VTTA South Wales Group

Timekeepers

Robin Field (start) Norman James (Aberdulais turn) Tudor Thomas (finish)



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2012 Veterans Time Trials Association Championship Gordon Butler Memorial Open 50 Mile Time Trial Saturday 22nd September

Headquarters (open from 11am until 6pm.):-Main Hall at TRW Sports & Social Club, Resolven, Neath SA11 4HN

Parking is available either in the Public Car Park by the canal - off B4242 immediately to the west of Resolven roundabout - or on the access road **beyond** the HQ (about 350m from the A465 Resolven roundabout on the parallel access road which leads from the roundabout SW towards the industrial area - s/p "Works").

The former TRW car park opposite HQ is now privately owned and Out of Bounds (no insurance cover).

Spectators and competitors, please refrain from parking your vehicles around the Start and Finish areas.

1st VTTA member on Std	2nd VTTA member on Standard	3rd VTTA member on Standard	1st Team of 3 VTTA members on Standard	Fastest VTTA member		
VTTA National Champion Gold Medal, Jersey, & Cap	VTTA Championship Silver Medal	VTTA Championship Bronze Medal	VTTA National Championship Team Gold Medals	VTTA National Championship Silver Medal		
Team of 3 on greatest aggregate of Standards						

2012 VTTA National 50 mile Championship Prizes:

Gordon Butler Memorial 50 mile Time Trial Prizes:

1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place	1st Team of 3	1st Woman		
£40	£35	£30	£60	£20		
Team on Bidlake (fastest third rider).						

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Course R50/3d

START along A465 dual carriageway heading east towards Blaengwrach at beginning of first lay-by on left, about 2 km east of the Resolven roundabout. Continue eastwards on A465 dual carriageway to Blaengwrach ("Macdonalds") roundabout; FIRST **left**, (s/p B4242 Glyn-neath) continue about 350 m on cross-valley link road to junction with old Vale of Neath road; turn **left** (s/p B4242 Resolven) going westwards via Pentreclwydau to pass the Finish line - about 200 m past Rheola Pond and opposite Rheola main entrance (4.05 miles); continue past *"30"* sign at Resolven; continue on B4242 via Abergarwed and Ynysarwed to climb Rock and Fountain hill; Continue westwards on B4242 past Aberdulais village sign to junction with A4109; bear **left** with extreme care - GIVE WAY - down A4109 to Aberdulais interchange where take first **left** down slip road to join A465 dual carriageway eastbound. Proceed eastwards to Resolven roundabout. Take 2nd exit, continuing on A465 passing START point; continue eastwards on A465 dual carriageway turning **left** at Blaengwrach roundabout; **left** again via Pentreclwydau, etc. to pass finish line opposite Rheola main entrance (19.427 miles) Then complete another TWO laps, to **Finish** opposite the lodge to Rheola main entrance (50.198 miles).

PEDESTRIANS AND MARSHALS ARE NOT PERMITTED ON THE DUAL CARRIAGEWAY SO KEEP A GOOD LOOK OUT FOR RACE SIGNS AND ARROWS.

PLEASE BEWARE OF TRAFFIC ENTERING AND LEAVING THE RHEOLA SATURDAY MARKET OPPOSITE THE FINISH.

In the interest of your own safety, Cycling Time Trials and the event promoters strongly advise you to wear a Cycle Safety Helmet that meets an internationally accepted safety standard.

In addition, CTT and the event promoters recommend that Competitors should fit a working rear LED light to enhance visibility to other road users. Competitors should particularly bear in mind that the A465 is a fast road.

Please ensure you have signed on before the start. Numbers and Signing on sheets are located in the event headquarters. One free tea coffee or soft drink upon returning your number after the race.

It's approximately 2 miles from the headquarters to the start line so please ensure you allow ample time.

VETERANS TIME TRIALS ASSOCIATION VTTA 50 mile CHAMPIONSHIP 2012

Prize Presentation on the day of the Championship

The only riders eligible for VTTA Championship awards are those who are paid-up VTTA members at the closing date for entries (Reg 3.4.2) and have completed the section on their entry form 'VTTA Members Only' (Reg 3.1.2).

Championship awards are for the following:

The Best on Standard overall will be the **National Champion** and will be presented with a gold medal, a Championship jersey and a Championship cap on the day of the event.

The 2nd and 3rd on Standard will each be presented with a medal (silver and bronze respectively) on the day of the event.

The best team of three on Standard will be the **National Championship Team** and will be presented with gold medals on the day of the event.

The Fastest Overall VTTA member will be presented with a silver medal on the day of the event.

All medals presented on the day of the event must be returned to one of the VTTA's NEC representatives attending.

All the above winners will be presented with engraved medals at the VTTA National Prize Presentation in February 2013, when the National Champion will also be presented with a Championship trophy to hold for one year.

ORDER OF PRESENTATION ON THE DAY OF THE EVENT

1.	Fastest rider overall	silver medal
2.	Championship Team	gold medals
3.	3 rd on Standard	bronze medal
4.	2 nd on Standard	silver medal
5.	Champion	gold medal, jersey & cap

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