NOTES TO COMPETITORS

The headquarters at Llanwrda will be open at about 07.10hrs but are in a real sleepy, snoozy village so you are kindly asked to keep the noise down and avoid slamming car doors, etc.

There is the world's largest permanent cowpat on <u>that</u> bend near Manordeilo and in wet weather it becomes a bit of a cowpat slick so be careful! It regularly takes out motorcyclists so speedy testers on skinny tyres are easy prey in the wet.

Regarding motorcyclists, then the whole area is a bit of a magnet for our leather-clad friends but, thankfully, they're a good-natured bunch and generally respectful of our sport ("two wheels good") so just be aware because they don't half shift!

On a race of this distance and on rural roads you should always expect the unexpected! But you'll have plenty of time to make up any delays so please don't take any unnecessary risks and make getting back home to your families your first priority and a fast time your second priority.

The CTT, the South Wales Police and the event organiser all strongly recommend the use of Snell/ANSI helmets. Keep your head up and have a safe and speedy ride.

At time of writing, there is currently one short stretch set of 'temporary' traffic lights (due to road edge erosion following the floods) just south-west of Llandovery. There's really not much we can do about this and it is a really short set of lights...

Dear Deidre

Q. I've heard that Wales is silly hilly and the course gives me the fear. Will I need a triple chainset?

A. Fear not West Wales virgin. This course is mildly 'sporting' and there are no brutal climbs, just a couple of long drags. Trust me, I'm a race organiser. If you do need to use your inner chainring then you can claim a free Welsh cake from the cake stall.



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THE WEST WALES CYCLISTS' LEAGUE



PRESENT AN OPEN 100-MILE TIME-TRIAL

Sunday, June 15th, 2014 starting at 08.01hrs on the R100/1 course

EVENT HEADQUARTERS – LLANWRDA VILLAGE HALL

START TIMEKEEPER – ALF WILLIAMS (PORT TALBOT WHS)

FINISH TIMEKEEPER – ROBIN FIELD (CARDIFF BYWAYS)

AWARDS LIST

Fastest Rider - £40 Fastest Lady Rider - £30

2nd Fastest - £30 2nd Fastest Lady Rider - £20

3rd Fastest - £20 3rd Fastest Lady Rider - £10

Fastest Vet/Std - £20 Fastest Team of <u>3</u> Riders - £30

Strictly one award per rider (except team) but unused prizes will be passed down.

EVENT SEC: ALF WILLIAMS, 25 TAN-Y-GROES STREET, PORT TALBOT, SA13 1EL, 01639 770581

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| No. | NAME | CLUB / TEAM | CAT | VET/STD | START |
| 1 | PAUL GRIFFITHS | CARDIFF AJAX CC | V59 | 5.07:21 | 08:01 |
| 2 | CATHERINE ETCHELL | BRECON WHS | LV51 | 5.21:29 | 08:02 |
| 3 | RHYS JORDAN | TEAM NBCC | | | 08:03 |
| 4 | IAN BAINBRIDGE | CLEVEDON & DIST' RC | V62 | 5.12:00 | 08:04 |
| 5 | DAVID MEDHURST | CARDIFF AJAX CC | | | 08:05 |
| 6 | GARY FLOWER | ACME WHS | V45 | 4.51:31 | 08:06 |
| 7 | JASON STRANGE | OGMORE VALLEY WHS | V41 | 4.47:16 | 08:07 |
| 8 | ROSS PHILLIPS | CWMCARN PARAGON | | | 08:08 |
| 9 | RICHARD DANKS | CLIMB ON BIKES RT | | | 08:09 |
| 10 | PAUL COLMAN | PEMBROKESHIRE VELO | V53 | 4.59:49 | 08:10 |
| 11 | ANTHONY HUDSON | CC BLAENAU GWENT | V55 | 5.02:08 | 08:11 |
| 12 | HEATHER DENNIS | CARDIFF AJAX CC | LV41 | 5.10:04 | 08:12 |
| 13 | NIGEL JONES | HEREFORD WHS | V45 | 4.51:31 | 08:13 |
| 14 | MIKE LAWRENCE | TEAM NBCC | V57 | 5.04:37 | 08:14 |
| 15 | ARWEL DAVIES | BYNEA CC | V41 | 4.47:16 | 08:15 |
| 16 | ELINOR THOROGOOD | YSTWYTH CC | L | | 08:16 |
| 17 | CARL SCOTT | PEMBROKESHIRE VELO | | | 08:17 |
| 18 | CHRIS ALLEN | PORT TALBOT WHS | | | 08:18 |
| 19 | RICHARD WILDER | SAN DOMENICO | V40 | 4.46:07 | 08:19 |
| 20 | RHYDIAN EVANS | CC BLAENAU GWENT | | | 08:20 |

Welcome to the 2014 West Wales '100' one of the true 'classics' on the South Wales racing calendar. The R100/1 is unusual for a '100' course in that it uses just the one road (the scenic A40) on which competitors will encounter a variety of terrain. Whilst it is a slightly sporting course (debate/discuss) it is also 'good for the head' in so much that you are always climbing, descending, taking a bend or admiring the scenery and therefore stay mentally fresh.

Please make sure that you become totally familiar with the course by tracing it with your finger on a road map or by doing a practice lap at 03.00hrs. Mention must be made of the fact that as an 'umbrella organisation' the West Wales Cyclists' League has no membership assets of its own and marshals will be a rare sight so please get to know the course and especially the initial turn at Llandeilo and then the far turns at Brecon and Abergwili East.

Good luck to all competitors and especially to our visitors from outside of the South Wales District. Enjoy the day!

| No. | NAME | CLUB / TEAM | CAT | VET/STD | START |
|-----|-------------------|--------------------|------|---------|-------|
| 21 | GUY EVANS | HEREFORD WHS | V55 | 5.02:08 | 08:21 |
| 22 | JUSTIN FORD | CC BLAENAU GWENT | V40 | 4.46:07 | 08:22 |
| 23 | STEVEN MADELEY | OGMORE VALLEY WHS | V52 | 4.58:43 | 08:23 |
| 24 | TONY CULLEN | TOTAL TRI TRAINING | V40 | 4.46:07 | 08:24 |
| 25 | PAULA MOSELEY | CLIMB ON BIKES RT | LV41 | 5.10:04 | 08:25 |
| 26 | KEVIN BARTLEMORE | ACME WHS | V46 | 4.52:32 | 08:26 |
| 27 | MARK NOTT | OGMORE VALLEY WHS | V45 | 4.51:31 | 08:27 |
| 28 | ANDREW SPARKS | HEREFORD WHS | V52 | 4.58:43 | 08:28 |
| 29 | ROB JONES | OGMORE VALLEY WHS | | | 08:29 |
| 30 | DAN COLMAN | FORZA RT | | | 08:30 |
| 31 | DAVID FRANCIS | TEAM NBCC | V42 | 4.48:22 | 08:31 |
| 32 | DAN TAYLOR | ACME WHS | | | 08:32 |
| 33 | PAUL THOMAS | PORT TALBOT WHS | V45 | 4.51:31 | 08:33 |
| 34 | CHRIS MARTIN | YEOVIL CC | V47 | 4.53:33 | 08:34 |
| 35 | ROB ELLIS | BYNEA CC | V49 | 4.55:34 | 08:35 |
| 36 | JAMES WILTSHIRE | ST AUSTELL WHS | | | 08:36 |
| 37 | RHYS PAYNE | PORTH & DISTRICT | | | 08:37 |
| 38 | NICK BROWN | TEAM NBCC | V56 | 5.03:21 | 08:38 |
| 39 | GRAHAM BROOKHOUSE | VC MONTPELLIER | V51 | 4.57:39 | 08:39 |
| 40 | DANIEL THOROGOOD | YSTWYTH CC | V52 | 4.58:43 | 08:40 |
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COURSE DESCRIPTION - R100/1 (Rev) - START in lay-by with GPO cable box in verge on the A40 approx. 1.7 miles south-west of Llanwrda and proceed along the A40 south-west to the Llandeilo rbt (5.572 miles) where circle rbt and retrace past Llanwrda (12.993 miles) and continue on the A40 through Llandovery, Trecastle and Sennybridge to the Brecon West rbt (37.208 miles) where circle rbt and retrace on the A40 through Sennybridge, Trecastle and Llandovery past Llanwrda to Llandeilo rbt (68.939 miles) where 2nd exit (i.e. right) along the A40 Llandeilo by-pass to Abergwili East rbt (81.643 miles) where circle rbt and retrace along A40 back to Llandeilo rbt (94.550 miles) where 1st main exit (i.e. left) and proceed north-west along the A40 to FINISH at drain cover on LHS of road approx. 36 yards past the start.

N.B. There is a very small roundabout near Llangadog that you will reach within a few puffs and pants of the start. Always go straight on at this roundabout to stay on the A40. Allow yourself enough time to get to the start. It's about two miles so a 12mph plod will take 10 minutes.