

# BUXTON CYCLING CLUB

## OPEN HILL CLIMB

(Promoted for and on behalf of Cycling Time Trials under its Rules and Regulations)

Saturday 7 September 2024

First rider off at 10.01am

Course J9/17 (Bunsall Cob)

Thank you for entering the Buxton CC open hill climb.

Please read these important instructions and in particular the details regarding parking and toilets.

We wish you a safe and fast ride.

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### HEADQUARTERS

The Goyt Valley is a beautiful place. Unfortunately, due to its location, there is no event HQ and there are no toilet facilities. The nearest public conveniences are in Buxton and in Whaley Bridge. There is ample car parking in the large parking area at the western end of the dam across Errwood reservoir. Please be respectful of others who may be using the car park or who may be walking locally.

**Numbers and Signing on/off:** Signing on/off will be at the layby 30 yards before the start and the numbers will be laid out for safe collection (please bring your own pins). Please remember to sign out! **Failure to sign out will result in a DNF classification.**

There will be no refreshments or results board after the event. The results will be emailed as soon as possible after the event.

**CTT regulation 15. All riders must wear a helmet.** In the interests of your own safety, Cycling Time Trials and the event promoters strongly advise you to wear a hard shell helmet that meets an internationally accepted safety standard.

### CTT regulation 14(j)

No competitor shall be permitted to start either a Type A or Type B event 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 rear light – no ride.**

### CTT regulation 14(k)

No competitor shall be permitted to start either a Type A or Type B event 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.

**No front light – no ride.**

**CAR PARKING/TO THE START**

Please park in the large parking area at the western end of the dam across Errwood reservoir. The start is at the bottom of the incline) on the east side of the dam. It is only ¼ mile from the parking area to the start.

**RETURN TO THE PARKING AREA**

**No stopping at the finish. Take care when descending the hill after finishing – do not obstruct riders who are climbing.**

**COURSE**

**Overview**

The first part of the climb follows the route of the former railway line up the steep incline towards Long Hill. At the top of the incline the road flattens for a short section before climbing once more to the finish.

**Description**

The start is at the bottom of the incline (SK 014758) near to Errwood Reservoir on the unclassified road (Goyts Lane) leading from the Goyt Valley towards the top of Long Hill (A5004 - Whaley Bridge to Buxton road). The finish is 0.2 miles short of the junction with Long Hill, (SK 030753), **at the top of the second part of the hill** and before you begin the short descent which would take you to a final short ascent to the junction with Long Hill. Distance 0.9 miles.

**PRIZES**

Men	
1 <sup>st</sup>	£30
2 <sup>nd</sup>	£20
3 <sup>rd</sup>	£15
4 <sup>th</sup>	£10
Women	
1 <sup>st</sup>	£30
2 <sup>nd</sup>	£20
3 <sup>rd</sup>	£15
4 <sup>th</sup>	£10
Vets - scratch	
Men	
1 <sup>st</sup>	£15
Women	
1 <sup>st</sup>	£15
Jun/Youth	
Men	
1 <sup>st</sup>	£15
Women	
1 <sup>st</sup>	£15

