



AUTUMN 20 REVIEW...

By the start of September nothing had changed in terms of us being able to operate club rides within the 'Rule of 6', so as intended we used the month of September to put in place all the necessary planning and procedures to allow club rides to happen from Sunday 4th October onwards.

Behind the scenes, weekly meetings on Zoom were taking place to decide on how we should proceed. Protocols, risk assessments and various other supporting documentation were drafted. Club ride captains went out together on a few rides to refresh the memory of what it was like leading a group once again.

The weekend of 4th October arrived and it was a total washout, so our return to the roads of Surrey had to wait another week. The following week saw 14 members turn out and we were able (required by law!) to run 3 groups. Subsequent weeks had good turnout for the time of year, with us always needing to run at least two ride groups. It was brilliant to see some long-term members we had not see in a while turn out each week, along with more recent joiners who also came out each & every week during October. Things were going really well, so it was perhaps inevitable that it was going to come to an end with 'lockdown #2', since when we have only been permitted to cycle in pairs and so have taken the decision to suspend club rides until such time as the restrictions are lifted.... SEE BELOW

RETURN OF THE CLUB RUN - PART II...

From Sunday 6/12/20 we will meet in the car park at 09:20 for the Sunday ride. We will revert back to meeting at 08:50 as of Sunday 7/3/21.

PLEASE read (or re-read) our Covid procedures and risk assessment (and follow!!!) before booking onto a ride. Sorry but it is the #newnormal

COMING UP...

Sunday 27th December



We wouldn't normally lay-on a club ride in the middle of the festive season, BUT as it's been a bit of a 'meh' year AND there might be more people staying local this Xmas, we thought that we might give it a go.

More details to follow via our WhatsApp group, but it will be an uber-social ride in all aspects....

Late roll out time, easy parcours & pace and just a couple of hours duration; it's just an opportunity to get out of the washing-up and see your club mates.

THE HELL OF THE NORTH (OF THE RIVER)...

In honour of the cancelled Paris-Roubaix race, Colin - one of our more imaginative ride captains when it comes to planning routes, plotted one taking in multiple sections of cobbles in & around London. It was a fantastic route and one we intend to repeat; ideally in spring (spring classics an' all that!) so stay tuned and be ready for 'something completely different!'

