



Newsletter

May 2009

Diary Dates for May

Saturday, 2nd May. 9.15 MTB ride starting from the new car park opposite Stanley Fearn's

9.30 Coaching at Whitworth Park

Sunday, 3rd May. 8.00 Open 10 mile time trial. Help appreciated especially at the event HQ, Rowsley village hall.

Meet for a social ride starting at 9.30 in Crown Square, Matlock

Monday, 4th May. 9.30 Slow morning ride from Cromford market place.

18.30 MTB ride from the Laburnum, Hackney Road.

Tuesday, 5th May. 18.30 5 mile time trial - club championship. Signing on takes place near to the bus shelter on the A6020 at Ashford in the Water. Prompt signing on required.

19.00 Meet for a road ride starting from Crown Square, Matlock

Thursday, 7th May. 18.30 Short Hilly time trial - club championship. Starts at the end of the access road to Cromford railway station. Prompt signing-on required.

Club room open after the time trial, from about 19.00

Saturday, 9th May. 6.00 300km Audax : Everybody Rides to Skeggy - from Alfreton

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

Sunday, 10th May. Ladies ride departing Crown Square at 9.30.

9.00 BSCA National and East Midland Regional Circuit Race Championships at

Darley Moor.

12.00 Darley Moor crit

14.00 BSCA East Midland Regional Time Trial Championships at Darley Moor.

Help with the above championships will be much appreciated.

Monday, 11th May. 9.30 Slow morning ride from Cromford market place.

18.30 MTB ride from the Laburnum, Hackney Road.

Tuesday, 12th May. 19.00 10 mile time trial. Starts at Four Lane Ends, Darley Dale.

19.00 Meet for a road ride starting from Crown Square, Matlock

Thursday, 14th May. 19.00 Long Hilly time trial. Starts at the end of the access road to Cromford railway station.

Club room open after the time trial, from about 19.30

Saturday, 16th May. 9.15 MTB ride starting from the new car park opposite Stanley Fearn's

Sunday, 17th May. Meet for a social ride starting at 9.30 in Crown Square, Matlock

Monday, 18th May. 9.30 Slow morning ride from Cromford market place.

18.30 MTB ride from the Laburnum, Hackney Road.

Tuesday, 19th May. 19.00 10 mile time trial. Starts at Four Lane Ends, Darley Dale.

19.00 Meet for a road ride starting from Crown Square, Matlock

Thursday, 21st May. 19.00 Long Hilly time trial. Starts at the end of the access road to Cromford railway station.

Club room open after the time trial, from about 19.30

Dr Bike : Please ring Rob on 01629 822259 for an appointment

Saturday, 23rd May. 9.15 MTB ride starting

from the new car park opposite Stanley Fearn's
9.30 Coaching at Whitworth Park

Monday, 25th May. 7.00 Twenty five mile time trial championship using A25/12. Starts at small layby on the A6, 200m north of Church Road/A6 junction, Darley Dale.

18.30 MTB ride from the Laburnum, Hackney Road.

Tuesday, 26th May. 19.00 10 mile time trial. Starts at Four Lane Ends, Darley Dale.

19.00 Meet for a road ride starting from Crown Square, Matlock

Entries close for the BDCA 50 mile time trial which is also the club championship. The event takes place on Sunday, 7th June using the Bakewell - Sainsburys island circuit.

Thursday 28th May. 19.00 Long Hilly time trial. Starts at the end of the access road to Cromford railway station.

Club room open after the time trial, from about 19.30

Saturday, 30th May. 9.15 MTB ride starting from the new car park opposite Stanley Fearn's The Grouse 10 takes place on Wednesday, 10th June, starting at 18.30 using the A10/16. Note that entries close at 12 noon today, the 30th May. Richard Thoday needs your entry on time as he has only 10 days to organise the event.

9.00 100km Tramway Audax from Crich.

Press Secretary. John White is acting as Press Secretary. - stories, news, photos to John White, 01629 56341, johnwhite244@btinternet.com. John needs to keep a high profile for the Club on the sports pages of local press. Please help by sending him your news by Sunday evenings. Thanks to Eric Ruthenberg, Chris Green and the Thodays for photos which have been published recently.

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 is on your membership card.

For those with no internet access, Lee Shunburne will act as co-ordinator and arrange an on-line order of your garments. Lee can be contacted on 01246 590228

Thanks to John for taking over as club press secretary.

Sunday Club Runs Coming soon, club run every Sunday. There will be a diary of club runs on the website. We would like club members to put their name to a ride/rides to ensure that there is someone there each week from the club. Please email Chris Metcalfe at iam_mrmecalf@hotmai.com with the dates that you could offer. This list will eventually be displayed on the club website.

Track Racing Forest Town Track (Mansfield) Racing every Monday night until September. More info at www.foresttowntrack.co.uk or call Richard :07941156162

Touring Trophy This takes place on Wednesday, 24th June, starting at 16.30 from Minninglow car park on the High Peak Trail. It consists of a treasure hunt of about 10 mile (unless you get lost) using the trail and lanes in the district. The trophy is for the winning individual but groups and families can also take part. More details next month.

Coaching Volunteers. This year we have had between twenty and forty children at the Saturday morning coaching sessions at Whitworth. We would appreciate any offers of help at these sessions. We would like to have at least two adults with each group. Contact Dawn for more details.

Matlock Cycling Club is sponsored by : Wards Shoe Shops ; Farmers Garage 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 : matlockcc@live.co.uk Club website : www.matlockcyclingclub.org.uk