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CTC'S CALENDAR OF NATIONAL, REGIONAL AND LOCAL EVENTS FOR ALL CYCLISTS IN THE UK

To submit your CTC event for What's On listings in Cycle and for the CTC website, send details to: Bob Kynaston (Events Co-ordinator), 14 Orchard Close, The Rutts, Bushey Heath, Herts WD23 1LW, tel/fax: 020 8950 2082, e: westerley@westerley.plus.com. The deadline for October/November is 19th August.

Forms and advice are available on the website www.ctc.org.uk (follow the links: CTC Resources > **Event Organisers** > **Getting your event listed by CTC**) or from the CTC National Office: 0844 736 8450. **Events require completion of a CTC standard entry** form (audax form for events under AUK rules). Under 18s must have their entry form signed by a parent or guardian. Contact the event organiser for an entry form.

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Event validated by Audax UK AUK See www.audaxuknet

> Brevet Populaire (audax event, usually under 200km)

Brevet de Randonneur (audax of 200km and above)

COMP Competitive event SOCL Social event

OFF-ROAD Mountain bike/rough-stuff Meeting

START

Lists place (sometimes with OS grid reference), time, and (if applicable) entry fee. Contact the organiser

DATC EVENT CODES

(a) 25-79 (40-127km)

- 80-119 miles (128-192km) 120-185 miles (193-299km)
- 186 miles-plus (300km+)
- Map readings, tourist competitions, sports days, treasure hunts, hill climbs, freewheeling competition
- (f) Off-road/rough-stuff

AUGUST

WEDNESDAY 3RD

(a) Dark Peak Grimpeur 106km BP **AUK** Peak Audax, Manchester and District CTC. Start: Marple near Stockport, 10.00, £5.00, Contact: Derek Heine, 10 Whitehall Drive, Hartford, Northwich, Cheshire, CW8 1SJ, t: 01606 784736, e: derek@PeakAudax.co.uk

SATURDAY 6TH

BEGN Ladies Ride to Hansel Village, 15 miles, CTC Ayrshire. Start: Troon Swimming Pool Barassie Street Troon, 11.00, free, Contact: Pat Standen, 3 Glebe Avenue, Mauchline, KA5 6AE, e: pat. standen@east-ayrshire.gov.uk

(f) Rough Stuff 45km/35km/tba, CTC North Hampshire. Start: White Hill near Kingsclere, all 10.00 and £2.00. Contact: Mark Beauchamp, 38 Mortimer Gardens, Tadley, Hampshire, RG26 3UP, t: 0118 981 7790, e: mjebeauchamp@yahoo.co.uk

BEGN Saturday Rides, South Manchester CTC. Start: Torkington Park Car Park Hazel Grove, 09.30, approx 3 hours duration with teastop. Contact: Alison Ashton, t: 07749 965482, e: ali. ashton@googllemail .com

SUNDAY 7TH

(a) Phil Liggett CTC Challenge Ride & Sportive 100km/100 miles, CTC. Start: Sheffield, both 08.00 and £17.00 CTC (£27.00 non-CTC), Contact: Wheels In Wheels, t: 07876 712098, e: info@ wheelsinwheels.com

(a) Okehampton CC Mid Devon 60 miles in 5/6 hours, CTC Devon. Start: Mole Avon Car Park Okehampton, 09.00, £2.00. Contact: Tim Bridgman, 6 Western Road, Zeal Monachorum, Crediton, Devon, EX17 6DQ, t: 07731 385531, e: $tim_sharon2002@btinternet.com$ (b) Okehampton CC Mid Devon 100

miles in 8/10 hours, CTC Devon. Start and contact: as above

(a) Tamar 100km, CTC Devon. Start: Saltash Services Car Park, 09.30, £2.00. Contact: Bryan Richardson, 89 Earlsmill Road, Plympton, Plymouth, Devon, PL7 2BX, t: 01752 330007

(a) Leicestershire Loop Hilly 100km, CTC Northamptonshire & Milton Keynes. Start: East Carlton Country Park, 09.30, £4.00. Contact: Max Scott, 7 Lancaster Road, Rothwell, Kettering, NN14 6DW, t: 01536 712507, e: maxscott@trivelo. freeserve.co.uk

(a) 40/40. Essex CTC committee. Start: Alma Pub, Copford Green, Colchester, 10.00, £3.00. Contact: Brian Penny, 70 Highmead, Rayleigh, Essex, t. 01268 777941

WEDNESDAY 10TH

(a) Mid Peak Grimpeur 108km BP AUK Peak Audax, Manchester and District CTC. Start: Marple near Stockport, 10.00, £5.00. Contact: Chris Keeling-Roberts, 17 Lower Strines Road, Marple, Cheshire, SK6 7DL, e: chris@PeakAudax.co.uk

SUNDAY 14TH

(b) Hilly (but scenic!) 80 miles in 11 hours, Huddersfield and District CTC. Start: Dewsbury Minster, 09.00. Contact: Peter Ralph, 51 Edge Avenue, Thornhill, Dewsbury, WF12 0EL, t: 01924 520801

WEDNESDAY 17TH

(a) White Peak Grimpeur 103km

BP AUK Peak Audax, Manchester and District CTC. Start: Marple, 10.00, £5.00. Contact: Mike Wigley, Higher Grange Farm, Millcroft Lane, Delph, Saddleworth, OL3 5UX, t: 01457 870421, e: mike@ PeakAudax.co.uk

(a) Boulters Bash 110km BP AUK, Willesden CC. Start: Jenners Cafe Maidenhead, 10.00, £3.00. Contact: Mick Hill, 5 Castle Farm, Windsor, SL4 4PT, t:

07763 765802, e: mickhill56@hotmail. co.uk

SATURDAY 20TH

BEGN Bicycle Belles Entry Level Rides for Women, Two Mills CTC. Start: Port Sunlight, Wirral Merseyrail Station, Greendale Rd, 10.00, home by lunchtime. Contact: Janet Gregory, 92c Downham Road South, Heswall, Wirral, CH60 5SO, t: 07954 333930, e: twomills@ ctcchesterandnwales.org.uk

SUNDAY 21ST

Avr Barr Circular 50 miles, CTC Ayrshire. Start: Blackburn Car Park Ayr, 10.00, £5.00. Contact: Nancy Law, 21 Anderson Drive, Darvel, KA17 ODE, e: nancy.law@careers-scotland.org.uk (b) Luton & Herts 150 km BP AUK,

CTC West London. Start: Scout Hall, Little Bushey Lane, Bushey Heath, 08.30. Contact: Simon Trott, 20 Hereford Gardens, Pinner, Middx, HA5 5JR, t: 020 8866 0404

(a) Tour of the Hills 115km BP AUK CTC West Surrey, Start: Shere Village Hall, 10.00, £6.50. Contact: Don Gray, Greenleas, Beech Lane, Normandy, Surrey, GU3 2JH, t: 01483 810028, e: tourofthe hills@ctcwestsurrev.org.uk

(a) Tour of the Greensan Hills 52km BP AUK, CTC West Surrey. Start: Shere Village Hall, 10.30, £4.00. Contact: Don Gray, as above

WEDNESDAY 24TH

(a) West Peak Grimpeur 103km BP AUK Peak Audax, Manchester and District CTC. Start: Marple, 10.00, £5.00. Contact: David Catlow, Friars Close, Rainow, Macclesfield, SK10 5UQ, e: catlow@PeakAudax.co.uk

(b) West London 3/4 150km BP AUK, Willesden CC, Start: Manor Farm Cafe Ruislip, 10.00, £3.50. Contact: John Richardson, 39 Bridgwater Road, Ruislip, HA4 0ED, e: rocco29@lineone.net

THURSDAY 25TH

Forty Plus CC Diamond Jubilee Ugley Ride 62 miles, Forty Plus CC. Start: Ugley Village Hall, Essex CM22 6HZ, 10.00-11.00, £4.00. Contact: Par Ryan, 36 Wetherfield, Stansted, CM24 8JB, t: 01279 812725, e: pat.ryan1@tiscali.co.uk

SATURDAY 27TH

(a) Rally 100km BP AUK/(c) Rally 200km BR AUK, CTC Suffolk. Start: Mildehall Cycling Rally, Mildenhall, 09.00/08.30, both £5.00 plus 2 x A5 SAEs 14 days in advance. Contact: Dennis Kell, 9 Pheasant Rise, Ipswich, IP8 3LF

SUNDAY 28TH

BEGN Four Kirks Charity Ride 23 miles, CTC Dumfries & Galloway. Start: Crossmichael Kirk Nr. Castle Douglas, 13.00, donations. Contact: Mike Gray, 28 Eastfield Road, Dumfries, t: 01387 270995, e: grayjohnmichael@aol.com **COMP Treasure Hunt, CTC South Kent.** Start: Shadoxhurst Village Hall, 09.00-10.00. Contact: Ian McCormick, t: 01580 761661

WEDNESDAY 31ST

(a) Staffs Peak Super Grimpeur 110km BP AUK Peak Audax, Manchester and District CTC. Start: Marple, 10.00, £5.00. Contact: Gerry Goldsmith, The Orchard, Swallow House Lane, Havfield, High Peak, SK22 2HB, e: gerry@PeakAudax.co.uk

SEPTEMBER

SATURDAY 3RD

BEGN Ladies ride Prestwick to Hayes Garden Centre 15 miles, CTC Ayrshire. Start: Prestwick Railway Station, 11.00, free. Contact: Judy Roxburgh, 34 Newdykes Road, Prestwick, KA9 2LA (c) Dark & White Peak Grimpeur 220km BR AUK Peak Audax.

Manchester and District CTC. Start: Bradwell Hope, 08.00, £5.00. Contact: Danial Webb, 17 Woodhouse Mill, Woodhouse Road, Todmorden, OL14 5LF, e: audax@danialwebb.com

SUNDAY 4TH

(a) Northern Dales 110km BP AUK/ (c) 202km BR AUK. CTC Lancaster & South Lakes, Start: Arnside Youth Hostel, 09.00/08.00, £3.00/£3.00. Contact: Mike Hutchinson, Heatherdene, 9 Whinfell Drive, Lancaster, LA1 4NY, t: 01524 36061. e: mikehutchinson@fastmail.fm

(a) New Forest Autumn Challenge **50km BP AUK, CTC Wessex. Start:** Lymington, 10.30, £5. Contact: John Ward, 34 Avenue Road, Lymington, Hants, S041 9GJ, t: 01590 671205, e: johnontrike@ vahoo.co.uk

(a) New Forest and Coast 100km BP AUK, CTC Wessex. Start: Lymington, 10.00, £6.00. Contact: John Ward, as above. (b) New Forest and Isle of Wight Century 150km BP AUK, CTC Wessex. Start: Lymington, 07.45, £6.00. Contact: John Ward, as above

(c) New Forest On and Off Shore 200km BR AUK, CTC Wessex. Start: Lymington, 07.45, £16.00. Contact: John Ward, as above

(e) Beard Cup Hill Climb 1 mile, Manchester and District CTC. Start: Stanedge Old Road, Diggle, Greater Manchester, £1.00. Contact: Ian Ross, 26 Brook Road, Lymm, Cheshire, WA13 9AH, t: 01925 755080, e: ianrossinlymm@ aol.com

(a) Malton 50 miles/(b) Malton 80 miles. North Yorkshire CTC, Start: Malton Station, 10.00/10.00. Contact: Jim Buddo, 43b Main Street, Seamer, Scarborough. Y012 4PS, t: 01723 863103

(a) 80 not out ride 80km, Nuneaton CTC Cycling Club, Start: Ambleside Club Ambleside Way Nuneaton, TBA, TBA. Contact: Carole Pearce, 6 Chequer Street, Bulkington, CV12 9NA, t: 02476 319375

SATURDAY 10TH

(e) Pace-judging & Freewheeling **Competition, CTC** North Hampshire. Start: between Upton Grey & S.Wanboruogh n. of Alton. 14.00. £1.00. Contact: Dan Montgomerie, 23 Tower Street, Alton, Hampshire, GU34 1NX, t: 01420 80783, e: danjan023@yahoo.co.uk

(a) Alan Furley's Down the Ups 100km BP AUK/(c) 200km BR AUK, Reading CTC. Start: Beech Hill, 09.00/08.00, £5.00/£6.00. Contact: Allan Adams, 205 Hyde End Road, Reading, RG7 1BU

SOCL Gower Cycling Festival 10th-17th September, Wheelrights. Start: Gower Peninsula, South Wales, 18 rides for all abilities. Contact: David Navlor. t: 01792 233755, e: davidjohnnaylor@ tiscali.co.uk

SUNDAY 11TH

SOCL Presidents Ride. CTC

Leicestershire & Rutland. Start: Morrisons car park, Maxwell Drive, Loughborough, 10.00. Contact: Ray Clay, 109 Holywell Drive, Loughborough, Leics, LE11 3JX, t: 01509 261068, e: ray.j.clay@googlemail. com

(a) Rockingham/Rutland 100km BP AUK, CTC Northamptonshire & Milton Kevnes, Start: Joan Strong Centre. off East Road, Oundle, 09.30, £4.00. Contact: Richard Daniells, 6 Matson Close, Rothwell, Kettering, NN14 6H, e: maxscott@trivelo.freeserve.co.uk

(f) Dorset Dirt 50km Off Road, CTC Wessex. Start: Dorchester, 10.00. Contact: Ken Reed, 66 Old Castle Road, Weymouth, DT4 8QE, e: anneandken@ neale.net

SOCL CH & NW Annual Lunch Incorporating the Presidents Ride,

Chester & North Wales CTC. Start: TBD. Contact: Mike Cross, 56 Rock Farm Drive, Little Neston, Wirral, CH64 4DZ, t: 0151 336 5238

(f) Rough Stuff Ride. Essex CTC committee. Start: Mill Green opp. Cricketers, Fryerning, Ingatestone, 10.00, £3.00. Contact: Brian Taylor, 45 Fairfield Rise, Billericay, Essex, CM12 9NP, t: 01277 657867

London Sightseer 100km BP AUK,

Hounslow & District Wheelers. Start: 225 High Street, Hampton Hill, TW12 1NP, 09.30, £4.50 in advance, £5.50 at start, Contact: Bill Carnaby, 225 High Street, Hampton Hill. TW12 1NP. t: 020 8287 3244, e: billcarnaby@blueyonder.co.uk (a) The 1...100km BP AUK/(c) The 3 Loops 200km BR AUK Peak Audax.

Macclesfield Whs. Start: Broken Cross Macclesfield, 09.00/08.00, £7.00/£7.00. Contact: John Perrin, 20 Princes Way, Macclesfield, SK11 8UB, t: 01625 614830, e: perrin_john@sky.com

(a) Invicta 100km BP AUK. West Kent CTC. Start: Tonbridge Scouts HQ, 09.00, £5.00. Contact: Rob Seall, 1 Bell Cottages, Golden Green, Tonbridge, Kent, TN11 OBB, t: 01732 850664, e: rseall@gmail.com

TUESDAY 13TH

Forty Plus CC Diamond Jubilee 60 mile ride Sussex Weald, Forty Plus CC. Start: 2 Starts, nr Horsham or Cuckfield, 09.15-10.15 or 11.00-11.45, free. Contact: Derek Hanson, 7 Barnwood, Crawley, RH10 7TH, t: 01293 535569, e: derekshanson@btinternet.com

WEDNESDAY 14TH

(a) West London 4/4 100km BP AUK, Willesden CC. Start: Denham Country Park, 10.00, £3.50, Contact: John Richardson, 39 Bridgwater Road, Ruislip, HA4 0ED, e: rocco29@lineone.net

FRIDAY 16TH

SOCL Kirkpatrick Macmillian Rally 16th-19th Sept, CTC Dumfries & Galloway. Start: Barnsoul Nr. Dumfries, 13.00, Please send for booking form. Contact: Mike Gray, 28 Eastfield Road, Dumfries, t: 01387 270995, e: grayjohnmichael@aol.com

SATURDAY 17TH

(c) Wiltshire White Horses 200km BR AUK, Corinium CC. Start: Down Ampney nr. Cirencester, 08.00, £6.00. Contact: Andrew Tolman, 36 Michael Pyms Road, Malmesbury, SN16 9TY, t: 01666 829639, e: fern@funkia.wanadoo.co.uk

BEGN Bicycle Belles Entry Level Rides for Women Two Mills CTC. Start:

Port Sunlight Wirral Merseyrail Station Greendale Rd, 10.00, home by lunchtime. Contact: Janet Gregory, 92c Downham Road South, Heswall, Wirral, CH60 5SQ, t: 07954 333930, e: twomills@ ctcchesterandnwales.org.uk

SUNDAY 18TH

(b) 100 miles in 8/10 hours, CTC Devon. Start: Kingskerswell Arch, 09.00, £3.00. Contact: Chris Bennett, 19 Orbit Avenue, Kingsteignton, Devon, TQ12 3ED, e: t_chris_bennett@hotmail.com

COMP Freewheeling Competition/Pace Judging Competition, CTC West Surrey. Start: Seale Craft Centre, 10.45, free. Contact: Dane Maslen, 69 Arnold Road, Woking, GU21 5JX, t: 01483 721856, e: secretary@ctcwestsurrey.org.uk (a) Audax Ride 60km BP AUK/(b)

138km BR AUK/(c) 205km BR AUK, Chester & North Wales CTC. Start: Old Ma's Coffee Shop, TBD. Contact: David Matthews, Hill View Cottage, The Green, Oscroft, Chester, CH3 8NG, e: dmanu@ fsmail.net

(e) Cecil Cooke Memorial Event, Hertfordshire CTC. Start: Costello's Cafe Fairlands Valley Park Stevenage SG2 OBL Contact: Robert Corbett, 7 Cromwell Road, Stevenage, Herts, SG2 9HT, t: 01438 237437, e: robert.corbett@ntlworld.

(a) Short Ride 30 miles/ (e) Freewheeling Competition,

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Huddersfield and District CTC. Start: Meltham, 09.00. Contact: John Radford, 11 Westfield Avenue, Meltham, Holmfrith, HD9 5PY, t: 01484 851480

(a) Eric Brumhead Memorial Rides 75 miles Challenging/(a) 50 miles Reliability/(a) 35 miles Easy, Hull and East Riding CTC. Start: Hull Sports Centre Chanterlands Ave. Hull, all from 09.00. all £4.00 inc. buffet. Note: No E.O.L

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

CTC national events in 2011

More information is available at www.ctc.org.uk/events or by phoning CTC National Office.

CTC Challenge Ride series

Where & when: Sheffield/Phil Liggett Ride (7th August), Worcester (16th Oct). Contact: CTC National Office 0844 736 8450, ctcchallengerides.co.uk

29th July-6th August: New Forest **Cycling Week**

Where: New Forest. Contact: davin_ palmer@hotmail.com

14th-20th August: CTC Birthday Rides Where: Framlingham College, Suffolk. Contact 0844 736 845, br@ctc.org.uk. NB. Now sold out.

SERIES/YEAR-LONG EVENTS

March-October: CTC Tourists' Trophy Location: 400+ events nationally.

Organiser: Bob Kynaston, 0208 950 2082, www.ctc-competitions.org.uk. Qualify for the Season Long competition by mixing 10 events from events covering all aspects of riding from 50km to overnight rides of 600km. A variety of fun events are also included, as are off-road routes.

March-October: CTC Mille Miglia

Location: Nationwide. Organiser: Bob Kynaston, 0208 950 2082,www.ctccompetitions.org.uk. Engraved Gold, Silver and Bronze medallions for completing 3000, 2000, 1000km in CTC Tourists' Trophy events.

All year: British Cycle Quest

Location: 402 locations nationwide. Organiser: Mark Waters (01483 238305), www.ctc-competitions.org.uk. Devise your own routes between predefined locations to answer 402 questions across the UK. Awards available for visiting 50, 100, 200, 300 and 402 sites.

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(entries close 11th Sept). Contact: Sheila Sampson, 19 Forbes Avenue, Hull, HU6 7AJ, t: 01482 857774, e: sheilaannsam@ vahooo.co.uk

SATURDAY 24TH

(a) Beast of Bolsover 108km BP AUK

Peak Audax, Manchester and District CTC. Start: Bolsover, 09.00, £5.00. Contact: Matt Connley, 7 Eskdale Close, Bolsover, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, S44 6RL, e: Matt. connley@talktalk.net

SUNDAY 25TH

(f) Rough Stuff Ride 25 miles,

Huddersfield and District CTC. Start: Grange Moor, 10.00. Contact: Denise Evans, 27 Doubting Road, Thornhill, Dewsbury, WF12 0EU, t: 01924 520801

OCTOBER

SATURDAY 1ST

(a) Tasty Cheddar 100km BP AUK. CTC West group. Start: Bristol Create Centre, 09.00, £4.00. Contact: Joe Prosser, 8 Portland Court, Cumberland Close, Bristol, BS1 6XB, t: 07971 036933, e: joe. prosser@blueyonder.co.uk

(e) Llysfasi Hill Climb Competition,

Chester & North Wales CTC. Start: Llysfsai College Nr Ruthin, 11.30. Contact: Lowri Evans, 86 Bro Deg, Ruthin, Denbighshire, LL15 1XY, t: 01824 705709

(e) Freewheeling Competition, Chester & North Wales CTC, Start: as above. Contact: Lowri Evans, as above.

(c) Venetian Nights 210km BR AUK

Peak Audax, Macclesfield Whs.. Start: Macclesfield, 08.00, £7.00. Contact: John Perrin, 20 Princes Way, Macclesfield, SK11 8UB, e: perrin_john@sky.com

SUNDAY 2ND

(e) Freewheeling / Hillclimb, CTC

Devon. Start: South Brent Old Station Car Park, 09.00, £3.00. Contact: Bill Barnes, 70 Cleeve Drive, Ivybridge, PL21 9BP, t; 01752 896111, e: bill@bbarnes.fsnet.co.uk

(e) Tourist Trial, CTC Northamptonshire & Milton Keynes. Start: TBA, 09.30, £5.00. Contact: Max Scott, 7 Lancaster Road, Rothwell, Kettering, NN14 6DW, t: 01536 712507, e: maxscott@trivelo.freeserve. co.uk

(a) Late Season 50 miles, CTC South Hampshire. Start: The Square Bishops Waltham Hampshire, 09.30, £3.00. Contact: Sue Coles, 7 Ruffield Close, Winchester, Hants, S022 5JL t: 01962 864479, e: events@southhampshirectc. org.uk

(f) Stour Valley Off Road, CTC South Kent. Start: Wye Church, 10.00, £5.00. Contact: Roger Burchett, Haytor, Stone Street, Lympne, Hythe, CT21 4JY, t: 01303 267969

(a) Season of Mists 100km BP AUK,

CTC West Yorkshire. Start: Hebden Bridge, 09.00, £4.00. Contact: Chris Crossland, 14 Stanley Street West, Sowerby Bridge, HX6 1EF. t; 01422 832853, e; chris. crossland@halifaxctc.org.uk

(a) Mellow Fruitfulness 50km BP AUK,

CTC West Yorkshire. Start: Hebden Bridge, 10.00, £3.50. Contact: Chris Crossland, as above

(a) 33rd Anniversay Ride 33 miles,

Nuneaton CTC Cycling Club. Start: Ambleside Club Ambleside Way Nuneaton CV11 6AJ, 09.30, £8.00. Contact: Anne Taylor, e: krisantay@ btinternet.com

(a) Wesley May Memorial Super Grimpeur 100km BP AUK, Swansea & West Wales CTC. Start: Bynea Llanelli, 08.00, £5.00. Contact: David Harris, 11 Yspitty Road, Bynea, Llanelli, Carms, SA14 9TD, t: 01554 751085, e: davidharris831@ btinternet

WEDNESDAY 5TH

(a) West London 5/4 100km BP AUK.

Willesden CC. Start: Manor Farm Cafe Ruislip, 10.00, £3.50. Contact: John Richardson, 39 Bridgwater Road, Ruislip. HA4 0ED, e: rocco29@lineone.net

RIZE DRAW

As an introductory touring bike, the Dawes Vantage ticks all the right boxes. We reviewed one in the April-May 2011 issue of Cycle and found it offered the versatility you expect from a

tourer at a budget price. Tourers are not just for touring, Chris Juden wrote. 'They're also ideal for commuting and shopping. wherever you want a bike that's efficient and easy to ride, that won't make you wet and dirty, that can take a bit of rough with the smooth and the load off your back. The Vantage will do all of that."

The 24-speed transmission belies its budget. 'Shimano's entrylevel shifting equipment gives pause to wonder why anyone pays more,' wrote Chris. 'Indexing was flawless rear and front.' The aluminium frame and cromoly



while the wheels are 'built tight enough to last a couple of tours or a year of commuting' without further attention. Even the tyres are good: 32mm Schwalbe Marathons. Chris said he found the Vantage 'reasonably quick, sure footed and comfortable'.

The Vantage is Dawes's entrylevel bike in a range of ten tourers. Dawes also produces audax and sportive bikes, plus bikes for children (see this issue), for town use, mountain biking, and more. For further details, visit

www.dawescycles.com

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CTC PRIZE DRAW RULES

- 2. Entries must be received by 31 August 2011.
- 3. The draw will be made on 7 September 2011.
- 4. The winners will be notified by email or telephone and may be required to take part in publicity. 5. There is one prize, as described, donated by Dawes Cycles. There is no cash alternative.
- 6. Employees of CTC, James Pembroke Publishing, Dawes Cycles, and their agents cannot enter.
- 7. Entry coupons will become property of Dawes Cycles after the draw, unless indicated otherwise on the coupon.

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