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## Royal Distributing Motovan Piller's Racing presented by Huber Motorsports ready for MX1 action



Gerhart Huber, owner of Huber Motorsports, is excited to announce his brand new motocross team is ready to make its debut at the opening round of the Rockstar Energy Drink CMRC Motocross Nationals this Sunday, June 4<sup>th</sup>, at Whispering Pines Raceway in Kamloops, British Columbia.



“I’m super excited to be able to have Huber Motorsports enter the Canadian motocross racing scene. A lot of people worked hard in getting this put together for our June 4th debut. Thanks to Stu and Christian, and Allan from Motovan, and the rest of the Huber Motorsports crew and riders, for all their efforts and long hours,” Huber said. “Also, a special thank you to all our sponsors who came on board with us, especially everyone at Royal Distributing and Motovan.”

“Personally, I’m pretty pumped to have this new addition to the Huber Motorsports program for 2017, a lot of work has gone into making this whole deal come together with such little time,” Huber Motorsports’ Christian Huber added enthusiastically. “We’re coming into the first round of CMRC with the intentions of turning some heads.”

Royal Distributing’s president Scott Spark agrees with Gerhart and Christian Huber’s words regarding the possibilities of this new team. “Royal Distributing is excited to join

together with Huber Motorsports in this new national motocross race team endeavour. Royal Distributing has a long history being involved in motocross racing and we look forward to this new chapter in our already extensive involvement in the support of Canadian Motocross. At Royal, we thrive on winning and will work hard as a 'team' to bring home a National Championship title," Spark said.

Mike Paladino, VP Marketing and Sales Motovan Corporation, also weighed in on the new team with exuberance. "Motovan Corporation has been a proud supporter of racing for over 35 years and excited to be part of another Canadian Motocross venture. Along with Royal Distributing, Piller's and Huber Motorsports, we're eager to bring along several enthusiastic partners of ours into a top level race team, including Shot Race Gear and Zox Helmets. We are really looking forward to a great MX season and can't wait to see how our top level riders perform," Paladino said.

The 2017 Honda CRF450R-mounted team, which consists of Tyler Medaglia, Nathan Bles, and Kyle Chisholm, will focus exclusively on the premier MX1 class. Both Medaglia and Chisholm have won MX2 titles in the past but are still looking for their first MX1 crown. Although Bles has a bit more left to prove than his teammates, look for all three riders to aim for consistent top-five to podium finishes in their bid to be among the top contenders in the MX1 class.

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In dedication to Gerhart Huber's youngest son, Kurtis—who has autism—Royal Distributing Motovan Piller's presented by Huber Motorsports will be racing the entire 2017 Motocross Nationals season in support of Autism Awareness.

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**About Piller's – A Proud Heritage:** In 1957, Wilhelm Huber opened a small butcher shop in Waterloo, Ontario using family recipes and traditional European meat processing methods to provide his customers with authentic, great-tasting European deli meats. Two years later, his brothers Edward and Heinrich joined the company, which became Piller's Sausages and Delicatessens Limited.

From those humble beginnings, Piller's has become one of North America's largest producers of European sausages and deli meats, famous for award-winning products such as Black Forest ham and air-dried salamis. To this day, after five generations of sausage makers, Piller's still uses the same natural aging, curing, and smoking process that had customers lining up outside Wilhelm Huber's butcher shop over 60 years ago. The company was acquired by Premium Brands Holdings Corporation in 2011 and is now known as Piller's Fine Foods.

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