

RISK ASSESSMENT

Courses and roads assessed. LL814 - Quarry Road HC	Course local to:	
	Name of assessor: Tim Horton, Lancaster Cycling Club	

Course description

Start on Quarry Road, 20 yards east of Edgemore House at field corner, O.S. Sheet 97 GR 546640. Proceed in an easterly direction to finish at car park entrance before Moorcock Hall Farm, GR 572644 Distance 1.56 miles

Traffic flows

Very few vehicles due to it being a cul-de-sac. Uphill course with two cattle grids and broken road surface in some areas

Course event/history

This is a Type B (Club) events course.



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Key identified risks

	Distance	Location	Identified Significant Risk/Hazards	Level of Risk Low/Med/High	Measures to reduce Risk (if applicable)
1		General	Time of event meets CTT		Traffic counts
		requirements	standards. Course clear on day.		Organiser to ensure course checked on day
2		Before start	Competitors parking. Competitors riding from HQ and warming up.	LOW	Organiser to place 'CYCLE EVENT' warning signs.
3		Start area	Competitors waiting	LOW	Organiser to place cycle event warning signs and display head up sign.
4	0.0 miles	START on Quarry Road, 20 yards east of Edgemore House at field corner, O.S. Sheet 97 GR 546640	Vehicles approaching from rear at time of start	LOW	Organiser to position 'CYCLE EVENT' warning sign to make rivers aware of cycle event and ensure officials to wear high visibility jackets/bibs. LOCAL Rules – riders not to perform a 'U'-turn in the vicinity of the start. Organiser to ensure riders are reminded with a notice at signing-on.
5		Entire course	Vehicles passing on narrow country road	LOW	Organiser to post a notice at signing-on to warn riders
6		Moorland area	Possibility of sheep on road in moorland area	LOW	Organiser to post a notice at signing-on to warn riders
7	~1.0 miles	Cattle grids	Two cattle grids	LOW	Organiser to post a notice at signing-on to warn riders
8	1.56 miles	FINISH at Quarry Road car park	Parked vehicles and pedestrians	LOW	Organiser to post a notice at signing-on to warn riders

NOTES: The use of a vehicle for the timekeeper(s) at start and finish is where appropriate and is only identified as an example for the action to be taken.

- 1. The small junctions or entrances to farms/facilities (garage, eatery, etc) that are not identified in this risk assessment have been considered, however are not considered significant to pose a risk and therefore have not been noted.
- 2. All rules of the road must be followed as to 'the Highway Code'.

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- 3. This risk assessment shall be made available at the event signing on. By the riders signing on to event sheet they accept all hazards identified on this course and are aware that this is an open road event and that they have a duty of care and courtesy to other road users.
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