**Thoughts of Richard and Bryn**

**First of all, thank you so much for entering our Event and especially for riding in the most unpleasant conditions.**

**It was disappointing that we only had a small field and we will have to take some time to consider why there has been such a reduction in numbers across many of the events in the area.**

**The result of the small field is that the competition overall is not so much fun but also the reduction in income makes it uneconomic to continue.**

**It would be a shame if we were unable to continue to promote and it would help if you were to spread the word in your Clubs that if you don’t support Time Trials then they will disappear.**

**Having had my rant, I must congratulate you all for finishing in very respectable times and in particular, Ben Elliott for winning in exactly 20 minutes and Robert Gilmour for beating the CTT Target Time by 6m 29s**

**Next we would like to record our thanks to all the helpers, without whom there would have been no Elitecycling Time Trial. So, in no particular order we acknowledge: -**

**Lesley Donington Clarence Wheelers Principle Timekeeper**

**Mike Labram Crawley Wheelers Assistant Timekeeper**

**Tony Alston 34 Nomads CC Recorder**

**Richard Williams Elitecycling Spotter / Transmit times to HQ**

**Sarah Strong Elitecycling Marshal, Clarks Green Rbt**

**Nicola Thompson Elitecycling Checker, Clarks Green Rbt**

**Josh Lawless Elitecycling Marshal, Beare Green Rbt**

**Gordon Barclay Elitecycling Marshal, Beare Green Rbt**

**Colin Derrick South Eastern RC Marshal, Spook Hill**

**Bryn Tully Anerley BC Signage / Pusher off**

**Richard Tully Elitecycling Signage / Result Board**

**Jan Tully Anerley BC Signing on / Catering Manager.**

**Therefore, to run the Event in which 19 riders took part, it took 12 volunteers to put it on.**

**Finally, I hope you find some smooth, dry roads in the near future, with a following wind and we look forward to doing it all again next year.**

**Richard**