

PtP Night Rider



Information for Participants

Thank you for entering the second Pedal the Park Night Rider. This night time road ride of approximately 50miles/80km will leave Castle Semple Visitor Centre in Lochwinnoch, Renfrewshire at 8pm on Friday 23rd November 2018.

Where and When:

The event start and finish will be at: Castle Semple Visitor Centre, Lochlip Road, Lochwinnoch, Renfrewshire, PA12 4EA.

There will be a short briefing to riders inside the Centre at 7.45pm. Riders should then be ready to leave the Visitor Centre at 8pm sharp, the ride will be roughly 3.5-4.5 hours in duration. Arriving back at the Centre at 12 midnight ish.

Directions to the Centre can be found on the Clyde Muirshiel Regional Park website here:

<http://clydemuirshiel.co.uk/park-sites/castle-semple/find-us-castle-semple/>

Route:

This is a road bike 'reliability ride' where individuals are responsible for themselves. The route is here: https://gb.mapometer.com/cycling/route_4797736.html and **will not be signposted** but a gpx file will be attached to this information sheet when it is sent out by email prior to the ride.

We strongly encourage you to familiarise yourself with the route in advance.

Additional Info:

Please ensure you have **good lights for your bike**, front and rear with **enough battery to last** for the full ride (approximately 4 hours) as well as **high visibility** clothing. Additional lighting (such as fairy lights on top tubes or rim lights...!) is encouraged.

Bring your usual riding puncture repairing kit i.e. extra tubes, pump, gas canisters. Also make sure your bike is in good riding condition.

There will be a broom wagon with mechanical assistance and first aider tailing the group. Anyone wanting to bring additional food/water/batteries for lights we can put bags etc. in the broom wagon. It will be close at hand at all times during the ride.

It is intended that anyone riding this event will stay together as a group, allowing for maximum visibility, safety and camaraderie!

Castle Semple Visitor Centre with cafe in Lochwinnoch will be open (informally) before and after the event for coffee and snacks.

We hope you enjoy the ride and we'll see you at our other major event of the year Pedal the Park sportive on Sunday 5th May 2019 entry through British Cycling in December

