



SWANNING AROUND – NOW WHERE IS THAT CAFÉ?

SWCC newsletter

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Hello Swan Members, it's time for some Swans News & updates as we head towards the spring with at least one important club task for us to complete.

Jan/Feb saw us miss a month of Club Rides due to the winter weather so far but at least it's not been on the scale of the "Beast from the East" of last year - there's hoping that is the worst of it as we head for *Spring*?

2019 Club AGM

This year it will held on Friday 5th April & and booked into Prego's again for a 7 meet with a 7:30 start - and yes there will be some pizza for you.

Whilst the present committee members are ok to continue their work for another year you may fancy a turn yourself?

If so you are more than welcome to do so. The election of officers this year will be a simpler affair and conducted via the Forum so keep an eye for in March.

The Club Competitions have been tweaked a bit with the removal of the Most (Strava) Miles Ridden, *damn!*

Replaced with "Clubman of the Year" now plus we will have a couple of new annual trophies to be presented. So who will be winning these?

It could be *YOU!*

CycloCross Racing

An interesting up & coming cycling sport that you may or not be aware of that covers all ages & sexes from U8's up to 60's.

SWAN WHEELERS
CYCLING CLUB



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The Swan's had Chris Cox representing us in the Central League in the VM50's classification last season and you can see the up-date on his efforts posted in the forum where Chris finished in season in 34th place out of 121 riders in the Vet's Men's 50 class.

<http://centralcxl.org.uk/>

Club Kit Shop Window

Hopefully you have seen that the Club shop window is open for the spring?

If not all the details have been posted on the club forum, if you fancy a few new pieces please visit the shop a.s.a.p. to avoid disappointment.

<https://swanwheelersforum.microco.sm/conversations/330829/>

Membership Renewal

Yes it's that time again as your Swan Wheelers Membership is due to expire on the 31st March.

To rejoin us all you have to do is go to the British Cycling website, search for us and follow the links to the join page; there is no change in the £15 subscription fee.

<http://www.swanwheelers.bike/join.htm>

We **Thank You** for your support & are hoping to see you all re-join us for fun year of Cycling.

Ride Data

We do a bit of "Death by Spreadsheet" data recording & thought that we would share some of that with you.....

An Update for the miles ridden:

September	4018
October	3241
November	2965
December	1856
January	2802

Total 14882 Miles

From 1 April - 31 January

Ride Group	Rides	Attendee's
A Ride	26	130
B Ride	35	213
C Ride	24	89
Mid-Week	36	166
GranFondo +	5	46

Coffee Shops Visited

Venue's: 37 to date

Ride Visits: 110 to date

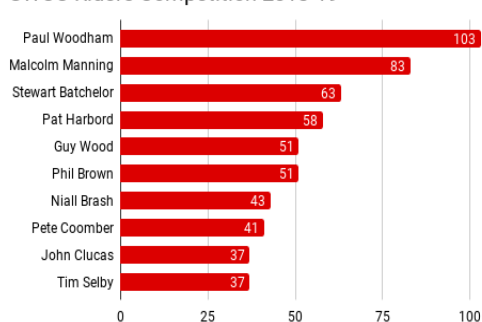
The George & Dragon at Quainton is currently the most visited, 13 times to date

Rider's Competitions

This unfortunately this has become a "one horse race as the finishing line" approaches due to Malcolm's unfortunate shoulder injury.

Get Well Malcolm & looking forward to see back in the saddle as soon as possible.

SWCC Riders Competition 2018-19



Dates for the Diary

Spring Equinox Ride

➔ **Sunday 24th March**

Next Com' Meeting

➔ **Thursday 21st Mar**

7:30 at the Villiers

➔ *all of you are welcome*

2019 Club AGM

➔ **Friday 5th April**

➔ **At Pregro's 7 for 7:30**

Day Trip Rides

➔ **Chedder Gorge**

May, date tbc

➔ **IoW Sunday 15th September**

*** Stop Press **

It is sad that I have to report that we will be losing one of our members as he will be heading back home to Austria shortly as his time in good Olde Blighty is up.

Wolfgang it has been an absolute pleasure getting to know and ride with you over the last couple of years & I'm sure that the members will join me in wishing you well for the future - au revoir / auf wiedersehen **Wolfie**.

And most importantly Keep your Eyes of the forum ride calendar as we hope to see you all on a Swan's ride with us soon