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NEWS RELEASE

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Jad BMX Rider Earns National Title

MUSCATINE, IA SEPTEMBER, 2010: The 2010 BMX motocross racing season has wrapped and Jeff Holz of Moline, IL has earned a top spot in the National Bicycle League (NBL) by winning the novice class #1 plate.

BMX, or off-road bicycle racing, was a medal sport at the Beijing Summer 2008 Olympics. Competitors gather behind a gate and jockey to the finish line over a groomed dirt track, sprinting and jumping over hills and around hairpin curves. This growing, family friendly sport has two primary sanctioning bodies, the NBL and the ABA (American Bike Association).

Jeff, who has been competing in sanctioned BMX motocross events for the past two years and is a regular at the East Moline BMX Speedway in Moline, IL (www.embm.com), racked up 1st place wins at an ABA and four NBL national qualifying races this year to take home the #1 plate in his class. Jeff raced with sponsors including ODI Grips, OSIRIS

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shoes and apparel, both of California and Jad, of Muscatine, Iowa. He raced the 2010 season on a Jad bike frame.

The Jad frame is constructed with only a single top tube. "It's different – there's nothing else out there like it," says Jeff. In addition to the unique appearance of the frame, it has a head tube angle that is less steep. "This stretches the wheel base out further than other bike frames, keeping the rider in frequent contact with the ground, and ground contact increases speed," explains Jeff.

Jad bikes got its start in a California garage in the 1990's, disappeared for a decade or more, and has recently been resurrected by a few BMX enthusiasts. The unique BMX frame design found its way to the Midwest and is now crafted in Muscatine, Iowa by Fabricators Plus.

BMX racing bikes are prized for their lightweight, yet indestructible construction and are typically designed with a dual tube. The Jad BMX frame is a one-piece chromoly, precision machined and compression fit performance frame that weighs less than six pounds. For additional strength the frame is welded both internally and externally.

More speed will be critical for Jeff's future plans. He will compete in the expert class division at national qualifying races during the 2011 BMX racing season which kicked off earlier this month. Jeff regularly updates the Jad Bikes Facebook page with BMX events, photos and video clips. He is employed by Fabricators Plus of Muscatine, IA.

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