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In this edition, Harp Hilly follow up news, and as we are well into a new season it's time to prepare for the forth coming club rides. Also for those who are a bit more ambitious the WLC time trial series is already underway.

Club Run Wednesday 25th March

This years club runs kick off on Wednesday 25th March at the CuriosiTEA in Ivinghoe. The cafe is at the back of the old school just past the T junction in the High Street, post code LU7 9EX. Meet 10am for a 10:30am start.

West London Combine Events 2015

Date	Distance	Course	Start Time
1/3/2015	10	H10/2	8am
15/3/2015	25	H25/4	8am
26/4/2015	25	H25/4	7:30am
24/5/2015	25	H25/4	7:30am
28/6/2016	50	H50/H	7:30am
23/8/2015	25	H25/4	7:30am
13/9/2015	10	CC180	8am
11/10/2015	H/C	Windsor Hill	9:30am

A complete list of the time trials with full details including closing dates is available if you are considering entering any of the events.

Harp Hilly 100 Shield on Display

The Harp Hilly shield, which was won this year by the newly formed Berkhamsted CC, is now on display in the Berkhamsted Town Council's

boardroom after the Berkhamsted CC received congratulations from the Mayor for their winning team.

29th January 2015



Mr Nick Kurth
Chairman - Berkhamsted Cycling Club

Dear Nick

The Town Council was delighted to hear that the Berkhamsted Cycling Club have won their first trophy on the Harp Hilly Hundred. This is a great result for any club, but for a newly formed club it is sensational.

As Mayor and on behalf of the town Council, I was pleased to present the new jerseys to the club at the end of last year and they look even better on a winning team. We will make sure we have enough space for this trophy and all the others that will follow.

Yours sincerely

Councillor Peter Matthews
Town Mayor



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Harp Hilly 2015 Charity Donations

The donations from the proceeds of the Harp Hilly have been presented to our selected charities. The Macular Society and Breast Cancer Care received £550 each. Their acknowledgement of the donations are copied below.

Support throughout
central vision loss

Macular Society

Mrs E M Coombs

12 February 2015

Dear Mrs Coombs,

Thank you so much for your kind donation of £550 sent on behalf of the Leicester Support Group to help more people affected by macular disease. Please pass on our grateful thanks to your husband, Peter, and members of the Harp Road Club for helping to raise this money.

Thanks to your support, and the club's generosity, we can be there for even more people affected by macular disease. As you may know, our free counselling service offers emotional support for people learning to live with the inevitable changes that sight loss brings.

Donations also enable us to invest in ground breaking UK based research as we move closer to finding a cure for macular disease.

Thank you again for your kind contribution towards our work.

With very best wishes

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Pete Coombes presents the cheque to the Macular Society

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breast
cancer
care
the breast cancer
support charity

Mr Michael Clark

12 February 2015

Your Breast Cancer Care No: 1224410

Dear Michael

On behalf of Breast Cancer Care, I would like to say a big thank you to everyone at Harp Road Club for the fantastic £550.00 that you have raised for our funds by organising your Harp Hilly Hundred cycling event. We feel privileged that you selected Breast Cancer Care to benefit from this donation. Your support of our work is warmly appreciated.

Your gift is very important to us and we are able to offer our services only because of support such as yours. Breast Cancer Care is here for anyone affected by breast cancer. We bring people together, provide information and support, and campaign for improved standards of care. We use our understanding of people's experiences of breast cancer and our clinical expertise in everything we do.

For details of other activities taking place throughout the year, please visit our website www.breastcancercare.org.uk/getinvolved or call us on 0345 092 0600.

Thank you again for your support.

Kind regards

Andy Harris
Director of Fundraising and Marketing

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Harp Hilly 2015 Feedback

Many thanks again for an excellent event last weekend. The photos are the icing on the cake (yes, cake, not road).

Best wishes Ben

Thanks for a great event today - the bad weather held off and there were lots of smiling faces, particularly at the conclusion of the event!

Once again, thanks for a great event and please pass on our thanks to all those who were involved in the day.

Kind regards, Nick

I just wanted to say thank you for an excellent day today guys, many thanks for a great and well run Harp Hilly event.

Thanks Gareth

What a great event! Thank you, and I didn't expect it to be as hard as it was; it's amazing how much cold fatigues you!

Regards, Nick

Many thanks for organising the reliability ride today. It was a really satisfying outing. We were very fortunate in the weather - I had been watching out and was greatly relieved that this was the day of the week to ride. The organisation, commitment of staff and support (sandwiches too) were great as well.

I have only one suggestion for future editions, which I hope you will consider. This is to have a specimen of your arrow signs on display at the HQ so that riders know what to watch for. The signs themselves are good - clear and conspicuous.

Well done to you no your team - I will return!

All best wishes

Ben