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CHRISTMAS GIFT IDEAS

Need some cycling-related gifts for the festive season? Editor Dan Joyce presents a Christmas assortment

1. GLITTERY SANTA ON A BICYCLE £5.95
   It’s Santa on a bike again, this time as a sparkly glass bauble for your tree. cyclemiles.co.uk

2. THE YEAR £20
   With Steve Abraham and Kurt Searvogel both attempting to cycle the most miles in a year, this is a timely and fascinating insight into cycling’s ultimate endurance record. v-publishing.co.uk

3. GENESIS CARIBOU JNR £449.99
   At 11.3kg, this 20×2.5in-tyred bike is lighter than a suspension bike at the price, and it’s simpler, sturdier, and arguably more fun – especially if mum or dad rides a fat bike. genesisbikes.co.uk

4. SURLY JETHRO TULE £19.99
   Pocket-sized keyring spanner for 15mm axle nuts. Designed to be trodden on for leverage. Also a bottle opener! ison-distribution.com

5. POWERMONKEY DISCOVERY £40
   Portable USB-charging on tour for your phone/GPS/camera/lights, courtesy of a compact 107g rechargeable battery. powertraveller.com

6. CTC GIFT MEMBERSHIP FROM £21.50
   A gift that gives all year. The recipient gets £10m third-party insurance, six issues of Cycle, and much more – including a Cube bobble hat worth £24.99, subject to availability. ctc.org.uk/gift

7. TARGETVELO ESPRESSO DERAILEUR £18.75
   Leave no one at home or work in any doubt of whose coffee cup this is. Different designs and mug sizes also available. targetvelo.com

8. ENDURA BAABAA GIFT PACK £34.99
   Practical winter warmers for her or him. Comprises socks, a ‘multitube’, and a skullcap, all made from Merino wool. endura.co.uk

MINCE PIE RIDES. Contact your CTC member group (p78) to see if they run any Christmas-related social rides.