Focus on breathing deep	
	and using your legs and core muscles to track the bike straight (verses your arms where the bike	
	pivots around the steering head). Fight the tendency to tighten up - this cuts off your breathing.	
	Begin to internalize what your "pace" feels like when nail your starts.	
Elapsed Times:	Interval 1: Interval 2: Interval 3: Interval 4: Interval 5:	N/A
Elapsed Times:	Interval 6: Interval 7: Interval 8: Interval 9: Interval 10:	N/A
Elapsed Times:	Fastest Interval: Average Interval:	
	Rest For 10 Minutes - Stretch from head to toe / Re-hydrate with Energy Fuel	
Warm Down	15 Minutes of easy riding - nothing structured or intense (watch the HR monitor to ensure)	40%