CTT Newsletter – March 2022

It's the CTT centenary year and six special events are being put on to mark the occasion, and also some commemorative mugs are now for sale. Don't forget your lights and helmets; district youth heats start soon; and more!

Coronavirus

Please remember:

The threat of Covid-19 and the risk of infection does still remain. If you are not well or showing signs of Covid-19 then please do not attend any CTT event.

Centenary events

CTT is celebrating its centenary this year with four road bike events over 25 miles, a 100k 4-up time trial and a hill climb. The first event took place on 20 March 2022 and included the RTTC National Road Bike Championship, but there are more events to go, details below.

The criteria for the machines used are below:

- No tri bars, clip on bars or Spinaci bars
- No disc wheels. Both front and rear wheels must each have a minimum of 12 spokes. The maximum rim depth on all wheels is 65mm
- No aero helmet or a helmet that covers the ears, or a helmet with a visor, is to be used
- Riders must not ride with their forearms resting on the handlebars at any time.

Event	Distance	Organising club	Course	District	Closing date
date					
10/04/22	25 miles	San Fairy Ann CC	Q25/15	South East DC	01/04/22
05/06/22	25 miles	Bynea CC	R25/4	South Wales DC	24/05/22
18/09/22	25 miles	GS Metro	M2510	North East DC	06/09/22
15/05/22	100km	Midland District	K3/100KM	Midland DC	11/05/202
	4-up				
03/07/22	Hill climb	Cleveland Whs CC	THC60	Teesside DC	21/06/2022
			& THC61		

Centenary mugs

To mark the centenary year, some commemorative mugs are now for sale from the CTT website, priced $\pm 7.50 + \pm 3.99$ p&p. To order one, log on to your profile and then click on Shop in the black bar along the top.

Cycling Time Trials: NEWS: You'd be a mug not to want these!









Events levy

The levy for 2022 events will remain the same as 2021, Type A Open events £5, Type B Club events £3.

Lights and helmets



As the season gets underway, this is a gentle reminder that no competitor shall be permitted to start either a Type A or Type B event unless such competitor has affixed to the front of their machine a working white light and rear of their machine a working rear red light, both lights can be either flashing or constant, that are illuminated and in a position that is clearly visible to other road users. (Reg. 14(i) and 14(j)).

Reg 15: All competitors must wear a properly affixed helmet which must be of hard/soft shell construction.

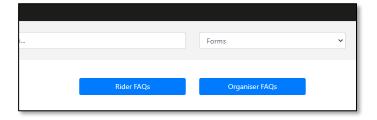
No lights + no helmet = no ride. This is non-negotiable.

National Youth (GHS) district heats

The heats for the GHS National Youth Championship are now starting around the various districts. Can riders and organisers please be aware that "a person may enter and compete in only one District Championship: such a person shall be a member of a club affiliated to the District Council or a pupil at a school situated in the District Council in which the District Championship takes place". All riders must be under 17 years of age on 31 August 2022. The final this year is being held on 11 September in North Midlands district on the O10/1.

Frequently Asked Questions

Two sets of FAQs, one for riders and one for organisers, are now on the home page of the CTT website. These will be updated as necessary but, if you still can't find the answer to your query, please email Support



(support@cyclingtimetrials.org.uk) who will be happy to help.

Changing clubs and updating profiles

Please can riders check their CTT profiles and make sure that any clubs they are no longer a member of are deleted, otherwise this can cause some confusion.

To delete the old club, click on your name on the top right of the website, then select 'My Clubs' from the dropdown menu, there you can make the changes and remove any clubs you are no longer a member of. If using a mobile phone you will need to turn it sideways as otherwise the buttons needed maybe off the screen. A rider may only change their first claim club or trade team once only in any calendar year.





2022 handbook

The 2022 handbook is available to order online from the CTT shop (link below) at a price of £12.50 (+ £2.50 p&p). https://www.cyclingtimetrials.org.uk/shop



Finally – keep your heads up and stay safe!



