



# Newsletter

## January 2009

### Diary Dates for January

**Thursday, 1st January. New Year's Day**

**Friday, 2nd January.** 10.00 Meet at Thornbridge to set up the course for the next day's cyclo-cross.

**Saturday, 3rd January.** 9.00 Hopey New Year Audax from Hope - 108km

9.15 MTB ride starting from the new car park opposite Stanley Fearn's

11.30 BSCA East Midlands Cyclo-Cross Championships (entries closed 23/12/08)

12.00 onwards, 15th Notts & Derby Cyclo-Cross League event at Thornbridge Outdoors, Great Longstone promoted by Matlock CC. Please come and help, or ride.

**Sunday, 4th January.** Meet for a social ride starting at 9.30 in Crown Square, Matlock

**Monday, 5th January.** 9.30 Slow morning ride from Cromford market place.

18.30 MTB ride from the Laburnum, Hackney Road.

**Tuesday, 6th January.** 19.00 Meet for a road ride starting from Crown Square, Matlock

**Thursday, 8th January.** 19.00 one hour training ride, departing promptly from Crown Square.

20.00 New Year Resolutions

**Saturday, 10th January.** 9.15 MTB ride starting from the new car park opposite Stanley Fearn's

**Sunday, 11th January.** Ladies ride departing Crown Square at 9.30.

13.00 Track session at the velodrome

**Monday, 12th January.** 9.30 Slow

morning ride from Cromford market place.

18.30 MTB ride from the Laburnum, Hackney Road.

**Tuesday, 13th January.** 19.00 Meet for a road ride starting from Crown Square, Matlock

**Thursday, 15th January.** 19.00 one hour training ride, departing promptly from Crown Square.

20.00 Dr Bike. Please ring Rob on 01629 822259 for an appointment

**Saturday, 17th January.** 9.15 MTB ride starting from the new car park opposite Stanley Fearn's

**Sunday, 18th January.** Meet for a social ride starting at 9.30 in Crown Square, Matlock

**Monday, 22nd December.** 9.30 Slow morning ride from Cromford market place.

18.30 MTB ride from the Laburnum, Hackney Road.

**Tuesday, 20th January.** 19.00 Meet for a road ride starting from Crown Square, Matlock

**Thursday, 22nd January** 19.00 one hour training ride, departing promptly from Crown Square.

20.00 Clubnight

**Saturday, 24th January.** 9.15 MTB ride starting from the new car park opposite Stanley Fearn's

12.00 onwards 16th Notts & Derby Cyclo-Cross League event at Watchwood Plantation

**Monday, 26th January.** 9.30 Slow morning ride from Cromford market place.

18.30 MTB ride from the Laburnum, Hackney Road.

**Tuesday, 27th January.** 19.00 Meet for a road ride starting from Crown Square, Matlock

**Thursday, 29th January** 19.00 one hour training ride, departing promptly from Crown Square.

20.00 CTT Championships 2008 - DVD

**Saturday, 31st January** 9.15 MTB ride starting from the new car park opposite Stanley Fearn's

**Press Secretary.** Chris Sharp needs your results and any other information by Sunday night. Chris can be reached at chrisrach@fsmail.net or 01773 856075. Harry Gould is writing the cyclo-cross reports.

**Club Kit.** New club kit is available. Ordering is on-line at Impsport's website or by phone using a club-specific password to get your discount. This password will be on your membership card.

**New Sponsors** We are pleased to welcome Stanley Fearn Cycles as one of the new club sponsors. They are offering a 10% discount on parts and accessories to all members. Please take your membership card with you.

welcome. For info call Richard 07941156162

**Home Information Packs** Paul Dalton works in Matlock at Chubb and Co., Solicitors at Bridge House, 1, Dale Road Matlock. 581252 Chubb and Co work with all local Estate Agents and produce HIPS at competitive prices, if you are thinking of selling your house call Paul before putting it on the market!

Chubb and Co are one of the new club sponsors.

**Thanks.** Thanks to all who helped in any way at the Regional Cyclo-Cross Championships.

**Notts & Derby Cyclo-Cross League**

**Events** These events follow a similar pattern, just the venue changes. The under-10 race is at 12 noon ; the under-12 race is at 12.30 ; the youth race (under-16) is at 13.00 and the rest - seniors, veterans, juniors starts at 14.15. Ages

are as 1st January 2009. Cost : Under-10 and under-12, free ; youth, £4 ; junior (under-18), £5 ; Vets and seniors, £10. More information can be had from Harry and Lee or by looking at : <http://www.ndcxl.org>

**Club Trophy Presentation Evening.** This evening takes place on Saturday, 7th February, 2009 at 20.00 using Starkholmes Village Hall. Tickets are the same price as last year - £10/£4

**Tour de France 2009** We are hoping to see a couple of stages near to or after Limoges ie near to the Vosges. Departure would be mid-morning on Sunday, 12th July, returning on Sunday 19th, July. Details soon. There may be a walking alternative?

**Chain Gang** Every Thursday night (out of Time trial season) One hour, hard, leave Crown Square 7pm on the dot. Finishes at the club room.

**Track riding at Manchester** January session booked for Sunday 11th, 1 to 3 pm. Beginners or experienced riders are both welcomed. For info call Richard 07941156162

**Club Subscriptions** These are due on the 1st January 2009 Adult £12, Family £20, Junior 16+ to 23 £6, U16 £2, Second Claim £6.

The club has a Membership Secretary - John White, his contact details are on the membership form. This form will also be available on the Club website

**Club Auction** This is going to take place on Thursday 26th February. Please contact Harry on 01629 822259 if you have anything to sell.

**BSCA National Cross Championships** 26th January at Halifax. Details from Mandy Parker, 0113 255 5775. If you intend to ride please let me know as you will need a BSCA licence .

**Matlock Cycling Club is sponsored by : Wards Shoe Shops ; Farmers of Matlock : Stanley Fearn Cycles ; Chubb and Co..**

**Contact Sue Statham , the club secretary, for more information about club activities on 01629 584238 or Email : [kianga@btinternet.com](mailto:kianga@btinternet.com)  
Club website : [www.matlockcyclingclub.org.uk](http://www.matlockcyclingclub.org.uk)**

A fast New Year to all our members