

# WEST SURREY CYCLING CLUB

A member of Cycling UK

Organised cycle rides & events open to all



## Who are we?

West Surrey Cycling Club is part of the national charity, Cycling UK, the oldest and largest cycling body in the UK that has championed cycling for over a century, with a network of local member groups and nearly 71,000 members.

## Useful Information for New Riders

We publish a quarterly calendar of rides on our website. These are graded G1 (easy riders) to G4 (60 miles plus) to suit the ability and inclination of a wide range of riders. If you would like to know more, please contact Neil McIntyre at [newriders@westsurreyctc.co.uk](mailto:newriders@westsurreyctc.co.uk)

For comprehensive information concerning the club please visit our website:

<https://westsurreyctc.co.uk>

## Committee:

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For details of future club events refer to our website. "Save the date"

<https://westsurreyctc.co.uk/rides/cycling-events/>

Our regular rides programme. See the following Schedule of Rides for details.

RIDE GROUPS AND GRADES	Every Wed	1 <sup>st</sup> Wed	3 <sup>rd</sup> Wed	2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday	Summer Saturdays	Every Sunday	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday
Woking Sunday Riders							G2	
Sunday CTC						G2		
Sunday All Day Riders						G4		
Farnham Wayfarers		G2	G1				G2	G1
Wednesday CTC	G2							
Midweek Wayfarers	G2, G3, G4							
The Evergreens				G1				
Weekend Away Day Riders (Monthly Summer Saturday Rides)					G3 See Rides Schedule			

## Ride Group Leaders

Kindly note phone numbers are provided solely for emergency "on the day" use only.

Ride & Grades		Leader	Telephone
Rides Secretary		Phil Gasson	07973 203917
Woking Sunday Riders.	Grade 2	Steve Brooks	07818-863470
Sunday CTC.	Grade 2	Peter Fennemore	01483 300689
Sunday All Day Riders.	Grade 4	Peter Hackman	07962 593746
Farnham Wayfarers.	Grade 1 and Grade 2	David Ross	07802 927319
Wednesday CTC.	Grade 2	Hilary Stephenson	01483 572687
Midweek Wayfarers.	Grade 2	Martin Skinner	07484 806175
	Grade 3	Phil Gasson	07973 203917
	Grade 4	Mark Slater	07725 945502
Weekend Away Day Rides.	Grade 3/4	Jerry Sender	07917 582122
The Evergreens	Grade 1	John Hodder	07817 834624

## Ride Leaders

A full list of qualified Ride Leaders can be found on the club website, <https://westsurreyctc.co.uk/ride-leaders/>

## Group Riding Guidelines:

**West Surrey CC's riding principle is: No-one left behind – bring everyone home safely**

Group riding is a wonderfully sociable way to cycle, and provides support when out riding; there will always be someone there to help you mend a puncture or help deal with a malfunction. However, group riding requires greater discipline and awareness than solo cycling and the club's *Group Riding Guidelines* set out in detail the responsibilities of all riders and this is essential reading if you choose to ride with us. You should also wear a cycle helmet and light coloured or fluorescent clothing so that you are visible to other road users.

Please visit <https://westsurreyctc.co.uk/rides/ride-guidelines-2/>

## Useful Information

**Spond:** most of our members are now registered on Spond and our events are typically published there in advance for members to indicate their intended participation. This provides the club with the necessary compliance with current Covid regulations. Publishing ride details including the route in advance also assists riders in choosing which event suits them. The club's policy is that all rides are open to any member – providing of course that they are comfortable riding the distance at the average speed typical of the group. Please visit <https://westsurreyctc.co.uk/how-to-use-spond/>

In addition to Spond, 'WhatsApp' is used by some member groups as a means of communication. To get details of how to join your WhatsApp group speak with your Ride Leader.

**Changes to Published Rides:** Late or last-minute changes to rides will be notified to participants via Spond and WhatsApp, so please check these before you set out on a ride. In addition, you can also receive e-mail alerts of all new website postings (either from the committee or urgent info) simply by signing up at: <https://westsurreyctc.co.uk/members/registration/>. Then specify which group(s) you would like to hear announcements about.

We encourage our members to wear **Club Clothing**. Cycling tops, along with a range of other club specific cycle clothing are available at club sponsored prices. For more information go to <https://www.westsurreyctc.co.uk/members/club-clothing/> or contact Derek Ridyard.

## SCHEDULE OF ORGANISED CYCLE RIDES

## July, August and September 2022

Useful note: All Club cycle rides can be synchronised automatically with your smart phone calendar.

Visit: <https://westsurreyctc.co.uk/rides/cycling-events/>

### Sunday CTC – Grade 2 – Cycle to Coffee

**When:** 09:30 prompt (unless otherwise stated) every Sunday. **Where:** See schedule below.

**How Far:** Half-day rides typically 20-25 miles at 11-13 mph.

**Who to contact:** Peter Fennemore 01483 300689.

Rides often led by Brian Ross, leave from the Snooty Fox Café in Shalford at 9.30hrs – please register via Spond in advance. Riders may also make their own way individually to the designated coffee stop for around 10.30hrs.

Please register in advance by Spond if you would like to stay out for lunch as places may be limited due to any prevailing COVID restrictions.

Date	Start	Coffee
<b>July 2022</b>		
3	Guildford Library, GU1 4AL	Fairoaks Airport, Chobham
10	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	The Tern Café, Frensham Little Pond.
17	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Manor Farm Tea Room, Seale
24	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Rural Life Centre, Tilford Reeds
31	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	The Tea Room, Winkworth Arboretum
<b>August 2022</b>		
7	Shere Village Hall GU5 9HE @ 10am Tour of the Greensand Hills Leader: Angela Byrne or do your own thing.	Peaslake Village Store
14	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Heartworks, Holmbury St Mary
21	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Village shop, Dunsfold Green
28	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Old Post Office, Abinger Hammer
<b>September 2022</b>		
4	Guildford Library, GU1 4AL	Vineries, Effingham
11	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Manor Tea Room, Seale
18	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Heartworks, Holmbury St Mary
25	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Village shop, Dunsfold Green

### FARNHAM WAYFARERS.

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Rides – Grade 2

**When:** 09:30 (unless otherwise stated) on the second Sunday of each month

**Where:** See schedule below

**How Far:** At the Ride Leaders discretion either an all day ride of approximately 40 miles at 10mph with a stop for a pub lunch, or a morning only ride of approximately 20 to 30 miles with a coffee stop.

**Who to contact:** David Ross – 07802 927319

Date	Start location and Leader	Coffee
10 <sup>th</sup> July	Farnham Maltings, Bridge Square, Farnham GU9 7QR Leader: Paul Herber	Sleaford
14 <sup>th</sup> August	TBC Leader: Angela Byrne	TBC

11 <sup>th</sup> September	TBA Leader: Sue Johnson	TBC
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## FARNHAM WAYFARERS, continued.

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Rides – for Easy Riders – Grade 1

**When:** 09.30 (unless otherwise noted).

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

**Who to contact:** David Ross – 07802 927319

Date	Start Location and leader	Coffee
17 <sup>th</sup> July	Leader: Liz Palethorpe	TBC
21 <sup>st</sup> August	TBC Leader: Sue Johnson	TBC
18 <sup>th</sup> September	Meet St James Church, Rowledge Leader: David Ross	Bordon

### 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday Rides – Grade 2

**When:** 09:30 (unless otherwise stated) on the first Wednesday of each month

**Where:** See schedule below

**How Far:** All-day rides of approximately 40-45 miles at 10-12 mph with a stop for a pub lunch.

**Who to contact:** David Ross – 07802 927319

Date	Start Location and Leader	Coffee/lunch
6 <sup>th</sup> July	Meet Abbotstone Car Park Leader: David Ross.	Test Valley
3 <sup>rd</sup> August	TBC Leader: David Ross	Chiddingfold and Fernhurst
7 <sup>th</sup> September	TBC Leader: David Ross	Oakhanger and Hawkley

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday Rides - For Easy Riders - Grade 1

**When:** 09:30 (unless otherwise stated) on the third Wednesday of each month

**Where:** Farnham Maltings GU9 7QR

**How Far:** Morning rides of approximately 20-25 miles at 8-10 mph with a coffee stop.

**Who to contact:** David Ross – 07802 927319

Date	Start Location and Leader	Coffee
20 <sup>th</sup> July	TBC Leader: John Sadler	New Forest
17 <sup>th</sup> August	TBC Leader: Harry Glover	TBC
21 <sup>st</sup> September	Leader: Harry Glover	TBC

## Wednesday CTC – Grade 2 – Cycle to Coffee

**When:** 09:30 prompt (unless otherwise stated) every Wednesday. **Where:** See schedule below.

**How Far:** Half-day rides typically 20-25 miles at 11-13 mph.

**Who to contact:** Brian Ross 07733 268543

Rides led by Brian Ross leave from the Snooty Fox Café in Shalford at 09.30hrs – please register via Spond in advance. Riders may also make their own way individually to the designated coffee stop for around 10.30. Please register in advance via Spond if you would like to stay out for lunch as places may be limited.

Date	Start	Coffee
<b>July</b>		
6	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Manor Farm Tea Room, Seale
13	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	The Old Post Office, Abinger Hammer
20	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Hambledon Village Shop.
27	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Plaistow Village Shop
<b>August</b>		
3	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Wild and Green, Cranleigh
10	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Little Barn Café, Elstead
17	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Manor Farm Tea Room, Seale
24	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Brick's Café, Smithbrook Kilns.
31	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Elliott's Coffee Shop, Chiddingfold
<b>September</b>		
7	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Heartworks, Holmbury St Mary.
14	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Plaistow Village Shop.
21	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Hambledon Village Shop
28	Snooty Fox Café, Shalford	Brick's Café, Smithbrook Kilns.

### **Sunday All-Day Riders – Grade 4.**

**When:** 09:00 (unless otherwise stated) on every Sunday each month.

**Where:** Start location and ride details will be fully described within the Spond invitation.

**How Far:** All-day rides for the more energetic – 60 to 90 miles at a steady pace of around 13 to 14 mph.

**Who to contact:** Peter Hackman 07962 593746 or via [pawhackman@hotmail.com](mailto:pawhackman@hotmail.com)

**SADRiders** will receive full ride details via Spond by the preceding Friday night.

Any further queries should be directed to Peter Hackman via the Spond app or via the SADR WhatsApp group.

### **Midweek Wayfarers - Grade 2.**

**When:** 10:00hrs (unless otherwise stated) Generally every Wednesday from Pirbright Village Green.

**Where:** Start location and ride details will be fully described within the Spond App invitation.

**How far:** 30 - 40 miles at 10 to 12 mph.

**Contact:** Martin Skinner. 07484 806175

### **Woking Sunday Riders for Easy Riders and Intermediates – Grade 2.**

**When:** 09:30hrs on the first Sunday of the month.

**Where:** Start location and ride details will be fully described within the Spond App invitation.

**How Far:** 25 - 30 miles at 10 - 12 mph. Morning rides with mid-morning coffee stop.

**Who to contact:** Steve Brooks. 07818-863470

### **The Evergreens - Grade 1.**

**When:** 11:00 hrs on the second Thursday of each month. (14<sup>th</sup> April, 12<sup>th</sup> May and 9<sup>th</sup> June.)

**Where:** WWF Headquarters, Brewery Road Woking, GU21 4LL (Brewery Road Car Park) concerning the

**How far:** Approximately 6 miles each way.

Aim to arrive at 12.00hrs at Royal Oak PH, Aldershot Road, Pirbright, GU24 0DQ.

**Who to contact:** John Hodder 07817 834624

Comprehensive details concerning the event will be published via Spond App.

## Midweek Wayfarers – Grade 3.

**When: Every Wednesday.** Currently two rides each week from different start locations.

**Contact: Phil Gasson.** 07937 203917

Most rides have a designated mid-morning coffee break with a lunch stop advised beforehand.

Comprehensive details posted on Spond.

**Grade 3's** (40-60 miles, 12-14 mph) Normal start time circa **09.45hrs**

**Where:** Start location and ride details will be fully described within Spond invitation posted by the Ride Leader a few days before the ride. Below is a **guide schedule** for the next quarter which may be modified by the allocated Ride Leader.

Refer to Spond for updated accurate information regarding refreshment stops, i.e. Coffee and/or lunch.

**TA** =Train Assist (TA) =Optional train assist available near to start.

**Contact: Phil Gasson** 07973 203917

<b>Midweek Wayfarers Grade 3, suggested Ride Schedule.</b>		
<b>July 2022</b>		
6	Start 1: Start 2:	<b>TA</b> Depart 08.55 Woking Station to <b>IOW</b> , arrive Ryde Pier Head @10.37hrs. Albury Heath Car Park, GU5 9DA
13	Start 1: Start 2:	New Inn, Send, GU23 7EN Squires GC, Milford, GU8 5HL (TA) to Milford
20	Start 1: Start 2:	Normandy Village Hall, Glaziers Lane, Normandy, GU3 2DD <b>TA</b> Conkers GC, Old Basing, RG24 7JL. 09.19 stopping train from Woking to Hook.
27	Start 1: Start 2:	Puttenham Common Tarn (lower) Car Park, GU10 1JH. Ripley Green, GU23 6AR
<b>August 2022</b>		
3	Start 1: Start 2:	<b>TA</b> 09.34 Woking. Train to arrive at Micheldever Station at 10.10. Pirbright Green, GU24 OLP
10	Start 1: Start 2:	Moat Car Park, Elstead, GU8 6LW Chinthurst Hill NT Car Park, GU5 OPS (TA) Shalford
17	Start 1: Start 2:	Shere Car Park, GU5 9HF 09.45 Black Prince PH, Woodham for <b>Off Road Thames Path Ride.</b>
24	Start 1: Start 2:	09.45 Pinkneys Green for annual <b>Ride into The Chilterns.</b> Normandy Village Hall, Glaziers Lane, Normandy, GU3 2DD
31	Start 1: Start 2:	Squires GC, Milford, GU8 5HL (TA) to Milford Fourwents Pond CP, Mill Road, Dorking RH5 4NU
<b>September 2022</b>		
7	Start 1: Start 2:	Albury Heath Car Park GU5 9DA. (TA) Chilworth <b>TA</b> to Haslemere Station via 09.13 stopping train from Woking.
14	Start 1: Start 2:	Moat Car Park, Elstead. GU8 6LW Ripley Green, GU23 6AR
21	Start 1: Start 2:	Normandy Village Hall, Glaziers Lane, Normandy, GU3 2DD Chinthurst Hill NT Car Park, GU5 OPS (TA) Shalford <b>Joint meet up at 1.0pm for BBQ lunch at Pirbright in aid of Cancer Research.</b>
28	Start 1: Start 2:	Puttenham Common Tarn (lower) Car Park, GU10 1JH. New Inn, Send, GU23 7EN

## Midweek Wayfarers – Grade 4.

**Grade G4's:** (45 – 65 miles, 13-15 mph)

**Contact:** Mark Slater 07725 945502

Two rides each Wednesday. These will be posted on Spond a few days beforehand together with any changes to planned starts listed below. Precise start location will appear as a pin on Spond where proposed routes and refreshment stops will also be posted. There are usually two stops, coffee and lunch. Lunch pre-orders are sometimes required. Normal start time is **09.45hrs** but please refer to Spond for any changes to start times. Normal maximum group size is twelve. Each group, depending on numbers, will usually split into two groups of no more than six on the day, one of which will tend to be a little faster than the other.

Date	Start Points	Date	Start Points	Date	Start Points
6 <sup>th</sup> July	1. Ripley 2. Elstead	3 <sup>rd</sup> August	1. Shere 2. Chobham	7 <sup>th</sup> Sept	1. Ripley 2. Away day
13 <sup>th</sup> July	1. Shere 2. Petersfield	10 <sup>th</sup> August	1. TBA 2. Pinkney's Grn	14 <sup>th</sup> Sept	1. Albury Heath 2. Elstead
20 <sup>th</sup> July	1. Albury Heath 2. Milford	17 <sup>th</sup> August	1. Shalford 2. Elstead	21 <sup>st</sup> Sept	1. Shere 2. Away day
27 <sup>th</sup> July	1. Ripley 2. Wisborough Grn	24 <sup>th</sup> August	1. Shere 2. Away day	28 <sup>th</sup> Sept	1. Shalford 2. Milford
		31 <sup>st</sup> August	1. Shalford 2. Normandy		

## Weekend Away Day Riders (WADR) Grade 3.

**When:** On a Saturday or a Sunday (As per Schedule below) each summer month.

**Where:** See schedule below. Normally a train or car journey to the start. (car-sharing encouraged)

**How Far:** All-day rides, circa 60 miles. Full details published on Spond.

**Who to contact:** Jerry Sender, 07917 582122

These rides are generally beyond our normal boundaries and generally entail a journey to a new area. If weather is looking to be poor the ride is likely to be cancelled.

## Dates for your diary

Date	Start	Details
9 <sup>th</sup> July	TBA	Hidden Kent
17 <sup>th</sup> July	TBA	
7 <sup>th</sup> August	Shere Village Hall	Tour of the Hills.
13 <sup>th</sup> August	TBA	
September	TBA	

See West Surrey website <https://www.westsurreyctc.co.uk/> for Latest News and Ride Calendar