

# West Surrey CTC ORGANIZED CYCLE RIDES and events open to all



# **January to March 2016**

West Surrey CTC organizes rides to suit the ability and inclination of a wide range of riders. The schedules below give details of each ride, with rides being graded 1 to 4 depending on average speed and distance; for full details see

http://westsurreyctc.co.uk/ride-groups/ride-guide/
If you would like to know more, please phone the designated ride leader.

**Group Riding Guidelines** – group riding is a wonderfully sociable way to cycle, and also provides support; there will always be someone there to help you mend a puncture. However, it requires even greater discipline and awareness than solo cycling. The Club's Group Riding Guidelines set out in detail the responsibilities of all riders, and is essential reading; see

http://westsurreyctc.co.uk/rides-and-events/ride-guidelines/

Late changes to the rides (e.g. as a result of adverse weather conditions) are advised in the *Latest News* section of the website (in the middle of the *Welcome* page). It is recommended that this section is checked before heading off on a ride. You can receive e-mail alerts of all new postings by signing up at:

http://westsurreyctc.co.uk/category/blogs/

Changes may also be advised by way of group e-mail. If you wish to receive such e-mail notifications, please go to the *Welcome* page, look for *Quick Links* on the right hand side, and click on *Sign up for announcements etc* (the 5th item down). There you will be able to specify any particular Ride Groups in which you are interested.

#### SUNDAY ALL-DAY INTERMEDIATES - Grade 2

Start **9.15** unless otherwise stated.

All-day rides at a pace usually between 11 and 13 mph. Approx. 45-50 miles. Rides should return before dark, but it is advisable to bring lights in winter months to be on the safe side.

Contact/organiser: Hilary Stephenson (01483-572687)

For updates and extra rides see www.westsurreyctc.co.uk

Date	Start	Remarks	
24 Jan	Guildford Library GU1 4AL (SU997495)	Leader: Roger Philo Coffee: Poppy's Tea Room, Badshot Lea Lunch: Barley Mow, The Sands	
28 Feb	Godalming, Crown Court Car Park GU7 1EE (SU970440)	Leader: Hilary Stephenson Coffee: Village Shop, Kirdford Lunch: Walliswood	
27 Mar	Mytchett Crossroads GU16 6DF (SU889551)	Leader: Sue Thorne Coffee: Rural Life Centre, Tilford Lunch: Churt	

## GUILDFORD AND GODALMING WAYFARERS - Sunday Rides - Grade 2

## Start **9.30 prompt** unless otherwise stated.

Half-day rides, typically 25 - 30 miles, are planned unless marked otherwise. Any ride can be extended to a lunch stop, decided on an ad hoc basis on the day. Average speed 10 - 12 mph Group Leader: Peter Fennemore (Tel: 01483 300689) unless otherwise shown.

	Start	Coffee				
Janua	January					
1	Godalming, Crown Court Car Park GU7 1DY (SU970440)	Squires Garden Centre, Badshot Lea: Meet other groups.				
3	Guildford Library GU1 4AL (SU997496)	Old Post Office Tea Shop, Gomshall				
17	Godalming, Crown Court Car Park GU7 1DY (SU970440)	Avalon GC, Churt				
31	Guildford Library GU1 4AL (SU997496) Poppy's Café, Badshot Lea					
Febru	iary					
7	Guildford Library GU1 4AL (SU997496)	Squire's GC, West Horsley				
21	Godalming, Crown Court Car Park GU7 1DY (SU970440)	Rural Life Centre, Tilford				
Marc	March					
6	Guildford Library GU1 4AL (SU997496)	Fairoaks Airport, Chobham				
20	Godalming, Crown Court Car Park GU7 1DY (SU970440)	Grayshott Pottery, Grayshott				

#### SUNDAY ALL-DAY RIDERS - Grade 4

Start **9.00** unless otherwise stated.

All-day rides for the more energetic – 60 to 90 miles at a steady pace of over 14 mph.

**Leader:** Clive Richardson (01428-724390 or 07811-563234).

	Start	Coffee	Lunch		
Janu	ary				
1	Meet 10.30ish at Squires GC, Badshot Lea for New Year Rendezvous				
3	Godalming Station	Milland Village Shop, near X-roads/Rising Sun PH	Kirdford shop & tea room		
10	Farnham Sports Centre	Lasham aerodrome	Frensham, Tilford Reeds		
17	Guildford Station	Newdigate farm shop	Milk Churn Lynwick St Rudgewick RH12 DH		
24	Godalming Station	Caffè Verdi High St Midhurst	Old Mill café A272 Wisborough Green		
31	Godalming Station	Greedy Frog Oakhanger	Darnleys High Street Haslemere		
Febr	uary				
7	Godalming Station Leader: Nick Davison	Next Door, Odiham	Frensham, Tilford Reeds		
14	Bicycle Icycle, Organise	r Mark Waters			
21	Guildford Station Farm Shop nr Newdigate Old Mill café, Wisbo (A272)		Old Mill café, Wisborough Green (A272)		
28	Farnham Sports Centre	Café, Broad St New Alresford	Orchard Barn Café Churt GU10 2LU		
March					
6	Godalming Station	Coffee Room Selborne	Safe Verdi high St Midhurst		
13	Shalford Station bus stop GU4 8BZ	Kirdford shop tea room	West Dean Gardens		
20	Farnham Sports Centre Popham Aerodrome, nr North Waltham Departure Lounge A339 nr		Departure Lounge A339 nr Alton		
27	Godalming Station	Café Verdi high St Midhurst	RSPB Wigginholt nr Pulbourgh		

## **THE EVERGREENS – Grade 1**

Start 11.00 on first Thursday of each month, except January (see below):

No January meet, instead we will join the annual New Year lunch on Wednesday 13 January at the **King William IV** pub, West Horsley

4 February

3 March

A gentle cycle ride from Woking's Brewery Road Car Park along the Basingstoke Canal Towpath to Pirbright for lunch at the **Royal Oak Pub** (Aldershot Road, nr. Junction with Ash Road).

Approximately 8 miles each way.

**Leader:** Rico Signore (01483-822240)

## FARNHAM WAYFARERS MIDWEEK RIDES 1st WEDNESDAY - Grade 2

Approximately 40 to 45 miles at a pace of 10 to 12 mph with a stop for a pub lunch.

**Leader:** Liz Palethorpe (01252-792187 or 07879-884332).

Date	Start	Coffee
6 Jan	9.30 The Maltings Farnham GU9 7QR (SU841465)	Lasham Garden Centre
3 Feb	9.30 The Maltings Farnham GU9 7QR	Crookham Village Post Office
2 Mar	9.30 The Maltings Farnham GU9 7QR	Grayshott Potteries

#### **EXTRA RIDE**

1<sup>st</sup> January – Squires Garden Centre, Badshot Lea from 10:30. *New Year's Day Meet-Up*.

## FARNHAM WAYFARERS 2nd SUNDAY RIDES – Grade 2

Approximately 40 miles at a pace of around 10 mph with a stop for a pub lunch.

**Co-ordinator:** Liz Palethorpe (01252-792187), leaders as stated.

Date	Start	Leader
10 Jan	9.30 The Maltings, Farnham GU9 7QR (OS186/SU841465)	Arthur Twiggs (07796 832425)
14 Feb	9.30 The Maltings, Farnham GU9 7QR	Marlies van den Hurk
13 Mar	9.30 The Maltings, Farnham GU9 7QR	Derek and Anne Tanner

# $FARNHAM\ WAYFARERS\ 3^{rd}\ SUNDAY\ RIDES-for\ Easy\ Riders-Grade\ 1$

Morning ride of approximately 18 to 25 miles (some tracks, suitable for road bikes) at a gentle pace of approximately 8mph with a coffee stop.

**Leader:** Barbara Pietrusiewicz (01252-324357 or 07740-777800).

Date	Start/Leader		
17 Jan	9.30 Milford Station car park, Station Lane, Milford OS 186/954414		
	Leader Barbara Pietrusiewicz (01252 324357 or 07740 777800)		
	Coffee – The Snooty Fox, Shalford		
21 Feb	9.30 The Maltings, Farnham. GU9 7QR (OS186/SU841465)		
	Leader: Arthur Twiggs (01252 721395 or 07796 832425)		
	Coffee – Frensham Garden Centre		
20 Mar	9.30 Witley Station car park, Station Lane, Wormley. OS 186/949379		
	Leader Barbara Pietrusiewicz (01252 324357 or 07740 777800)		
	Coffee – in Cranleigh		

## WOKING MIDWEEK WAYFARERS - Grades 1, 2, 3 and 4

All-day rides with a designated mid-morning coffee break and a lunch stop decided on the day. Rides cater for a variety of levels, with rides of Grades 1 (20-30 miles, 8-10 mph), 2 (30-50 miles, 10-13 mph), 3 (40-60 miles, 12-14 mph) and 4 (45-65 miles, 13-15 mph) being offered every Wednesday; see <a href="http://westsurreyctc.co.uk/ride-groups/ride-guide/">http://westsurreyctc.co.uk/ride-groups/ride-guide/</a> for full details. On occasions, there will be different start points and/or start times for grade 3 and 4 rides, and for grade 1 and 2 rides. See Latest News section of website for late changes to Ride Programme, including bonus local grade 3 rides on days when the published grade 3 ride has an "away" start. TA = Train (or car) assisted.

Paragon Pub is for those members who like to socialize but may not want a long ride.

**Leaders:** Rico Signore (01483-822240), John Murdoch (01276-681131),

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Janua	ary			Paragon Pub
1	1, 2	Meet:	9.45 Mayford Green 186/SU996562 GU22 0NL	
	3, 4	Coffee:	Traditional <b>NEW YEARS DAY</b> meeting, this year at	
			Squires GC, Badshot Lea	
6	1, 2	Meet:	9.45 Pirbright Green 186/SU946558 GU24 0LP	Potter's Inn,
	3, 4	Coffee:	Poppy's Tea Room, Badshot Lea	Mytchett
13	1, 2	Meet:	9.45 Ripley Post Office 187/TQ052568 GU23 6AA	King William IV
	3, 4	Coffee:	Polesden Lacey	West Horsley
			Followed by Annual Lunch at King William IV, West Horsley	
20	1, 3,	Meet:	9.45 Mayford Green 186/SU996562 GU22 0NL	Cider House
	and 4	Coffee:	Watts Gallery	Shackleford
	2	Meet:	9.49 dep Woking Station arr Winchfield, meet leader	
	TA		and ride to coffee at	
		Coffee:	Bramley; finish ride back at Winchfield	
27	1, 2	Meet:	9.45 Ripley Post Office 187TQ/052568 GU23 6AA	The Victoria
	3, 4	Coffee:	The Dabbling Duck, Shere	Shalford
Febru	ıary			
3	1, 2	Meet:	9.45 Chobham Museum r'bout 175/SU974618 GU24	The Sun
	3, 4		8LY	Windlesham
		Coffee:	Savill Garden	
10	1, 2	Meet:	9.45 Mayford Green 186/SU996562 GU22 0NL	The White Hart
	3, 4	Coffee:	Watts Gallery	Tongham
17	1	Meet:	9.45 Normandy Crossroads 186/SU926516 GU3 2DB	The Donkey
		Coffee:	Seale Craft Centre	Charleshill
	2, 3,	Meet:	9.45 Normandy Crossroads 186/SU926516 GU3 2DB	
	4	Coffee:	Eliza's Tea Room, Milford	
			(option of train to Milford, 9.43 dep Woking Station)	
24	1, 2	Meet:	9.45 Pirbright Green 186/SU946558 GU24 0LP	The Good Intent
		Coffee:	Seale Craft Centre	Puttenham
	3, 4	Meet:	<b>9.15</b> Pirbright Green 186/SU946558 GU24 0LP	
		Coffee:	Frensham Garden Centre	

## **WOKING MIDWEEK WAYFARERS (continued)**

March	1			Paragon Pub
2	1, 2 3 4	Meet: Coffee:	9.45 Mayford Green 186/SU996562 GU22 0NL Mytchett Canal Centre	The Royal Oak Pirbright
9	1, 2 3, 4	Meet: Coffee:	9.45 Mimbridge Nurseries 186/SU991607 GU24 8AR Windsor Farm Shop (Datchet Road, Old Windsor)	Rose and Crown Thorpe Green
16	1, 2 3, 4	Meet: Coffee: Meet: Coffee:	9.45 Pirbright Green 186/SU946558 GU24 0LP Poppy's Tea Room 9.15 Pirbright Green 186/SU946558 GU24 0LP Next Door at the George, Odiham	The Donkey Charleshill
23	1, 3, 4 2 <b>TA</b>	Meet: Coffee: Meet: Coffee:	9.45 Mayford Green 186/SU996562 GU22 0NL Watts Gallery 9.13 dep Woking station (or 9.25 train to change at Haslemere) arr Liphhook 10.00 Trotton, Country Cabin at Maple Ridge (formerly Aylings); finish ride back at Liphook	Cider House Shackleford
30	1, 2 3, 4	Meet: Coffee: Meet: Coffee:	9.45 Normandy Crossroads 186/SU926516 GU3 2DB Poppy's Tea Room, Badshot Lea 9.45 Normandy Crossroads 186/SU926516 GU3 2DB Orchard Barn Café, Churt	Potter's Inn, Mytchett
All train times approximate, please check with SWTrains				

# WOKING SUNDAY RIDERS for Easy Riders and Intermediates – Grade 1

Meet 9.15 outside Boots in Commercial Way, Woking.

Morning rides with mid-morning coffee stops, 25-30 miles at 8-10 mph.

**Leader:** Rico Signore (01483-822240).

<b>Designated Coffee Stops</b>					
Jan		Feb			
1	New Years Day Badshot Lea Garden	7	Windsor Farm Shop		
	Centre	14	Medicine Gardens, Cobham		
10	Seale Craft Centre	21	Polesden Lacey		
17	Bocketts Farm 28 Mytchett Canal Centre				
24	Savill Garden				
31	Squires Garden Centre, West Horsley				
Mar					
6	Poppy's Café, Badshot Lea				
13	Bocketts Farm				
20	Savill Garden				
27	Squires Garden Centre, West Horsley				
	(Easter Sunday)				

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# WHAT WE ARE

CTC is the national cycling charity. It is the oldest and largest cycling body in the UK, promotes all forms of cycling, and has championed the cause of cycling for well over a century. Its network of local groups, of which West Surrey CTC is one, has 70,000 members. Membership includes third-party insurance, a cycling-related legal helpline, and a bi-monthly national magazine.

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# DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**Friday 1st January:** Traditional New Year's Day gathering from about 10:30, but now at **Squires GC**, **Badshot Lea** as Seale is under new management and will be closed.

**11th-14th February:** The London Bike Show, ExCel, London. See http://www.thelondonbikeshow.co.uk/

**Sunday 14th February**: Bicycle Icycle (70km) 9.30 4 Quarry Hill, Godalming, GU7 2NW For event details and booking form see website in New Year. See http://ridewithgps.com/routes/1038768 for route. Mark Waters 01483-414307, markw48@gmail.com

**Saturday 5th March:** Our annual dinner and awards presentation, to be held at The Princess Royal, Runfold, Farnham; booking in advance required. See the article in the magazine for full details.

**Sunday 8th May**: 35/50 mile Reliability Ride, start 8.00 – 9.00 from Crown Court car park, Godalming, GU7 1EE (SU970439). Roger Philo 01483-233381, roger.philo@virgin.net

**Sunday 5th June**: Stonehenge 200, Danebury 150 and Elstead 100 from Elstead Village Hall starting at 8.00, 8.30 and 9.00 respectively. Nick Davison 01428-642013 stonehenge200@westsurreyctc.co.uk

Sunday 24th July: 75 and 100 mile Reliability Rides.

**Saturday 30th July:** RideLondon FreeCycle on traffic-free roads in London. See <a href="https://www.ridelondon.co.uk/events/freecycle/">https://www.ridelondon.co.uk/events/freecycle/</a> for details.

**Sunday 31st July:** Registration for the ballot for places for the next Prudential RideLondon-Surrey 100 is nominally open until 8th January, but will close once 100,000 registrations are received. See <a href="http://www.prudentialridelondon.co.uk/events/100/">http://www.prudentialridelondon.co.uk/events/100/</a> for details.

Sunday 21st August: Tour of the Hills and Tour of the Greensand Hills.

More details of the July and August events will appear next issue.

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http://westsurreyctc.co.uk/the-club/magazine/

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