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Wyre Forest CRC

An introduction



A Brief Introduction to Wyre Forest CRC

Wyre Forest CRC was founded in 1977, and has a membership base drawn mainly from the North Worcestershire area. We also have members from further afield and welcome anyone who wants to join us.

Club Night

We meet every Friday night at 8.00pm at the Stourport Sports Club, The Kingsway, Stourport-on-Severn, Worcestershire, DY13 8BQ, where we chat about the weeks exploits, and exchange tales of woe.

Social Events

We hold a number of social events throughout the year, which include Skittles evening, Quiz nights, Roller racing, and the infamous Club weekend (an event not to be missed!). There is also the Annual Prize presentation dinner where the trophies are awarded to club members in all different categories, disciplines and age-groups.

Affiliations

As well as being a registered go-ride club, we are affiliated to British Cycling, Cycling Time Trials, and the South Staffordshire Cycling Association.

Coaching

We have a number of qualified British Cycling Coaches on hand to offer advice and support for any cyclist of any ability. The club also benefits from a vast array of cycling experience in a multitude of disciplines, so if you have a question, someone, somewhere in the club, definitely has an answer!

Go-Ride & Clubmark

The club is a Go-Ride Clubmark accredited club. That means we have met the minimum criteria as laid down by Sport England And British Cycling. For more details on Go-Ride, our Go-Ride activities and Clubmark, visit the Go-Ride pages of the website.

Club Rides

We have organised rides throughout the Summer and Winter, catering for all abilities, and starting from different locations. The route is generally decided on the day, and you can just turn up and ride with one of the groups.

Racing Events

We promote a number of events throughout the year, including: a weekly series of Club races throughout the summer, Open Time Trials, Road Races Cyclo-Cross, and for 2008 a Sportive.

More Information

For more information, and by far the best resource, is the club website which updated on a daily basis with all the latest club news and events: <http://wfcrc.org.uk>.

Alternatively, or if you don't have access to the Internet, feel free to stop a club member in the street (if you see one), or contact anyone on the contacts list overleaf.

The club offers something for everyone. We are neither elitist or cliquy but we are serious about our sport and enjoy it, in whatever form, to the maximum. We have sponsors who kindly fund the club, and with the support from them, and the members, our club is going from strength to strength, so come and join us!

Sports Equity Monitoring

Whilst it is not compulsory that this section is completed, the following paragraph explains why it is important.

Sport can and does play a major role in promoting the inclusion of all groups in society; however, inequalities have historically existed within sport, particularly in relation to gender, race and disability. British Cycling is committed to promoting and developing sports equity, which is about fairness in sport, equality of access, recognising inequalities and taking steps to address them. By monitoring the profile of young people in our clubs we can identify any issues relating to under-representation of different groups and can develop strategies to ensure that all young people have the opportunity to develop and progress in cycling.

Ethnicity - In order to help us monitor our membership, can you please tick one of the following boxes to identify your ethnic group:

White		Mixed	
British <input type="checkbox"/>		White and Black Caribbean <input type="checkbox"/>	
Irish <input type="checkbox"/>		White and Black African <input type="checkbox"/>	
Any other White background (please specify)		Any other Mixed background (please specify)	
Asian or Asian British		Black or Black British	
Indian <input type="checkbox"/>		Caribbean <input type="checkbox"/>	
Pakistani <input type="checkbox"/>		African <input type="checkbox"/>	
Bangladeshi <input type="checkbox"/>		Any other Black background (please specify)	
Any other Asian background (please specify)			
		Chinese or other ethnic group	
		Chinese <input type="checkbox"/>	
		Any Other (please specify):	



Wyre Forest CRC Application for Membership

We are pleased to welcome you to our club. To ensure that we have the correct contact details for you, please insert the information requested below and return this form, along with the associated membership fee*, to:

John Smith
Membership Secretary, Wyre Forest CRC
41 Pershore Road
Kidderminster
Worcs, DY11 6DJ

If you are under 16 please also ask a parent or carer to complete an 'Emergency Contact Detail / Parental Consent' form before it is returned. We will also use this information to ensure that you are kept informed about club events.

Personal Details of Individual

Name:

Gender: Male / Female

Address:

Postcode:

Date of Birth:

Email:

Telephone Home:

Mobile:

Membership Type

	£	
Senior	15.00	[]
Senior Under 23 on 01/01/2010 in full time education	5.00	[]
Junior (Under 18 on 01/01/2010)	FREE	[]
Juvenile (Over 12 but under 16 on 01/01/2010)	FREE	[]
Family (Living at the same address)	20.00	[]
Second Claim	10.00	[]

* Please make cheques payable to Wyre Forest CRC

Emergency Contact Details (to be completed by parent/carer)

Please indicate below the person who should be contacted in case of an incident/accident

Contact Name: Relationship to child:

Emergency Contact Numbers

Home: Mobile:

Notes

1. It is part of the Wyre Forest CRC Code of Conduct to ensure that reasonable steps are taken to establish a safe environment where young people can enjoy developing their cycling skills.
2. Parents/carers are welcome to stay and watch the session but this is not compulsory.
3. Young people are expected to remain in the session from beginning to end unless they have to leave early. If the young person has to leave early or is being collected by someone other than the parent/carer, the parent/carer must advise the coach of the details of the arrangement, including who will be collecting the rider.
4. It is the young person's responsibility to participate in cycling activities in a sporting manner.
5. Any young riders who persistently misbehave or put others in danger will be asked to leave the session.
6. It is the parent's/carer's responsibility to ensure that their child's bike is in a safe condition to ride.
7. A correctly fitting cycling helmet must be worn at all times during the cycling activity sessions.
8. For all children under 12 years, coaching sessions will take place at a traffic-free facility. Over 12s may be involved in coaching sessions that take place on the public highway. Young people are only invited to take part when the coaches feel they are sufficiently responsible for their own actions and have developed the necessary bike handling skills and fitness levels in order to cope with riding on the public highways.

Please tick if you do not want your child to be involved in cycling activity sessions that take place on the public highways (See note 8 above).

Parental Consent

I, being the parent/carer of _____ have read the information contained on this form and hereby consent to him/her taking part in the cycling activity sessions and understand and agree that he/she participates in cycling activity sessions under the instruction Wyre Forest CRC coaches/members entirely at his/her own risk. I have considered the nature of such sessions and have discussed them with him/her. I am satisfied that he/she is sufficiently responsible and competent to assume full and entire responsibility for his/her own safety under the supervision of a Wyre Forest CRC coach/member. I confirm that he/she does not have any disability or medical condition (not disclosed overleaf) that could affect his/her ability to participate safely in cycling activity sessions.

- By returning this completed form, I agree to the child named above taking part in the activities of the club.
- I understand that I will be kept informed of these activities - for example timing and transport details.
- I understand that in the event of any injury or illness all reasonable steps will be taken to contact me, and to deal with that injury/illness appropriately.

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Signature of Parent/Carer:

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