

**Open Hill Climb- Course HHC018**

**Sunday, 15th October 2023, 10am**

**START SHEET**



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| **Event Headquarters** | |
| **Holybourne Theatre**  London Road  Holybourne  GU34 4EL | Numbers and signing on at the Theatre from  9am  Allow 5 minutes to reach the start. |

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| **Time Keepers** | **Event Secretary** |
| Jim Brown, Farnham RC  David Clifford, Farnham RC | Jim Parker 07767 788916  jimclareparker@gmail.com |

**PLEASE NOTE : Facilities at the HQ will be limited. We will have the use of the toilets, the foyer and one smallish room adjacent to the foyer, but NOT the main hall, which is being used for rehearsals for the theatre at the same time as our event is in progress. Please respect this situation. We will provide refreshments after the event.**

**This worked well last year and we trust will do the same this time round.**

**PRIZES**

**As we have a small field this year, expenditure will exceed revenue. In view of this, the club will make a donation to the Phyllis Tuckwell Hospice in Farnham in lieu of prizes. We trust that this will meet with your understanding.**

**At the HQ and other requirements**

• **DO NOT WEAR CLEATED SHOES** in the HQ as the floor is newly painted!

• Please do not park at or near the start. Whilst there is very limited parking at the HQ there is

on-street parking in its immediate vicinity on London Road and in a small car park at

Barley Fields, which is over the junction of London Road with the B3004. Please

note that there is no room to park on the hill. Parking there will use up valuable

passing space which could result in a competitor being delayed. **PLEASE PARK**

**CONSIDERATELY AND AVOID THE RESIDENTIAL ROADS OPPOSITE**

**THE THEATRE.**

• Competitors must **SIGN IN** before competing and **SIGN OUT** when returning their

number. Failure to do so will result in the competitor being recorded as DNF.

Under 18s must bring a parental consent form when they sign in.

• Residential properties back onto the HQ – Please keep noise to a minimum and

please be courteous to local residents when riding through the village and in the start

area.

• Please keep socialising to a minimum at the HQ or at the start and finish lines.

•Competitors should not attend if they feel ill in any way or if family members have Covid

symptoms or are self isolating. This includes if you feel ill after signing on.

• No support can be offered if a competitor suffers mechanical difficulties.

• Please do not arrive at the start line more than 3 minutes before your start time.

**Important information – Reporting of breaches of local Regulations**

LWDC 5: All breaches of Local Regulations shall be reported in writing to the

London West District Secretary.

**How to get to the start from the Race HQ (5 minutes’ riding time)**

* Turn left out of HQ along London Road
* Then take 2nd turning on left into Howards Lane (1st turning is entrance into

Treloars School)

* Follow this around right hand bend to reach start by Church

**Course Description:**

**HCC018**

Start at the junction of Church Lane and Howard’s Lane, adjacent to the gate at the

field entrance and proceed northward to finish prior to Brockham Hill Farm Cottages.

Approx.1.5km.

<https://www.cyclingtimetrials.org.uk/course-details/hhc018>

Competitor information

• This race is promoted for and on behalf of Cycling Time Trials under their rules and

regulations. These can be viewed on their website at

<https://www.cyclingtimetrials.org.uk/articles/view/11>

• Please take extreme care on the course as the road is narrow in places, and is open to

normal traffic. The race will be well signed and marshalled but there may be other

vehicles including farm machinery on the course.

• Please do not ride up or drive on the course when the race is taking place. After the

finish, descend safely down the course to return to the HQ. Whilst doing so, please be

mindful of riders coming up the hill.

• ALL competitors must wear a PROTECTIVE HELMET, in accordance with CTT Regulation 15.

• In accordance with current CTT regulations illuminated front and rear lights must be fixed

to the cycle in positions where they are visible to other road users.

• Please note that a competitor:

(a) May not receive a push start;

(b) May not cover any part of the course on foot; and

(c) May not be accompanied by persons on foot.

• The course has been risk assessed, and this can be viewed here:

https://www.londonwestdc.co.uk/hhc018ra . Details of any hazards not listed on this

start sheet will be displayed or advised at the signing on point.