



March Newsletter

- The AGM is set for Monday 21st March at Carmarthen's football Club. I would be grateful if those wishing to attend could let me know as to have some idea of the proposed number of attendees.
- 15th March is the deadline date for continental orders, so anyone needing supplies get your orders to Mike Tarling before the 15th.
- Selection dates have been set for team Wales representation events Youth <14 / <16yrs for the:
 - ✓ North West Youth Tour – Blackpool – 28/5/11-31/5/11,
 - ✓ Inter Regional Road Champs – Edinburgh – 8/7/11 – 10/7/11,
 - ✓ The UK School Games (MTB) at Sheffield – 2/9/11 – 4/9/11, and the
 - ✓ Inter-regional tract champs to be held at Newport 23/9/11 – 25/9/11.

The Selection races for the **North West Youth Tour** – x4 males / x4 females to be chosen;

3/4/11 – National Youth Circuit Series at Taunton, Somerset.

(I have looked this event up and can't locate it on the BC calendar. I am thinking that it maybe the Bristol Circuit race as this is part of the national youth circuit on the 3rd April- with a closing date of 27th March. I will confirm later).

9/4/11 – Maindy Flyers Single Day Stage Race at St Athans, Vale of Glamorgan.

(Again I have tried to locate this event and can't locate it on the BC calendar and again will confirm later).

The Selection races for the **Inter Regional Road Champs -
Edinburgh** – x4 males / x3 females to be chosen;

The North West Tour 28/5/11 – 31/5/11 at Blackpool. Please note the entry deadline for this event is 6/5/11.

The Selection races for the **UK School Games - Sheffield** – x4 males /
x4 females to be chosen;

5/3/11 – Welsh MTB Series round 2 at Cefn Dyrys (Builth Wells) – online entries closed
26/2/11, (please refer to welsh cycling website if on the day entries are accepted as I am unsure).

15/5/11 – Welsh MTB Series 4/welsh Champs at Fforest Fields (Builth Wells) – online entries
close 8/5/11. (I am sure that there are no on the day entries for this event but again please review the
welsh cycling website to confirm).

26/6/11 – British MB Series 4 at Margam Park, pre entry only closing date 23/6/11. Visit
XCracer for entry – BMBS.

The Selection races for the **Inter Regional Track Champs - Newport**
– x4 males / x4 females to be chosen;

14/5/11 – Midlands Regional Omnium Series at Newport. Pre entries only – deadline 30/4/11

5/6/11 – Midlands Regional Omnium series at Cardiff. Pre entries only – deadline 22/5/11.

Please note that Team Wales events are by invitation only – so if you fancy the chance to represent
Wales get your entries in early to avoid disappointment.

More for the calendar:

- 5/3/11 Welsh MTB series round 2 – (selection race) at Builth Wells – Cefn Dyrys.
- 12/3/11, 19/3/11, 26/3/11 - Paramount Stan Jones Circuit races at Syndrome Leisure Centre Shrewsbury. Entries taken on the day, postal entries close on the 5th March. I have been informed that these are ideal for those new to the racing world.
- 13/3/11 – MTB Goldrush Challenge at Coed Y Brenin with all proceeds supporting Air Ambulance, Cancer Research, and a number of local causes to include child literacy programmes, schools gardening projects and junior sports. Entries on-line until 7/3/11 with solo entries at £25 / team entries at £45 for an approx race distance of 45kms. Entries are also taken on the day. Visit the Goldrush MTB Challenge for more info.
- 20/3/11 – Junior National road race at Abergavenny.
- 26/3/11 Icebreaker 3 (LAST ONE) – entries close 12/3/11 – no entries on the day.
- 26/3/11 British MB Series 1 at Sherwood Pines – visit xcracer for race info and entry – no on the day entries being taken.
- 27/3/11 Welsh MTB series 3 closing date for series 3 on 3/4/11 at Coed –y –Brenin, the old visitor centre.
- 31/3/11 – Isle of Man closing date. Send BC road entry form to Youth Your, 14a Cloughbane Avenue, Ramsey, Isle of Man. Please refer to BC calendar for further race info.

For those interested in just getting out on your bike there is the:

- 27/3/11 – The Wiggle Cheshire Cat Sportive.

And if anyone really fancies a challenge then there's;

- The Pembrokeshire Duathlon on the 26/3/11, to which there are a few TRCC members participating so you won't be on your own. (5km run, 22km bike, 2.5km run). Limited entries so hurry to ensure a place.
- 2/4/11 - The Mumbles Duathlon where there is a long course and short course option. Again there are TRCC members participating – I being one, so more Towy Riders the better! Again limited entries so get your entry in quick to avoid disappointment.

Remember, anyone can enter – that includes youth and juniors!! It's a great place to start expanding your talents!

If I have forgotten to add an event, or anyone knows of an event in March that I've missed just let me know. Also, please check out the website as there may be an event listed I've forgotten about. There's lots going on and soon we'll be back on the track for the usual Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday training sessions.

Please remember if you intend to attend the AGM please let me know asap.

Thanks Lee

