



Welwyn Wheelers Youth Omnium

Saturday 27th April 2019 – 12 noon

National Youth Omnium Series

Group 5 Boys - Round 2

**Gosling Sports Park, Stanborough Road,
Welwyn Garden City, Herts AL8 6XE**

Welcome to the Welwyn Wheelers Cycling Club, Youth Omnium

This event, along with Lee Valley and Herne Hill, count towards qualification for the National Youth Omnium Championship Final to be held on 21st July in Manchester. The top 4 overall A and B riders from all the national regions qualify to compete in the National Final.

We must express a huge **THANK YOU** to everyone who helps to make this event happen. Without their dedicated help and support putting on this event would not be possible.

Officials

BC Chief Commissaire	Daniel Tzabar,
BC Assistant Commissaire	Chris Bodell, Gisela Bradbury
Organiser	Susi Sharples
Camera	Jo Bennett, Archie Peet
Time Keepers	Station 2 Gavin Atkins, S4 Chris Murphy, S6 Andy Evans, S8 Francis Gallacher
TT Holders	Station 2 Graeme Anderson, S4 Richard Maynard S6 Neil Hardy S8 Dave Keily
TT Announcer	Peter Waghorn
TT Starter	Mark Woodliffe
Judges	Bob Parry, Andy Evans
Elimination Race Caller	Finish Line Andy Evans, S3 Francis Gallacher
Keirin/Sprints Holders	Chris Murphy, Dave Kiely, Graeme Anderson, Mark Woodliffe, Scott Storti, Neil Hardy Francis Gallacher, Richard Maynard,
Derny	Gavin Atkins & Annalise Peet, Peter Waghorn
Sign On	Lorraine Atkins
Returning Licences	John McClland, Jeremy Peet
Results	Pair 1 Francis Gallacher, John Cavill
Gear Check	Pair 2 Richard Maynard, Mark Woodliffe
PA	Alex Anderson
Runner	Henry Peet
First Aid	Faye Bennett & Scott Storti
Refreshments	Welwyn Wheelers Club Members
Gate	Welwyn Wheelers Club Members

Order of Events

First race will start at 12 noon

1. C Boys Time Trial (1 lap)
 2. C Girls Time Trial (1 lap)
 3. B Boys Time Trial (2 lap)
 4. A Boys Time Trial (2 lap)
 5. C Boys and Girls Elimination (1 out per lap until 2 remain)
 6. B Boys Elimination (1 out per lap until 2 remain)
 7. A Boys Elimination (2 out per lap until 8 remain, then 1 out per lap until 2 remain)
 8. C Boys & Girls Scratch (6 laps)
 9. B Boys Scratch (10 laps)
 10. A Boys Scratch (16 laps)
- Break – 20 minutes**
11. C Boys 500m Sprint
 12. C Girls 500m Sprint
 13. B Boys 1500m Keirin (6 per group)
 14. A Boys 1500m Keirin (6 per group)
 15. C Boys & Girls Points (12 laps, points 5,3,2,1 every other lap)
 16. B Boys Points (18 laps, points 5,3,2,1 every 3 laps)
 17. A Boys Points (24 laps, points 5,3,2,1 every 4 laps)

Prize presentations to be held at the end of the day.

Prizes

Youth A Boys

1st £30 2nd £25 3rd £20

Youth B Boys

1st £25 2nd £20 3rd £15

Youth C Boys 1st, 2nd

Youth C Girls 1st,

} Prizes kindly provided by Hatfield Cycles

Important Points

Pre-race

- Gears must be checked before signing on. Your licence and bike will be marked as checked by the gear checkers, so please have your licence available at gear check.
- Gear checking will be outside the track perimeter entrance gate from 10.30am to 11.30am. Please queue on the approach road, not in the entrance gate.
- BC National Youth Track Omnium Series regulations and BC general regulations will be adhered to including gear, handlebar and wheel restrictions. It is the rider's responsibility to ensure that their bike conforms to the regulations.
- **Signing on is from 10.30am – 11.30am**
- Licences will be checked and kept at sign on and can be collected at the end of the day.
- The rider number must be pinned on the rider's left hand lower back, such that it is visible from above left and the correct way up when riding on the drops. Long hair must not obstruct the number. If a number cannot be read then the rider will not be placed in the results.
- Pre-race warm up sessions will be announced over the tannoy. Please listen carefully. Due to the large number of entrants only a short orientation warm up will be available with specific times per category: Steady riding above the blue, efforts below.
 - I. **11.00 – 11.15am** Youth C Boys & Girls, Youth B Boys
 - II. **11.15 - 11.30am** Youth A Boys
- Always join and leave the track on the back straight, never on the home straight curves.
- **The Commissaire will hold pre-race rider's briefings at 11.35am**

Racing

- TT start positions will be available from the signing on desk and shown on the results board before the start of the event.
- At the start of the TT you will be held upright by a holder provided by the organiser. You may not provide your own holder.
- No push will be given by the holder at the start of the TT.
- Numbers and bike check markers will be verified at the start of your TT.
- For all bunch races, riders must assemble in the steeplechase D area at the start of the finish straight before the end of the race preceding their race. If you are based outside the track centre this will mean crossing the track before the start of the race prior to yours as crossing the track during a race is not permitted.
- For the sprint races the holders will be permitted to provide a push start if requested, but the pusher may not cross the start line.
- In the Elimination race, the eliminated rider number(s) will be called audibly at the start line, over the tannoy and on the back straight. If your number is called, please drop out of the pack and off the track quickly and safely.
- The top 3 in each race are likely to be called to the gear check area near the finish line immediately after finishing. Random checks may also be called for so please listen out for your number.
- **No one is allowed to cross the track while a race is in progress.** Crossing the track is only permitted between races and under the control of the gate marshal. Beware of stragglers at the end of a race. **Anyone crossing during a race will be eliminated from the event.**

- There will be a 20 minute break for judges during the programme.
- Keirin and sprint event groups will be displayed on the results board before the end of the break and will be decided by the event standings after the scratch races.
- The race timetable may be altered on the day to prioritise the completion of the A and B events.

Safety

- For your own safety, all riders and helpers are asked to stay behind the barriers/hurdles while races are in progress.
- Riders may set up rollers etc. either down on the running track behind the hurdles or in the stand area, but make sure you are ready on the running track when your event is due to start. Please do not climb over the barriers.
- Do not park on the access road leading to the track entrance gate. This must be kept clear in case emergency vehicle access is required. Racing cannot take place if this road is not clear. The area next to the gate is for gear checking and event organisers only.

Results

- As soon as they are available, results will be posted on the results boards, one near the sign on area outside the track and one on the grass infield. Please do not harass the helpers who are posting the results. They will post results as soon as they are available.

PARKING - Gosling Sports Park, Stanborough Road, Welwyn Garden City, Herts AL8 6XE

- **Parking charges.**
Gosling Sports Park operate parking fees via a number plate recognition system. The first three hours are free, but thereafter a fee of £2 per additional hour applies, where vehicle details must be registered on departure with payment. Failure to register and pay will result in a fine.

For those using the car park up to three hours, no registration is necessary.

0-3 hours FREE

3 to 4 hours £2

4 to 6 hours £4

6 – 24 hours £6

Free parking is available for Blue badge holders

- **The parking meters will only accept cashless payments via debit and credit cards, or via contactless cards. There is no option to pay with cash.**