



Hull Thursday Road Club Incentive Scheme

As East Yorkshire's premier cycling club we try to cater for all cyclists: young to old, road bike to mountain bike, road racer to time triallist. We also successfully promote events such as the club time trial series, open road races and time trials, the Premier Calendar Beverley criterium and The Big G Cyclo sportive.

The club maintains a healthy bank balance and, as a committee, has been trying to invest that money into club activities and help promote cycling as a healthy and enjoyable pastime. We have purchased some road bikes with turbo trainers, which are currently in a dedicated gym at Longcroft School. This is helping the younger generation take up cycling, and is an area we have decided to invest in further.

Whilst younger riders have been joining the club, with some showing promise at racing, we have found it difficult to retain them; in particular the ones who do race. As a result of this the club has created an incentive scheme to assist members who like to race. We propose trialling the scheme for a year to gauge its success.

HTRC Incentive scheme:

The incentive scheme applies to first claim members competing in HTRC colours in competitive cycling events*. Payment will be made in the following year, on the day of the HTRC Road Race, providing that the individual is still a first claim member. The scheme starts with the 2012 season, with payment due on 5th May 2013.

100% of race fees will be reimbursed for every race started for juveniles and juniors and 50% of race entry fees for every race started for senior and veteran age categories.

50% of race licence fees will be reimbursed for all categories rising to 100% of a race licence fee when 5 races have been entered for that licence. Results/report to be given to the committee within one month of competing. The scheme is to be reviewed annually.

**Competitive events include; open road races (includes RR league), open time trials, open track events, open mountain bike races and open cyclo cross. Not to include; sportives, audax and triathlon/duathlon.*

Best regards,

Dave Millson
Club Secretary