
20 March 2005 - Kent Cycling Association 3-up TTT - Q25/20

Team Edwardes returned to defend their 2004 win, and did so in convincing style. Led by Paul Mill, winner of last week's East Surrey Hardriders, they crossed the line in 53.10, a full 2½ minutes quicker than last year. This early in the season a short 53 would be a respectable ride on any course, but on the tough A20 it's an outstanding ride. But Gemini BC are moving in on them. From almost 3 minutes down in 2004 they closed the gap to 1m 20s today, leaving GS Invicta to repeat last year's 3rd place, a further minute in arrears

In their first major outing, Kent Cycles displayed that they will be a force to be reckoned with in 2005. Gary Chalkley led his team into 4th place, whilst the "B" team of Mark Abela, Shaun Byrne, Nick Gritton picked up 7th place, an agonising 1 second short of a 25 mph ride.

Making a very rare appearance in an open time trial, former national professional road champion Geoff Wiles proved that the spark is still there. His composite team of clubmate Barry Charlton, reigning Association Vets Champion, and Ben Ward, of newly-affiliated Team Outrageous, were on the right side of sixty minutes in 59.32.

With a total of 24 teams, our highest entry in the event since 1995, this has been an encouraging start to our 2005 programme. Next event is the Spring 25 on Molash (17 April). Entries (£6.50) to Dave Saffrey, c/o 16 Meadow Road, Margate, Kent, CT9 5JJ. But don't forget that entries MUST be on the 2004 version of the CTT Entry Form.

John Clegg
Time Trial Secretary

Full Result

(Please note that this is a provisional result taken from the result board at the HQ. Riders must await the official result sheet for confirmation of their time)

No.	Club	Riders	Time
1	Team Edwardes	Stuart Blunt, Daniel Rudd, Paul Mill	00.53.10
2	Gemini BC	Chaz Hollosi, Phil Bull, Gary Birch	00.54.30
3	GS Invicta - Eye Level Optical	Jon Lyons, Adrian Lyons, Stephen Castle	00.55.30
4	Kent Cycles RC	Gary Chalkley, Derek Howlett, Garry Banfield	00.57.28
5	Sydenham Wheelers	Michael Thorogood, Luke Evans, David Twin	00.57.30
6	VC Deal	Robert Wheeler, Nick Marsh, Cesar Coco	00.57.53
7	Kent Cycles RC	Mark Abela, Shaun Byrne, Nick Gritton	01.00.01
8	San Fairy Ann CC	David Pearson, Lee Haughton, Graham Knott	01.03.20
9	VC Elan - Harry Perry Cycles	Phil Steptoe, Stephen Huckstep, Steve Quincy	01.03.25
10	GS Invicta - Eye Level Optical	Carl Chapman, Mark Whittaker, Torren Peakman	01.03.36
11	VC Deal	Ian Ferrell, Andrew Wills, Martin Apps	01.03.37
12	VC Elan - Harry Perry Cycles	Gregory French, Lee Willard, Gary Dunn	01.04.05
13	Thanet RC	Colin Inett, Nick Austin, Graham O'Neill	01.06.53
14	Sydenham Wheelers	Ian O'Hara, Graham Ward, James Thorogood	01.08.21
15	San Fairy Ann CC	Mark McConnell, Nick Baxter, Martin Peal	01.08.53
16	Medway Velo Club	Kevin Gleadow, Ernest Mackey, Stanley Franklin	01.10.38
17	San Fairy Ann CC	Duncan Scott, Elizabeth Scott, Simon Dalby	01.10.56
18	Medway Velo Club	Mark Simpson, Andy Hawes, John Clegg	01.11.28
19	VC Elan - Harry Perry Cycles	Paul Mepham, Neil McCann, Enrico Seccatore	01.12.16

Composite team

Geoff Wiles / Barry Charlton (San Fairy Ann CC), Ben Ward (Team Outrageous) 00.59.32

Incomplete finishing teams

VC Elan - Harry Perry Cycles Nigel Brazier, Martin Crothall 00.59.42
(*Les Beautridge DNS*)

VC Deal Chris Bax, Mark Powell 01.00.14
(*David Williams DNF*)

CC Bexley Michael Morris, David Morris 01.08.16
(*Mark Palmer DNS*)

Non starters (apology received)

VC Deal Tom Morton, Phil Saynor, Jeremy Saynor

Event Secretary

Ray Whibley (San Fairy Ann CC)

Timekeepers

John King (CC Bexley)
Pat Hill (San Fairy Ann CC)