



Under Road Time Trials Council Regulations

KENT CYCLING ASSOCIATION

(Founded 1928)

President: Peter Stone

OPEN 12 HOUR

**Incorporating the
Tricycle Association Open 12 Hour**

RESULT SHEET

**Promoted by
the Kent Cycling Association
Sunday 2nd August 1998**



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Pat & Ted Hill
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Vic Williams & Les Ambrose
Ian & Clarice Masterson
Alan Koolman
John & Joan King
Peter Baker
Warwick Dunford
Jenny Burton & Pete Wall

The following riders did not start and apologised:

Geoff Hodgson San Fairy Ann C.C. Kevin Gleadow Medway Velo

The following riders did not finish:

Brian Richards	C.C. Bexley	John Percival	34th Nomads C.C.
Martyn Crothall	V.C. Elan	Nick Marsh	Nick Marsh
M Skinner	San Fairy Ann C.C.	Keighly Corder	C.C. Bexley
Elwyn Hughes	Thanet R.C.	Nick Gritton	Team 2000

The following Clubs are sponsored:

Team 2000 - Pearsons Cycles/Sony Centre
V.C. Deal - Caffyns Motor Contracts PLC/NicoLapage/Harry Rowland Wheel
Building/Apollo Cycle Sport/PSP22/Christchurch College Canterbury
V.C. Elan - Harry Perry Cycles

Posn	Name	Club	50 Mile Time	100 Mile Time	Actual Distance	Standard	Standard +/-	Personal Best	PB +/-
1	Gary Chalkley	San Fairy Ann C.C.	2:10:58	4:22:55	258.149			251.228	6.921
2	Adam Broyad	V.C. Deal	2:12:58	4:29:15	254.833				
3	Steve Jezzard	V.C. Deal	2:15:27	4:36:15	244.529				
4	Chris Bax	Thanet R.C.	2:12:28	4:32:19	242.422	215.060	27.362	249.207	-6.785
5	David Mackey	San Fairy Ann C.C.	2:12:12	4:31:04	240.510			233.514	6.996
6	Robert Kennison	Team 2000	2:13:20	4:33:52	238.382				
7	Tony Meilak	West Kent R.C.	2:15:30	4:38:17	235.832	195.010	40.822	238.080	-2.248
8	Chris Cowlard	San Fairy Ann C.C.	2:12:24	4:36:39	233.651	218.320	15.331	230.647	3.004
9	Peter Lowe	San Fairy Ann C.C.	2:14:38	4:40:39	233.226	213.450	19.776	240.248	-7.022
10	Phil Saynor	San Fairy Ann C.C.	2:16:34	4:39:55	231.220	196.480	34.740	229.415	1.805
11	Fred Muskett	Thanet R.C.	2:29:04	5:03:20	226.379				
12	Kenneth Stokes	Medway Velo	2:21:00	4:53:45	223.602	195.010	28.592	219.414	4.188
13	Andy Bentley	V.C. Elan	2:19:18	4:54:04	222.560			220.191	2.369
14	Les Hayman	Southborough & District Wheelers C.C.	2:30:38	5:05:24	216.640	186.390	30.250	224.000	-7.360
15	Andrew Sangster	Gravesend C.C.	2:23:43	5:01:58	214.813			211.067	3.746
16	Ernest Mackey	Medway Velo	2:31:09	5:11:12	214.177	196.480	17.697	210.827	3.350
17	Christopher Rock	Gemini B.C.	2:31:09	5:11:12	214.026	200.970	13.056		
18	John Bishop	Wigmore C.C.	2:36:05	5:15:11	208.352	190.650	17.702	203.681	4.671
19	Patrick McMaster	Gravesend C.C.	2:28:00	5:10:36	207.112			214.416	-7.304
20	Mrs Janet Lowe	San Fairy Ann C.C.	2:41:19	5:26:42	206.955	199.460	7.495	208.637	-1.682
21	David Lowe	San Fairy Ann C.C.	2:33:09	5:24:36	206.894				
22	Ken Gardner	C.C. Bexley	2:36:15	5:19:25	206.447	202.490	3.957	190.000	16.447
23	Jeremy Temple	Ashford Wheelers C.C.	2:29:13	5:07:00	204.800				
24	Tom Wakefield	C.C. Bexley	2:35:43	5:28:29	203.261	174.180	29.081		
25	Martin Yardley	Southborough & District Wheelers C.C.	2:47:35	5:41:08	202.106				
26	James McNay	Southborough & District Wheelers C.C.	2:44:26	5:34:27	200.760				
27	Ms Sue Barrett	San Fairy Ann C.C.	2:46:48	5:43:51	200.481	210.260	-9.779		
28	Mrs Sue Anyan	San Fairy Ann C.C.	2:49:54	5:46:21	189.624				

AWARDS

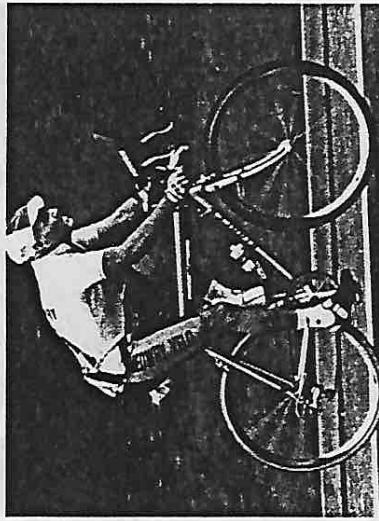
K.C.A. 12 Hour Championship

Actual Distance					
1st	Gary Chalkley	San Fairy Ann C.C.	A J Bathurst Trophy (for one year) Plus Gilt Medal		
2nd	Adam Broyad	V.C. Deal	Silver Plated Medal		
3rd	Steve Jezzard	V.C. Deal	Bronze Medal		
Ladies					
1st	Mrs Janet Lowe	San Fairy Ann C.C.	Glad Mills Plaque		
Team_of_Three -	<i>(Regulation 27 has been applied to the award of the second team prize.)</i>				
1st	San Fairy Ann C.C.	Gary Chalkley David MacKey Chris Cowlard	732.310 miles The Bray Shield (for one year) Plus Gilt Medals		
2nd	San Fairy Ann C.C.	Peter Lowe Phil Saynor Mrs Janet Lowe	671.401 miles Silver Plated Medals		
Veterans on Age Standard					
1st	Tony Meilak	West Kent R.C.	Gilt Medal		
2nd	Phil Saynor	San Fairy Ann C.C.	Silver Plated Medal		
3rd	Les Hayman	Southborough & District Wheelers C.C.	Bronze Medal		
Greatest Improvement on Personal Best Distance					
1st	Ken Gardner	C.C. Bexley	Gilt Medal		
2nd	David MacKey	San Fairy Ann C.C.	Silver Plated Medal		
3rd	Gary Chalkley	San Fairy Ann C.C.	Bronze Medal		
1st	Tom Wakefield	C.C. Bexley	Tricycle Association Gilt Medal		

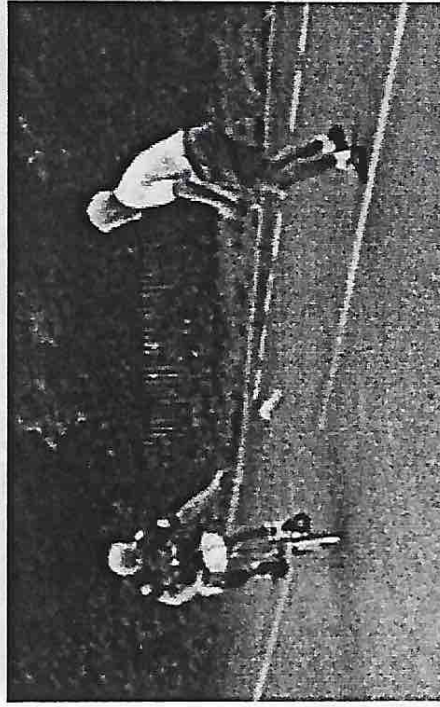
All finishers, other than prize winners, will receive a Silver Plated Medal

12 HOUR 1998

This year's 12 Hour began in cool conditions with a rising wind; by the time the riders arrived a East Guldeford/Camber/Lydd circuit, conditions were quite hard and I didn't anticipate great mileages being achieved. Eventually though the sun came out, and the wind dropped and everyone pulled themselves together, so much so that there were several personal bests recorded at the end of the day. Gary Chalkley won the event for the second year and backed up by Chris Cowlard and David MacKey led the San Fairy Ann to the team win. The "Fairies" also got the second team award; Janet Lowe was first Lady, leading the San Fairy Ann Ladies team and the Lowe family also finished three riders. Tony Meilak West Kent R.C. was first vet in front of Phil Saynor, thus precluding an S.F.A. clean sweep of the awards. Les Hayman made a fighting comeback after a surprise retirement last year, gained the third vet's award and headed a Southborough Wheeler's team, the other two riders, Martin Yardley and James MacNay, both being newcomers to this type of event. Tom Wakefield was the only tricyclist to finish. The trike entry was very low this year but in spite of a lack of competition he recorded a good mileage. Chris Bax was below best form but rode smoothly all day gaining sponsorship for the Kent Air Ambulance.



Ernie MacKay



Les Hayman at speed through Great Chart, helped by marshall Terry Collins.

We had to rely heavily on arrows around the course this year as several of our regular marshals had c o m m i t m e n t s elsewhere. It's probably appropriate that arrow were so much in evidence, living as we do deep in 1066 country. Being born and bred in Hastings, who knows perhaps an ancestor served as a fletcher for either Harold or William!

It was fortunate that Maurice was up for a challenge as his help was invaluable; before the start he burnished the plates on the K.C.A. seats as Pat had forgotten her Brasso, then he began his marshalling duties at London Beech, moved onto Appledore to the canal road and then cut down the lane to Brookland for the first turn. I gave him a few shillings so that he could treat himself in the Little Chef at Brenzett before returning to the Brookland turn for several hours. Finally he made his way up to the finishing circuit to the crucial T junction at Coleham Green. I remember in one of the earlier '12s 'I organised, because we were short of helpers, Pat 'bussed' two or three of the Wobblers round the then sprawling course until they were too whacked to stick their arms out and were pleading for respite.

Regular competitors probably recognised the people who were on duty. Ted Hill at Newcastle Farm and then later at Stanhope; Pat Hill at the Bull; Mike and Stella Ducker at the end of the great Chart bypass; Arthur Wilson and Bernard Grant at Appledore Heath; Johnny Clapp, Pym Hall, Vic Williams, Les Ambrose and Norman Channon were between East Guldeford and Hammond's Corner. Chris Parker from Hastings was sitting comfortably at Brenzett roundabout and, as the race developed, was joined by Ron and Brenda Ash, Keith and Pat Ray and Pat Hill. At the top of

the Ham Street by-pass the Thanet R.C. were in control and everybody was pleased to see Gordon and Alice Haller there as large as life, even though Gordon was heavily strapped up and was using a wheelchair to get around. It was sporting of Gordon to come out, as had things been different he would have been riding and in with a chance of honours. Alf and Ian Edgington, Dave Saffrey, Scotty and Steve are just a few of the Thanet that I remember seeing. Chris Worsfold was in charge of the cut-out at Park Farm. Past Ray and Jan Goodwin at Titebarn Lane and you should then have seen Dick Mills at Singleton. However, when Dick left home, he had managed to get entangled with the thousands of (motor)bikers on their way to the Superbike Competition at Brands Hatch and thus missed his first K.C.A. 12 for how many years? Twenty? Thirty? I'll have to ask if he can remember. It was lucky that he phoned Ted Hill who managed to get a replacement to the spot, ensuring that everyone made it to the next roundabout and Alan and Judy Hill. Onwards and upwards through Great Chart Village, Rippers Cross and Hothfield, urged on by the Southborough Wheelers' Terry Collins, Jean and Arthur Smith, Carl Streeter and Doug Finch, to Charing roundabout where Nick Jackson and friends and Karen Morris from the San Fairy Ann C.C. were doing the turn. Thankfully it was a short leg on the A20 this year and having been turned at Orchard Heights by Laurie & Rosemary Broad, it was back to Great Chart via Malcolm Watton, on to the roundabout where Nick Marshall and Judith Griffiths had taken over and were supported by Carol Gandy and several others who appeared to have set up camp there. Apart from Maurice the people on the circuit were Dennis Lednor, Roger & Jean Travers and Ray & Helen Whibley.

The timekeepers and their recorders were John & Joan King, Jenny Burton & Pete Wall, Paul & Kath Mepham, Ian & Clarice Masterson, Peter Baker, Alan Koolman, Vic Williams and Les Ambrose, Pat & Ted Hill and Warwick Dunford. Geoff Bray and the K.C.A. President Peter Stone were at the start, at 50 and 100 miles and at the finish. Roger Bunnett came up trumps again in his capacity as motorbike marshal

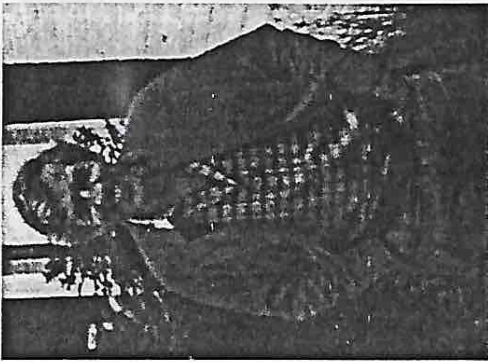


Gordon Haller out in his wheelchair



Maurice, in the morning, with Pete Holland and Brian Pucknall

and was able to keep us informed of the state of play throughout the event. I have already mentioned the arrows which Tim made and placed around the course; Charles Robson Eastbourne Rovers drove me around all day and as usual was a great help when retrieving the signs. I still can't reach them all with dignity and Charles makes the job that much easier. We are reduced to one feed nowadays but all the time Ann Morris and the rest of the C.C. Bexley are prepared to do it, it will remain in the event. Feeding the hungry crowds at the hall were Ron, Veronica & Jacqueline Hayward and Geoff Abraham (and I think Maurice was washing up for a while). Last but not least, nine year old Christopher Draper helped me to clear away the chairs and stack the tables in the hall. We had a dodgy moment with a table but my head's O.K. now. It was also nice to see Toni & Nancy Hodges out after their nasty experience in the 1997 '12'.



Charlie Robson at the Bull in the morning

I can't begin to express my thanks to all the people mentioned above but I'm sure they realise by now that we couldn't hit the road without their help.

Next year's event will be on August 1st and I look forward to seeing you all again then.

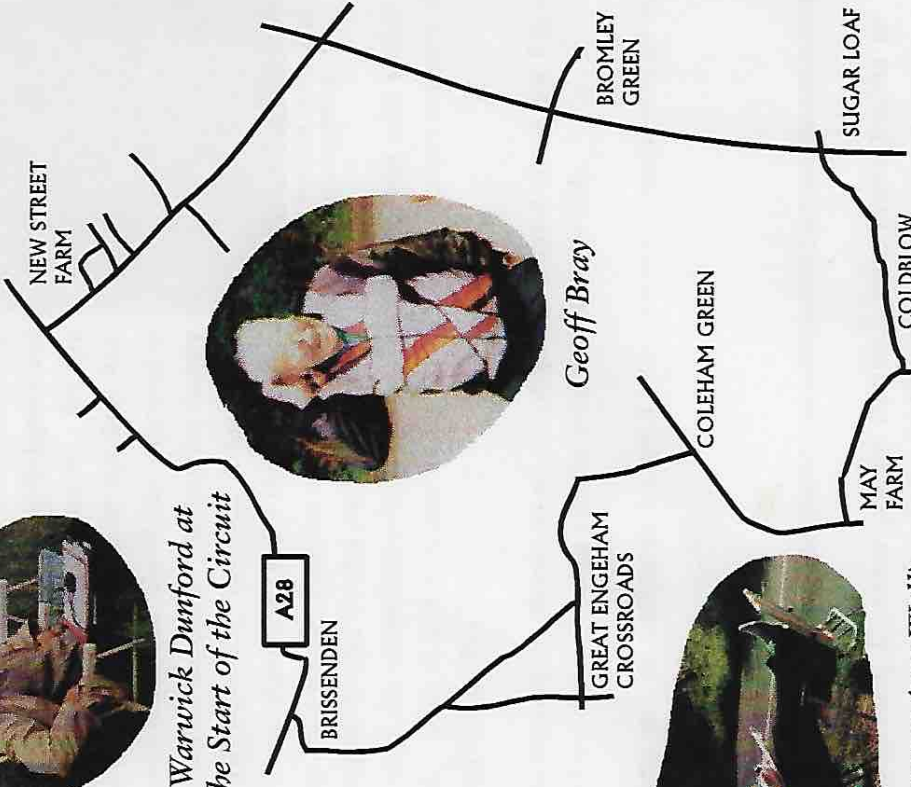
Esther

The Gravesend C.C. arranged for monochrome photographs to be taken of most of the riders in the event and these have generously been given to me to be sold in aid of K.C.A. funds. Because of the traffic some riders were missed but the majority were captured. The cost is £2.50 for a 6" x 4" print and they are obtainable from Estlier

1998 K.C.A 12 Hour - Circuit



Warwick Dunford at the Start of the Circuit



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BRISSENDEN

NEW STREET FARM

Geoff Bray

GREAT ENGEHAM CROSSROADS

BROMLEY GREEN

COLEHAM GREEN

SUGAR LOAF

COLDBLOW

MAY FARM



Jenny Burton (nee Wall) and Pete Wall



Ian and Clarice Masterson