Audax Australia
The LONG DISTANCE Cycling Club

2016
Rides Calendar

Hundreds of Rides
50 to 1200 kilometres
What is Audax Australia?

The Audax Australia Cycling Club conducts non-competitive, long distance cycling events called randonnées or brevets, principally of 200 kilometres or longer. But shorter distances are also included. Audax Australia’s calendar offers several different types of rides:

1. Brevet Randonneur Mondiaux (BRM) randonnées ‘allure libre’ where you ride at your own pace.
2. Brevet UAF (BUAF) events where you ride in a group at an average pace of 22.5 km/h.
3. Brevet Australia (BA) rides, which include rides of less than 200km (sometimes known as ‘populaires’).
4. Brevet Dirt rides which are off-road rides.
5. ‘Permanents’ which are listed Randonnées that can be ridden at a time of your choosing.
6. ‘Raids’ which are listed multi-day tours that can be ridden at a time of your choosing.

Road rides of up to 600km are generally based on a minimum average speed of 15 km/h, including stops. The off-road dirt rides are based on a minimum average speed of 10 km/h, including stops.

On Audax Australia events, all participants have equal merit. To be the fastest does not mean to be the best. The purpose of the randonneur is not to race, but to meet a challenge while respecting the rules and spirit of randonneuring.

Who Can Ride?

Audax rides are open to all reasonably fit and determined cyclists willing to take up the challenge that makes a randonneur.

You are required to be either a full Member or take out temporary membership when participating in any Audax ride. Temporary membership can be obtained on a per ride basis upon registration, by payment of a non-member surcharge. Permanents and Raids are only available to full Members.

Audax events are held in most parts of Australia, and you will be made very welcome when participating. Non-members are most welcome to join our friendly and supportive participants.
Types of Rides

• **Brevet Randonneur Mondiaux**

Most Audax Australia rides are randonnées ‘allure libre’ where you ride at your own pace over a set course within a given time limit, including stops at specified checkpoints. Rides of 200km and over are ratified by the Audax Club Parisien and are referred to as Brevets Randonneur Mondiaux (BRM).

• **Brevet Australia**

Some randonnées are also ratified by Audax Australia and are referred to as Brevets Australia (BA). These are usually road rides of less than 200km. Off-road ‘dirt’ rides (Brevets Dirt), Permanents and Raids (see below) are also run under the auspices of Audax Australia.

• **Brevet UAF**

Events recognised by the Union des Audax Français (UAF) are generally 100, 200, 300, 400, 600 or 1000km long. Brevets UAF (BUAF) are tests of consistency and endurance and are ridden as a group, normally at a 22.5 km/h riding average. On these events, the entire peloton will stop for scheduled rest stops of about 20 minutes or 60–90 minutes for lunch. Brevets longer than 300km also have scheduled night stops.

• **Permanents**

Brevet Permanent events are randonnées offered by Audax Australia that can be ridden at any time. Permanents are available to Members of Audax Australia and overseas visitors who are Members of ACP affiliated long-distance cycling clubs. Such visitors must take out temporary membership. Permanents are recognised alongside other rides for Australian awards (page 7) but are not internationally recognised and are not qualifiers for international rides (e.g. Paris/Brest/Paris) or international awards (e.g. Audax Club Parisien’s Randonneur 5000).

See [www.audax.org.au](http://www.audax.org.au) for more information and a list of permanents offered in your region.

• **Raids**

Raids are multi-day long distance tours over established routes, which can be ridden at any time.

Distances vary from about 400km to over 2000km. You’ll need to ride an average of around 80km per day to complete a Raid.

For more information see: [www.audax.org.au/raids](http://www.audax.org.au/raids)

• **Fleche Opperman All Day Trial**

Early on Saturday the 19th of March 2016, teams of riders in seven regions will set off to ride a minimum of 360km in 24 hours: this is the *Fleche Opperman All Day Trial*.

Joining them will be teams riding a minimum of 180km in 14 hours: the *Petit Oppy*.

Teams choose their starting point and route, arriving at a specified finishing destination from all corners of the map (like arrows to a target, hence flèche, the French word for arrow).

**New South Wales / Sydney:** (Finish: Newcastle)
Organisers: Katherine Bryant and Ian Garrity
ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au - (02) 9981 3919

**New South Wales / Wagga:** (Finish: Wagga Wagga)
Organiser: Peter Makin
p.makin101@hotmail.com - 0407 263 870

**Queensland:** (Finish: Ipswich / Brothers Leagues Club)
Organiser: Mark Riley
m.riley@uq.edu.au - 0416 802 834

**South Australia:** (Finish: Adelaide)
Organiser: Matthew Rawnsley
longdistance1200@hotmail.com - 0427 379 640

**Tasmania:** (Finish: Geelong, Vic)
Organiser: Andrew Heard
andrew.james.heard@gmail.com - 0457 120 715

**Victoria:** (Finish: Geelong)
Organiser: Martin Haynes
bajubaje@dcsi.net.au - (03) 5674 2157

**Western Australia:** (Finish: Fremantle)
Organiser: Tony Gillespie
rgi70696@bigpond.net.au - 0407 117 608

For more information see: [www.audax.org.au/oppy](http://www.audax.org.au/oppy)

What is a Brevet Card?

On Audax rides you are issued with a brevet card, which is your record of participation and must be carried at all times. At each control, your card must be stamped/signed and the time of arrival recorded. On supported rides this is usually done by the organiser. On unsupported rides this is usually done at a nominated location such as a shop, service station or post office. Brevet cards are submitted to the ride organiser upon completion and returned later certified with a unique brevet number.
Equipment

Participants may ride any type of cycle on an Audax ride provided it is capable of being propelled solely by human effort and complies with the road rules.

On a ride where any part of the maximum permitted time for the ride is at night (e.g. start before sunrise and/or finish after sunset), a rider must:

(a) have available for use at all times:
   i. at least two independent front lights, including brackets,
   ii. at least two independent rear lights; and
   iii. an effective reflective vest, bandolier or jersey (with reflective markings on both the front and rear) or equivalent,

(b) have securely attached to the cycle at all times, one front light and one rear light and a red reflector,

(c) at night or in hazardous weather conditions causing reduced visibility:
   i. have illuminated at least one front light of constant beam,
   ii. have illuminated at least one rear light; and
   iii. wear the reflective vest, bandolier or jersey or equivalent as the outermost garment.

Brevet cards will not be issued until a lighting inspection has been successfully completed at the start of a ride and the result recorded. If the lighting rules are breached during a ride, the ride organiser must disqualify the rider.

Additional items such as extra lights and reflective anklets are strongly recommended. Mudguards are a good idea particularly during seasonally wet weather or inclement conditions.

Participants provide all their own food, tools and spares on unsupported rides. Limited catering is provided on supported rides; it is best to check with the ride organiser when you book in. Much better to ask than to be hungry.

The above is a summary only—please consult the complete Ride Rules on <www.audax.org.au> under Rules and Forms.

Audax Australia Awards

A new awards scheme commenced in the 2012 season and some of the old awards were discontinued. Please consult the Award Guidelines on <www.audax.org.au> under Rules and Forms.

• Single-Season Awards (1 November to 31 October)

Nouveau Randonneur: 1×50km, 1×100km and 1×150km brevet. May substitute longer rides for shorter. Awarded once per season.

Dirt Series: 1×35km, 1×70km and 1×100km dirt (off-road) brevets. May substitute longer Dirt Series rides for shorter.

Super Randonneur: 1×200km, 1×300km, 1×400km and 1×600km brevet. May substitute a longer brevet. If each brevet is ridden in a different state or territory, the rider may claim the Australian Interstate Super Randonneur. If all brevets are ridden as part of a nine-day Gran Turismo, the rider may claim the Gran Turismo Super Randonneur.

Annual Award: Recognising the successful completion of brevet rides of any distance in a single season totalling 1000km, 2500km, 5000km or 10,000km. One award per year only. Members are encouraged to apply for the highest award for which they qualify.

Year Round Randonneur: Complete one brevet of 200km or more each month of the Audax season. Brevets counted for this award may also be counted toward other awards.

• Multi-Season Awards

Woodrup 5000 Award: A Super Randonneur plus a Fleche Opperman All Day Trial, 1×1000km brevet, a 1200km brevet (not PBP), and at least 950km of 200km or greater brevets. Four year time limit applies.


Australian Randonneur: Recognising the successful completion of brevet rides of any distance over a rider’s life-time. Initially recognising totals of 25,000km, 50,000km, 75,000km and 100,000km. Available from the 2012/13 riding year.

• International Awards

Audax Australia riders may also be eligible for awards issued by ACP and UAF.
A Brief History of Audax

The word Audax comes from the Latin for bold or courageous. In 1897, a group of Italian cyclists rode 200km between sunrise and sunset, and became known as *Les Audacieux*.

In 1904, Henri Desgrange, the father of the Tour de France, formalised the Audax style of riding. It consists of a group of cyclists following a captain at a fixed average speed. While this style still exists in Europe, it is less popular than the randonnée style (individual long distance touring style cycling) developed in 1921 by the Audax Club Parisien.

Established in 1981, Audax Australia holds rides in Australia under the auspices of the Audax Club Parisien, Les Randonneurs Mondiaux (the worldwide bodies governing randonnées), and L’Union des Audax Français (the governing body for the traditional Audax fixed pace events).

In 1931, Australian cyclist Sir Hubert Opperman (Oppy) won the 1200km Paris-Brest-Paris race. Nowadays, it is held as a randonnée every four years. It is the most prestigious randonnée of all, and is known simply as PBP. The next PBP will be held in August 2015. The UAF also runs Paris-Brest-Paris Audax every five years. The next one will be in 2016.

### Time Limits

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The Great Southern Randonnée (GSR) is one of the great long distance randonnées and a ride of many colours. It dips its lid to the skyline of Melbourne, skims the Surf Coast, crosses the forests of the Otways, touches the Shipwreck Coast, then pastoral valleys, farms and long extinct volcanoes to Port Fairy. After Port Fairy, the landscape is almost moorland up to Hamilton where the views of the Grampians dominate the horizon, drawing the riders into its majestic valleys.

The 6th edition of the GSR brings some minor changes, but continues with the fabulous support provided by our enthusiastic volunteers. For the 1200 kilometre distance the traditional evening start will be offered, sending riders on an overnight loop of the Bellarine Peninsula first. However, riders may also elect to start in the morning and head along the grandeur of the Great Ocean Road first, leaving the Bellarine Peninsula loop until the end.

Qualifying rides will apply for the 1000km and 1200km distances. Either a 1000km or greater ride (including PBP) in the 2014-15 Audax year (November 1 to October 31), or a 600km or greater ride in the 2015-16 Audax year until August 31. Distances are spot on for the 1000km and 1200km options, no gratuitous over distance kilometres here!

Additional information will be available shortly. Entries will open in early 2016. For latest GSR details go to: www.audax.org.au

--- Ride Listings... (deconstructed) ---

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Sunday 1 November

**A Reverse Trot Classic**

200/100

Traversing Capital Country, it’s a ride with intent to Bungendore, Tarago and onto Goulburn. Back to Sutton, it’s across the ranges through Gunning and Gundaroo - The Classic Trot, NO...it’s off to Gundaroo first and Bungendore comes last.

Anthony Nocka - 0423 744 694

Aonocka@gmail.com

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Saturday 14 November

**Right Royal Boorowa and Beyond**

300

Bring it on Boorowa, Young heading west then south to Stockinbingal (cake), on to Coota and back to Boorowa via Harden.

Marea England - 0432 275 074

ruby.redcar@hotmail.com

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Sunday 15 November

**Ain’t Nothing Royal About Boorowa - Or Is There?**

200

Recovery ride to complete celebration of Prince Charles’ 67th birthday (14 November 1948) - or just a great excuse to eat cake. Ride starts at Boorowa and winds its way on back roads to Cowra before heading out to Greenthorpe, Landra, Bendick Murrell.

Marea England - 0432 275 074

Boorowa Bakery - Main Street

ruby.redcar@hotmail.com

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Saturday 28 November

**Ruckin Rugby/ Tacklin Tarago**

400/165

Tackle this challenging ride heading north to Collector then to Tarago and Goulburn. Climb up, and up, to Crookwell, then undulate westward on the recently sealed road to Boorowa via Rugby then back home via Yass. 200km option returns to Canberra via Bunge.

Daniel Oakman - 0408 534 842

daniel.oakman@nma.gov.au

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See online calendar for latest ride information: <www.audax.org.au/calendar>

Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.
Saturday 12 December

• **Mallacoota Magic 600** 600/200
After blasting around to Bombala, we disappear south into deep forest, re-emerging on the far-east Victorian coast for a quick dip in Bass Strait.

**Anthony Nocka - 0423 744 694**
aonocka@gmail.com

Sunday 3 January

• **The Lookdown Loop** 200
Familiar quiet roads in a new loop to the north.

**Anthony Nocka - 0423 744 694**
aonocka@gmail.com

Sunday 10 January

• **Namadgi Grimpeur** 75/115/150
A choice of demanding rides in scenic countryside in and near the Namadgi National Park, traversing Corin Forest, Honeysuckle Creek, Fitzs Hill and Orroal Valley. Ideal Alpine Classic preparation.

**Anthony Nocka - 0423 744 694**
aonocka@gmail.com

Saturday 6 February

• **Crookwell Canter 300** 300
Crookwell Canter 300km - taking in some new roads and some old favourites.

**Marea England - 0432 275 074**
ruby.redcar@hotmail.com

Saturday 6 February

• **Crikey Crookwell via the cafe starting at Collector** 200
Crookwell canter starting from Collector - taking alternate routes to Crookwell and back to Goulburn for tea before heading home via Lucky Pass (some short sections of gravel).

**Marea England - 0432 275 074**
Collector, Sports Ground
ruby.redcar@hotmail.com

Saturday 13 February

• **ACT Dirt Series - One** 35

**Peter Heal - 0422 103 139**
peterheal@hotmail.com

Saturday 20 February

• **Snowies Epic 200/300** 300/200
A very challenging circuit over the Snowy Mtns including over 6000 metres of climbing for experienced randonneurs. Can be tackled as a straight-through 300 or as two rides (a 200 and 100) with a night's rest in Khancoban in between.

**Peter Heal - 0422 103 139**
pheal@tpg.com.au

Sunday 21 February

• **Snowies Epic 100** 100
A very challenging circuit over the Snowy Mtns including over 6000 metres of climbing for experienced randonneurs. This ride is the final 100km after your night’s rest in Khancoban.

**Peter Heal - 0422 103 139**
pheal@tpg.com.au

Saturday 12 March

• **Gunning by Gravel** 150
A different take on a popular ride from Canberra to Gunning (return). We avoid tar (50% gravel route), taking in the less often used Dicks Creek Rd, Yass River Rd, and spectacular views of Lake George from Collector Rd. Wide tyres!

**Russell Noble - 0404 815 721**
russ.noble@gmail.com

Saturday 19 March

• **ACT Dirt Series - Two** 70

**Peter Heal - 0422 103 139**
peterheal@hotmail.com

Saturday 2 April

• **ACT Dirt Series - Three** 100
Mountain Bikes Rule. Off the beaten tracks. A big loop around Canberra inner hills on parts of the Centenary Trail and other fun stuff.

**Peter Heal - 0422 103 139**
peterheal@hotmail.com

Saturday 9 April

• **Forbes Frolic** 600/200
A 600km brevet to Forbes and return.

**Peter Heal - 0422 103 139**
peterheal@hotmail.com

Sunday 1 May

• **May Day Ride** 200
A laboured run to the west for treats in Borrowa, dancing on pedals back to a quieter Binalong, spinning onto Yass and winding without distress to Murrumbateman.

**Anthony Nocka - 0423 744 694**
aonocka@gmail.com

Sunday 22 May

• **Great South Lands** 200/100
Start south, ride south, cycle the Brindabellas then head to Yass. Return via Yass River and Nanima Roads.

**Anthony Nocka - 0423 744 694**
aonocka@gmail.com

See online calendar for latest ride information: <www.audax.org.au/calendar> Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.
• Saturday 4 June  
**Illawarra Triple Treat Day 1**  
200 Day one of series of three 200km rides exploring the Illawarra and Southern Highlands.  
**Peter Heal - 0422 103 139**  
peterheal@hotmail.com

Sunday 5 June  
• **Illawarra Triple Treat Day 2**  
200 Day 2 of series of three 200km rides. From Robertson, descend to the Illawarra and ride a series of quiet loops on country roads and paths exploring the region. Big climb back up the escarpment at end of day to Robertson.  
**Peter Heal - 0422 103 139**  
peterheal@hotmail.com

Monday 6 June  
• **Illawarra Triple Treat Day 3**  
200 Day three 200km return ride to Canberra from Robertson.  
**Peter Heal - 0422 103 139**  
peterheal@hotmail.com

Saturday 18 June  
• **WTF Saturday Sunday?**  
100 Mid-Winter meander from Wilburs to Lake George, back to Gundaroo for a quick coffee before tearing down the new Majura Parkway and finding our way back to Wilburs.  
**Marea England - 0432 275 074**  
Wilburs Cafe, Hackett Shops  
ruby.redcar@hotmail.com

Sunday 3 July  
• **Ride a Boot or Two by Rossi**  
200/100 Climb away from Queanbeyan, take the Captain’s Flat to Bungendore, then it’s your choice. 200 gives you the Tarago Road to Collector onto Gunning, Gundaroo and home. 100 takes you home from Bungendore by Smith’s Gap and Norton Rd.  
**Anthony Nocka - 0423 744 694**  
aonocka@gmail.com

Friday 15 July  
• **Begin the Beguine**  
91 Come dance on the pedals! Lots of hills, a farm lane winding through an enchanted valley and fast, sinuous descents. Think you know the Southern Tablelands? Think again! Only 17 kms of gravel but this includes steep declines on a loose surface.  
**Bob McHugh - 6231 3501**  
bobdorrie@westnet.com.au

Saturday 16 July  
• **Shake, Rattle and Roll (One Eyed Cat Remix)**  
154/145 A new course for 2016 includes in the best of the old and adds a few new twists and turns. The shorter option avoids the formal lighting requirement but bypasses the funkiest terrain. You’ll need at least 28mm tyres or good bike handling skills.  
**Bob McHugh - 6231 3501**  
bobdorrie@westnet.com.au

Sunday 17 July  
• **Das Lied von der Schotter**  
180/128 Gravel roads provide a new course between Yass and Harden or turn around at Galong for a shorter ride which avoids the formal lighting requirements. Either way, you’ll enjoy fine views from the hilltops instead of worrying about the main road traffic.  
**Bob McHugh - 6231 3501**  
bobdorrie@westnet.com.au

Sunday 7 August  
• **Lovelier Lade Vale 200**  
200 An old ride made new with Lade Vale’s short unpaved section of road coming before Gunning. The downs then go up and the climbs go down on the way to Collector. The Old Federal and Service roads help to avoid the highway.  
**Anthony Nocka - 0423 744 694**  
aonocka@gmail.com

Saturday 20 August  
• **Hall’n Binda - Bushranger Adventure**  
300 Follow the bushranger trail from Hall, Yass Binda, Lagan, Crookwell, Bredalbine, Collector and back to town. It’s a long way to between services from Yass to Binda, bring lots with you. More than 3500 metres of climbing. You’ll need lights.  
**Marea England - 0432 275 074**  
Hall (Equestrian Park) Gladstone St  
ruby.redcar@hotmail.com

Sunday 4 September  
• **Majors Creek and Araluen**  
100 Three loops out of Braidwood with a serious climb in the middle.  
**Peter Heal - 0422 103 139**  
peterheal@hotmail.com

Sunday 11 September  
• **Star Gazers’ Spring Delight**  
1000 Stargazers will explore new roads as they ride north from Cowra on quiet roads, enjoying the vibrant colours of spring, the long views from ridge top to ridge top and the glorious night skies. Bag drop and meals at Dunedoo on both nights of the event.  
**Bob McHugh - (02) 6231 3501**  
Cowra  
bobdorrie@westnet.com.au

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Sunday 25 September

- The WHeeO wAy! 200/100
A ride in search of the WHEE factor. Two sections of unsealed road soon after leaving Collector on the way to Tarago and soon after leaving Crookwell on the way to Breadalbane.

Anthony Nocka - 0423 744 694 Collector aonocka@gmail.com

Saturday 8 October

- Wattle Valley Tango (Two Step Revisited) 200/600
Perfect time to see the wattles and where best - Cootamundra. Rolling country. Some long flat sections on the 600. Limited support, bag drop for overnight stay, probably late supper for 600s. Final support costs to be determined based on numbers.

Russell Noble - 0404 815 721 Hall russ.noble@gmail.com Supported

Sunday 9 October

- Wattle Valley - Day 2 200
A pleasant ride home. Overnight bag will be picked up from Cootamundra.

Russell Noble - 0404 815 721 Cootamundra russ.noble@gmail.com

Sunday 30 October

- Fitz’s Challenge 50/100/150 50/105/165
Run by Pedal Power ACT, this is a long distance day touring event, comparable to the Alpine Classic, with a choice of distances in the foothills of the Brindabella Range and the Namadgi National Park. (No brevets issued for shorter distances).

Pedal Power Act - (02) 6248 7995 Stromlo Forest Park fitzs@pedalpower.org.au

- Fitz’s Epic 207
The Fitz’s Epic adds steep climbs to Honeysuckle Creek Tracking Station and Corin Forest to the already challenging Fitz’s Classic ride. The Epic is now a brevet ride, and a qualifier for the ACE 250. For event details, go to www.fitzs.com.au

Pedal Power Act - (02) 6248 7995 Stromlo Forest Park fitzs@pedalpower.org.au

- Fitz’s Extreme 250 255
The longest of the Fitz’s Challenge rides, the Extreme has 4700m of climbing. A reduced cutoff time to fit daylight hours means a minimum speed of 18.5 km/h. Like the Epic it is a brevet ride, and a qualifier for the ACE 250. Details: www.fitzs.com.au

Pedal Power Act - (02) 6248 7995 Stromlo Forest Park fitzs@pedalpower.org.au

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New South Wales

Yass Mixed Terrain Weekend
• 9 - 10 April
• 50 / 100 / 150 kilometres

NSW Rides Calendar

Sunday 1 November
• Tallong Bridge 200
Scenic ride up Macquarie pass through Highland Villages to Tallong and return.
Barry Stevenson - 0408 290 311
Dapto Railway Station
barrypbp1@gmail.com

Saturday 7 November
• Nouveau in a day - 100km 100
Your chance to ride the Nouveau award in one day. 50km, 100km and 150km straight after each other.
Stephen Rowlands - 0412 134 451
Corowa
srowlands63@gmail.com

Saturday 7 November
• Nouveau in a day - 150km 150
Your chance to ride the Nouveau award in one day. 50km, 100km and 150km straight after each other.
Stephen Rowlands - 0412 134 451
Corowa
srowlands63@gmail.com

Saturday 7 November
• Nouveau in a day - 50km 50
Have a go at doing the Nouveau award in a day. 50km, 100km and 150km straight after each other.
Stephen Rowlands - 0412 134 451
Corowa
srowlands63@gmail.com

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Saturday 7 November

**Bushranger’s Weekend - Mixed Surface Saturday**

50/100/200/300/400

Mixed terrain rides on sealed and gravel roads. Generally quiet rural roads through central NSW. Long distances with limited or no services, especially at night. Come prepared with food, drink and spares. Emergency support offered by ride organiser.

Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330  
Parkes, Cooke Park, Short St  
waydo2@gmail.com  
Emergency Support Only

Saturday 7 November

**Bushranger’s Weekend - Sealed Surface Saturday**

200/600/1000

Rides on SEALED roads for buggies with skinny tyres, and for the reclining style of bushranging. These rides are NOT SUPPORTED.

Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330  
Parkes, Cooke Park, Short St  
waydo2@gmail.com  
NOT SUPPORTED

Sunday 8 November

**Bushranger’s Weekend - Mixed Surface Sunday**

50/100/200

Mixed terrain rides on sealed and gravel roads. Generally quiet rural roads. Few services, come prepared with food, drinks, and spares. Emergency support offered by ride organiser.

Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330  
Parkes, Cooke Park, Short St  
waydo2@gmail.com  
Emergency Support Only

Saturday 14 November

**Daddy, Mummy & Baby Gorges**

100/150/200

These rides showcase some of the most spectacular scenery you are ever likely to see on an Audax ride. With 3 distance options there is one that is “just right” for you.

Howard Dove & Rebecca Morton - 9987 0636  
Waitara  
ramhkd@yahoo.com.au

Sunday 15 November

**Hundreds of Hills**

100

A hilly tour of some of possibly the least well known hills of the Northern Beaches of Sydney. Strong legs and/or little tiny gears preferred but not essential...so long as you don’t mind walking.

Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 0404 246 064  
Dee Why  
ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 21 November

**Hunter - Coasts and Valleys**

100/200/300/400

A tour of the cycling highlights of the coastline around Newcastle and the vineyards of the Hunter Valley

Ben Sparkes - 0403 385 516  
Eleebana  
ben@milleen.com

Saturday 28 November

**Newcastle Overnight**

An Overnight Ride from Sydney to Newcastle. Leaving from 9pm, arriving in Newcastle at the Ocean Baths in time for a swim and breakfast. Click on Start Map link below for full ride details.

Oliver Cashman & Garth Davies - 0409 325 160  
Sydney  
garthjdavies@gmail.com  
Observatory Hill

Saturday 28 November

**Las Montanas Azules con Las Tres Hermanas**

200/150/250

An ideal ride for those looking for a longer climb. The ride is not as difficult as it looks and even with the 40km 1000m climb to Katoomba there is only 2200m of climbing in total.

Ricky O’Brien - 0417 556 985  
Rozelle: King Georges Park, Manning St  
rickob@internode.on.net

Saturday 28 November

**Coast, Coffee and Cols**

100/200/300

A scenic ride through the highlights of the Royal National Park. The 200 travels further to Wollongong via the beautiful Illawarra coast.

Joel O’Dwyer - 0412 951 703  
Sutherland  
lepton511@hotmail.com

Saturday 28 November

**Windy 300**

300

Dapto Goulburn Dapto via MacQuarie Pass and the Southern Highlands

Barry Stevenson - 0408 290 311  
Dapto Station  
barrypbp1@gmail.com

Saturday 5 December

**Hawkesbury Howler**

200

A scenic route taking in parks, rivers, ferries and the lower Blue Mountains.

Howard Dove & Rebecca Morton - 9987 0636  
Waitara  
ramhkd@yahoo.com.au

Tuesday 8 December

**Audax NSW Christmas Party**

A fun social evening. Come along and spread some Christmas cheer. Members, family and friends welcome. Online registration will be available at a later date.

Howard Dove - 0403 215 027  
Chatswood  
ramhkd@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 12 December

**Surf & Turf 100**

100

Starting at Terrigal beach for a loop through Ourimbah, Peats Ridge, The Penninsula and back to Terrigal for a well deserved swim and coffee.

Craig Gavin - 0416 001 235  
Terrigal  
craig.AUDAX@gmail.com
Sunday 13 December

- **In Search of Hills** 150/200/250
  
  A great training ride for the Alpine Classic with close to 3000m of climbing (200km route) and the scenery of Sydney’s northern national parks. 150km option for the time poor or 250km for those after more punishment.

  **Garry Armsworth - 0411 252 772**
  
  Hornsby
  
  gwarm@optusnet.com.au

Saturday 19 December

- **Illawarra/Shoalhaven Insanity Series 115/200/250/300**
  
  A series of challenging rides through the Illawarra and Shoalhaven. With plenty of climbing, including some very steep pinches, these rides promise to be some of the toughest on the Audax calendar. 115km and 300km new routes this year.

  **Shane Black - 0437 074 756**
  
  Dapto Station
  
  Black.Shane.A@gmail.com

Monday 21 December

- **Christmas Lights and Harbour Views 50**
  
  Meet at Balmoral Beach near the Rotunda from 19:00 for a picnic and a swim, then head off at 20:00 for a night ride of lighting adventures. Ride finishes at Circular Quay, perhaps time for an aperitif? **BYO picnic**

  **Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330**
  
  Mosman
  
  waydo2@gmail.com

Sunday 27 December

- **De 7 Wharves 100/50/50**
  
  Yet to be conquered, a hilly ride discovering harbour views from the North Shore.

  **Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330**
  
  Mosman
  
  waydo2@gmail.com

Saturday 9 January

- **Elvis Escape 200/100/300**
  
  In Parkes for the Elvis Festival? Here’s your chance to escape. Kick off those blue suede shoes, jump out of that jump suit, and squeeze into some lycra. Don’t howl like a hound dog ‘cause you won’t be lonesome tonight. Thank you, thank you very much...

  **Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330**
  
  Parkes
  
  waydo2@gmail.com

Saturday 9 January

- **The BRAG Ride 300**
  
  Limited numbers so book early! Travel via M7 bike path then take a scenic route through the Southern Highlands to Goulburn - minimal highway riding. Fully supported with booked accommodation in Goulburn and return transport on the Sunday.

  **Jonathan Page - 0416 185 629**
  
  Beecroft
  
  jpage1@tpg.com.au

Saturday 16 January

- **Fairlight Loop 200/100**
  
  A 200km gorge-ous ride from Fairlight: or choose the shorter just as gorge-ous 100km ride.

  **Dave Hart - 0401 610 944**
  
  Fairlight
  
  daveandmaureen@optushome.com.au

Saturday 16 January

- **Heart Starter 100**
  
  Starting at Terrigal beach surveying the little (and some big) hills of the Central Coast. Back to Terrigal for a well deserved swim and coffee.

  **Craig Gavin - 0416 001 235**
  
  Terrigal
  
  craig.AUDAX@gmail.com

Saturday 6 February

- **Over the Hills and Far Away 200/300/400**
  
  Journey from the city into the depths of the Blue Mountains and Beyond. Witness speculator scenery throughout the mountains and rolling farmlands. Those tackling the 400 will be rewarded with the awesome experience of riding through the Grand Arch.

  **Tim Emslie - 0417 467 814**
  
  West Ryde
  
  timemslie@gmail.com

Saturday 13 February

- **Be My Valentine 50/100/200**
  
  It’s Valentine’s Day tomorrow. Take a ride today so you can spend all day tomorrow with your valentine.

  **Howard Dove & Rebecca Morton - 9987 0636**
  
  Waitara
  
  ramhk@yaho.com.au

Sunday 14 February

- **Gorges Galore 100/200**
  
  If you have heard of the Five Gorges Ride? Well seven gorgeous gorges to pedal up and down! Bring your climbing legs and/or low gears.

  **Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 02 9981 3919**
  
  Dee Why
  
  ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 20 February

- **The Queen Stage 100/200/300**
  
  An extremely Hilly 300 around Northern Sydney and the Central Coast featuring 11 categorized climbs including the two brutal climbs of Mangrove Road and Bumble Hill. Shorter options for those looking to channel their inner princess or squire.

  **Tim Emslie - 0417 467 814**
  
  Gordon
  
  timemslie@gmail.com

Saturday 20 February

- **Hunter - Coasts and Valleys 100/200/300/400**
  
  A tour of the cycling highlights of the coastline around Newcastle and the vineyards of the Hunter Valley.

  **Ben Sparkes - 0403 385 516**
  
  Eelebana
  
  ben@milleen.com
Saturday 27 February
• **Penrith-Lithgow** 100
Get yourself over the mountains to Lithgow Panorama.
*Robert Hoehne - 0408 920 672*  
robflyte@gmail.com

Saturday 27 February
• **Dams and Dunny** 100/150/200
At one point in time every Sydney house had a backyard dunny, so we go in search of one of the few remaining specimens left in western Sydney. Click on Start map link for more ride info.
*Ricky O'Brien - 0417 556 985*  
rickob@internode.on.net

Saturday 27 February
• **Shire Ferry-Go-Round** 50/100
Starting at Cronulla, we take a scenic ferry ride to Bundeena before looping back to the Shire via the Royal National Park. The ride finishes with a tour of the Cronulla beaches.
*Joel O'Dwyer - 0412 951 703*  
lepton511@hotmail.com

Saturday 27 February
• **Riverina North Circuits** 300/200/100
Several distances taking in Northern Riverina Towns based out of Wagga Wagga.
*Peter Makin - 0407 263 870*  
p.makin101@hotmail.com

Saturday 27 February
• **Lithgow Panorama** 200
A scenic tour exploring panoramas around Lithgow and Bathurst, generally following the railway. Includes Mt Panorama.
*Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330*  
waydo2@gmail.com

Saturday 27 February
• **Get Along to Ettalong** 150/200
A choice of a 150km or 200km loop. Rides depart Dee Why for Ettalong. Catch the ferry to Palm Beach then make your way back to Dee Why.
*Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 9981 3919*  
ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 5 March
• **Ben Who?** 200
Climb to the highest point on the Northern Tablelands.
*Paul Cribb - 0409 893 629*  
pecribb@gmail.com

Saturday 5 March
• **The Ferry Long Way Round** 200
Take the “Ferry Long Way Round” (excuse the punt!). With three ferry rides, this is a great ride for the ferry fan.
*Howard Dove & Rebecca Morton - 9987 0636*  
ramhkd@yahoo.com.au

Sunday 6 March
• **Cooler at Coolatai?** 200
North Western Pub Crawl by bike.
*Paul Cribb - 0409 893 629*  
pecribb@gmail.com

Saturday 12 March
• **Jamberoo Explorer** 300
A new ride for 2016 - 300km leaving from Campbelltown.
*Jerry Adamson - 0418 449 805*  
jerryadamson@tpg.com.au

Saturday 12 March
• **Gunning Ride** 400
Round the lake then up Mt Keira and down Picton Road to the Hume. Follow the Hume to Gunning. Back along the Hume to Sutton Forest and follow the Illawarra Highway down Macquarie Pass and back to Dapto.
*Barry Stevenson - 0408 290 311*  
barrypbp1@gmail.com

Saturday 12 March
• **Get Along to Ettalong** 150/200
A choice of a 150km or 200km loop. Rides depart Dee Why for Ettalong. Catch the ferry to Palm Beach then make your way back to Dee Why.
*Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 9981 3919*  
ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 19 March
• **Fleche Opperman All Day Trial** 360
A team event (3 to 5 bikes) where riders choose the course. Start wherever you want then ride as a team over a minimum of 360km in 24 hours to complete within the finishing window.
*Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 9981 3919*  
ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au
New South Wales

Saturday 19 March
• Fleche Opperman All Day Trial. Wagga Wagga Finish. Min 360
A team event (3 to 5 bikes) where riders choose the course. Start wherever you want then ride as a team over a minimum of 360km in 24 hours to complete within the finishing window.
Peter Makin - 0407 263 870 Anywhere
p.makin101@hotmail.com

Saturday 2 April
• Parkes n Ride Weekend - Saturday 100/150/200/300/400/600
Rides of varying distance from Parkes, central NSW. All start and finish at Cooke Park. Some rides have long distances without services, be prepared and take sufficient food and water.
Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330 Parkes
waydo2@gmail.com

Saturday 2 April
• Kurrajong Loop 200/300
New for 2015 - your choice of a 200km or 300km loop out of Fairlight.
Dave Hart - 0401 610 944 Fairlight
daveandmaureen@optushome.com.au

Sunday 3 April
• Parkes n Ride Weekend - Sunday 50/100/150/200/300/300
Rides of varying length from Parkes, central NSW. All start/finish at Cooke Park, Parkes. Some rides have long distances without services, be prepared to take sufficient water and food.
Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330 Parkes
waydo2@gmail.com

Friday 8 April
• First Names 300 300
Off from Terrigal on the sunny Central Coast “First Names” passes through to MARKS Point, BOBS Farm, ANNA Bay, NELSON Bay, RAYMOND Terrace, DORA Creek. Notice any other “First Names”?
Craig Gavin - 0416 001 235 Terrigal
craig.AUDAX@gmail.com

Saturday 9 April
• Bilpin Ride 116/200
A mixed terrain ride exploring areas around Bilpin. Classified as difficult, this Tar and Dirt ride is approximately 50% on unsealed roads.
Robert Hoehne - 0408 920 672 Bilpin
robflyte@gmail.com

Saturday 9 April
• It’s the Pitts 100/200
A hilly tour of the Pittwater region, starting at Dee Why and heading first to Palm Beach, Bilgola Plateau then Akuna Bay. Seriously - strong legs or low gears recommended.
Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 9981 3919 Dee Why
ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 9 April
• Yass Mixed Terrain Weekend 100/150
A series of mixed terrain rides exploring the Yass region. Mostly quite country roads. Support provided for the 100km and 150km.
Peter Makin - 0407 263 870 Yass Valley Visitor Centre
p.makin101@hotmail.com Comur Street, Yass

Saturday 9 April
• Yass Mixed Terrain Weekend 50
A mixed terrain ride exploring around Yass. Mostly quite country roads.
Peter Makin - 0407 263 870 Yass Valley Visitor Centre
p.makin101@hotmail.com Comur Street, Yass

Sunday 10 April
• Parkes n Ride Weekend - Sunday 50/100/150/200/300/300
Rides of varying length from Parkes, central NSW. All start/finish at Cooke Park, Parkes. Some rides have long distances without services, be prepared to take sufficient water and food.
Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330 Parkes
waydo2@gmail.com

Saturday 16 April
• Canberra/Yass 600 600
The longest of our Super Series qualifiers. Takes us to Canberra, Yass & Goulburn. See on-line calendar and map for the details.
Barry Stevenson - 0408 290 311 Dapto Station
barrypbp1@gmail.com

Saturday 23 April
• Go Loopy 100/200/300/400/600
Five clockwise routes of increasing size from Waitara in Sydney’s north, taking in the Southern Highlands, the river flats around Penrith and Kuring-gai Chase National Park. The longer you ride the looperier you get! 600 is supported at the overnight stop.
Howard Dove & Rebecca Morton - 9987 0636 Waitara
ramhkd@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 23 April
• Holbrook Weekend - Saturday 50/100/200/300/400/600
Day 1 of fairly flat loops starting from Holbrook ranging from 50km to 600km.
Kevin Linnett - 0413 745 547 Holbrook
kjlinnett@hotmail.com

Sunday 24 April
• Holbrook Weekend - Sunday 50/100/200
Day 2 of more fairly flat loops starting from Holbrook
Kevin Linnett - 0413 745 547 Holbrook
kjlinnett@hotmail.com
Saturday 30 April
• **Hunter - Coasts and Valleys** 100/200/300/400
A tour of the cycling highlights of the coastline around Newcastle and the vineyards of the Hunter Valley.

**Ben Sparkes - 0403 385 516**
ben@milleen.com

Saturday 30 April
• **Mount Cliftonville 200** 200
A short jaunt from Dee Why to the Hawkesbury River with barely a climb in between, honest....(OK - lots of climbs actually....)

**Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 0404 246 064**
ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 7 May
• **River Ride** 150/200
Join the 11th annual running of the River Ride. Route takes in the Hawkesbury River west of Wisemans Ferry plus St Albans for the 200. Get a good ride in on the weekend before spending Sunday with your mother.

**Garry Armsworth - 0411 252 772**
gwarm@optusnet.com.au

Saturday 7 May
• **The Scamper Series** 100/150/200
Suffering Suckertash, its the Scamper Series! The further you ride, the more hills you get.

**Howard Dove & Rebecca Morton - 9987 0636**
ramhkd@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 14 May
• **Forbes Weekend - Saturday** 50/100/200/300/400/600
Day 1 of flat loops starting from Forbes ranging from 50km to 600km.

**Kevin Linnett - 0413 745 547**
kJlinnett@hotmail.com

Sunday 15 May
• **Forbes Weekend - Sunday** 50/100/200
Day 2 of more flat loops starting from Forbes

**Kevin Linnett - 0413 745 547**
kJlinnett@hotmail.com

Saturday 21 May
• **The Wiseman’s Loop de Loop** 200
From Hornsby through Galston Gorge, on to Cliftonville for a flat run along the Hawkesbury River to Wisemans Ferry with a loop around Laughtondale Rd, then through Spencer before climbing to Mangrove Mtn. Return Old Pacific Hwy.

**Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330**
waydo2@gmail.com

Sunday 22 May
• **Not Another 100/200** 100/200
We’re going to follow the coast to North Head, then Bobbin Head to either Berowa or Peats Ridge and back.

**Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 9981 3919**
Dee Why
ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 28 May
• **Wing it West** 150/200/300/400
Parramatta Park then NW to Windsor, thru Blue Mountain foothills to Richmond then south to Penrith. Return via M4, M7 and T-Way. 200km ride deviates to Springwood and back via Hawkesbury Rd. Take a journey to Lithgow on the 300 and Bathurst on the 400.

**Robert Hoehne - 0408 920 672**
robflyte@gmail.com

Saturday 4 June
• **Follow the River for Peats Sake** 100/200
This ride is very scenic with a couple of ferry crossings, a few climbs and the roads are fairly quiet. Perfect for the cyclist with a river fetish!

**Howard Dove & Rebecca Morton - 9987 0636**
Waitara
ramhkd@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 4 June
• **Loop the Lakes 200** 200
Loop around the lakes of the Central Coast & Hunter. Start at the sunny seaside along the coast to Newcastle and back along the western side of the Hunter and Central Coast lake. Cool off with a swim and relax with a coffee on your return.

**Craig Gavin - 0416 001 235**
craig.AUDAX@gmail.com

Saturday 4 June
• **Kaputar or Kaput?** 200/100
Great quiet county roads over the Kaputar range to Narrabri via Copeton Dam. A great week-end of back to back 200kms!

**Paul Cribb - 0409 893 629**
pecribb@gmail.com

Sunday 5 June
• **Back from Kaputar!** 200/100
Return from Narrabri over the Kaputar range through Delungra to Inverell.

**Paul Cribb - 0409 893 629**
pecribb@gmail.com
New South Wales

Saturday 18 June

• Festum Prophetae
  200/300/400/600

Festum Prophetae or “The Festival of the Prophet” is a worldwide celebration of The Prophet, Eddie Merckx’s Birthday. We will celebrate the festival with an plethora of distance options. Ride Hard. Ride Far. Honour The Prophet with Dignity and Respect!

Tim Emslie - 0417 467 814
  timemslie@gmail.com
  Hornsby

Saturday 25 June

• Wisemans Folly
  200/300

From the beach at Dee Why to the river at Wisemans Ferry and return - using some roads that are hopefully new to some people. 200 and 300km options.

Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 9981 3919
  ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au
  Dee Why

Saturday 09 July

• Doin’ the Dog Trap
  100/150/200

Who let the dog out! Out to Yarramalong, possibly the most beautiful valley in the region, via the gorges of Galston and Berowra. Climb back up Dog Trap Rd and return to Hornsby via Peat’s Ridge.

Howard Dove & Rebecca Morton - 9987 0636
  ramhkd@yahoo.com.au
  Waitara

Saturday 16 July

• The Seven Year Wait
  110/150/200

Celebrate the seven year wait where we could not use the M2 bike lane in both directions by avoiding the M2 and the M2 bike detour altogether. You will use off road bike paths for most of the way to Windsor.

Ricky O’Brien - 0417 556 985
  rickob@internode.on.net
  Rozelle

Sunday 24 July

• Temora Weekend - Saturday
  50/100/200/300/400/600

Day 1 of fairly flat loops starting from Temora ranging from 50km to 600km.

Kevin Linnett - 0413 745 547
  kjlinnett@hotmail.com
  Temora

Saturday 6 August

• Flatlands
  50/100/150/200

A surprisingly countryesque ride between Parramatta and Windsor.

Robert Hoehne - 0408 920 672
  robflyte@gmail.com
  Parramatta

See online calendar for latest ride information: <www.audax.org.au/calendar>

Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.
Saturday 17 September

- **Brutal But Fair** 300/600
  The 600 is a challenging two day ride to the Upper Hunter which showcases the diversity of landuse in the region. Overnight stop at Muswellbrook. The 300km option takes you to the Lower Hunter and back in a day.

  Dave Hart - 0401 610 944  
  daveandmaureen@optushome.com.au  

Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.

Saturday 17 September

- **The Mad Cow** 400
  Off from Terrigal and along the coast to Swansea and Nelsons Bay. Out to the Dairy Country around Dungog (the COW) then back through Maitland and western side of the Hunter/Central Coast lakes to Terrigal. You can work out who is MAD.

  Craig Gavin - 0416 001 235  
  craig.AUDAX@gmail.com

Saturday 24 September

- **Hunter - Coasts and Valleys** 100/200/300/400
  A tour of the cycling highlights of the coastline around Newcastle and the vineyards of the Hunter Valley.

  Ben Sparkes - 0403 385 516  
  ben@milleen.com

Saturday 24 September

- **Bathurst Biking - Saturday** 100/200
  Two days of great riding on quiet country roads around Bathurst.

  Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 9981 3919  
  ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au

Sunday 25 September

- **Bathurst Biking - Sunday** 50/100
  Day 2 of riding on quiet country roads around Bathurst.

  Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 9981 3919  
  ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 1 October

- **Coonabarabran** 100/150/200/300
  Rides exploring Coonabarabran area.

  Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330  
  waydo2@gmail.com

Sunday 2 October

- **Coonabarabran** 50/100/150/200
  Three more to choose from and make a weekend of it.

  Wayde Hazelton - 0414 769 330  
  waydo2@gmail.com

Thursday 6 October

- **The Cowra Rides - Thursday** 100/200/300
  The 200 and 300 both head to historic Grenfell then to Gooloogong and Eugowra where the 200 turns east to Canowindra and rejoins the 100 course. The 300 continues its grand tour north west to Parkes before turning east to Canowindra. All finish in Cowra.

  Malcolm Rogers - 9415 1204  
  malrogers@optusnet.com.au

Friday 7 October

- **The Cowra Rides - Friday** 100/200
  A series of rural meanders through gentle countryside steeped in colonial history. Both rides pass through Gooloogong and Canowindra, the town that Ben Halls gang took over during the gold rush days in the 1860’s and finish in Cowra.

  Malcolm Rogers - 9415 1204  
  malrogers@optusnet.com.au

Saturday 8 October

- **An Epic Warm Up** 162/200/253/106
  Although not as difficult these rides are a good warm up for those planning on riding Fitz’s Challenge, Epic or Extreme in Canberra.

  Ricky O’Brien - 0417 556 985  
  rickob@internode.on.net

Sunday 9 October

- **Canola Canter (mixed terrain)** 50
  New in 2015, this mixed terrain ride on quiet country roads in the Riverina in springtime returns in 2016. $5 extra to enter on the day.

  Bicycle Wagga Wagga - 0418 400 455  
  secretary@bww.org.au

Sunday 9 October

- **Canola Canter** 50/100/150/200
  Quiet country roads in the Riverina in springtime. $5 extra to enter on the day. A very popular ride amongst locals and visitors alike. Come and try it yourself.

  Bicycle Wagga Wagga - 0418 400 455  
  secretary@bww.org.au

Saturday 15 October

- **Seven Solid Slopes** 300
  There are seven climbs of significance in this circuitous route north of Sydney.

  Howard Dove & Rebecca Morton - 9987 0636  
  ramhkd@yahoo.com.au
See online calendar for latest ride information: <www.audax.org.au/calendar>  
Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.

New South Wales

Saturday 15 October
- **The Big W**  400
A wonderful journey from Waitara through Wisemans Ferry, Wollombi, the wineries of the Hunter Valley, Wyee and Wyong.

Howard Dove & Rebecca Morton - 9987 0636
Waitara
ramhkd@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 22 October
- **Huntering and Gathering Day 1**  100/200
Choice of a 100km or 200km ride around quiet back roads in the Hunter Valley based from Muswellbrook.

Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 9981 3919
Muswellbrook
ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au

Friday 28 October
- **Fitz’s Entrée**  320
Ride to the start of the 2016 Fitz’s rides.

Robert Hoehne - 0408 920 672
Westmead Train Station (south side)
rhoehne@bigpond.net.au

Sunday 23 October
- **Huntering and Gathering Day 2**  50/100
A choice of recovery rides over either 50km or 100km distances around the Hunter Valley.

Katherine Bryant & Ian Garrity - 9981 3919
Muswellbrook
ian.garrity@yahoo.com.au
Queensland

Queensland Rides Calendar

Sunday 1 November
• **Mulgowie Meander UAF** 100
  From Rosewood over the Grandchester Range past Mulgowie and Thornton, then return.
  
  **Vaughan Kippers - 3376 6761**
  v.kippers@uq.edu.au

Saturday 7 November
• **Middle Park Medley 1** 100/200/300/400/600
  Flattish course away from the traffic of Brisbane with distances of 100, 200, 300, 400 and 600km taking in the scenic rim and the Brisbane and Lockyer Valleys.

  **Chris Richardson - 0433 210 996**
  sales@richardsonremovals.com.au

Saturday 14 November
• **B-P-B** 200
  A moderately challenging 200 from Brighton to Peachester via Mt. Mee the easy way, returning by a flatter route. An Abbreviated April Animation.

  **Peter Jenkins - 0407 149 375**
  berlioz@bigpond.net.au

Saturday 21 November
• **Freedom Ride 300** 300
  A scenic ride around the mountains North West of Brisbane.

  **Brian Hornby - 0418 711 417**
  brianhornby19@gmail.com

See online calendar for latest ride information: <www.audax.org.au/calendar> Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.

Middle Park Medley - I, II, III, IV.
• Rides from 100 to 600 kilometres
• 7 Nov / 5 March / 23 July / 10 Sept
Saturday 28 November
• Midnight Century 160
Start at midnight and ride through the Lockyer and Brisbane Valleys to finish on Sunday morning in Ipswich for breakfast at Brothers Leagues Club.
Rodney Clarke - 0411 699 661
rodney.clarke@y7mail.com
Ipswich
Supported

Saturday 5 December
• Bedrock 200/100
Scenic rides starting at Ferny Hills.
Brian Hornby - 0418 711 417
brianhornby19@gmail.com
Ferny Hills

Sunday 13 December
• Inland Indulgence 100
Indulge yourself in a scenic inland ride through the rolling hills of Brookfield and Moggill to Ipswich. Return on flatter terrain through Wacol and the Centenary suburbs.
Rosie Godwin - 0421 546 118
Godwinrm@gmail.com
Kenmore

Saturday 19 December
• PeachyMee 200/100
A scenic ride going over Mt Mee and Peachester followed by a loop around the Redcliffe Peninsular.
Brian Hornby - 0418 711 417
brianhornby19@gmail.com

Friday 1 January
• Eleven Out of 11 100
Ride all 11 bike permitted bridges across the Brisbane River. This ride follows along the river with a couple of small climbs. A great way to shake off the 2015 cobwebs, complete with a 2 visits to the same checkpoint at a shady spot near the University.
Simon Faber - 0448 887 839
sasfaber@bigpond.net.au
Belmont Shopping Centre
Supported

Saturday 16 January
• Mulgowie Moose 200 200
A semi supported ride on relatively quiet roads starting at Lowood and roving around the Brisbane and Lockyer Valleys. Enjoy a break at Ma Ma Creek store before rolling into Mulgowie for a supported lunch stop.
Anne Latimer - 0488 020 556
curl.coat@bigpond.com
Lowood

Saturday 23 January
• Hinterland Musings 200
Multiple luscious climbs and descents in truly inspiring country make this an evocative and thought provoking ride. It is certainly a ride for the climber and for those who enjoy tremendous views.
Paul Witzerman - 0412 402 673
witzerman@gmail.com
Landsborough

Sunday 7 February
• Straddie Flyer UAF 200
The coastal island of Moreton Bay offer untouched roads by AUDAX. Join in the celebration of being one of the first to do so. A group ride which includes a ferry ride to North Stradbroke to complete the ride. Miss the last ferry and night on the island awaits.
Rodney Clarke - 0411 699 661
rodney.clarke@y7mail.com
Cleveland

Saturday 13 February
• Esk At Night 300/100
This 300 and 100km ride takes in the sights of Esk, Somerset and Laidley valleys. About 80-90km of the ride will be in daylight and the rest at night. Lights required for both the 100 and 300 events. Fully supported ride.
Kym Raffelt - 0431 471 839
kym.raffelt@gmail.com
Esk Memorial Park, Neilson Place corner of Highland St, Esk Township Centre
Supported

Saturday 20 February
• Berry Good 200 200
A supported ride on relatively quiet roads starting at Lowood and heading west to the foothills of the range at Mt Berryman.
Vaughan Kippers - 3376 6761
v.kippers@uq.edu.au
Lowood
Supported

Sunday 28 February
• QLD AGM 50
Flat, friendly and fifty! An easy pre-AGM ride to set the mood.
(AGM starts at 10.00am)
Peter Jenkins - 0407 149 375
berlioz@bigpond.net.au
Nundah Criterium Circuit

Saturday 5 March
• Middle Park Medley 2 100/200/300/400/600
Flattish course away from the traffic of Brisbane with distances of 100, 200, 300, 400 and 600km taking in the scenic rim and the Brisbane and Lockyer Valleys.
Chris Richardson - 0433 210 996
sales@richardsonremovals.com.au
Middle Park
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<td>SM 5000 MIII</td>
<td>200</td>
<td>A very scenic and challenging ride in and around Mt Mee. Bring your camera with 5000m of climbing you may want to stop and take a photo or two! There are a few dirt roads all with good surfaces. This is the third year running, retweaked with more hills. Andrew Bragg - 0434 284 532 37 Yathong Court, Arana Hills <a href="mailto:andrewbragg1@yahoo.com">andrewbragg1@yahoo.com</a></td>
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<td>Saturday 19 March</td>
<td>Fleche Opperman</td>
<td>Min 360</td>
<td>The Oppy challenge is to ride together at least 360km in 24 hours in a group of 3 to 5 bikes to finish at Brothers Leagues Club, Ipswich for a buffet breakfast with other teams. &lt;brothersipswich.com.au&gt; Mark Riley - 0416 802 834 Anywhere to Ipswich <a href="mailto:m.riley@uq.edu.au">m.riley@uq.edu.au</a></td>
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<td>Saturday 19 March</td>
<td>Petit Opperman</td>
<td>Min 180</td>
<td>The Petit Oppy challenge is to ride 180km together in a group of 3 to 5 bikes to finish at Ipswich riding for the first 12 and the last 2 hours of the Oppy. Join the other teams for breakfast at Brothers Ipswich. Mark Riley - 0416 802 834 Anywhere to Ipswich <a href="mailto:m.riley@uq.edu.au">m.riley@uq.edu.au</a></td>
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<td>Saturday 26 March</td>
<td>March Madness aka April Animation</td>
<td>300</td>
<td>A scenic ride to Kilcoy for lunch, followed by tea at Mooloolah. Then it’s all flat back to Banyo. Peter Jenkins - 0407 149 375 Banyo Library <a href="mailto:berlioz@bigpond.net.au">berlioz@bigpond.net.au</a></td>
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<td>Sunday 3 April</td>
<td>Beaudesert Bash</td>
<td>200</td>
<td>A scenic and flat ride to Beaudesert and beyond with plenty of farming country on show. Takes in Bromelton, Kerry Valley, Darlington, Christmas Creek and Beaudesert before the return leg to Springfield via Veresdale Scrub and Browns Plains. Kym Raffelt - 0431 471 839 Springfield <a href="mailto:kym.raffelt@gmail.com">kym.raffelt@gmail.com</a></td>
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<td>Saturday 9 April</td>
<td>Freedom Ride 400</td>
<td>400</td>
<td>Scenic ride from Ferny Hills, through Ipswich, Kalbar, Lowood, Esk, Kilcoy, Caboolture returning to Ferny Hills. Brian Hornby - 0418 711 417 Ferny Hills <a href="mailto:brianhornby19@gmail.com">brianhornby19@gmail.com</a></td>
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<td>Saturday 16 April</td>
<td>1 Lump or 2</td>
<td>100/200</td>
<td>100km - 1st 50km has 2 climbs, some undulating sharp pinches then great descent. 200km - 4 climbs, 30km of flat, others undulating. Both are challenging rides. Roger Hawley - 3279 1225 Jindalee <a href="mailto:rhawley@dodo.com.au">rhawley@dodo.com.au</a></td>
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<td>Sunday 17 April</td>
<td>Eight Tablelands Towns in a Day</td>
<td>100/200</td>
<td>Ride from Atherton past canefields, coffee farms and cattle paddocks to the northern Tablelands areas of Dimbulah, Mareeba and Walkamin. Return via the tourist icons of Yungaburra, the Curtain Fig Tree, the Afghanistan Avenue of Honour and Lake Eacham. Gayle Sticher - 0428 440 411 Atherton <a href="mailto:gayle.sticher@bigpond.com">gayle.sticher@bigpond.com</a></td>
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<td>Monday 25 April</td>
<td>Mt Mee Dawn Service</td>
<td>50</td>
<td>Early morning we remember those that went before us to give and sacrifice so much. Riding from Samford to the Mt Mee service, opposite the Mt Mee School. Riders are free to ride there own path or go beyond on there return trip. Mt Mee is 50km, one way. Andrew Bragg - 0434 284 532 Samford Park <a href="mailto:andrewbragg1@yahoo.com">andrewbragg1@yahoo.com</a></td>
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<td>Saturday 30 April</td>
<td>Downs &amp; Back</td>
<td>200/300/400/600</td>
<td>Short 200, Medium 300, Long 400 or Longer 600. Westlake to Toowoomba or Dalby on Darling Downs and return. Vaughan Kippers - 3376 6761 Westlake <a href="mailto:v.kippers@uq.edu.au">v.kippers@uq.edu.au</a></td>
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<td>Saturday 14 May</td>
<td>Fassifern Folly</td>
<td>200</td>
<td>A meander through the food bowl of the Fassifern Valley taking in country scenery and mountain vistas. The ride will be undulating and traverse some of the less travelled roads in the valley. Rosie Godwin - 0421 546 118 Ipswich <a href="mailto:Godwinrm@gmail.com">Godwinrm@gmail.com</a></td>
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<td>Sunday 15 May</td>
<td>Get High on the Tablelands</td>
<td>200/100</td>
<td>Ride from Atherton through the central Tablelands farming areas of Tolga and Yungaburra, to the hillier southern areas of Malanda, Ravenshoe and Millaa Millaa. The ride features Queensland’s highest gazetted road, spectacular views and a great downhill. Gayle Sticher - 0428 440 411 Atherton <a href="mailto:gayle.sticher@bigpond.com">gayle.sticher@bigpond.com</a></td>
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Saturday 28 May

- **Binna Burra Bash** 200

Enjoy four quality climbs taking in Beechmont, Binna Burra, O’Reilly’s and Mt Tambourine over this 200km course. Truly a climbers course with plenty of food and water options with good descents.

**Rodney Clarke - 0411 699 661**  
rodney.clarke@y7mail.com

Saturday 4 June

- **Clifton Loops** 200

Ride from Toowoomba to Clifton, then loop out and back from Clifton exploring the southern downs on quiet country roads before riding back to Toowoomba.

**Pat Lehane - 0408 702 808**  
patlehane101@gmail.com

Saturday 12 June

- **Dirty Mee** 160

Dirty Mee, is cyclocross at its best. Plenty of dirt single track and fire trail. There will be some sealed roads. Hydration pack recommended. Cyclocross can be ridden on your normal road bikes with good tires. Maxxis Refuse are highly recommended.

**Andrew Bragg - 0434 284 532**  
adrewbragg1@yahoo.com

Sunday 14 August

- **Ride for the No-Shows** 100

Cheaper than entry to the Ekka and you won’t get bored as fast. Bring along those friends who said that they always wanted to do an Audax ride (the No-Shows) and show them what they are missing. No dodgy showbags, just sweet riding pleasure.

**Anne Latimer - 0488 020 556**  
curly.coat@bigpond.com

Saturday 25 June

- **Goat Track Gambol** 200

Take a gamble on the Goat Track: an easy and traffic free way up Mt Glorious. A gentle descent over the back leads to a flat return via Fernvale, Rosewood and Mutdapilly. There are small sections of dirt road well-suited for road bikes.

**Mark Riley - 0416 802 834**  
m.riley@uq.edu.au

Saturday 2 July

- **The Cheap 3 Peaks Challenge** 200/300

The Cheap 3 Peaks Challenge, is a spectacular ride taking in scenic climbs north of the river. Mt Me, Mt Glorious and Mt Coot-tha. With plenty of hills in between. A tough ride, with a 2 peak 200 km or 3 peak 300 km challenge.

**Andrew Bragg - 0434 284 532**  
37 Yathong Court, Arana Hills  
adrewbragg1@yahoo.com

Saturday 16 July

- **6 Bumps & 1 Hill** 200

Ride around the Gold Coast hinterland and northern NSW. Currumbin Creek - Tweed Heads - Bilambil - Chillingham - Tyalgum - Uki - Stokers Siding - Mooball - Wooyung - Cabarita Beach - Murwillumbah - Tomewin - Currumbin Creek.

**Vaughan Kippers - 3376 6761**  
v.kippers@uq.edu.au  Supported

Saturday 23 July

- **Middle Park Medley 3** 100/200/300/400/600

Flattish course away from the traffic of Brisbane with distances of 100, 200, 300, 400 and 600km taking in the scenic rim and the Brisbane and Lockyer Valleys.

**Chris Richardson - 0433 210 996**  
sales@richardsonremovals.com.au

Saturday 6 August

- **Frank’s Ride** 200/110

A ride on some of Frank’s favourite roads in Northern NSW. Frank unfortunately passed away as a result of an accident he had while riding in this area. The scenery and terrain here, is exactly what he liked to ride.

**Brian Hornby - 0418 711 417**  
brianhornby19@gmail.com

Saturday 9 July

- **Another Dam Audax** 200

A ride on relatively quiet roads starting at Fernvale and visiting Somerset and Wivenhoe Dams.

**Anne Latimer - 0488 020 556**  
curly.coat@bigpond.com

Sunday 19 July

- **Low and High UAF** 200

A supported ride on relatively quiet roads starting at Middle Park, breakfast at Peak Crossing, morning tea at Rosewood & lunch at the historic Glamorganvale Hotel.

**Chris Richardson - 0433 210 996**  
sales@richardsonremovals.com.au  Supported

Saturday 26 July

- **The Cheap 3 Peaks Challenge** 200/300/400/500/600

Flattish course away from the traffic of Brisbane with distances of 200, 300, 400, 500 and 600km taking in the scenic rim and the Brisbane and Lockyer Valleys.

**Chris Richardson - 0433 210 996**  
sales@richardsonremovals.com.au  Supported

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Queensland

Saturday 27 August
• **Scenic Rims 200**
  200
  A tour of the Scenic Rim beginning with a challenging dirt climb to Koreelah State Forest. Beautiful tour along White Swamp Road before another climb to Tooloom Lookout. Return via Woodenbong with a memorable decent to Rathdowney & flat final 50 to Boonah.

  **Kym Raffelt - 0431 471 839**  
  **Boonah**
  kym.raffelt@gmail.com

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Saturday 10 September
• **Middle Park Medley 4**
  100/200/300/400/600
  Flattish course away from the traffic of Brisbane with distances of 100, 200, 300, 400 and 600km taking in the scenic rim and the Brisbane and Lockyer Valleys.

  **Chris Richardson - 0433 210 996**  
  **Middle Park**
  sales@richardsonremovals.com.au

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Saturday 17 September
• **Gatton Gambol**
  300
  First 50 from Gatton to Esk is flat, then refuel for the climb up to Hampton. Ride around the Downs through Oakey, Pittsworth, Clifton and down Ma Ma Creek to the start. This ride is supported.

  **Mark Riley - 0416 802 834**  
  **Cultural Centre Car Park**
  Lake Apex Drive, Gatton
  m.riley@uq.edu.au

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Saturday 24 September
• **The Wonders Of Glorious Mee**
  200
  This scenic 200km course takes you from The Gap to Kilcoy via Somerset Dam and on to Samford via Woodford and Dayboro. Includes two challenging climbs up Mt Glorious and Mt Mee. With more of what we love, hills. Retweaked by yours truly.

  **Andrew Bragg - 0434 284 532**  
  **37 Yathong Court, Arana Hills**
  andrewbragg1@yahoo.com

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Saturday 8 October
• **The Hippie Highway**
  300
  Cruise the Hippie Highway and pedal your way back to simpler and more colourful times. Magnificent hinterland riding, with many ups and downs. Some lovely gravel roads to give riders the good vibrations, just like the good old days.

  **Paul Witzerman - 0412 402 673**
  witzerman@gmail.com

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Saturday 15 October
• **South of the Border**
  100/200
  Enjoy a brief sojourn riding around the border district amongst rainforest & mountains whilst same time enjoying beautiful spring weather.

  **Rodney Clarke - 0411 699 661**
  rodney.clarke@y7mail.com

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Saturday 22 October
• **MalenyMee**
  300
  A scenic ride including Mt Mee, Maleny and the Redcliffe Peninsula.

  **Brian Hornby - 0418 711 417**
  brianhornby19@gmail.com

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Saturday 29 October
• **Broke Back Mountain**
  200
  Scenic Ride out and Over the Bunya Mountains before returning back to Crows Nest.

  **Roger Hawley - 3279 1225**
  R.Hawley@dodo.com.au

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Sunday 15 November  
**• Audax Promotion Ride**  
200  
Audax Promotion Ride. Get the 2016 Audax season under way or if you haven't done a 200km, come and try one with Audax. Climbing into the famous Adelaide Hills for a day trip to the Barossa and back.  
Andrew Kennedy - 0419 414 626  
Clarence Park  
ajpkennedy@telstra.com

Saturday 28 November  
**• Mini Alpine**  
100  
An 100km challenge to ride up (and down) the Adelaide Hills three times, including Mt Osmond, Mount Lofty, Belair, Stirling and Greenhill Road. Good preparation for the AAC or TDU etc.  
David Fairweather - 0401 528 563  
Norwood  
div.fw@bigpond.net.au

Saturday 5 December  
**• The Classic**  
400  
Blackwood - Delamere - Goolwa - Wellington - Mannum - Birdwood - Blackwood. Make full use of the favourable winds!  
Matthew Rawnsley - 0427 379 640  
Blackwood  
longdistance1200@hotmail.com

Sunday 13 December  
**• Fleurieu Leg Buster**  
200  
Fleurieu Leg Buster is a combination of steep climbs and fast descents. Some of the climbs you would have seen while watching the Tour Down Under IE: Willung Hill which you will get to climb and descend in this ride. The scenery is some of the best in SA.  
Luke Cutting - 0414 607 478  
Onkaparinga Hills, Kingswood Ave  
cuttingluke@yahoo.com.au  
(reserve near Upper Penny Hill Rd)
South Australia

Saturday 19 December
• **Sea to Pines** 300
  Can you ride a 300km brevet between sunrise to sunset (14h30) on the longest day of the year. (Full time limit 20 hours).
  
  **Richard Scheer - 0423 195 966**  
  richardscheer@bigpond.com

Monday 28 December
• **TDA Reconnaissance** 210/143
  Ride off some Christmas consumption by riding just the 2016 TDU community ride route, or tack on a ride back to start.
  
  **Graham Stucley - 8295 2640**  
  gstucley@gmail.com

South Australia

Saturday 9 January
• **The Immortal** 123/200/262
  Rides styled to give the same distance and climbing as the Alpine Classic and ACE250. There’s also a 123km ride. The ride goes around a number of the hills of Adelaide.
  
  **Graham Stucley - 8295 2640**  
  gstucley@gmail.com

Tuesday 19 January
• **TDAudax - Tues** 200
  Do a 200km BRM ride that visits some of today’s Tour Down Under stage.
  
  **Scott McCann - 0450 945 271**  
  mccann1012004@yahoo.com.au

Wednesday 20 January
• **TDAudax - Wed** 200
  Do a 200km BRM ride that visits some of today’s Tour Down Under stage.
  
  **Scott McCann - 0450 945 271**  
  mccann1012004@yahoo.com.au

Thursday 21 January
• **TDAudax - Thur** 200
  Do a 200km BRM ride that visits some of today’s Tour Down Under stage.
  
  **Scott McCann - 0450 945 271**  
  mccann1012004@yahoo.com.au

Friday 22 January
• **TDAudax Community Ride** 200/143
  Join the 2016 Challenge Tour, a recreational ride of the full Stage 4 of the TDU (separate registration and payment required) to complete a BA or ride most of the way back to start for 200km BRM.
  
  **Graham Stucley - 8295 2640**  
  gstucley@gmail.com

South Australia

Saturday 23 January
• **TDAudax - Sat** 200
  Do a 200km BRM ride that visits some of today’s Tour Down Under stage.
  
  **Scott McCann - 0450 945 271**  
  mccann1012004@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 06 February
• **Wellington Flyer** 200/150
  Starting at Kings Park McDonalds (opposite Big W Cumberland Park), this ride passes through the Adelaide Hills to Langhorne Creek (150km option) and Wellington (200km option) and return.
  
  **Glen Thompson - 0429 168 232**  
  gthomps5@adam.com.au

Friday 19 February
• **Paddle Steamer** 400
  A night start 400 with the prospect of an afternoon or early evening finish. Follow the Murray from Morgan to Mannum.
  
  **Richard Scheer - 0423 195 966**  
  richardscheer@bigpond.com

Friday 26 February
• **Bootlegger 200** 200
  Challenge yourself to ride 200km under the cover of darkness. This is an overnight ride with the full moon to help you. The Bootlegger 200 takes you up through the Adelaide Hills to the town of Murray Bridge and back in time for breakfast.
  
  **David Fairweather - 0401 528 563**  
  div.fw@bigpond.net.au

Saturday 12 March
• **Gawler Loops** 100/200/300/400/600
  The classical old loops running in and out Gawler. Birth place of Audax SA since 1988 has seen over 100,000 completed Audax kms. Lights required. Gawler-Murray Bridge-Gawler-Port Wakefield-Gawler-Clare-Gawler.
  
  **Scott McCann - 0450 945 271**  
  mccann1012004@yahoo.com.au

Saturday 19 March
• **Fleche Opperman All Day Trial** Min 360
  A team event (3 to 5 bikes) where riders choose the course. Start wherever you want then ride as a team over a minimum of 360km in 24 hours.
  
  **Matthew Rawnsley - 0427 379 640**  
  longdistance1200@hotmail.com

See online calendar for latest ride information: <www.audax.org.au/calendar>  
Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.
Saturday 2 April
• **Around the Barossa** 200/300/400
Choose from a series of routes through pleasant scenery and mainly along quiet roads. All rides have a gentle start along the Stuart Ogrady Bikeway. Still flat to Wasleys, but from there on it is gentle rolling hills to stretch the leg muscles.

John Mills - 8255 6335
Elizabeth East, 23 Kinkaid Rd
jhills4@bigpond.com

**10 – 20 April**

*The Mawson Trail Dirt Series.*
Ride 900 kilometres over 11 fabulous days.
Mix and match for the perfect touring holiday.

Sunday 10 April
• **Mawson Trail Day 1** 113
Day 1 of the Mawson Trail. 113km from Adelaide to Tanunda.

Chris Rogers - (03) 5726 9412
Adelaide
ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Monday 11 April
• **Mawson Trail Day 2** 78
Day 2 of the Mawson Trail. 78km from Tanunda to Riverton.

Chris Rogers - (03) 5726 9412
Tanunda
ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Tuesday 12 April
• **Mawson Trail Day 3** 87
Day 3 of the Mawson Trail. 87km From Riverton to Burra.

Chris Rogers - (03) 5726 9412
Riverton
ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Wednesday 13 April
• **Mawson Trail Day 4** 85
Day 4 of the Mawson Trail. 85km from Burra to Hallet.

Chris Rogers - (03) 5726 9412
Hallet
ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Thursday 14 April
• **Mawson Trail Day 5** 46
Day 5 of the Mawson Trail. 46km from Hallet to Spalding.

Chris Rogers - (03) 5726 9412
Hallet
ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Friday 15 April
• **Mawson Trail Day 6** 83
Day 6 of the Mawson Trail. 57km from Spalding to Lana.

Chris Rogers - (03) 5726 9412
Spalding
ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Saturday 16 April
• **Mawson Trail Day 7** 57
Day 7 of the Mawson Trail. 57km from Lana to Melrose.

Chris Rogers - (03) 5726 9412
Lana
ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Sunday 17 April
• **Mawson Trail Day 8** 71
Day 8 of the Mawson Trail. 71km from Melrose to Quorn.

Chris Rogers - (03) 5726 9412
Melrose
ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Monday 18 April
• **Mawson Trail Day 9** 112
Day 9 of the Mawson Trail. 112km from Quorn to Hawker.

Chris Rogers - (03) 5726 9412
Quorn
ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Tuesday 19 April
• **Mawson Trail Day 10** 120
Day 10 of the Mawson Trail. 120km from Hawker to Wilpena. Full Audax lighting required.

Chris Rogers - (03) 5726 9412
Hawker
ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Wednesday 20 April
• **Mawson Trail Day 11** 66
The 11th and last day of the Mawson Trail. 66km from Wilpena to Blinman.

Chris Rogers - (03) 5726 9412
Wilpena
ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Saturday 23 April
• **Copper Coast Wanderer** 100/200/300/400/600
All rides commence together from Willaston to Templers and Owen, with all returning via Pinery and Mallala back to Willaston. Longer distances explore the Welsh mining towns of the Copper Coast including Maitland, Wallaroo and Bute.

Ben Del Fabbro - 0414 835 668
Willaston
bendelfab@gmail.com

Saturday 07 May
• **Southern 123** 100/150/200/300
All rides depart via Blackwood and head south to McLaren Vale. Each ride then returns via various routes to accommodate the required distance.

Ben Del Fabbro - 0414 835 668
North Adelaide
bendelfab@gmail.com
Saturday 21 May

• Barossa and Hills Ramble 100/150/200
  Climb the Adelaide Hills via Houghton, Inglewood, Kersbrook and Williamstown to the picturesque Barossa Valley towns of Lyndock, Tanunda and Angaston before returning via Sedan, Palmer, Birdwood, Gumeracha, and Tea Tree Gully.

  David Fairweather - 0401 528 563  Adelaide
  Email: div.fw@bigpond.net.au

Sunday 19 June

• Midwinter Classic 200
  Nothing better in winter than rolling up to a typical country pub with fireplace for a large dinner. Nothing, that is, except for the ride there and back. What better way to spend the Sunday closest to the year’s shortest day.

  Angus Netting - 0434 074 086  North Adelaide
  angus.netting@adelaide.edu.au

Saturday 16 July

• Hilly Hills Challenge 200/300
  With 200 and 300km options this is a serious ride but a good one for your enjoyment or for fitness training. Built-in intervals and leg strengthening exercises. Hilly but hopefully not too chilly. Lights needed. Contact Glen Thompson by email to register.

  Glen Thompson - 0429 168 232  Kings Park, Adelaide
  gthomps5@adam.com.au

Saturday 6 August

• South Eastern 123 100/150/200/300
  All loops leave Adelaide via Windy Point and Clarendon, and return via Aldgate Valley Drive. Varied start times to enable all distances to ride together and meet up after to enjoy pizza and a drink.

  Graham Stucley - 8295 2640  Glenelg South
  gstucley@gmail.com

Saturday 27 August

• Corkscrew Climber 200
  Starting in Adelaide, head up the Gorge Rd and climb the Corkscrew then several other climbs in a fairly tough 200km ride.

  Glen Thompson - 0429 168 232  Adelaide
  gthomps5@adam.com.au

Saturday 10 September

• Northern Run 200/300
  Starting from Willaston, a run heading north through Balaklava and Auburn. Here the 200 heads through to Eudunda and back to Willaston via Kapunda. The 300 heads north again to Clare before then turning East to Burra. Then back to Willaston via Eudunda.

  Ben Del Fabbro - 0414 835 668  Willaston
  bendelfab@gmail.com

Saturday 24 September

• Burra Explorer 300 300
  The main event is the Burra Explorer 300 which shows off the beauty of the mid-north or visit the other mid-north towns closer to Gawler by riding either the Templers Delight 50, the Adelaide Plains 100, Eudunda Bliss 150 or Point Pass Experiment 200.

  Matthew Rawnsley - 0427 379 640  Gawler
  longdistance1200@hotmail.com

Saturday 24 September

• Point Pass Experiment 200 200
  The main event is the Burra Explorer 300 which shows off the beauty of the mid-north or visit the other mid-north towns closer to Gawler by riding either the Templers Delight 50, the Adelaide Plains 100, Eudunda Bliss 150 or Point Pass Experiment 200.

  Matthew Rawnsley - 0427 379 640  Gawler
  longdistance1200@hotmail.com

Saturday 24 September

• Eudunda Bliss 150 150
  The main event is the Burra Explorer 300 which shows off the beauty of the mid-north or visit the other mid-north towns closer to Gawler by riding either the Templers Delight 50, the Adelaide Plains 100, Eudunda Bliss 150 or Point Pass Experiment 200.

  Matthew Rawnsley - 0427 379 640  Gawler
  longdistance1200@hotmail.com

Saturday 24 September

• Adelaide Plains 100 100
  The main event is the Burra Explorer 300 which shows off the beauty of the mid-north or visit the other mid-north towns closer to Gawler by riding either the Templers Delight 50, the Adelaide Plains 100, Eudunda Bliss 150 or Point Pass Experiment 200.

  Matthew Rawnsley - 0427 379 640  Gawler
  longdistance1200@hotmail.com
South Australia

See online calendar for latest ride information: <www.audax.org.au/calendar> Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.

Saturday 24 September

- **Templers Delight 50**
  
  The main event is the Burra Explorer 300 which shows off the beauty of the mid-north or visit the other mid-north towns closer to Gawler by riding either the Templers Delight 50, the Adelaide Plains 100, Eudunda Bliss 150 or Point Pass Experiment 200.

Matthew Rawnsley - 0427 379 640
longdistance1200@hotmail.com

Gawler

Sunday 16 October

- **Grandslam 200**
  
  Ride the BikeSA 200km GrandSlam course as a Audax ride. (Route map will be posted online early October 2016.)

Andrew Kennedy - 0419 414 626
ajpkennedy@telstra.com

Saturday 29 October

- **Tour de Fermat**
  
  600km over four different length loops. Each distance can be ridden in any order and each loop ridden in either direction. The catch - no two riders may do the same combination. Don’t worry, there are 384 valid choices. First in best dressed...

Richard Scheer - 0423 195 966
richardscheer@bigpond.com

Joslin
See online calendar for latest ride information: <www.audax.org.au/calendar> Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.

**Tasmania Rides Calendar**

**Sunday 1 November**
- **Ranelagh Ramble** 100
  A delightful tour through the Huon Valley starting and finishing at a bakery. A few stretches of dirt road, but not too many hills. See more details and register at registration website: https://regonline.activeglobal.com/builder/site/Default.aspx?EventID=1774857
  Hugh Harvey
  hughiepatrick@yahoo.com.au

**Saturday 14 November**
- **I Will Ride 100 Miles** 160
  Start/finish at the Foreshore park near the DEC and travel along the bike path up the Midlands highway to Bothwell and come back by the Lyell Hwy. See more details and register at registration website: https://regonline.activeglobal.com/builder/site/Default.aspx?EventID=1775656
  Stephen Bray - 0408 354 311
  Brayfamilytassie@bigpond.com

**Tour de Tasmanie - 18-21 Feb**
- Extreme 1200km Randonnée!
- Extreme GPS Dot Watching!
Sunday 6 December
• **All Seven Hills Dash**           210
Eight climbs over seven tough hills south of Hobart. Tassie’s premier 200km+ endurance ride. Or try the new 120km distance. See more details and register at registration website: https://regonline.activeglobal.com/builder/site/Default.aspx?EventID=1775660
Rowan Burns     Hobart, Parliament House Carpark
taggertycyclist@bigpond.com      Supported

Sunday 10 January
• **Bruny Lighthouse Dash**       120
A tour of Southern Bruny Island, from the ferry and back. Enjoy the scenery on this day tour of this popular tourist destination. Final details will be on registration page (to be added).
Hugh Harvey     Ferry Terminal, Bruny Island
hughiepatrick@yahoo.com.au

Sunday 17 January
• **Hobart Figure 8**              200/400
One loop south, and a loop north of Hobart, to give a selection of a 200 or 400 km ride. More details will be found on the registration page (to be added)
Tim Jones     Intercity Cycleway. Mcvilly Drive, Hobart
tim.jones@ccamlr.org      Supported

Saturday 30 January
• **Campbell Town Canter**         100/200/300/400
A selection of rides - 100, 200, 300 and 400 km radiating around the historic town of Cambell Town, located between Hobart and Launceston. More details will be found on the registration page (to be added)
Chris Edie - 0417 827 736     Campbell Town Guide Hall
20-30 King Street, Campbell Town
christopheredie@education.tas.gov.au      Supported

Saturday 13 February
• **Wuthering Heights to Bronte** 150/200
Chris Edie - 0417 827 736     Cenotaph/Intercity Cycleway, Hobart
christopheredie@education.tas.gov.au      Supported

Sunday 14 February
• **Wuthering Heights Return**    150/200
Chris Edie - 0417 827 736     Bronte Lagoon
christopheredie@education.tas.gov.au      Supported

Thursday 18 February
• **Tour de Tasmanie**            1200
A hill grinding odyssey circumnavigating Tasmania showcasing the coastal and mountain regions. With 14km of ascent this ride will be a serious test of your endurance!
Andrew Johnson - 0419 244 556     Knopwoods Retreat, Hobart
info@tdt.bike      Supported

Saturday 5 March
• **St Marys Loop**               600
Hobart-East Coast-St Marys-Campbell Town-Longford-Cressy-Cambell Town-Cole River Valley-Grass Tree Hill-Hobart. A must for the pancakes at Elephant Pass! More details will be on the registration page (to be added).
Andrew Heard - 0457 120 715     Hobart Cenotaph/Intercity Cycleway
andrew.james.heard@gmail.com

Saturday 19 March
• **Fièche Opperman All Day Trial** Min 360
A team of 3 to 5 Tasmanian members max, to savour the atmosphere of the Victorian Opperman event. Van will shuttle bikes/riders between airport & Geelong cabin. More details will be on the registration page (to be added).
Andrew Heard     Geelong
andrew.james.heard@gmail.com      Supported

Saturday 26 March
• **Mt Field Retreat**            100
Enjoy the beauty of the “Valley of Love” before tackling the ascent to Mt Field. Mixed surface climb and descent More details will be found on registration page (to be added).
Gavin Hinds     Beach Road, Sandy Bay
gavin.hinds@murdochclarke.com.au

Sunday 27 March
• **Mt Field Retreat Return**     100
More details will be found on the registration page (to be added).
Gavin Hinds     Mt Field
gavin.hinds@murdochclarke.com.au

Saturday 18 June
• **Dark Bikefo**                 200
Celebrate Dark Mofo by riding from Hobart to Bothwell and back a day before the Winter Solstice then enjoy a meal at the Winter Festival. Supported if enough numbers. More details to be found on the registration page (to be added).
Stephen Bray - 0408 354 311     Intercity Cycleway, Hobart
brayfamilytassie@bigpond.com

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Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.
Saturday 1 October

- **Nouveau Une** 50
A short social ride to finish the old Audax year, and to get ready for the new season. Final details to be confirmed on registration website (to be added).

**Rowan Burns - 0437 853 171**
taggertycyclist@bigpond.com
Longford Park
Supported

Saturday 15 October

- **Nouveau Deux** 100
A short social ride to finish the old Audax year, and to get ready for the new season. Final details to be confirmed on registration website (to be added).

**Rowan Burns - 0437 853 171**
taggertycyclist@bigpond.com
Longford Park
Supported

Saturday 29 October

- **Nouveau Trois** 160
A short social ride to finish the old Audax year, and to get ready for the new season. Final details to be confirmed on registration website (to be added).

**Rowan Burns - 0437 853 171**
taggertycyclist@bigpond.com
Longford Park
Supported
Sunday 1 November
• Grampians Gambols: Day 2 200/150/100/50
Saddle up for a second day of gambolling in the Grampians. Online and pre-payment essential. Go to: http://goo.gl/forms/uTc9lXN28w for the entry form and to ridewithgps.com/events/Grampians-Gambols for more details.
Peter Mathews - 0439 992 130
pmathews.mob@gmail.com
Halls Gap
Supported

Saturday 7 November
• Cafe au Lait, S’il Vous Plait 120/200/300/400/600
Take part in the Great North East Coffee Survey. Evaluate the fare in Wang, Yarra, Beechie, Rutherglen and Benalla, and Myrtleford. 5 x 100km and 50km circuits from Wangaratta. Start practising your French accent now! C’est si bon.
Garry Wall - 5727 3763
garry.wall@bigpond.com
Wangaratta

Victoria Rides Calendar

Ride Mount Hotham!
• Bright Thursday - 21 Jan
• Alpine RAID - 23 Jan
• Alpine Classic - 24 Jan
• ACE 250 - 24 Jan
• Ultimate 320 - 24 Jan
• Hotham Challenge - 13 Feb

Keith Lowe's Training Ride — Every Wednesday
• Wednesday Warriors – 80km
Every Wednesday morning Keith’s Warriors do 5 - 6 hours of social riding. Maybe some hills, definitely some coffee. A post ride lunch once a month also adds to the fun. They start from Frankston once a month, occasionally elsewhere.
Keith Lowe - 03 9587 8548
keithlowe9@bigpond.com
Mordialloc

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Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.
Sunday 8 November
• **Un Autre Cafe au Lait, S’il Vous Plait** 120/200
The sensible option in a glorious weekend’s riding in the North-East of Victoria. Cheer up the tired riders who are still working on yesterday’s 600 km brevet with your well-slept buoyant company!

Tim Laugher - 9808 4993 Wangaratta
patze51@bigpond.com

Saturday 14 November
• **The Rock to Lock** 100/200
Starts in Lancefield and passes through some fairly isolated but beautiful countryside including Redesdale and Axedale then back around Lake Eppalock, through Mia Mia, Kyneton up Mt Macedon and past Hanging Rock. Mostly on good quiet roads. Hilly.

Steve Xerri - 0403 664 721 Lancefield
kamarooka1@optusnet.com.au

Saturday 21 November
• **Mid Summer Madness 400** 400
Catch the train from Melbourne, then an overnight ride from Warrnambool to Queenscliff (via Colac and Geelong) to catch the ferry. Finish off with the Sorrento to St Kilda run.

Sarah Chaplin - 0419 049 049 Warrnambool
schaplin@outlook.com

Saturday 28 November
• **Grand Ridge Road - Spring Classic** 200
Second of the Mixed Terrain Series Grand Ridge Road is a classic randonnée through the Strzelecki Ranges on sealed and unsealed roads. The route has been “improved” to include even more of those beautiful Gippsland gravel roads we love to ride.

Gareth Evans Yarragon
gareth.d.evans@gmail.com

Saturday 29 November
• **Jump the Gun - Sunday Extra** 100/200
Sunday rides are also on the menu: take advantage of these extra rides. Loops from Maryborough Caravan Park. Support at Maryborough.

RONNIE McINNES - 9598 7276 Maryborough
MeriRonMC@optusnet.com.au Supported

Saturday 5 December
• **Jam for Jamieson Mixed Terrain Randonnee** 300/400
Treat yourself to mixed terrain adventure of epic proportion. A breathtaking ride through the Alpine country via Woods Point, Jamieson and the formidable Mt Skene. Fully supported with camping available at Lake Glenmaggie.

Gareth Evans Heyfield
gareth.d.evans@gmail.com Supported

Saturday 5 December
• **Sale Express** 300/400/160/100
One of the easiest fastest 300km available unless windy. Can you finish before dark? 400km includes two short undulating loops. A couple of shorter rides also available.

Kevin Ware - 5625 1228 Port Franklin
warek2@dodo.com.au

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Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.
Sunday 6 December

• **Sale Express** 160/100
A couple of shorter rides from Port Franklin.

_Kevin Ware - 5625 1228_  
Port Franklin
warek2@dodo.com.au

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Sunday 13 December

• **Bah Humbug** 100
Grumpies Unite! It's time to release your inner curmdgeon and harrumph! Anyone with the slightest hint of tinsel, bells or holly will have their tyres deflated, their chain derailed, their saddle removed and a hefty time penalty imposed.

_Tim Laugher / Pat Dorey - 0409 744 141_  
Wandong
Supported

dim.laugher@gmail.com

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Sunday 20 December

• **Lake Mountain from the North** 100
Start at Dom Dom Saddle and travel through Narbethong and Marysville then down a beautiful valley to Buxton. Then it is a gentle climb to Marysville and quite a steep climb to Lake Mountain. Then back through Marysville and Narbethong to Dom Dom.

_Barry Moore - 9803 6529_  
Dom Dom Saddle
barrykmoores@optusnet.com.au

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Saturday 29 December

• **A Very Pheasant** 200
A Pheasant loop across the Dandenongs and the Yarra Valley. This scenic ride passes through iconic towns and features wonderful views but please ensure your Alpine Legs ready for this loop. This is a very hilly ride.

_Sarah Chaplin / Hamish Moffatt - 0419 049 049_  
The Basin
schaplin@outlook.com

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Sunday 6 January

• **Pakenham Pushover** 50/100
Ride east from Pakenham, make a circuit past a supported checkpoint at Cora Lyn and return to Pakenham via Nar Nar Goon. Celebrate your success at an end-of-ride barbecue.

_Ronnie McInnes - 9598 7276_  
Pakenham
MeriRonMc@optusnet.com.au
Supported

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Saturday 9 January

• **Warburton / Lake Mountain Classic** 200/150/120/150/125
Five mountainously beautiful rides to Lake Mountain & Donna Buang. 3 sealed road rides and 2 mixed terrain rides. 200km road ride and both mixed terrain rides goes through Marysville. More climbing than Alpine Classic. You will love it! Online registration closes Wed 6 January.

_Online registration link:_  

_Dave Harrington / Liz James - 0401 345 591_  
Warburton
daveharrington@netspace.net.au
Support at finish

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Sunday 10 January

• **Murchison Gap** 100
A ride in scenic and undulating country. There is one notable climb, but the view from the top is great.

_Lorraine & George Allen - 9716 3167_  
Whittlesea
lorraineallen10@bigpond.com

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Saturday 16 January

• **Four Leaf Clover** 100
A hilly Dandenongs ride similar to the popular ‘Crucifix’ route. This is designed as a warm-up for the Alpine Classic.

_Thomas Price - 0407 560 218_  
The Basin
t_h_price@hotmail.com

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Sunday 17 January

• **Cheryl’s Choice** 50/100/150
Enjoy great ridge line views over Western Port and Bass Coast. Morning coffee in Inverloch for 100 and 150km riders, Quiet country roads and good scenery.

_Phil Giddings - 0427 012 863_  
Kernot
giddingp@hotmail.com
Enjoy the week preceding the Alpine Classic with these Bright based warmup rides!

Monday 18 January
• **Bright Monday** 50/100/170
A mix of road and rail trail along the picturesque Ovens Valley.
**Tim Laugher - 0409 744 141**
timlaugher@gmail.com

Tuesday 19 January
• **Bright Tuesday** 50/100/150
Three options today: ride the beautiful Ovens Valley to Harrietville then choose where to go from here. Direct to Bright, return via Mount Beauty or via Falls Creek.
**Tim Laugher - 0409 744 141**
timlaugher@gmail.com

Wednesday 20 January
• **Bright Wednesday** 50/100/150
Today we venture towards Mt Buffalo, to admire the views and possibly to tackle the slopes,
**Tim Laugher - 0409 744 141**
timlaugher@gmail.com

Thursday 21 January
• **Bright Thursday** 50/50/100/100/150
Today we ride some truly beautiful and challenging circuits along, over and around the ranges of North East Victoria.
**Tim Laugher - 0409 744 141**
timlaugher@gmail.com

Friday 22 January
• **Bright Friday** 60/100
Whatever your goals and achievements have been during the week, it’s time to warm down and celebrate.
**Tim Laugher - 0409 744 141**
timlaugher@gmail.com

Saturday 23 January
• **Audax Alpine Raid** 250km / 2 days
Follow the route of the ACE250 over 2 days. Challenging and tough ride through some of Victoria’s most spectacular Alpine country. 250km over two days, overnight in Omeo or Anglers Rest.
**Leigh Kilpatrick - 0404 222 970**
info@alpine.com.au

Sunday 24 January
• **Audax Alpine Classic** 200/140/130/60/70/200
Challenging and tough ride through some of Victoria’s most spectacular Alpine country. One-day ride distances from 60-320km. Two day Alpine Raid (250km) also available. Use online booking link to access event website.
**Leigh Kilpatrick - 0404 222 970**
info@alpineclassic.com.au

Sunday 24 January
• **ACE 250** 250/250
A 250km loop travelling over Mt Hotham to Omeo then climbing to the Bogong High Plains and Falls Creek before returning to Bright. Start at 04:00 (lights required) or at 06:20. Pre-event riding qualifications apply. Details on event website.
**Leigh Kilpatrick - 0404 222 970**
info@alpineclassic.com.au

Sunday 24 January
• **Ultimate 320** 320
Ride all the peaks around Bright. Start at 04:00 or 06:20 and climb Mt Buffalo to the checkpoint at Dingo Dell. Return to Bright and follow the ACE250 course. This is our longest and hardest route; pre-event riding qualifications apply.
**Leigh Kilpatrick - 0404 222 970**
info@alpineclassic.com.au
See online calendar for latest ride information: <www.audax.org.au/calendar> Contact ride organiser at least three days before event to confirm ride details.

Victoria

Saturday 30 January
• **Latrobe Valley Voyage 100-600** 300/400/600/200/100
Hilly 300km Yarram, Gormandale, Rosedale, Cowwarr, Traralgon, Mirboo North for the 300km then a couple of loops for 400km. Add another 250km on Sunday to make up 600km.

**Kevin Ware - 5625 1228** Port Franklin
warek2@dodo.com.au

Sunday 31 January
• **Latrobe Valley Voyage 100-600** 200/100
Ride a 100 or 200km brevet on Sunday.

**Kevin Ware - 5625 1228** Port Franklin
warek2@dodo.com.au

Saturday 6 February
• **Peninsula Linking** 100
An easy ride mixing Bike Paths and famed Mornington Peninsula roads.

**Greg Martin - 0448 059 713** Karingal, Ballam Park
leckie16@bigpond.net.au

Saturday 13 February
• **It’s Anakie** 100
An easy 100km ride looping north to Anakie and returning more directly

**Phil Giddings - 0427 012 863** Werribee
giddingp@hotmail.com

Saturday 13 February
• **Audax Hotham Challenge** 200/100
Now based in Harrietville, these fully supported rides offer climbs of Mt Hotham and Mt Buffalo.

**Robert Wylie** Harrietville
admin@hothamchallenge.com.au

Friday 19 February
• **Salute to Irene Plowman** 200/100
Escape the city heat, test your lights and follow the trail of tail lights out of the city at dusk as you head down the Mornington Peninsula. Back in time for a late supper (100km) or breakfast (200km). Online entry details closer to event.

**Helen Lew Ton - 0428 281 051** Brighton
hmlewt@gmail.com

Sunday 21 February
• **I Don’t Do Hills** 50/100/150/200
A series of rides with varying degrees of support through the flat farming communities of Northern Victoria. Only 400m of climbing on the 200 but it can also be hot. Are you mentally tough enough to beat the long straight sections that play on your mind?

**Rodney Kruz - 0408 537 013** Cobram
rkruz@iinet.net.au

Saturday 27 February
• **Toolangi Dirty Donna** 150
This scenic route passes through the Toolangi State forest and the Yarra Ranges National Park. The route is exactly half bitumen and half gravel. Tough 35mm tyres are recommended. The fatter your tyres, the more fun you will have.

**Jon Thornton - 0418 312 620** Healesville
jrtthornton@gmail.com #summerofgravel

Sunday 28 February
• **BNB** 200
Easy terrain, plenty of trees, good bakeries and cafes

**Alan Walker - 0407 889 693** Bendigo
walker@netcon.net.au

Saturday 5 March
• **Bound for Baw Baw** 100
Overnight in a ski lodge, after a hard ride and relax on the mountain with fellow riders and partners. Accommodation and meals at riders’ expense. Eat at village restaurant or join us eating in the lodge. An enjoyable weekend! Limited numbers.

**Barry Moore - 9803 6529** Tynong
barrykmoore@optusnet.com.au

Sunday 6 March
• **Back from Baw Baw** 100
Overnight in a ski lodge, after eating, drinking and relaxing on the mountain with fellow riders and partners. Accommodation costs and meals at riders’ expense. Can self cater in the chalet for the evening meal or dine in the village. Limited places.

**Barry Moore - 9803 6529** Baw Baw Village
barrykmoore@optusnet.com.au

Wednesday 9 March
• **Mid Week Great Ocean Road** 150/200
Take the day off work, an midweek version of the classic Great Ocean Road route from Anglesea to Apollo Bay and back. Ride one of the most scenic coastal roads in Australia. Includes a hot cross bun at Lorne. Snacks and chatter at the end.

**Peter Donnan - 0417 571 115** Anglesea
pdonnan@bigpond.net.au
Saturday 12 March
• **Haunted Hills + Drouin to the Burra and Inverloch option** 200/150/100
Hilly, scenic rides through the undulating hills of West Gippsland. Quiet roads.
  Kevin Ware - 5625 1228  
  warek2@dodo.com.au

Drouin Railway Station

Saturday 19 March
• **Fleche Opperman All Day Trial**  Min 360
Teams of 3-5 riders. Each team chooses its own starting point and course. Start Saturday morning and ride at least 360 km. All rides finish at Geelong at 8:00 Sunday, with a celebratory breakfast for riders and supporters. Entries close 1 March.
  Martin Haynes - (03) 5674 2157  
  Anywhere to Geelong, Vic  
  bajubaje@dcsi.net.au

Saturday 19 March
• **Petit Fleche Opperman**  Min 180
Teams of 3-5 riders. Each team chooses its own starting point and course. Start Saturday morning and ride at least 180 km. All rides finish at Geelong at 8:00 Sunday, with a celebratory breakfast for riders and supporters. Entries close 1 March.
  Martin Haynes - (03) 5674 2157  
  Anywhere to Geelong, Vic  
  bajubaje@dcsi.net.au

Friday 25 March
• **Wangaratta Wahine**  1000 & 1200
This is a comprehensive tour of North Eastern Victoria following tried, true, and fully tested courses. These cunningly devised rides feature progressively shorter loops out of Wangaratta for very achievable 1000 or 1200 kilometre brevets. **Note:** Both distances are unsupported.
  Sarah Chaplin - 0419 049 049  
  schaplin@outlook.com

Saturday 2 April
• **Gippsland Gold - Mixed Terrain Randonnee**  200/100
Take the path less travelled to discover some of Gippsland’s finest cycling country. Lots of unsealed roads and hills make this a ride that is not for the faint of heart.
  Gareth Evans  
  gareth.d.evans@gmail.com

Sunday 24 April
• **Gippsland Mix and Match 2**  200/133/100/55
A weekend of riding in South Gippsland. Three days and multiple routes to choose from. All rides based at Port Franklin.
  Kevin Ware - 5625 1228  
  warek2@dodo.com.au

Monday 25 April
• **Gippsland Mix and Match 3**  200/150/100/55
A weekend of riding in South Gippsland. Three days and multiple routes to choose from. All rides based at Port Franklin.
  Kevin Ware - 5625 1228  
  warek2@dodo.com.au

Saturday 9 April
• **Bendigo Region Bakeries & Cafes** 200/150/125
Three routes designed to discover new cafes and visit old favourites. 100 navigates Lake Eppalock & you can even ride on part of the new Okeefe Rail Trail. 150/ 200 travel through rolling hills south of Bendigo.
  Paul Russell - 0409 796 274  
  russellfamily@smartchat.net.au

Saturday 16 April
• **First Stop Ruffy**  300/200/150
Three rides head up the hill to a supported checkpoint at Ruffy. Riders part company here: for the 150 km riders the climbing is done. For the others, the further you ride the more you climb.
  Helen Lew Ton - 0428 281 051  
  hmlewtton@gmail.com  Supported

Saturday 23 April
• **Gippsland Mix and Match 1: BRM rides**  200/300/400/600
A weekend of riding in South Gippsland. Three days and multiple routes to choose from. All rides based at Port Franklin.
  Kevin Ware - 5625 1228  
  warek2@dodo.com.au

Saturday 23 April
• **Gippsland Mix and Match 1: BA rides**  160/100/100/55
A weekend of riding in South Gippsland. Three days and multiple routes to choose from. All rides based at Port Franklin.
  Kevin Ware - 5625 1228  
  warek2@dodo.com.au

Sunday 30 April
• **The Big Loop (by bike path)**  200
A loop around Melbourne on bike paths. Riding along the Bay Trail, The Ring Road path, Diamond Creek path, Eastlink to Dandenong Creek path to Carrum. Then the Long Beach trail to the Bay trail back to the start.
  Robert Wilkinson - 9563 1698  
  r__wilkinson@lycos.com

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Saturday 30 April
• **Tour of the Goldfields** 200/400
  Two out and back legs, Bendigo to Creswick and Bendigo to Avoca. Rolling hills and good roads.
  **Alan Walker - 0407 889 693** Bendigo
  walker@netcon.net.au

Saturday 7 May
• **The Northern Hills 300** 300/200
  From Hurstbridge riders climb to Kinglake then descend to Flowerdale, going over Junction Hill to Yea. 200’s return via Strathcreek to Wandong, while the 300s climb to Highlands, Ruffy, Longwood, supported stop in Seymour before returning via Wandong.
  **Henry de Man - 9879 9281** Hurstbridge
  henryjde@yahoo.com

Saturday 7 May
• **Comme Une Fleche I** 200
  Fly like an arrow from Melbourne to Albury: 400 km over 2 days.
  **Chris Rogers - 5726 9412** Melbourne
  ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Saturday 7 May
• **Comme Une Fleche II** 200
  Fly like an arrow from Melbourne to Albury: 400 km over 2 days.
  **Chris Rogers - 5726 9412** Mansfield
  ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Saturday 14 May
• **Big Al Rides** 100
  A bike path ride from Surrey Hills to the (very modest) heights of Gellibrand Hill where there is a stunning 270 vista from Mt Macedon to the Dandenongs. Return leg completes a circumnavigation of the CBD on the Capital City trail.
  **Robert Wilkinson - 9563 1698** Elgar Park
  r_wilkinson@lycos.com

Saturday 14 May
• **Strathboogie** 100/150/200/300
  Do the Boogie Woogie in the Strathbogies. Flats, Hills and Fun.
  **Rodney Kruz - 0408 537 013** Shepparton
  rkruz@iinet.net.au

Saturday 21 May
• **Melbourne - Where You Once Were** 400
  Start near the city centre and travel west, north and east then return to where you once were. Williamstown, Lara, Lancefield, Yea, Lilydale and more. Experience Melbourne and its regions.
  **Barry Moore - 9803 6529** Nunawading
  barrykmoore@optusnet.com.au

Saturday 28 May
• **Great Victorian Rail Trail Day 1** 120
  121 km from Tallarook Station to Mansfield on the unsealed Great Victorian Rail Trail. Stay overnight in Mansfield if you like, party, then ride back to Tallarook Sunday, or cadge a lift back home. Fat tyres recommended. Full Audax lighting required.
  **Chris Rogers - 5726 9412** Tallarook
  ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Sunday 29 May
• **Great Victorian Rail Trail Day 2** 120
  121km back to Tallarook from Mansfield on the Great Victorian Rail Trail. Can do Saturday’s ride, or Sunday’s ride, or both. Fat tyres recommended. Full Audax lighting required.
  **Chris Rogers - 5726 9412** Mansfield
  ritchierogers@bigpond.com

Saturday 4 June
• **Winter Surf** 200
  From Werribee via the back roads to Lara and Geelong foreshore. Take the Horseshoe Bend Road to Torquay and Bells Beach. Return via Moriac and a loop west of Geelong to Lara and home.
  **Phil Giddings - 0427 012 863** Werribee
  giddingp@hotmail.com

Saturday 4 June
• **Traverse of Central Victoria** 600
  Day 1: Bendigo-Stawell return 354km. Day 2: Bendigo-Shepparton return 250km.
  **Alan Walker - 0407 889 693** Bendigo
  walker@netcon.net.au

Saturday 11 June
• **QRT day 1** 200
  A series of rides from Seymour to celebrate the monarch’s birthday, and inspire you to ride for 3 days in a row.
  **Helen Lew Ton - 0428 281 051** Seymour
  hmlewtont@gmail.com

Sunday 12 June
• **QRT day 2** 200
  A series of rides from Seymour to celebrate the monarch’s birthday, and inspire you to ride for 3 days in a row.
  **Helen Lew Ton - 0428 281 051** Seymour
  hmlewtont@gmail.com

Monday 13 June
• **QRT day 3** 150
  A series of rides from Seymour to celebrate the monarch’s birthday, and inspire you to ride for 3 days in a row.
  **Helen Lew Ton - 0428 281 051** Seymour
  hmlewtont@gmail.com
Saturday 18 June
• **The Basin 300**  
  A challenging 300km loop from The Basin to Whittlesea, Yea, Healesville, Gembrook and back to The Basin.
  **Thomas Price** - 0407 560 218  
  t_h_price@hotmail.com  
  The Basin

Sunday 26 June
• **Wandong Winter Wander**  
  200/150/100/50  
  Get your riding friends together and ignore winter. Wander through the wonderfully undulating, quiet country roads, north of the city enjoying fresh air. Online entries 1 - 23 June. Surcharge of $5 for on-the-day entries.
  **Lorraine Allen** - 9716 3167  
  lorraineallen10@bigpond.com  
  Supported  
  Wandong

Saturday 2 July
• **North & South of the Murray**  
  100/100/200  
  Flat easy routes starting in Cobram. Go north crossing the Murray River into NSW, go south through the farming communities of northern Victoria, or do both north and south for a 200km ride.
  **Rodney Kruz** - 0408 537 013  
  rkruz@iinet.net.au  
  Cobram

Saturday 9 July
• **See Sea Rider**  
  100  
  Based on a route of Chris Rogers. A cruise along shared paths from Box Hill North, through central Melbourne on Copenhagen lanes then shared paths to Williamstown and Altona. Home via the same route.
  **Helen Lew Ton** - 0428 281 051  
  hmlewton@gmail.com  
  Elgar Park

Wednesday 13 July
• **Drouin to the Burra**  
  100  
  Midweek ride. An undulating loop to Korumburra and back.
  **Kevin Ware** - 5625 1228  
  warek2@dodo.com.au  
  Drouin Railway Station

Sunday 24 July
• **Ballarat Beauty and Ballarat Baby**  
  100/200  
  Ride quiet roads around Ballarat with some climbing involved. These routes were devised by Chris Rogers and are also available as permanents.
  **Robert Wylie** - 0408 300 207  
  swy58061@bigpond.net.au  
  Lake Wendouree, Ballarat

Saturday 30 July
• **Diamonds Forever**  
  100  
  100 cruises out to Diamond Creek, then back to Southbank, and home.
  **Henry de Man** - 9879 9281  
  henryjde@yahoo.com  
  Elgar Park

Saturday 6 August
• **Bunches down the Bay**  
  150  
  A grouped Bay ride to Portsea, pausing at a great supported Control in Dromana at 50km and 100km. Finishing at Parkdale for dessert. Riding in a peloton at your speed. Online entries only: max field of 43 riders.
  **Jane May** - 9807 4682  
  ozjanemay@gmail.com  
  Supported  
  Parkdale

Saturday 13 August
• **Red Gum**  
  200/300/400  
  You have seen Red Gum, the band. Now see Red Gum, the tree. A glorious ride along the watercourses of the North-East. Jolly swagmen welcome. BYO jumbuck.
  **Rodney Kruz** - 0408 537 013  
  rkruz@iinet.net.au  
  Numurkah

Thursday 18 August
• **Great Ocean Road Mid Week GSR Sampler Day 1**  
  200/600  
  Enjoy the Great Ocean Road free from weekend traffic in this mid week GSR sampler. Support only for the 600 km distance at Port Campbell. Bag drops to/ from Port Campbell available for the 200 km rides as well.
  **Peter Donnan** - 0417 571 115  
  pdonnan@bigpond.net.au  
  Geelong

Friday 19 August
• **Great Ocean Road Mid Week GSR Sampler Day 2**  
  200  
  Enjoy the Great Ocean Road free from weekend traffic in this midweek GSR sampler. Support only for the 600 km distance at Port Campbell. Bag drops to/ from Port Campbell available for the 200 km rides well.
  **Peter Donnan** - 0417 571 115  
  pdonnan@bigpond.net.au  
  Port Campbell

Saturday 20 August
• **Yonder of the You Yangs**  
  100  
  Cruise past the You Yangs, taking in the breathtaking scenery of the Brisbane Ranges. Visit the lovely country towns of Meredith and Steiglitz & drop in for a latte. Return via Anakie
  **Helen Lew Ton** - 0428 281 051  
  hmlewton@gmail.com  
  Little River

Saturday 27 August
• **Big Al Rides Again**  
  200  
  Koonung Creek Trail, Moonee Ponds Trail to West Meadows, to Port Melbourne on the Maribyrnong Creek Trail, then south to Carrum, out to Ringwood and back to Elgar park.
  **Robert Wilkinson** - 9563 1698  
  r__wilkinson@lycos.com  
  Elgar Park

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<td>Third leg of a glorious weekend off road. From Beechworth west to Eldorado, back to Beechworth, up to Stanley and back.</td>
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<td><strong>Spring into Seymour</strong></td>
<td>200/120</td>
<td>Starting and finishing at the bandstand in Seymour. Take in the flush of Spring with this flat-ish ride. Visit Nagambie, Murchison and several other Northern townships. Cross the historic Kirwans Bridge outside Nagambie. Will there be magpies?</td>
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<td>Beautiful ride from Yea up to Highlands and beyond. Low traffic roads with plenty of hills.</td>
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<td>A challenging and scenic 108km ride through the significant foothills through Gippsland past Glenmaggie Weir and Macalister River to Licola and return.</td>
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Saturday 24 September
• **Three Breweries Three Hundred** 300
Ride around north eastern Victoria past three of Victoria’s fine craft breweries and the wineries of Rutherglen.

Jon Miller - 0420 572 660
jon@magichandsmassage.com.au

Saturday 1 October
• **Eltham and the hills** 100
An undulating to hilly ride. Starting from Eltham, out to Hustbridge, Whittlesea, a climb up to King Lake using the quiet Humevale Rd, then a great downhill back to Eltham.

Robert Wilkinson - 9563 1698
r__wilkinson@lycos.com

Saturday 8 October
• **Wildwood Gorges** 110
A tour of the gorges in the Sunbury, Wildwood and Diggers Rest region. A mostly flat ride with some beautiful descents into the gorges in the area. Make certain those brakes are working well!

Robert Wilkinson - 9563 1698
r__wilkinson@lycos.com

Saturday 8 October
• **All Saints Day** 100/200/300/400/600
A scenic ride from Cobram up the Murray River and beside Lake Mulwala to Corowa, then along All Saints Road and past (?) All Saints Winery, returning to Cobram via Yarrawonga.

Rodney Kruz - 0408 537 013
rkruz@iinet.net.au

Sunday 9 October
• **Some Saints Day** 100/200
You get a choice of all distances in the All Saints Day on the Saturday, and you can finish off a weekend of riding in Cobram with some of the distances on Sunday with your choice of 100 or 200km in Some Saints Day.

Rodney Kruz - 0408 537 013
rkruz@iinet.net.au

Saturday 15 October
• **Searching for the Bunyip** 100
Mixed Terrain Adventures in the home of the Bunyip. Sealed, unsealed, and hills. What more could you ask for?

Gareth Evans
gareth.d.evans@gmail.com

Saturday 22 October
• **Grampians Gambols: Day 1** 600/400/300/200/150/100
A new series of Gambols around the spectacular Grampians. A full suite of distance from 50 - 600km. The rides will be supported and there is a wide range of accommodation available from cardboard boxes to 5 star fibro huts

Peter Mathews - 0439 992 130
pmathews.mob@gmail.com

Sunday 23 October
• **Grampians Gambols: Day 2** 200/150/100/50
Saddle up for a second day of gambolling in the Grampians.

Peter Mathews - 0439 992 130
pmathews.mob@gmail.com

Saturday 29 October
• **Eildon Endurance** 200/300/400
Starting at 6:00am a choice of out and back 200km ride to Yarck, or Classic 300km ride to Eildon. An additional 100km to Euroa and back after breakfast for a very achievable 400km ride.

Garry Wall - 5727 3763
garry.wall@bigpond.com
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Saturday 7 November
• **Southern Sunrise** 100/200/400
  Southern loop, down through the hills & back on the plain.
  **Perry Raison - 0427 773 402**
  Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant
cavebear2@bigpond.com

Saturday 14 November
• **Two Rocks Turn-around** 50/100
  Ride from Neil Hawkins Park along Joondalup Lake before heading inland and northwards to Yanchep and Two Rocks before returning back via Marmion Ave and Connolly Drive.
  **Klaus Hagedorn - 9409 2570**
  Neil Hawkins Park, Joondalup
  klaushagedorn24@gmail.com

Saturday 28 November
• **Prison Pedal (Evening Ride)** 100/200
  Bring along your rotten cabbages to dispense as we tour the places of incarceration in the southern suburbs of Perth ***Note: Riders should take care in forested areas during dusk/darkness owing to kangaroos. Preferably ride with at least 1 other rider.**
  **Adrian Yurisich - 0431 657 566**
  Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant
  adrian.yurisich@gmail.com

Saturday 5 December
• **The Hourglass** 100/200/300/600
  Figure of 8 loop ride around the greater Perth area and surrounds.
  **Alison Mclernon - 0407 276 675**
  Bayswater Train Station
  alison@wocwa.com

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Saturday 12 December
• **Dawn To Dusk (Summer)**  200/300
A nice ride out to the hills around Dwellingup before heading to the coast to Preston Beach and returning back to Deep Water Point. Riders must finish before 19:16 to qualify for the Dawn-till-Dusk series award.

**Carol Dooley - 0419 660 873**
Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant
cnpdooley@gmail.com

Saturday 19 December
• **Dog Leg Loop**  50/100
Meander down to Dog Hill and loop back.

**Stuart Keeling - 0401 563 754**
Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant
baalz@bigpond.com

Saturday 9 January
• **Freeway Coastal Circuit**  50/150
Ride from DWP down the Freeway PSP to Mandurah before returning along the coast to Rockingham & Fremantle then back to DWP along the Swan River.

**Carol Dooley - 0419 660 873**
Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant
caroldooleywebmail@gmail.com

Saturday 23 January
• **Peel Around Peel Reverse (Evening Ride)**  125/200
South loop around the Peel inlet, via Pinjarra & Mandurah.

**Stuart Keeling - 0401 563 754**
Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant
baalz@bigpond.com

Saturday 30 January
• **Dupuy Dawdle**  50/100
DWP to hills and return

**Ken Dupuy - 08 9258 6330**
Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant
audaxwa2014@gmail.com

Saturday 13 February
• **Let’s Elope**  50/100/200/300/400
Out and back route to Bunbury and return.

**Wayne Hickman - 0457 766 810**
Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant
whrecord@gmail.com

Saturday 27 February
• **Coolup Loop (Evening Ride)**  200
A flat ride on quiet roads.

**Adrian Yurisich - 0431 657 566**
Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant
adrian.yurisich@gmail.com

Saturday 5 March
• **Swanning In The Valley**  50/100
South along the river, then circling around and along the foot hills, up to the scarp then a loop through the Swan Valley to finish with dinner at Alfred’s Kitchen.

**Dave Lewis - 0418 907 381**
Guildford Train Station (south car park)
davidphiliplewis@yahoo.com

Saturday 12 March
• **Smelly Welly**  100/200
North Bannister > Wandering > Dryandra > Cuballing > Popanyinning > Pingelly > Wandering > North Bannister.

**Alison Mclernon - 0407 276 675**
North Bannister Road House
almac237@gmail.com

Saturday 19 March
• **Fleche Opperman All Day Trial**  Min 360
A team must consist of 3, 4 or 5 bicycles. Each team chooses its own start point and course. A minimum of 360km must be ridden in 24hrs from Sat morning and finishing at the same point.

**Tony Gillespie - 0407 117 608**
Your Choice
rgi70696@bigpond.net.au

Saturday 19 March
• **Petit Oppy**  Min 180
A team must consist of 3, 4 or 5 bicycles, Choose start point and course. Start at the same time as the Oppy & ride for 12 hours. Have a 10hr break before getting back on the bike for the last 2 hours of the Oppy.

**Tony Gillespie - 0407 117 608**
Your Choice
rgi70696@bigpond.net.au

Saturday 9 April
• **Dambusters**  160
100 Mile Ride. The odd hill or 2, over all the dam walls and through forested catchment areas.

**John Eden - 0422 964 587**
(Bibbulmun Track, North Terminus)
Flyingporkpies@hotmail.com

Saturday 16 April
• **Bjorn Blasse Celebration**  50/100
A social ride celebrating one of WA’s Audacious achievers.

**Wayne Hickman - 0457 766 810**
Coolbinia, 106 Bradford St (car park)
whrecord@gmail.com

Saturday 30 April
• **Timber & Wheat Tour**  100/200/300/400
A ride from Armadale south-eastwards through the forests and farmlands in the Wheatbelt

**Alison Mclernon - 0407 276 675**
Pioneer Village, Armadale
alison@wocwa.com

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<td>Sunday 22 May</td>
<td><strong>The Vines</strong> 50/100</td>
<td>Mill Pt. Rd car park to Ellenbrook via Perth &amp; Maylands foreshores, Eden Hill, Caversham then The Vines then back through the Swan Valley, Midland, Guildford &amp; along the S. Perth foreshore. Geoff Merks - 0447 444 730 South Perth (Narrows Bridge) <a href="mailto:geoffmerks@gmail.com">geoffmerks@gmail.com</a></td>
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<td><strong>Mundijong Muddle</strong> 50/100</td>
<td>Ride out from Deep Water Point to Mundijong and return Dave Doust - 0421 505 969 Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant <a href="mailto:dpdoust@iinet.net.au">dpdoust@iinet.net.au</a></td>
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<td>Saturday 4 June</td>
<td><strong>Quindanning Pub Loop</strong> 100/200/300/600</td>
<td>This ride will have limited support for Luggage and breakfast will be provided at Williams. Glenn Mitton - 0419 186 398 TBA <a href="mailto:gmitton@amdale.com.au">gmitton@amdale.com.au</a> Supported</td>
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<td><strong>Avonguard</strong> 100/200</td>
<td>Starting at Clackline 62km E along Great Eastern Hwy from Midland. This is a scenic tour of the western wheat belt in the upper catchment of the Avon River. Perry Raison - 0427 773 402 Clackline carpark, cnr Spencers Brook Rd &amp; Great Eastern Hwy <a href="mailto:cavebear2@bigpond.com">cavebear2@bigpond.com</a></td>
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<td><strong>One Dam</strong> 100</td>
<td>A varied brevet with a nice forested route through the Darling Scarp, passing over the Serpentine Dam Wall and finishing with a flat ride along the coastal plain back to Armadale. Kym Murray - 0409 523 092 Armadale Train Station <a href="mailto:kymbo@iinet.net.au">kymbo@iinet.net.au</a></td>
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<td><strong>Lazy Lancelin</strong> 300</td>
<td>A coastal plains ride that can be nonetheless quite demanding with rough pavement, undulations and exposure to prevailing winds. Visits Lancelin from Gingin via a quiet back road. Greg Waters - 0448 855 571 Midland (car park behind police station) <a href="mailto:greshawaters@bigpond.com">greshawaters@bigpond.com</a></td>
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<td>Hilly and scenic rural routes mostly on low traffic roads. The 200km will be run in a anticlockwise direction. Riders must finish by sunset (17:35) to qualify for the Dawn til’ Dusk series award. Carol Dooley - 0419 660 873 Shell Roadhouse, Upper Swan <a href="mailto:cnpdooley@gmail.com">cnpdooley@gmail.com</a></td>
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<td><strong>Calingari 300</strong> 300</td>
<td>Ride from Midland out to Gingin before heading east through the Wheatbelt to Calingari before returning via Toodyay &amp; Mundaring. Greg Waters - 0448 855 571 Midland (car park behind police station) <a href="mailto:greshawaters@bigpond.com">greshawaters@bigpond.com</a></td>
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<td>A nice ride out from Deep Water Point to the Perth Hills and return. Geoff Merks - 0447 444 730 Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant <a href="mailto:geoffmerks@gmail.com">geoffmerks@gmail.com</a></td>
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<td>Saturday 3 September</td>
<td><strong>Mr Marston’s Meander</strong> 100/200</td>
<td>This ride through the western wheat belt on mostly very quiet roads gives riders a chance to observe evidence of the 1968 Meckering earthquake. Kym Murray - 0409 523 092 Toodyay (car park opposite IGA) <a href="mailto:kymbo@iinet.net.au">kymbo@iinet.net.au</a></td>
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<td><strong>Swanning Around</strong> 50/100</td>
<td>Starting at Deep Water Point this ride will navigate the shores of the Canning and Swan Rivers venturing as far upstream as Guildford before crossing over and heading downstream to Fremantle before returning via Bicton and Applecross. Dave Doust - 0421 505 969 Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant <a href="mailto:dpdoust@iinet.net.au">dpdoust@iinet.net.au</a></td>
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• Midland - San Remo 150/300
A hilly route from Midland to San Remo then return to Midland via Fwy PSP finishing with a selection of nice climbs before a descent down Greenmount to Midland. One way trip to Mandurah for the 150km version.
Greg Waters - 0448 855 571 Coal Dam Park, Hazelmere
greshawaters@bigpond.com

Saturday 1 October
• Dawn to Dusk (Spring) 100/200/250
Ride from Guildford up into the hills and return. Riders must finish before sunset (18:18) to qualify for the Dawn-till-Dusk series award.
Carol Dooley - 0419 660 873 Guildford Train Station
cnpdooley@gmail.com

Saturday 15 October
• Long Flat One 160/200/400
The 400km route navigates the coastal plain south of Mandurah through Dairy areas and Pine forests for less than 1km of ascent over 400km. A number of the controls feature excellent cuisine for the Burger aficionado.
Stuart Keeling - 0401 563 754 Deep Water Point, Mt Pleasant
baatz@bigpond.com

Sunday 23 October
• North East Cafe Grinder 100
Ellenbrook. Ride over the scarp at Brigadoon and onto Gooseberry Hill to the Le Croissant Patisserie before returning back via the Zig Zag. An alternative control can also be at Paris Brest Café in Kalamunda (Haynes St) just off the route.
Geoff Merks - 0447 444 730 Ellenbrook, Dome Cafe
geoffmerks@gmail.com

Saturday 29 October
• The Classic 140/200
Ride out through the Chittering Valley before venturing out to Toodyay and beyond to Beejording before returning back to Bullsbrook via Bindoon-Dewars Pool Rd.
Adrian Giacci - 0429 162 686 Bullsbrook, Maroubra Ave car park
gucci675@hotmail.com