

## 24-06-18

## LONDON WEST DISTRICT GHS TIME TRIAL

## ABOUT

The George Herbert Stancer (OBE 1878-1962) 10 Mile Time Trial Championship is named in tribute to a man of many talents. George Herbert Stancer or GHS as he was known, in his early years was a nationally renowned performer
 on both cycle and tricycle holding both titles \& records. Throughout his career he was a leading administrator of the sport, taking over the presidency of the CTC in 1920 at a time when the membership was only about 8,500 . Almost from the day he took over the membership started to grow again, and he had the satisfaction of seeing it rise to over 50,000 before his retirement in 1945. GHS was also for several years editor of cycling magazine and he continued to be active in the sport until his death in 1963. After his death a trust fund was established with aim of promoting and encouraging participation amongst the young. To this end the National Schools 10 mile championship was formed and later adopted by the RTTC in 1970.

Since 1966, the event has attracted some very familiar names as winners, such as lan Stannard, Chris Boardman, and Steve Cummings. The competition takes place across the country during May and June as the different Time Trial regions hold heats to select the riders to be invited to attend the national finals later in the year.

Please note: Tweed suit is optional, but Hard Shell helmets (not flat caps) are mandatory for all riders!


HEAD DOWN RIDING CAN BE FATAL

3 Riders Killed and over 45 Riders Injured in Head Down Accidents in the last 5 Years

KEEP YOUR EYES
ON THE ROAD
AHEAD

We are using Bird Hills Golf Club as the HQ. The address of the Golf Club is Bird Hills Golf Centre, Drift Road, Hawthorn Hill, Maidenhead, SL6 3ST. PLEASE NOTE - Sign-on will be located in Mare Lane at the start

The HQ is situated about 1 mile from the start. The HQ provides changing facilities, toilets and a welcoming bar for refreshments and food. Please respect the golf club and its users as this is an oasis for time trialists within the area!

PLEASE NOTE - Sign-on will be located in Mare Lane at the start. All riders must sign on AND sign out! Please return to the start, return your number and sign out.

Please note that for 2018 all competitors are now required personally to sign the signing out sheet when returning their number. Failure to do so will result in the competitor being recorded as "Did Not Finish"


## THE START

Mare Lane is a residential area, so we kindly ask you to respect local residents and park in Smewins Road which is 200 m away from the start, and closer to the finish. There is ample parking in this lane and well away from local houses.

THE RACE

Please be aware that this race is on public roads. It is therefore mandatory that traffic laws are adhered to and also that extreme caution is used at all times. Marshalls and signs shall be in place to indicate your route. Riders will be set off at one minute intervals.

You will go past the finish point a total of three times. When you have finished, please ride through the finish and return to the start. You should not make a U-Turn directly near the finish, but you should use one of the road junctions further along the course to make a safe turn.
Please be aware of other road users at all times. It is not uncommon in this area to come across more horse riders than car drivers. Extreme caution should be used when passing horses that may require you to go slow and go wide, even when racing!
Should you run into difficulty - unless close to the start or finish, stay where you are on the course! We will have a broom wagon travelling in the opposite direction to the race to pick up stranded riders.

THE RULES
The races will be run under Cycling Time Trials (CTT) rules. There is NO DRAFTING allowed. Period. Riders must be able to ride their own equipment, and we reserve the right to remove any dangerous riders or equipment from the race. There are NO GEAR CHECKS.

All riders must present a completed Parental Consent form. Please print off the one in this program and bring it with you. No Parental Consent - No Ride! No warming up on the course shall be permitted once the first rider has started.

## MEDALS AND RESULTS

Medals and results will be available immediately after the race at the sign-on area at the HQ. All riders that take part shall be awarded with a District Medal and Certificate. Riders who qualify shall gain automatic entry into the National final later in the year as per the table below:

| Category | District Event | National Final |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Winner | Automatic entry to <br> National Final | GHS Trophy and medal presented at <br> Champions Night |
| 2nd and 3rd Placed riders | Automatic entry to |  |
| National Final | GHS Medal presented at Champions |  |
| Night |  |  |

## THE COURSE



| OS Ref. | Description | Dist (Miles) |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 851751 | START in Mare Lane near Beenhams Heath at junction with Drift Road. | 0.000 |
| 833745 | lurn left into Drift Road and continue to Shurlock Row where bear left (M1) and left <br> again after approx. 150 yds. to the junction with Straight Mile (M2). | 1.492 |
| 846732 | Turn left and continue over the Motorway to the junction with Howe Lane (M3). | 2.679 |
| 860753 | Turn left into Howe Lane and continue to the roundabout at the junction with Drift <br> Road (M4). | 4.239 |
| 850752 | Turn left into Drift Road to go over the motorway bridge to the Mare Lane sign. | 4.842 |
| 848752 | Continue west to repeat the circuit to the Mare Lane sign. | 10.000 |
| 844750 | Continue west on the Drift Road to a tree 20 yards after overhead power cables <br> where FINISH. |  |

## RACE SCHEDULE

Please see below for your start time.

| Bib | Start Time | First name | Last name | Club | Gender | Category |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 08:01:00 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | 08:02:00 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | 08:03:00 | Duncan | Pritchard | Palmer Park Velo | Male | Junior |
| 4 | 08:04:00 | Millie | Coleman | Hillingdon Slipstreamers | Female | Juvenile |
| 5 | 08:05:00 | Grace | Reynolds | London Dynamo | Female | Junior |
| 6 | 08:06:00 | Freya | Eccleston | Palmer Park Velo | Female | Juvenile |
| 7 | 08:07:00 | Kirsten | Stilwell | Princes Risbourough Secondary School | Female | Juvenile |
| 8 | 08:08:00 | Jonathan | Lund | Palmer Park Velo | Male | Juvenile |
| 9 | 08:09:00 | Edward | Charles | Charlotteville Cycling Club | Male | Juvenile |
| 10 | 08:10:00 | Adam | Charleston | Hillingdon Slipstreamers | Male | Juvenile |
| 11 | 08:11:00 | Sophie | Quay-Clark | Palmer Park Velo | Female | Juvenile |
| 12 | 08:12:00 | Alex | Franks | Hillingdon Slipstreamers | Male | Juvenile |
| 13 | 08:13:00 | Ella | Coleman | Hillingdon Slipstreamers | Female | Juvenile |
| 14 | 08:14:00 | Conor | Williams | Hillingdon Slipstreamers | Male | Juvenile |
| 15 | 08:15:00 | Eva | Callinan | Hillingdon Slipstreamers | Female | Juvenile |
| 16 | 08:16:00 | James | Brown | Hillingdon Slipstreamers | Male | Juvenile |
| 17 | 08:17:00 | Emma | Keiller | Charlotteville Cycling Club | Female | Juvenile |
| 18 | 08:18:00 | Owen | Abery | Palmer Park Velo | Male | Juvenile |
| 19 | 08:19:00 | Oscar | Clark | Palmer Park Velo | Male | Juvenile |
| 20 | 08:20:00 | Oisin | Murphy | Hillingdon Slipstreamers | Male | Juvenile |
| 21 | 08:21:00 | Luca | D'Arcy Willett | Zappi Racing Team | Male | Juvenile |
| 22 | 08:22:00 | James | Lloyd | Zappi Racing Team | Male | Juvenile |
| 23 | 08:23:00 | Charlie | Bailey | Hillingdon Slipstreamers | Male | Juvenile |
| 24 | 08:24:00 | Euan | Backus | Zappi Racing Team | Male | Junior |
| 25 | 08:25:00 | Tom | Portsmouth | St Georges College Weybridge | Male | Junior |

## ARRIVING LATE TO THE START SHALL INCUR A TIME PENALTY FROM YOUR ALLOTTED TIME TO THE MOMENT YOU REPORT TO THE STARTING TIMEKEEPER

# HELP AND ASSISTANCE 

This event is only possible through the hard work of volunteers. If you would be willing to help marshal this event, then please make yourself known at sign-on. In return, you will be given a free Hi-Viz tabard (to borrow)

Emergency Contact: Dave George 07413779219
Timekeeper: Andrew Small (Maidenhead and District CC)

Please subscribe to our twitter feed @HSlipstreamers for updates and news

If you have any queries, please contact racesec@slipstreamers.co.uk


If you have not ridden the course before, we will be holding a "Recce Ride" on Sunday $17^{\text {th }}$ June. We will muster at mare lane for a 9:30 group ride around THE COURSE IN SMALL GROUPS.

No AERO BARS FOR the GROUP RIDE PLEASE. A PARENTAL CONSENT FORM SHALL BE filled in on the day. After the group ride you are free to practice the course WITH AERO EQUIPMENT AT YOUR OWN RISK.


The use of performance-enhancing drugs and other doping behaviour severely damages the legitimacy of cycling and undermines the integrity of clean riders. The anti-doping principle of strict liability means that a rider is responsible for their conduct, the decisions they make and the results of any test they undergo regardless of whether or not they intended to cheat.

It is therefore vital that all riders conduct themselves within the rules and make informed decisions to ensure they race clean. Hayley Simmonds does, do you?

Cycling Time Trials believes in clean cycling working In partnership with UK Anti-Doping (UKAD) to ensure the integrity of our sport

## PARENTAL CONSENT TO BE SIGNED BY PARENT OR GUARDIAN OF ENTRANTS UNDER THE AGE OF 18

To entry of rider under 18 years of age during the (year)___ season in (Name of Club)

## I (Name and Address)

Being the Parent (or Guardian) of
Who was born on:

HEREBY AGREE to his/her participation in the Club Events promoted for and on behalf of Cycling
Time Trials under their Rules and Regulations and DECLARE as follows:-

1. I understand and agree that my said son/daughter participates in events promoted under the Company's Rules and Regulations, entirely at his/her risk and without liability whatever on the part of the promoter, promoting club, Cycling Time Trials, its Chairman, National Committee Members, District Committee Members, Officers and Officials of member clubs, Event Secretaries (promoters), Timekeepers, Marshals, Course Measurers, Caterers or helpers in the conduct of the event in respect of any injury loss or damage suffered by him/her however caused whether by negligence or otherwise.
2. I understand that the function of the marshals in such events is to do no more than indicate the precise spot at which the rider should turn or the direction he or she should take and that the responsibility for safely negotiating a turn or any other change of direction must rest with the rider alone.
3. I understand further that all competitors in or in the vicinity of the event must observe the law of the land relating to road travel and when racing must ride entirely alone and unassisted.
4. I am satisfied that my son/daughter is sufficiently responsible and experienced to assume full and entire responsibility for his/her own safety whilst engaged in a competition of this kind on the public highway.
SIGNED:

## DATE:

Photocopied signatures are not acceptable.

## WITNESS:

## (Signature, Name, Address and Official Position in Club)

