

Ride Secretary's report

AGM 23/24 Rides Secretary

We have enjoyed another full year of cycling with approximately 200 On Road and 150 Off Road rides arranged to the cafes and pubs around Reading. We also have arranged Audax events and Off-Road weekends away to explore further afield.

We organise the following 9 Club rides each week:

Tuesday Road meet up (organised by Rob Butler)

Wednesday Road Rides (organised by Leslie Adams)

Wednesday Night Road Rides (organised by Jeanette Jeans)

Wednesday Night Off Road Rides (2 sides (Short,Long) in the Summer organised by Ian Doyle)

Wednesday Night Gravel Rides (organised by Martin Soanes)

Friday Off Road Rides (organised by Ian Doyle)

Saturday Road Rides (organised by Ian Moore)

Sunday Road Rides (organised by Jeanette Jeans)

Sunday Off-Road Rides (organised by Ian Doyle)

The Gravel Rides and Friday Off Road Rides are a new offering this year in response to demand and are proving to be a growth area!

Most of our rides are very well supported with between 5 and 15 people attending although our Sunday Road rides have struggled to become a regular fixture since Covid.

For the coming Year we are linking with RBC and Avanti Cycling to arrange some Newcomer rides once a month.

Unfortunately due to Work Commitments which involve time overseas, I have decided to step down from the role at the AGM. I wish my successor all the best.

Ian Collier
Rides Secretary