

Road Bike Competition

Beacon RCC this season is beginning a 5 event Road Bike Only competition for members competing in time trials. The points system for this series will be a combination of actual and handicap placings to give an overall points total. As this is a new event Handicap Allowances for all riders will be estimated on previous performances during Club Time Trials during the past 2 seasons until new performances have been achieved. Handicapping involves giving each rider in an event a time allowance, which is deducted from the actual time it takes him or her to complete the course. See Handicap Competition for Rules relating to the Handicap System we use.

Beacon RCC Road Bike Only Competition Rules

1. The competition is open to all Beacon 1st claim members.
2. There will be five qualifying events. These will be the Beacon's club solo time trials listed on the Club Website as Road Bike Only there are 4 also included as the 5th event is the Club Hill Climb. [See the club TT calendar](#) for dates and course details.
3. The Handicaps given will reflect the riders PB times achieved on the courses and distances used during the championships.
4. Each qualifying event will be handicapped and points awarded on the basis both the riders actual finishing position & his/her finishing position on handicap. There will be 40 points awarded to both the fastest rider on actual & handicap 39 to the second and so on down to the fortieth rider, or down to the slowest rider if there are fewer than forty. For example, a rider finishing 7th on actual time but 1st on handicap would receive $40 + 34 = 74$ points.
5. The competition will be won by the rider with the highest aggregate points score from his or her five best-scoring events.
6. It is not necessary to compete in five events. However, if a rider competes in fewer than five events, his/her points score in each missed event will be treated as zero.

Equipment Restrictions

A road bicycle with no aero equipment

- 1) No tri bars of any sort
- 2) No wheels with less than 12 spokes
- 3) No wheels with a deep section rim of more than approx 50mm

Clothing Restrictions

- 1) No skin suits
- 2) No aero helmets

Please enter this event in the spirit it was intended

List B: base times

Beacon events:

Course code	Base time (h.mm.ss)
KH/12	0.03.00
K36/10	0.23.00
K35/7	0.18.00
K35/14	0.36.00
K33/10D	0.21.00
K33/10S	0.20.00
K32/20	0.47.00
K22/39	1.40.00
K34/10D	0.21.00

Championship events:

Distance	Base time (h.mm.ss)
25 miles	0.54.00
50 miles	1.50.00

List C: maximum handicaps for new riders

Beacon events:

Course	Senior	Jun/Vet	Lady
KH/12	1.30	2.00	3.00
K36/10	4.30	5.00	6.00
K35/7	3.00	3.30	4.30
K35/14	6.30	7.30	9.00
K33/10D	5.30	6.00	7.00
K33/10S	5.30	6.00	7.00
K34/10D	5.30	6.00	7.00
K32/20	8.30	10.00	12.30
K22/39	40.00	45.00	50.00

Championship events:

Distance	Senior	Jun/Vet	Lady
25 miles	12.30	15.00	17.30
50 miles	30.00	35.00	40.00