#### To all members of SWCC 2023

#### Good afternoon,

Firstly, thank you to all who were able to get to the marketplace for our annual club photo earlier this month, it was great to see so many of you there. Our new photo has now replaced the older one on our website, Facebook pages and Strava group page. The same week Richard Howes popped down to the Go-ride session and took a photo of our younger members which is now also on the club website and on the Go-ride Facebook page.

# Please can you help out this coming Saturday, 24th June?

Dennis Owen is still desperately short of helpers for the East Midlands Youth League Championship - Closed Circuit Racing at Yarborough Leisure Centre, hosted by Sleaford Wheelers CC. If you can spare any amount of time on the day, please contact Dennis on 07783 455932 Dennis needs marshalling help throughout the day. Racing is from 10.00 am until 4.00pm but even if you can only spare one hour that would be great!

## SWCC Summer Social at Scredington Village Hall on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July.

All members and their families are invited to come along at any time between 2.00pm and 8.00pm. We have full use of the hall and grounds so no need to worry about the weather. Bring your own drinks, picnic or BBQ and spend a leisurely afternoon among friends! Further details to follow....

## SWCC Time Trials – Thursdays at 7.00pm

PLEASE NOTE: Stuart is having a well-earned break and will not be available for two of the upcoming TTs. Please book in with **Dennis for round 9** and with **Chris for round 10** in the usual way from Tuesday to 4.00pm on the Thursday. See below for contact details. For further details of our Time Trials, click here.

## **SWCC 10 League dates:**

Round 7 on 29th June

Round 8 on 6<sup>th</sup> July

Round 9 on 13th July - Text to Dennis: 07783 455932 Round 10 on 20<sup>th</sup> July - Text to Chris: 07810 678094

Round 11 and SWCC Championship 10 on 27<sup>th</sup> July - followed by a Buffet Social at the Horseshoes -All welcome, no charge for food!

### **SWCC 7 league dates:**

Round 3 on 3<sup>rd</sup> August

Round 4 on 10<sup>th</sup> August

**Ladies Only 7mile TT** on 17<sup>th</sup> August – see below:

# Ladies Only 7mile TT on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> August

This will be run just like our usual club time trials but just for female riders 12 years and older. All abilities welcome. There will be prizes for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> on road bikes and 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> on TT bikes but this is primarily a fun event! A great opportunity to have a go at time trialling for the first time. For further details of our Time Trials, click here.

### East Midlands MTB XC Regional Championships on 15th July 2023

Round 4 of this series organised by Focus Rides is a two-day event at Hainton Estates, Lincolnshire. Mountain Bike Cross-Country Racing for all ages.

Camping is available for the weekend. For more information about this event click here.

Don't forget, this race series is being used for the **SWCC MTB League** with trophies to be won in all available categories.

## **TLI Road Circuit Racing**

Round 3 at Brattleby on Wednesday 26th July.

Entries close on Wednesday 19th July.

Round 4 at Ashby on Wednesday 23rd August.

Entries **open** on 28<sup>th</sup> June.

If you would like to enter any of these events you will need a TLI licence available from: <a href="https://www.tlicycling.com/membership/">https://www.tlicycling.com/membership/</a> and then book through <a href="https://www.RiderHQ.com">www.RiderHQ.com</a> You must be 14 or older to race.

NB. Entries fill up quickly!

## Grass Track Racing at the Heckington Show on Saturday 29th July 2023

Dennis is planning to enter two teams from our Go-ride section for the **Youth Go-ride Club Championship** which take place at the Heckington Show on the Saturday morning. So, if you are visiting the Heckington Show on the Saturday, don't forget to drop by the show's main ring and give them some support!

#### Regular club Events...

**SWCC Go-ride** sessions take place on Tuesday evenings for our younger members. Meet at Sleaford Rugby Club for a 6.30pm start. Sessions continue up to and including Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July.

**SWCC Ladies' Social Rides.** The next ride will be on **Saturday 1**<sup>st</sup> **July**. There will be at least three groups to choose from, possibly four, so something for everyone. Meet at the Horseshoes for a prompt start at 9.00am.

The following month the Ladies' Social Ride will be on Saturday 5th August.

**SWCC Sunday Club Rides** every Sunday morning. Meet at the Marketplace in Sleaford for a prompt start at 9.15am. Hopefully, there will be three groups out each week depending on availability of ride leaders. If you would like to become a club ride leader, please get in touch with any member of the committee.

**SWCC Chain-Gang** on Tuesday evenings. Meet on the Digby Circuit at the top of the Roxholm/Bloxholm Road at 6.00pm for a prompt start at 6.15pm.

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For further details please contact Dan Simpson.

The next SWCC Committee meeting will be on **Monday 17**<sup>th</sup> **July**. If you have any questions, comments, or suggestions, please get in touch with me or any member of the committee.

That's all for now, Happy cycling and see you soon, Kind regards Julie