



HARLOW CC

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Chairmans Chatter

Maybe I was a bit early with the getting the winter layers on... should have been more like Tri-suits for this weather. As we head into the Christmas period most of us will be spending time with our families, but if you are out and you'd like company, put it on the Group chat as I'm sure there will be some itching to get out.



I will be running my usual New Years Day off road ride for those interested.

It would also be great if we could hear from those interested in getting more involved in the running of the club and help guide it into the future.

(Remember, let a committee member know before 19th January 2024.)

Have a relaxing Christmas break eat, drink and be merry... knowing that you can work it all off after, and give me a chance to keep up, and see you all in the New Year.

David Wales

It has been great to see the club going from strength to strength and some taking part in some racing events and tours, putting the clubs name out there once again... long may it continue. Where possible I would love to come along and show support where I can.

May you all have a wonderful Christmas and Happy fortuitus 2024 and I look forward to seeing you all on the 19th of Jan at the AGM.

All the Best
Vin Denson (President)

Treasurers Report

As a club we are again pleased with our financial position which has allowed us to again offer our full year adult membership at £20. we have also been able to add offerings to our social calendar through 2023 with yet more to come again in 2024.

Membership

95 inc 18 life members

Opening Balance 1/11/22 £6291.34

Closing Balance 31/10/23 £5478.84

Movement - £ 812.50

Kit: £3732

Income Total £4019.40

Subs £1385

Kit Sales £1261

Events £662

Easy Fund/ High £171

Expenditure Total £4289.54

Affiliations BC + CUK £209

Kit £2063.38

Events £2017.16

Total Assets 21-22 £7995.84

Total Assets 22-23 £ 9210.84

Cash Funds showing a minus of £812 due to most people paying for the Christmas night out before 31/10/22 (funds in year 21-22) and expenditure for the event in year 22-23

Calpe 2024

**Still time to book you spot on the Calpe 2024 Holiday.
12th to 16th October 2024**

Club kit event

What to Expect?

Rides for every one including gentle coastal roads out of Calpe Iconic Climbs including Coll de Rates and Cumbre de sol Great coffee stops and places to eat and drink Sunshine.



Details:

Flight

Ryanair FR2586 (Stansted to Calpe)
departs 7am

Ryanair FR6646 (Calpe to Stansted)
departs 12.40pm

Hotel

Apartment Calpe Playa by Inter home –
Pay on arrival with free cancellation until
12 Aug Apartamentos Colon-Grupo
Antonio Perles – Pay in advance with free
cancellation until 04 Oct

Bike Hire

Blanca bikes from £25 per day and deliver
and collect from your hotel however there
are multiple bike hire companies to
choose from

Transfer

Hoppa – Shuttle from £39 per person with
a journey time of 2 hours to Calpe or Mini
bus @ £36 per person (based on 6 sharing)
which takes 1 hour

If you have any questions or need any
more info let Richard Elven or Kevin

Ride Captain Report

Well, what a strange year we've had with regards to riding this year, I can't remember losing so many rides to poor weather in



recent years, it would seem every Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday the weather gods were against us. Having said that the rides we had this year we really well attended and we had some new routes and

areas that we checked out. Hopefully, looking to the future we will continue our format of Tuesday Training Ride, Thursday Social Ride with a pub stop near the end and the Sunday ride returning to Coffee Base.

As a little reminder could all members acquaint themselves with the club etiquette section on the club website just so we're all aware of what is expected of club members on rides.

Hopefully next year between myself and Kevin Coombes we can put some trips away on, with Calpe already on the go, we have other bits in the pipeline with a few bits to tie up before finalising so keep an eye on our socials so you don't miss out.

Looking forward to next year and to see you all out on the lovely dry and pot hole free local roads!!!

As always if anyone has any ideas with regards to rides just drop me a message. Happy New Year to all.

Richard

Easy Fundraising

You can help the club out by signing up for the EasyFundraising app. Like other cash back sites, when you make a purchase, the club receives a % of the sale price and you pay no more! What's more, you get that warm happy feeling inside that you've helped the club carry on while indulging your retail therapy!!



Below are the current committee positions that require volunteers to fill or support.

Position	Present	Standing
President	Vin Denson	
Chairman	D. Wales	
Vice Chairman	K. Coombes	
Treasurer	D. Harris	
Secretary	<i>D.Wales (temp)</i>	(Open)
Runs Captain	R. Elven	
Webmaster	J. Bishop	
Membership Secretary	D. Harris	
Social Secretary	K. Coombes	
Touring Secretary	<i>Required</i>	(Open)
Kit Co-ordinator	C Harris	
Development Officer	<i>Required</i>	(Open)
Welfare Officer(s) (Male/Female)	<i>Required</i>	(Open)
Sponsorship Co-ordinator	<i>Required</i>	(Open)
Racing Secretary	<i>Required</i>	(Open)
Harlow Council Liaison Officer	<i>Required</i>	(Open)

During the next few weeks, we will issue a roles and responsibilities for each of the roles

Please reach out to a member of the committee for more information or if you wish to volunteer to fill one of the roles



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FIRST
DRINK
FREE

**LIMITED
TICKETS**

SUPPORT
**YOUR
CLUB**

HCC CHRISTMAS DINNER & AWARDS

Location: Belash Indian
Date: 19th January 2024
Time: 8pm
Price: £35 per person
Partners welcome

We will have limited places in the restaurant, but will have sole use so it's going to be a good night. We have ordered a set menu which will include poppadums, selection of starters and mains and naan breads. There will also be GF, Vegan and Veggie options if required.

Payment to be made to the club account by bank transfer as soon as possible. When you pay, please make sure you use your name as a reference - Harlow Cycling Club, Sort Code 60-10-05 and the account number is 87398621



Lee Valley Cycles:

5% discount on Bikes, 10% discount on Parts and Servicing.

High 5:

40% discount off full price items using our club code H5#HARLOWCC (This code is strictly for use by club members, friends and family only, it must not be posted on any public social media).



Cycling UK:

£20 off full membership by using our code: 90139236. Affiliate member benefits excludes legal assistance, magazine and voting rights.

British Cycling:

A benefit of our club's affiliation is that club members can get up to £26 off membership when they join British Cycling for the first time, Please note Commute membership does not cover you for riding with our club or group rides, please choose either Ride or Race membership - Use code: newcmrd



Proviz:

20% off with the code hcc20 (This code is strictly for use by club members, friends and family only, it must not be posted on any public social media).Proviz is an International Multi-Award Winning Sports Brand, distributed in 40 countries, sold online globally and acknowledged as one of the most innovative sports brands in the world.

Muc-off:

20% off with the code CHATTERBOX20



Glaudax cycle tours:

£50 Discount, just mention Harlow Cycling Club When booking