

SOMER VALLEY CC



CLUB EVENT INFORMATION & HAZARDS SHEET FOR UC363

A 10 mile time trial

Distance approx. 10 miles

Course record 20:02 held by Rob Pears

HQ.

Located in the Marston Layby, situated on Marston Road, A361, approximately 1.5 miles west of Sainsbury's. Do not park blocking access to residential properties at the east end. Sign-on starts at 18:45.

Warming up.

No U-turn on the A361

Waiting to start.

Do not obstruct the entrance to the layby, or the entrances to residential properties nearby. Maximum 2 riders at start point.

General Safety

1. Riders are strongly advised to wear a hard shell helmet that meets an internationally accepted safety standard. Young riders under 18 MUST wear a hard shell helmet.
2. Riders are strongly advised to use a working bright rear light during the event, warm up, and riding back to HQ after the event.
3. Riders must not make U-turns on the A361 at any point; it is safest to ride to the nearest roundabout and circle. Care if crossing A361 to enter the start layby.
4. At roundabouts, indicate your direction, approach at a controllable speed and be prepared to give way to traffic on your right.
5. Keep your head up, keep in, overtaking oncoming traffic.

Course details and potential hazards.

Start in the Marston Layby on the A361, direction Shepton Mallet (*note uneven surface immediately after start*). Proceed west to Nunney Catch RaB, circle and retrace past the start. Continue on the A361 to Marston RaB (*note, fast approach*) taking the second exit, to stay on the A361. Proceed down a steep hill to Blatchbridge RaB, taking the second exit to stay on A361. Continue past the junction with the A362 (*keep to the left*) to next Berkeley Marsh or Pylon RaB. Circle and retrace to pass the junction with the A362 (*traffic turning right*). Continue on the A361 to Blatchbridge RaB taking the SECOND exit to finish on the lower slope of the Ski Slope hill.

Shout your number as you pass Finish. Please do not stop near the time keeper, and continue up the hill and turn left back to the HQ where times will be available. Times are also available on the club website.