GS METRO in association with The Feathers Inn

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**Hedley on the Hill HC**

Promoted for and on behalf of Cycling Time Trials under their Rules and Regulations



Sunday 29th September 2024

**10:06am Start**

Course: MH11

First Rider: 10:06am

Time Keepers: Peter & Frances Schultz

Event Secretary: Ben Lane, Cart House Barn, Melkridge, NE49 0LT

 Tel: 07720054210

Start Team – Lewis Wake and Dale Aitkenhead

**Remembering Neil Souter (1980-2024)**

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Neil was a life-long cyclist. He had competed since his junior days. He was the typical grass roots cyclist. He would turn his hand to anything that the club was involved in. Road Racing, occasionally time-trialling, reluctantly hill climbing. He would also put back into the sport organising road races and always on hand to assist when the club was hosting an event in any capacity asked. Tragically Neil was diagnosed with pancreatic cancer in June 2024 and only a few short weeks later passed away in August. He leaves his wife Gemma and son Daniel.

Today we’ll remember him and many of you knew Neil. Whilst riding up the hill allow yourself a thought as to some scathing put down or sarcastic comment he may have passed in your direction at some time.

He was 43.

Today the number 43 is not issued – we’ll leave this in his memory.

**Sign on Headquarters**

Helen and the team at the Feathers Inn (postcode NE43 7SW) will have the pub open – we’ll do sign on in the car park. Numbers available from 09:00.

**PARKING – please read**

There is a slightly bigger entry than usual – I have obtained agreement to park in Valley View Camping field. This is adjacent to the finish line in the direction of racing. Continue over the line and turn onto the field. A nominal fee of £3.00 will apply which you can drop at sign on and I’ll pass onto the landowner. If you don’t wish to use this facility please park as far out of the village as you can so as to limit congestion. I’d suggest continue out of the village heading away from the finish line towards the glider club if possible.

Each rider must sign for themselves and nobody else before collecting their number. Once the course has been completed, remember to sign out and return your number.  **NOTE: Riders who do not sign-out will be recorded as a “DNF” on the official results sheet.  *Juvenile and Junior riders under the age of 18 on the daymust hand in a completed parental consent form to be permitted to race.***

**Course Description**

Start near the foot of the hill on minor road leading to Hedley on the Hill – opposite electric pylon approx. 100 metres from the T-junction of the minor New Ridley to Painshawfield road. Proceed up hill for approx. 1.7km to finish at crest of hill approx 85 metres before the Hedley on the hill village boundary pillars



**Safety notes:**

* Vehicles of competitors / officials / marshals / helpers to be parked safely and without hindrance to other road users.
* All riders are responsible for their own safety.
* Due to hard winter the general conditions of road surfaces can be poor. Broken surfaces and/or potholes are likely on the course to some degree. It is the responsibility of the rider to be aware of their line and be aware of road conditions ahead.

**Riders:**

* No U-turns to be made in the vicinity of the timekeeper.
* You will not receive a push from the start team in accordance with hill climb race regulations – as the count gets to 3/2/1 GO you will be released without assistance.
* Please refrain from warming up on the course once the time trial has commenced.
* No dismounting in the finishing area.
* You must look ahead and not ride with your head down.
* It is your responsibility to ensure that your machine is roadworthy and that you ride safely at all times.
* You must not take pace or shelter from any other vehicle or competitor (no drafting) – failure to comply may lead to disciplinary action being taken.
* All competitors must wear a properly affixed helmet which must be of hard/soft shell construction. Helmets should conform to a recognised Standard such as SNELL B95, ANSI Z90.4, AUS/NZS 2063:96, DIN 33-954, CPSC or EN 1078. It is the responsibility of the rider to:
* (a)  Select a helmet that offers protection against head injury and does not restrict the rider's vision or hearing.
* (b)  Ensure that the helmet is properly fitted, is undamaged and in good condition.
* No competitor shall be permitted to start unless such competitor has affixed to the rear of their machine a working rear red light, either flashing or constant, that is illuminated and in a position that is clearly visible to other road users.
* No competitor shall be permitted to start unless such competitor has affixed to the front of their machine a working front white light, either flashing or constant, that is illuminated and in a position that is clearly visible to other road users.

To assist the Timekeepers at the finish line can you please ensure that your number is correctly placed and visible from the rear in line with CTT regulations noted below:



**If it’s too high and we can’t see it, this may result in no time being recorded.**

Please shout out your number as you pass the Finish Timekeeper.

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| **Prize List**

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| Open | £40.00 | £20.00 | £10.00 |  |
| Female Senior | £40.00 | £20.00 | £10.00 |  |
| Female Vet | £40.00 |  |  |  |
| Female Youth | £40.00 |  |  |  |
| MV40 | £40.00 | £20.00 |  |  |
| MV50 | £40.00 |  |  |  |
| MV60 | £40.00 |  |  |  |
| CR Open | £50.00 |  |  |  |
| CR Female | £50.00 |  |  |  |
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|  |  | **Spot Prizes** | 8th and 29th |

**Riders**

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| **Bib** | **Start** | **Name** | **club** | **Class** | **Category** |
| 6 | 10:06:00 | Craig Berry | Reifen Racing | Open | Veteran |
| 7 | 10:07:00 | John Hopper | Zeus CRT | Open | Veteran |
| 8 | 10:08:00 | John Walton | Reifen Racing | Open | Veteran |
| 9 | 10:09:00 | Jonathan Murray | South Shields Velo Cycling Club | Open | Veteran |
| 10 | 10:10:00 | Daniel Robinson | North Tyneside Riders CC | Open | Veteran |
| 11 | 10:11:00 | Alex Mitchell | Blaydon CC | Open | Senior |
| 12 | 10:12:00 | Stuart Davison | Allen Valley Velo | Open | Veteran |
| 13 | 10:13:00 | Barry Milton | North Tyneside Riders CC | Open | Veteran |
| 14 | 10:14:00 | Colin Ash | Reifen Racing | Open | Veteran |
| 15 | 10:15:00 | Gabriel Sonczek | Protech Velo | Open | Senior |
| 16 | 10:16:00 | Frank Moore | GS Metro | Open | Senior |
| 17 | 10:17:00 | Stephen Pattison | Muckle Cycle Club | Open | Veteran |
| 18 | 10:18:00 | Adam Azzi | Blaydon CC | Open | Senior |
| 19 | 10:19:00 | John Flanagan | Moonglu CC | Open | Veteran |
| 20 | 10:20:00 | Nev Martin | Team VC | Open | Veteran |
| 21 | 10:21:00 | David Lavery | North Tyneside Riders CC | Open | Veteran |
| 22 | 10:22:00 | Matthew Walmsley | Cestria C.C. | Open | Senior |
| 23 | 10:23:00 | Paul Reay | Outlands | Open | Veteran |
| 24 | 10:24:00 | Mateusz Mazik | Muckle Cycle Club | Open | Senior |
| 25 | 10:25:00 | Jamie Faram | North Tyneside Riders CC | Open | Veteran |
| 26 | 10:26:00 | Louis Hagan | South Shields Velo Cycling Club | Open | Senior |
| 27 | 10:27:00 | Tim Nichol | Blaydon CC | Open | Senior |
| 28 | 10:28:00 | Harry Preston | Muckle Cycle Club | Open | Senior |
| 29 | 10:29:00 | Mark Furness | North Tyneside Riders CC | Open | Veteran |
| 30 | 10:30:00 | Tom Campbell | Muckle Cycle Club | Open | Senior |
| 31 | 10:31:00 | Kyle Hodgson | North Tyneside Riders CC | Open | Senior |
| 32 | 10:32:00 | James Corfield | GS Metro | Open | Senior |
| 33 | 10:33:00 | Christopher Wilcock | Muckle Cycle Club | Open | Senior |
| 34 | 10:34:00 | Jay Pitt | Outlands | Open | Senior |
| 35 | 10:35:00 | Joe Reed | Muckle Cycle Club | Open | Senior |
| 36 | 10:36:00 | Mark Whaley | Blaydon CC | Open | Veteran |
| 37 | 10:37:00 | Adam Wild | GS Metro | Open | Senior |
| 38 | 10:38:00 | Chris Richardson | Kenton RC | Open | Veteran |
| 39 | 10:39:00 | Desmond Gayler | Kenton RC | Open | Veteran |
| 40 | 10:40:00 | James Burns | GS Metro | Open | Senior |
| 41 | 10:41:00 | Ben Lane | GS Metro | Open | Veteran |
| 42 | 10:42:00 | Carl Donaldson | GS Metro | Open | Veteran |
| 44 | 10:44:00 | Edith Shaw | Tyneside Vagabonds CC | Female | Youth |
| 45 | 10:45:00 | Michelle Highfield | Berwick Wheelers Cycling Club | Female | Veteran |
| 46 | 10:46:00 | Tracey Sample | Alnwick & District Triathlon Club | Female | Veteran |
| 47 | 10:47:00 | Heather Witham | Blaydon CC | Female | Veteran |
| 48 | 10:48:00 | Sarah Allen | Outlands | Female | Senior |
| 49 | 10:49:00 | Elspeth Chatto | Blaydon CC | Female | Senior |
| 50 | 10:50:00 | Teri Bayliss | Reifen Racing | Female | Veteran |
| 51 | 10:51:00 | Nicki Murphy | Wearside Triathlon  | Female | Senior |
| 52 | 10:52:00 | Joanne Rea | Team Boompods | Female | Senior |
| 53 | 10:53:00 | Sarah Wilkinson | Blaydon CC | Female | Veteran |
| 54 | 10:54:00 | Rachel Galler | FTP ( Fulfil The Potential ) Race Team  | Female | Senior |
| 55 | 10:55:00 | Abi Plowman | Alba Development Road Team | Female | Senior |
| 56 | 10:56:00 | Benjamin Amaira | GS Metro | Open | Veteran |
| 57 | 10:57:00 | Joe Stringer | Muckle Cycle Club | Open | Veteran |
| 58 | 10:58:00 | Liam Huntington | Protech Velo | Open | Senior |
| 59 | 10:59:00 | Christopher Peach | Outlands | Open | Senior |
| 60 | 11:00:00 | Graeme Wardale | South Shields Velo Cycling Club | Open | Veteran |
| 61 | 11:01:00 | Thomas Prentice | GS Metro | Open | Senior |
| 62 | 11:02:00 | Ed Gaskarth | Durham University Cycling Club | Open | Espoir |
| 63 | 11:03:00 | Simon Crisp | Gosforth RC | Open | Senior |
| 64 | 11:04:00 | Noel Stoddart | Allen Valley Velo | Open | Veteran |
| 65 | 11:05:00 | Michael Charlton | GS Metro | Open | Senior |
| 66 | 11:06:00 | Ben Wilkinson | Muckle Cycle Club | Open | Senior |
| 67 | 11:07:00 | Andrew Laidler | Sitwell Cycling Club | Open | Veteran |
| 68 | 11:08:00 | Matthew Smith | Muckle Cycle Club | Open | Senior |
| 69 | 11:09:00 | Lee Cuthbertson | GS Metro | Open | Senior |
| 70 | 11:10:00 | Michael Noble | Muckle Cycle Club | Open | Senior |
| 71 | 11:11:00 | Rafe Williams | Team Judge Tyrekey | Open | Senior |
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| 76 | 11:16:00 | Adam Pinder | Muckle Cycle Club | Open | Senior |
| 77 | 11:17:00 | Alexander Storey | GS Metro | Open | Senior |
| 78 | 11:18:00 | Marcus Cram | Muckle Cycle Club | Open | Senior |
| 79 | 11:19:00 | Andy Cunningham | Ilkley CC | Open | Senior |
| 80 | 11:20:00 | Andrew Feather | HuntBikeWheels.com | Open | Senior |

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