



South District Risk Assessment Form

CTT Course Number (if already
Allocated):

P845/???

Course Name(or location): Harting Hilly (?)

Distance: 22.1 miles

Date of Original Risk Assessment April 2025

Name of Assessor:

R Watson

Club:

Hampshire Road Club

Total number of marshals required: 3

Course Description: -

START On Common Road at Churchers Corner opposite an abandoned post for a GPO Pillar box in a Lay-by, east of crossroads with B2147 (SU775084).

PROCEED East through Funtington and after East Ashling village sign turn Left onto Stoke Road (SU821078) (2.9 miles). Continue on Stoke Road, becomes Downs Road, through West Stoke to Lavant. At T junction with A286 Turn Left (SU855085) (5.6 miles).

Fork LEFT fork on to B2141 (SU851097) (6.3 miles) and proceed through Chilgrove to climb Harting Hill. Descend hill to T junction with B2146 (14.0 miles) (SU785187)

TURN sharp left on to B2146 to climb Tower Hill and proceed via Compton, West Marden and Walderton.

Fork Left onto B2146 (Hares Lane) towards Funtington (SU783094) (21.1 miles)

FINISH on Hares Lane (B2146) at middle of grassy triangle at access to Adsdean Farm shop. (SU796088) (22.1 miles).

Road Types: (Please click checkbox for all that are relevant) Mainly Dual Carriageway ☐ All single carriageway X
Dual and Singal Mix ☐

Does the course go through a 20mph zone ☐ or 30mph Zone X

Course type: Out and back ☐ Circuit X Hill climb ☐

Course Use : Club X Open ☐

Course/Event History: Revised course to avoid going through centre of Chichester

Distance	Location	Identified Significant Risk/Hazards	Level of Risk Low/Med/High (H/M/L)	Measure to reduce Risk (if applicable)
	General Requirements	Road Usage meets CTT Traffic Standards	L	Traffic Counts Time restrictions on use of Course.

Distance	Location	Identified Significant Risk/Hazards	Level of Risk Low/Med/High (H/M/L)	Measure to reduce Risk (if applicable)
	Before START	Competitors riding from Event Headquarters. Competitors warming up.	L	Cycle Event Warning Sign. Instructions on Start Sheet; - safe route to START - no U turns in sight of Timekeeper
0 miles	START: Start at Common Road at Churchers Corner opposite an abandoned post for a GPO Pillar box in a Lay-by, east of crossroads with B2147 (SU 775084).	Competitors waiting in Lay-by	L	Cycle Event Warning Sign before Start area. Instructions on conduct at Start.
	Lay-by east of crossroads at Churchers Corner SU-775084	Competitors and/or Holder-up falling	L	No additional measures required
	Marlpit Lane SU 783082	Minor Road on Right Side	L	No additional measures required
	Cheesmans Lane SU 790081	Road on right side to Hambrook	L	Cycle Event warning sign facing Cheesmans Lane
	Hares Lane Funtington SU 799082	B2146 joins from Left Event route has priority	L	Cycle Event warning sign facing Hares Lane
	Funtington SU 799082 to SU 803084	Village Centre Residential roads and Car parks for public house	L	Warning on Start Sheet No additional measures required
	Downs Road SU 804084	Minor road on left side	L	No additional measures required
	Woodend Road SU811081	Minor road on left side	L	No additional measures required
	Southbrook Road SU814080	B2146 turns right into Southbrook Road Event route joins B2178 which is straight on Event route has priority	L	Cycle Event warning sign facing Southbrook Road
2.9 miles	Stoke Road to West Stoke SU820078	Course turns L onto Stoke Road	L	Cycle Event Warning Sign. Direction arrow.
	Stoke Road SU821081	Road narrows before a dip which can flood after heavy rain.	L	No event if road is flooded.
	Downs Road on L SU825087	Minor road on Left side	L	No additional measures required.
	Lye Lane SU829086	Minor road and Event HQ on R	L	No additional measures required.
	West Stoke SU832085	Road narrows with cars parked on left-hand side of road outside residential properties. Good sightline of approaching traffic.	L	No additional measures required.
	West Stoke Road SU834084	Minor road on R	L	No additional measures required.

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	Minor road on R SU843055	Minor road on R	L	No additional measures required.
	Two Barns Lane SU849046	Cross-roads with minor road. Event route has priority	L	No additional measures required.
	Lavant SU854085	Primary school on R and Allotment site on L. Potential for parked cars on LH side of road.	L	Advice to rides on Start Sheet.
5.6 miles	Lavant SU855085	Course turns L onto A286 (Midhurst Road)	L	Cycle Event warning sign on A286. Direction sign on West Stoke Road. Marshall/Observer
	Pelican Crossing on A286 SU858085	Pedestrians have right of way. Lightly used outside school hours.	L	Instruction on Start Sheet. Riders must stop when lights are red
	St Nicholas Rd SU858086	Residential road on Right	L	No additional measures required.
	Two Barns Lane and residential development SU852092	Minor road on Left and Residential development on right	L	No additional measures required.
	Lavant Down Rd SU852094	Residential road on Right	L	No additional measures required.
6.3 miles	Junction with B2141 SU850096	LEFT Turn on to B2141	L	Cycle Event Warning Signs, Direction Sign and/or Marshal.
	Binderton Lane SU842107	Minor road on Right	L	No additional measures required.
	Hylter's Lane SU836128	Minor road on Right Brick Kiln & Hylter's Farms	L	No additional measures required.
	Roads to West Dean Woods SU832142	Minor roads on Right. Popular access for walkers and off-road cyclists	L	No additional measures required.
	White Horse PH SU828143	Public House & Parking Area on minor side road on Right. Popular venue for walkers.	L	No additional measures required.
	Chilgrove Hill SU828143 to SU818142	Fast moving south bound traffic may obstruct opportunity of northbound traffic to pass riders climbing the hill.	L	No additional measures required.
	Fork road to East Marden SU818142	Minor road on Left to E Marden.	L	No additional measures required.
	Road to HooksWay PH SU813159	Minor road on Right	L	No additional measures required.
	Road to North Marden SU808169	Minor road on Left	L	No additional measures required.

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	Climb up Harting Hill SU797175 to SU789180	Climb through woods Deer crossing road	L	No additional measures required.
	Top of Harting Hill Hill Lane on Right SU789180	Car park & vantage point Popular venue for walkers	L	Warning on Start Sheet
	Descent of Harting Hill SU789180 to SU785187	Fast descent to T-junction	M	Warning on Start Sheet
	~150 yards before junction (SU785186)	Riders too fast to stop at junction	M	Direction arrow on road signs. Marshall at side of road warning riders of approaching junction.
14.0 miles	Bottom of Harting Hill, T-Junction with B2146 SU785187	Sharp Left turn to commence steep climb up Tower Hill	M	Cycle Event Warning Signs, Marshal and Direction Sign Instruction on Start Sheet
	Access roads to Uppark SU781181 & SU775176	Uppark open to public	L	Event promoter to check opening times.
	Wills Wood SU775162	Sharp right hand bend	L	No additional measures required
	Compton Down Road. Littlegreen Academy SU770157	Minor road on R and school entrance on L followed by minor road on left	L	No additional measures required
	Compton SU774150	Minor road on Left Potential for debris/gravel in road after heavy rain	L	If necessary, advice to riders at sign on
	School Lane, Compton SU776148	Minor road on Left, Village shop & cafe, Pub (currently closed) and popular parking area for walkers.	L	No additional measures required
	West Marden SU773135	Crossroads and parking lay-by : Event route has priority	L	No additional measures required.
	Oldhouse Lane SU775126	Minor road on Right, bridleway on Left.	L	No additional measures required.
	Locksash Lane SU779119	Minor road on Left	L	No additional measures required.
	Cooks Lane SU787107	Minor road on Left	L	No additional measures required
	Road to Walderton SU787104	Minor road on Left. Popular parking area on minor road close to junction.	L	No additional measures required
21.1 miles	Hares Lane (B2146) SU782104	Turn L onto Hares Lane.	L	Cycle Event Warning Sign. Direction Sign
22.1 miles	FINISH On Hares Lane (B2146) at middle of grassy triangle at access to Adsdean Farm shop. SU796088	Finish Area with Time keepers vehicle only	L	Cycle Event Warning Sign Instruction on Start Sheet- no times to be given to riders at Finish.

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	After FINISH	Riders returning to Event Headquarters	L	Instructions on Start Sheet on safe route from Finish back to Event Headquarters.

NOTES:

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. No warming up on the course once the event has started
3. No U Turns within sight of start/finish
4. Antisocial Behaviour will not be tolerated

Please add any more as required

Traffic Counts (Average units across the whole event)




Date	Time	Location and Direction	Count as per CTT Guidance	Location and Direction	Count as per CTT Guidance	Performed by



	20mph dispensation to be completed by two members of the district committee		
Official Name	Position	Date	Notes on reasoning





Assessment History




	Date of assessment	Reason for Review	Performed by:
Version 1	1/5/2025	Original RA – revised course	R Watson, Hampshire Road Club
Version 2			
Version 3			
Version 4			
Version 5			

Signage Positioning Optional , but shows best practice

Distance	Location	Signage	Photo and Fixing Instructions
	Start	Cycle event warning sign	 <p>Sign on spikes in verge. Safe parking – layby on either side of road.</p>
	Cheesmans Lane	Cycle event warning sign	 <p>Sign affixed to leg of signpost. Safe parking on verge.</p>
	Hares Lane, Funtington	Cycle event warning sign	 <p>Sign on spikes in verge, facing Hares Lane. Safe parking in pub carpark.</p>

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	Southbrook Road, Woodend	Cycle event warning sign	 <p>Sign affixed to legs of signpost, facing Southbrook Lane. Safe parking on verge by bus stop or on old course of road.</p>
2.9 miles	East Ashling Turn	Cycle event sign and direction arrow	 <p>Direction sign affixed to sign on grassy island. Cycle event sign on post beyond tree on LHS of road, or on spikes nearby. Safe Parking on Stoke Road a few yards up road on E side in field gateway.</p>

Distance	Location	Signage	Photo and Fixing Instructions
5.6 miles	Lavant	Direction sign	 <p>Affixed to post of give way sign. Safe parking on road by allotments.</p>
5.6 miles	Lavant	Cycle event warning sign	 <p>Affixed to post of 'school children' sign or on stakes in grass below.</p>
6.3 miles	Lavant – B2141 turn	Direction arrow and cycle event warning sign	 
13.9 Miles	Before	Direction arrow	

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	bottom of Harting Hill	on posts of give way sign. Marshall at side of road	Direction arrow on posts of Give Way sign. Marshall at side of road to emphasise need to slow.
14.0 miles	Bottom of Harting Hill	Direction arrow and Cycle event warning sign. Marshall .	 <p>Direction arrow on post of Give Way sign. Cycle event warning sign on spike in verge for traffic heading towards Uppark. Safe parking in small pull off opposite junction on Harting side of road.</p>
21.1 miles	Lordington turn	Direction arrow and cycle event warning sign.	 <p>Direction arrow on post of sign in grassy island and cycle event warning sign on spikes in verge on LHS. Safe parking on verge beyond junction.</p>
22.1 miles	Adsdean - Finish	Chequer board, Cycle event warning sign facing oncoming traffic.	 <p>Finish in middle of island. Chequer board on stakes. Cycle event</p>

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			warning sign on stakes facing on coming traffic. Safe parking on verge around grassy triangle.