Cardiff 100 Miles Road Cycling Club

Open 10 Mile Time Trial: Wednesday 1st Jan 2025 – Course R10/9

RESULTS SHEET

Timekeeper

Martyn Heritage-Owen (Bush Healthcare CRT)



Organizer

Bob Jones 2 Little Orchard DINAS POWYS Glam CF64 4NH mob. 07873-353207

Marshalls and other officials from Cardiff 100 Miles RCC

AWARDS

1st Female solo TT bike not awarded

1st Open solo TT bike Daniel Davies Maindy Flyers Cycling Club 22:01 £10

1st solo Road Bike Diccon Hill Cardiff 100 miles RCC 28:02 £10

THANKS

To all who entered, especially the 5 who rode.

It also rained during last year's event :-(

Although this time there was longer warning of poor weather it still didn't come until after the closing date, therefore several entrants from afar sent their apologies.

As Met Office suggested rain and wind might ease after 1pm, we decided the previous evening to delay the start until 2pm. The 'improvement' meant steady rain easing to light rain, but there was also a drop in temperature and a westerly wind of 19mph gusting 29 – so benefit of the delay was debatable. Nevertheless 5 riders went for it anyway.

I was adequately comfortable in a waterproof jacket, no-holes visored TT helmet (Poc Cerebral) and with XL Marigolds over my half-finger mitts. Minute man Dan Davies (OJ15), even with wet leg-warmers and jacket, caught me towards the end of St Athan by-pass after 2 kilometres, and passed at a speed around 15mph greater than mine.

Taking results by phone back at HQ, a worried TK asked "did no.2 turn at the roundabout?" – which I could confirm, although more than 2 minutes behind by that time!

Therefore we have a new OJ course record of 22:01 (more than 2 minutes quicker) in spite of grim conditions on a lumpy Welsh road where nobody has ever done a 19. Congratulations to Daniel, who thereby won his very first TT. This must be as good a start as any!

We were also grateful for support from those who'd come a significant distance, in spite of the weather.

AND THANKS ESPECIALLY

to everyone who devoted their free time to make this a successful event:-

Bob Jones (signage fixer)

Keith Morgan (observer-marshal at Rhoose Airport maintenance depot roundabout)

Martyn Heritage-Owen, Bush Healthcare CRT (Timekeeper)

Everyone else who offered to lend a hand.

HQ Arrangements -

Particular thanks to Vicki Vlaskamp, St Athan Welfare Office, for making the venue available.

DON'T MISS OUR OTHER OPEN EVENTS DURING 2025:

Sat 22nd Feb 2025 The Milers 15 mile Time Trial on R15/5 (Abergavenny) 1pm Solos, Tandems, 2-up TTT

Sat 29th Mar 2025 The Milers 15 mile Time Trial on R15/5 (Abergavenny) 2pm Solos, Tandems, 2-up TTT

Sat 26th Jul 2025 The Milers 50 mile Time Trial on R50/1b (Abergavenny) 2pm Solos, Tandems

Sat 4th Oct 2025 Open 10 mile Time Trial on R10/17 (Abergavenny) 2pm Solos only

and finally:-

Thu 1st Jan 2026 The Milers 10 mile Time Trial on R10/9 (St Athan) 1pm Solos, Tandems, 2-up TTT