



Newsletter – October 2015

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FORTHCOMING

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All Criterium Races start at 8.00am & Road at 8.30am – Note we will be running one road race a month during the summer season.

23-25th October – AVCC National Championships, Adelaide. Registrations at:
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1 November – Graded Criteriums, Wangara.

15 November – Graded Criteriums, Kewdale.

22 Nov. – Graded Criteriums, Rockingham

29 November – Graded Criteriums, Kewdale.

6 December – Graded Criteriums, Wangara.

13 Dec. – Graded Road Races – Herne Hill

20 Dec. – Graded Criteriums Rockingham

RACE RESULTS

23 August – Graded Scratch – Chidlow ‘B’

A good turnout of 87 riders on a day that saw temperatures of under 10 degrees at the start of the race. Fortunately things warmed up as the day went on, as did the pace of the various groups on the road.

The fate of ‘A’ grade was determined on the first of the group’s five circuits when Sam Smith, John Gregg and Chris Glasby opened up a gap of 30 seconds on the peleton. The following lap they had gained

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another 5 seconds on a small chasing group and one minute over the main bunch. On lap three, the chasers combined with others but despite the increase in numbers, the leading trio had increased their lead to 1min 50secs. At the bell they were 3m 50secs ahead.

Sorry folks – lost the rest of the reports because of a computer glitch – but results are below:

‘A’ Grade 5laps, 89km

1. **2hr 17m 08secs** – Sam Smith;
2. Jon Gregg;
at 8secs
3. Chris Glasby;
at 5m 8secs
4. Kim Halliday;
at 5m 45secs
5. Michael Tapscott; 6. Scott Sanders;
7. Tom O’Neill; 8. Chris Roberts;
9. Wayne Thomson; 10. Anthony Collis;
11. Richard Quinlan; 12. Matthew Swan;
13. Paul Hearne; 14. Andrew Simpson;
15. Colin Rose; 16. Andrew Kirkham;
at 5m 49secs
17. Ian Gregory;
at 5m 55secs
18. Gary Wright;
at 5m 57secs
19. Jeff Kriel; 20. Dave Dyson;
at 1m 44secs
21. Steve Ryan;
at 2m 16secs
22. Jarrod Bell;

at 5m 02secs

23. Craig Guy; 24. Michael Morton;

25. Paul Shields;

at 5m 06secs

26. Stephen Milford;

at 6m 9secs

27. James Somers;

at 6m 30secs

28. Tim James; 29. Richard Barville;

at 7m 12secs

30. Peter Neuzerling;

at 7m 15secs

31. Carl Morrone; 32. Luke Austin.

Time: 2h 17m 06secs; Average 27m 25secs
per lap. 38.9kph.

'B' grade, 4 laps, 71km

1. **1hr 55m 12secs** – James Dunphy;

at 3secs

2. Paul Burke; 3. Ian Turner;

at 28secs

4. Elliott Carson; 5. Gavin Wark;

6. Chris Brown; 7. Wal Crowley;

8. Warren Land; 9. Paul Lamond;

10. John Healy; 11. Mark Welford;

12. Andrew Candy; 13. Bruce Matthews;

14. Neil Roscoe; 15. Merv Byfield;

at 35secs

16. Justin Schulz;

at 1m 36secs

17. Ray Lawrie;

at 1m 41secs

18. Antony Bourn; 19. Damon Angelatos;

20. Dave Dyson;

at 1m 44secs

21. Steve Ryan;

at 2m 16secs

22. Jarrod Bell;

at 5m 2secs

23. Craig Guy; 24. Michael Morton;

25. Paul Shields;

at 5m 6secs

26. Stephen Milford;

at 6m 9secs

27. James Somers;

at 6m 30secs

28. James Somers; 29. Richard Barville;

at 7m 12secs

30. Peter Neuzerling;

at 7m 15secs

31. Carl Morrone; 32. Luke Austin.

Time: 1h 55m 12secs; Average 28m 45secs
per lap. 37.1kph.

'C' grade, 3laps, 53km

1. **1h 36m 25secs** – Nick Vroomans

2. Alistair Lang; 3. John Liso;

4. Andrew Foggin;

at 2secs

5. Keith Hickey; 6. Garry Horsfield;

at 6secs

7. Kevin Dolman; 8. Ross Pittorini;

at 1m 4secs

9. Annie Bramley; 10. Emma Molloy;

11. Trevor Quick;

at 3m 27secs

12. Brett Clapham;

at 5m 2secs

13. Bruce Abbott'

Time: 1h 36m 25secs; Average 32m 10secs
per lap; 33.2kph.

'D' grade, 3 laps. 53km

1. **1hr 41m 19s** – Brian Cotter;

at 1m 3secs

2. Kylie Anticich;

at 1m 21secs

3. Paul Greeney; 4. Jon Dooner;

5. Dave Walker; 6. Hisayo Thornton;

7. Allan McDonald;

at 11m 4secs

8. Fiona Vecsoli-Finnigan;

Time: 1h 41m 19secs; Average 33m 40secs
per lap. 31.6kph.

'E' grade, 3 laps. 53km

1. Derek Mayall.

30 August – *Gr. Scratch – Dog Hill.*

Another day that defied the predictions of the forecasters, and despite a few threatening black clouds there wasn't one drop that fell on the gathered 94 riders. Largest group of the day was 'B' grade with 28 riders, 'A' had one less, 'C' grade 24 and 'D' grade 13 – though that div was expanded by two when a much reduced 'E' grade started with Denis Robinson and Derek Mayall as the only representatives in their midst. Derek, the oldest rider on the day at over 80 years of age, surprised the gathered throngs by finishing alongside the massed 'D' grade bunch. There were no heroics witnessed at the line but the sprint was taken by Eddy Pope, with Kylie Anticich again recording a 2nd placing, and with Jon Dooner in 3rd. Paul Greeney was 4th, followed by Roberta

Richardson and Fiona Vescoli-Finnigan. One exciting incident, unobserved by the writer, occurred with two laps to go when the bunch was held up for a short time by a flock of sheep – thought I was back in Wales again!

‘C’ grade also stayed together for the duration of the race and 23 riders finished in the same time. Only rider to miss out was Rod Atkinson who suffered a puncture halfway through the race. In a keenly contested sprint the laurels went to Greg Smith, who beat Ian Lee by just over a length, with the hard-working Brett Clapham finishing 3rd. Omar De Pellegrin celebrated a long break from the club when finishing in 4th place, while Jarrad Finnigan, Nick Vroomans and John Liso were closely behind.

The ‘B’ graders kept exactly to the written schedule when finishing 2 seconds in front of 1hr 57mins to average 16m 45secs per lap. There were a few valiant breaks that looked promising, all featuring Paul Lamond, who at the bell still held a 15second lead over the bunch. However, that wasn’t enough to allow him to keep away. His first break was on the first lap when he and Antony Bourn opened up a gap of about 100 metres. At the end of the 2nd lap, Paul was 20 seconds ahead, this time in the company of Ian Turner, while on the penultimate and final lap it was Paul alone who was in the lead. Nineteen riders contested the finish, with the final 200metres seeing a bit of barging, but fortunately all stayed upright. Carl Morrone was 1st across the line, Jason Hapeta 2nd, followed closely by Mark Anastasas, Merv Byfield Anthony Mateljan, Justin Schutz, and in 7th place, Tim Mollison who returned to the field after a break of a few weeks.

‘A’ grade would have been on the timekeeper’s schedule had it not been for a first lap that was a minute slower than all other of the 7 laps. The format for the race took the now predictable pattern of small group attacks until a few riders opened up a small gap, followed by a couple of chasers who combined to form a hard working block of riders who had the strength to stay away. The first combination of 5 riders went away with a lead of about 250metres with 4 laps to go, and when joined by two other riders they had opened up a gap of 45 seconds at the end

of the next lap. The valiant eight saw the gap reduced to 30 seconds with 2 laps to go, but they had again stretched out their lead as they crossed the line for the bell. At the end of the race their winning margin was 27 seconds, and it was no surprise to see John Gregg take the sprint from Norm Shattock, Wayne Thomson, Luke Pledger, Matthew Upton, Chris Glasby and Chris Roberts. All found themselves being presented with envelopes by the President, with the only member of that break, Ian Lyne who finished 8th, going home with empty pockets. C’est la vie! Wayde Keyser celebrated his comeback to the club’s races by leading in the chasing bunch just ahead of Andrew Brierley and Scott Sanders.

‘A’ Grade 7 laps, 75km

1. 1hr 49m 29secs - Jon Gregg;
2. Norm Shattock; 3. Wayne Thomson;
4. Luke Pledger; 5. Matt Upton;
6. Chris Glasby; 7. Chris Roberts;
8. Ian Lyne;

at 27secs

9. Wayde Keyser; 10. Andrew Brierley;
11. Scott Sanders; 12. Magnus Rudisele;
13. Chris Gaskell; 14. Simon Bell;
15. Chris Singleton; 16. Lee Parker;
17. Paul Burke; 18. Michael Tapscott;
19. Ian Mackey; 20. Matthew Swan;
21. Craig James; 22. Colin Rose;

at 34secs

23. Mark Hoyer;

at 43secs

24. Patrick Hayburn;

at 47secs

25. Gary Wright; 26. Carlo Barendilla;

at 11m 58secs

27. Michael Bowles.

Time: 1h 49m 29secs; Average 16m 45secs per lap. 41.0kph.

‘B’ grade, 7 laps, 75km

1. **1hr 56m 58secs** - Carl Morrone;
2. Jason Hapeta; 3. Mark Anastasas;
4. Merv Byfield; 5. Anthony Mateljan;
6. Justin Schulz; 7. Tim Mollison;
8. Julian Chipper; 9. Neil Roscoe;
10. Ian Turner; 11. Jaimie Bell;
12. Melissa Robinson; 13. Amanda Nabi;
14. Stephen Milford; 15. Cassia Higgs;
16. Craig Guy; 17. Steff Van Amerongen;

18. Paul Shields; 19. Scott Ayles;
at 10secs
20 John Healy; 21. Lorna Henson;
22. Bruce Matthews;
at 17secs
23. Paul Lamond;
at 20secs
24. Norman McLeod;
at 22 secs
25. Luke Austin;
at 25secs
26. Antony Bourn.
*Time: 1h 56m 58secs; Average 15m 45secs
per lap. 38.4kph.*

'C' grade, 6laps, 64km

1. **1h 44m 57secs** – Greg Smith;
2. Ian Lee; 3. Brett Clapham;
4. Omar de Pellegrin; 5. Jarred Finnigan;
6. Nick Vroomans; 7. Kevin Dolman;
8. John Liso; 9. Ian Cope; 10. Mick Russell;
11. Mark Castle; 12. Bruce Abbott;
13. Andrew Yeates; 14. Garry Horsfield;
15. Juliana Austin-Olsen; 16. Margot Biggs;
17. Ross Pittorini; 18. David Saxey;
19. John O'Boyle; 20. Nick Cowie;
21. Darren Lee; 22. David Ferran;
23. Luke McElhinney.
*Time: 1h 44m 57secs; Average 17m 30secs
per lap. 36.7kph.*

'D' grade, 5 laps. 54km

1. 1hr 33m 23s - Eddy Pope;
2. Kylie Anticich; 3. Jon Dooner;
4. Paul Greeney; 5. Roberta Richardson;
6. Fiona Vecsoli-Finnigan;
7. Russell Brooke;
at 9secs
8. Clinton Hort;
at 15secs
9. Brian Buck; 10. Allan McDonald;
11. Jill Pope;
at 18secs
12. Wayne Gordon;
at 42secs
13. Bill Stibbs.
*Time: 1h 33m 23secs; Average 18m 50secs
per lap. 34.4kph.*

'E' grade, 4 laps. 43km

1. 1h 14m 54secs – Derek Mayall;
2. Denis Robinson.

*Time: 1h 14m 54secs; Average 18m 45secs
per lap. 34.3kph.*

13 September – Age Div. Championships, Mt Helena

A chilly start to the morning but it didn't take long for riders to warm up on the circuit's hills. Sixty-one nominations were received; almost half of the road championship figures in 2015, and it was a bit of a disappointment to note that only three ladies were present. The result saw a number of combined groups and five races, whereas with more riders, there could have been eight or nine.

Because of the mix of abilities in the groups, its policy not too comment on individual performances because of the argument that one medal winner is as worthy as another. So for this event, just the results associated with the medal winners and positions in age groups:

Women, 45-49 years – 60km 3 laps

Gold: Kylie Anticich.

Silver: Fiona Fiscoli-Finnigan.

Women 35-39 years 3 laps 60km

Gold: Hisayo Thornton.

80-84 years – 2 laps 40km

Gold: Derek Mayall.

75-79 years – 2 laps 40km

Gold: Denis Robinson.

70-74 years – 2 laps 40km

Gold: Richard Barville.

Silver: Bob Stephens.

Bronze: Gerry Allen.

65-69 years – 3 laps 60km

Gold: Michael Morton.

Silver: Bruce Abbott.

Bronze: Brian Buck.

60-64 years – 3 laps 60km

Gold: Wal Crowley.

Silver: Ian McFall.

Bronze: Nick Vroomans.

4. Allan McDonald.

55-59 years – 3 laps 60km

Gold: Merv Byfield.

Silver: Gary Wright.

50-54 years – 3 laps 60km

Gold: John O'Boyle.

Silver: Anthony Bourn.

Bronze: Paul Lamond.

4. Ian Turner; 5. Ian Lyne; 6. Simon Bell;
7. Andrew Candy; 8. Craig Beeching;
9. John Healy; 10. Garry Horsfield;
11. John Hanson.

45-49 years: 4 laps 80km

Gold: Sam Smith.

Silver: Wayne Thomson.

Bronze: Andrew Brierley.

4. Jerrard Ghossein; 5. Darin Dunstan;
6. Lee Parker; 7. Steven Tarr;
8. Andrew Kirkham; 9. John Liso;
10. Jamie Bell; 11. Kevin Dolman.

40-44-years – 4 laps 80km

Gold: Michael Tapscott.

Silver: John Gregg.

Bronze: Julian Chipper.

4. James Dunphy; 5. Jeffrey Kriel;
6. Justin Schulz.

35-39 years – 4 laps 80km

Gold: Luke Pledger.

Silver: Tom Ford.

Bronze: Andy Jarvis.

4. James Dunphy; 5. Jeffrey Kriel;
6. Justin Schultz

20 September – Graded Scratch Neerabup.

We had 99 starters who started with a strong chilly wind that blew folk up the finishing leg, but which must have caused some problems on other parts of the course. However, by the end of the racing coats were shed and the sun shone from a cloudless sky.

In the premier grade, there was action from the start with Shane Miller, our resident visiting Vic, and Nick Foster holding a 30 seconds lead at the end of lap one. They held on for another two laps before being absorbed by the peleton, though as they started lap four, Shane was once more found himself in the lead, this time in the company of Eddie Hollands and Matt Upton. They were either going very fast, or those behind were complacent, as the rest of the field were never to see them again until after the finish. By that time, Shane Miller had taken the event a length or so in front of Matt Upton, with Eddie Hollands freewheeling across the

line in 3rd place, almost 4 minutes in front of the next finisher. What's difficult to comprehend is why, following previous races, that Shane was given licence to open up a gap!

In the meanwhile the bunch had split into three groups, with the sprint for the first of these going to Chris Singleton who finished just ahead of Magnus Rudisele, while Doug Stewart was another 15 seconds behind when he beat 6th placed James Dunphy across the line.

This was a day of breakaways, for the same pattern as in 'A' grade occurred in 'B' when three riders rode away from the bunch – this time over the last 5 laps. Merv Byfield, Ian Turner and Stephen McNeilly were the animators who saw their lead vary between 20 to 40 seconds. On the final lap, however, the bunch closed but not fast enough to swamp them, though at the sprint they were joined by Steven Tarr. It was Stephen McNeilly who was 1st to cross the line, Steven Tarr was 2nd and Merv Byfield a close 3rd. Ian Turner came in 4 seconds later, and Bernie Streeter was 5th after breaking away from the main peleton that finished 17 seconds behind him. Carl Morrone was 1st of the 14-strong group in at the kill.

'C' grade saw a break by Maurice Berger early in the proceedings, but star of the day was Mark Hamill who blasted off the front half-way through the race to time trial for the rest of the distance to win by 1min 5 secs over the chasing group of 18 riders. In 2nd place was a hard-working Brett Clapham, followed closely by John Liso, while Nick Vroomans, Paul Byrne and Bruce Abbott took the remaining cash prizes.

The 'D' graders saw the comfort of the bunch as a virtue, although on the final lap a few gaps appeared. John Hoye once again proved too strong in the sprint for his compatriots when he beat John Hanson and Paul Greeney into 2nd and 3rd places. Kylie Anticich was one of only two females to appear in the prize list when she beat Chris Howard across the line, while Fiona Vescoli-Finnigan also found herself in the money when taking 6th place.

'A' Grade 11 laps, 86km

1. **2hr 06m 41secs** Shane Miller;

2. Matt Upton; 3. Eddie Hollands;
4. Chris Singleton; 5. Magnus Rudisele;
6. Doug Stewart; 7. James Dunphy;
8. Scott Sanders; 9. Jamie Kirkwood;
10. Phil Desisel; 11. Matthew Swan;
12. Paul Hearne; 13. Hans Randklev;
14. Andrew Brieley; 15. Gary Wright;
16. Ian Lyne; 17. Andrew Kikham;
18. Nathan Lude; 19. Martin Lowell;
20. Charlie Gargett; 21. Lee Parker;
22. Steve Marks; 23. Chris Roberts;
24. Jason Boyton; 25. Nick Foster.
*Time: 2h 06m 41secs; Average 11m 31secs
per lap. 40.6kph.*

'B' grade, 10 laps, 78km

1. **2hr 04m 06secs** – Stephen McNeilly;
2. Steven Tarr; 3. Merv Byfield;
4. Ian Turner; 5. Bernie Streeter;
6. Carl Morrone; 7. Tim James;
8. Justin Schultz; 9. Mark Anastasas;
10. Mark Welford; 11. Anthony Mateljan;
12. Patrick Woods; 13. Alison Dyson;
14. James Somers; 15. Peter Neuzerling;
16. Dave Dyson; 17. Luke Austin;
18. Jason Hapeta; 19. Melissa Robinson;
20. Wal Crowley; 21. Chris Peniston;
22. John Clark; 23. Paul Borrett;
24. Reagan Gruenthal; 25. Anthony Bourn;
26. Mark Crowther; 27 Jim Gibson;
28. Scott Ayles.
*Time: 2h 04m 06secs; Average 12m 25secs
per lap. 37.7kph.*

'C' grade, 6laps, 64km

1. **1h 56m 03secs** – Mark Hamill;
2. Brett Clapham; 3. John Liso;
4. Nick Vroomans; 5. Paul Byrne;
6. Bruce Abbott; 7. Peter Hunt;
8. Ian Cope; 9. Leila Spurgeon;
10. Greg Smith; 11. Keith Hickey;
12. Rod Atkinson; 13. Julian Austin-Olsen;
14. Derek Munro; 15. Kevin Dolman;
16. Ray Bergin; 17. Brett Fowler;
18. Darren Lee; 19. Margot Biggs;
20. Ross Pittorini; 21. Mark Leaker;
22. Richard Barville; 23. Ian Lee;
24. Mick Russell.
*Time: 1h 56m 03secs; Average 12m 50secs
per lap.*

'D' grade, 8 laps. 62km

1. 1hr 55m 26s – John Hoye;
2. John Hanson; 3. Paul Greeney;

4. Kylie Anticich; 5. Chris Howard;
6. Fiona Vescoli-Finnigan;
7. Wayne Gordon; 8. Leigh McDonald;
9. Bob Stephens; 10. Tarni Riggs;
11. Alan McDonald; 12. John Shattock;
13. Lynn Wolfe; 14. Lyn Scott;
15. Anthony Clews.
*Time: 1h 55m 26secs; Average 14m 25secs
per lap. 32.4kph.*

27 – 28 September – Two-Day Tour

Over 100 competitors, and some great competition for the placings. The lower grades in particular faced trying conditions for the time trial with a blasting wind whistling down the escarpment to hit riders on the Oakwood leg of the course, and to send them hurtling down the finishing leg on William Road. Despite the conditions, some excellent times were recorded, with Victoria's Shane Miller taking under 13 minutes to complete the circuit.

The Herne Hill road races that followed saw good conditions and racing, while the races on the 2nd day at Pickering Brook and Kewdale were run under almost perfect conditions.

While all groups and races had their 'moments' most interest was centred around the ding-dong battle between Sam Smith and Shane Miller in 'A' grade, with the overall points decision going down to the last sprint on the final event. However, upsetting the proceedings was the strong performance by Chris Glasby and Magnus Rudisele in that last criterium event when they upset the applecart by lapping most of the field, causing the unlapped (after 11th place Ian Lyne), including the two main contestants for honours, to contest an early sprint for positions.

Altogether an excellent weekend.

Stage 1: Prologue Herne Hill

'A' grade Results

1. Shane Miller 12m45s; **2.** Sam Smith 13m 10s; **3.** Tom Ford 13m 37s; **4.** Carlos De Oliveira 13m 50s; **5.** Eddie Hollands 13m 52s; **6.** Doug Stewart 13m 55s; **7.** 14m 04s; **8.** Kim Halliday 14m12s; **9.** Brent Cochrane 14m 15s; **10.** Michael Tapscott 14m 19s; **11.** Phil Desisel 14m 26s; **12.** Magnus Rudisele 14m 27s; **13.** Ian Lyne 14m 28s;

14. Chris Roberts 14m 29s; **15.** Chris Singleon 14m 37s; **16.** Matthew Swan 14m 38s; **17.** Martin Lowell 14m 41s; **18.** Jaimie Kirkwood 14m 43s; **19.** Bernie Swart 14m 48s; **20.** David Sumich 14m 49s; **21.** Jerard Ghossein 14m 55s; **22.** Mark Hoyer 14m 58s; **23.** Paul Hearne 15m 07s; **24.** Gary Wright 18m 00s.

'B' Grade Results

1. Elliott Carson 14m 44s; **2.** Chris Brown 14m 52s; **3.** Bernie Streeter 14m 54s; **4.** Craig Beeching 15m 01s; **5.** Darin Dunstan 15m 03s; **6.** Jim Gibson 15m 05s; **7.** Mark Hamill 15m 07s; **Eq. 8.** Julian Chipper, Paul Lamond 15m 08s; **10.** Mark Yancazos 15m 14s; **11.** Jarrod Bell 15m 15s; **12.** John Clark 15m 21s; **13.** Stephen McNeilly 15m 27s; **14.** Justin Scultz 15m 19s; **15.** Andrew Candy 15m 20s; **16.** Tim Mollison 15m 23s; **17.** Mark Crowther 15m 24s; **18.** Peter Neuzerling 15m 29s; **19.** Anthony Mateljan 15m 31s; **20.** Antony Bourn 15m 35s; **21.** Matt Davis 15m 43s; **22.** Sarah Duffield 15m 44s; **23.** Mark Hedges 15m 53s; **24.** Dave Dyson 16m 02s; **25.** Michael Morton 16m 05s; **26.** Scott Ayles 16m 09s; **27.** Jaimie Bell 16m 12s; **28.** Paul Shields 16m 14s; **29.** Alison Dyson 16m 18s; **30.** Greg Roworth 16m 20s; **31.** Jason Hapeta 16m 27s; **32.** Mark Anastasas 16m 29s; **33.** Greg Stoyles 16m 39s; **34.** Liz Leyden 16m 52s.

'C' Grade

1. Paul Byrne 15m 01s; **2.** Keith Hickey 15m 25s; **3.** Chris Young 15m 50s; **4.** Nick Vroomans 16m 19s; **5.** John O'Boyle 16m 27s; **6.** Brett Clapham 16m 27s; **7.** Ross Pittorini 16m 28s; **Eq. 8.** Duncan Rogers, Richard Barville 16m 29s; **10.** Garry Horsfield 16m 36s; **11.** Jarrad Finnigan 16m 38s; **12.** Robin Warrington 16m 43s; **13.** Julian Austin-Olsen 16m 44s; **14.** Rod Atkinson 16m 49s; **15.** Alvin Lim 16m 51s; **16.** Emma Molloy 16m 53s; **17.** Kevin Dolman 17m 04s; **18.** John Liso 17m 06s; **19.** Mark Leaker 17m 08s; **20.** Veronica Micich 17m 10s; **21.** Nick Cowie 17m 12s.

'D' Grade

1. Jon Hanson 16m 29s; **2.** John Hanson 16m 34s; **3.** Paul Greeney 16m 48s; **Eq. 4.** Chris Howard, Kylie Anticich 16m 49s; **6.** Eddy Pope 17m 00s; **7.** Claes Qvarnstrom 17m 10s; **8.** Jill Pope 17m 16s; **9.** John Hoyer 17m 18s; **10.** Steve Camarri 17m 28s; **11.** Clinton Hort 17m 32s; **12.** Allan McDonald 17m 35s; **13.** Jon Dooner 17m 40s; **14.** Tanya Newby 17m 46s; **15.** Tarni Riggs 17m 52s; **16.** Fiona Vescoli-Finnigan 17m 58s; **17.** Wayne Gordon 18m 08s; **18.** Hisayo Thornton 18m 26s.

Stage 2 – Graded Scratch Races, Herne Hill.

'A' Grade 8 Laps

1. Sam Smith; **2.** Shane Miller; **3.** Chris Glasby; **4.** Tom Ford; **5.** Carlos De Oliveira; **6.** Chris Roberts; **7.** Paul Hearne; **8.** Doug Stewart; **9.** Michael Tapscott; **10.** Jaimie Kirkwood; **11.** Bernie Swart; **12.** Ian Lyne; **13.** Matthew Swan; **14.** Chris Singleton; **15.** David Sumich; **16.** Magnus Rudisele; **17.** Mark Hoyer; **18.** Jerard Ghossein; **19.** Eddie Hollands; **20.** Brent Cochrane; **21.** Martin Lowell.

'B' Grade 7 Laps

1. Darin Dunstan; **2.** Elliott Carson; **3.** Chris Brown; **4.** Stephen McNeilly; **5.** John Clark; **6.** Julian Chipper; **7.** Jim Gibson; **8.** Mark Yancazos; **9.** Scott Ayles; **10.** Justin Schultz; **11.** Mark Anastasas; **12.** Greg Roworth; **13.** Bernie Streeter; **14.** Tim Mollison; **15.** Sarah Duffield; **16.** Antony Bourn; **17.** Craig Beeching; **18.** Anthony Mateljan; **19.** Matt Davis; **20.** Mark Hamill; **21.** Alison Dyson; **22.** Dave Dyson; **23.** Liz Leyden; **24.** Jarrod Bell; **25.** Peter Neuzerling; **26.** Paul Lamond; **27.** Michael Morton; **28.** Andrew Candy; **29.** Paul Shields; **30.** Mark Crowther; **31.** Greg Stoyles; **32.** Jason Hapeta; **33.** Jaimie Bell.

C Grade 7 laps

1. Brett Clapham; **2.** Garry Horsfield; **3.** Nick Vroomans; **4.** Keith Hickey; **5.** Paul Byrne; **6.** John O'Boyle; **7.** Ross Pittorini; **8.** Richard Barville; **9.** Alvin Lim; **10.** John Liso; **11.** Nick Cowie; **12.** Kevin Dolman; **13.** Mark Leaker; **14.** Juliana Austin-Olsen; **15.** Jarrad Finnigan; **16.** Veronica Micich; **17.** Robin Warrington; **18.** Rod Atkinson; **19.** Emma Molloy; **20.** Duncan Rogers; **21.** Chris Young.

'D' Grade 6 laps

1. John Hoye; 2. Paul Greeney; 3. Kylie Anticich; 4. John Hanson; 5. Clinton Hort; 6. Jon Hanson; 7. Jill Pope; 8. Jon Dooner; 9. Tarni Riggs; 10. Chris Howard; 11. Allan McDonald; 12. Claes Qvarnstrom; 13. Hisayo Thornton; 14. Eddy Pope; 15. Fiona Vescoli-Finnigan; 16. Steve Camarri; 17. Wayne Gordon.

Stage 3 – *Gr Scr. – Pickering Brook.*

'A' Grade 8 Laps

1. Shane Miller; 2. Sam Smith; 3. Eddie Hollands; 4. Tom Ford; 5. Mark Hoyer; 6. Doug Stewart; 7. Bernie Swart; 8. Paul Hearne; 9. Michael Tapscott; 10. Chris Glasby; 11. David Sumich; 12. Ian Lyne; 13. Chris Roberts; 14. Matthew Swan; 15. Brent Cochrane; 16. Carlos De Oliveira; 17. Magnus Rudisele; 18. Jaimie Kirkwood; 19. Chris Singleton.

'B' Grade 8 Laps

1. Tim Mollison; 2. Paul Lamond; 3. Jarrod Bell; 4. Bernie Streeter; 5. Craig Beeching; 6. Elliott Carson; 7. Mark Yancazos; 8. Chris Brown; 9. Antony Bourn; 10. Darin Dunstan; 11. Stephen McNeilly; 12. Justin Schultz; 13. Jim Gibson; 14. John Clark; 15. Matt Davis; 16. Julian Chipper; 17. Andrew Candy; 18. Liz Leyden; 19. Mark Hamill; 20. Mark Crowther; 21. Sarah Duffield; 22. Scott Ayles; 23. Anthony Mateljan; 24. Peter Neuzerling; 25. Mark Anastasas; 26. Greg Roworth; 27. Paul Shields; 28. Alison Dyson; 29. Jason Hapeta; 30. Dave Dyson.

'C' Grade 7 laps

1. Chris Young; 2. John Liso; 3. Brett Clapham; 4. Nick Vroomans; 5. Garry Horsfield; 6. John O'Boyle; 7. Paul Byrne; 8. Alvin Lim; 9. Ross Pittorni; 10. Keith Hickey; 11. Mark Leaker; 12. Richard Barville; 13. Duncan Rogers; 14. Juliana Austin-Olsen; 15. Emma Molloy; 16. Robin Warrington; 17. Veronica Micich; 18. Jarrad Finnigan.

'D' Grade 6 laps

1. Jon Hanson; 2. John Hanson; 3. Paul Greeney; 4. Kylie Anticich; 5. John Hoye; 6. Claes Qvarnstrom; 7. Hisayo Thornton; 8. Jon Dooner; 9. Allan McDonald;

10. Wayne Gordon; 11. Fiona Vescoli-Finnigan; 12. Tarni Riggs; 13. Clinton Hort; 14. Steve Camarri.

Stage 4 – *Graded Criteriums – Kewdale*

'A' Grade 45 mins plus 2 laps

1. Chris Glasby; 2. Magnus Rudisele; 3. Doug Stewart; 4. Michael Tapscott; 5. Carlos De Oliveira; 6. Matthew Swan; 7. Chris Singleton; 8. Bernie Swart; 9. Paul Hearne; 10. Ian Lyne; 11. Sam Smith; 12. Eddie Hollands; 13. Shane Miller; 14. Tom Ford; 15. Chris Roberts; 16. Jaimie Kirkwood; 17. David Sumich; 18. Mark Hoyer.

Primes 1 and 2: Magnus Rudisele.

'B' Grade 40 mins plus 2 laps

1. Elliott Carson; 2. Mark Yancazos; 3. Stephen McNeilly; 4. Chris Brown; 5. Darin Dunstan; 6. Jim Gibson; 7. Tim Mollison; 8. Jarrod Bell; 9. Bernie Streeter; 10. Antony Bourn; 11. Craig Beeching; 12. Justin Schulz; 13. Liz leyden; 14. Andrew Candy; 15. Paul Shields; 16. Mark Hamill; 17. Sarah Duffield; 18. Paul Lamond; 19. Matt Davis; 20. Anthony Mateljan; 21. Jason Hapeta; 22. Alison Dyson; 23. Dave Dyson; 24. Mark Crowther; 25. Peter Neuzerling; 26. Julian Chipper; 27. Scott Ayles; 28. Mark Anastasas.
Primes: 1. Antony Bourn; 2. Tim Mollison

'C' Grade – 35mins plus 2 laps

1. Paul Byrne; 2. Alvin Lim; 3. John O'Boyle; 4. Duncan Rogers; 5. Brett Clapham; 6. John Liso; 7. Garry Horsfield; 8. Nick Vroomans; 9. Keith Hickey; 10. Richard Barville; 11. Jarrad Finnigan; 12. Emma Molloy; 13. Julian Austin-Olsen; 14. Veronica Micich; 15. Robin Warrington; 16. Ross Pittorni; 17. Mark Leaker; 18. Chris Young.

Prime 1. Paul Byrne; 2. John Liso.

'D' Grade 30mins plus 2 laps

1. Claes Qvarnstrom; 2. John Hoye; 3. Paul Greeney; 4. Kylie Anticich; 5. John Hanson; 6. Tarni Riggs; 7. Jon Dooner; 8. Fiona Vescoli-Finnigan; 9. Allan McDonald; 10. Steve Camarri; 11. Wayne Gordon; 12. Hisayo Thornton; 13. Clinton Hort.
Primes 1 and 2: Clint Hort.

Overall (to 6 places only)

'A' Grade

1. Sam Smith; 2. Shane Miller;
3. Chris Glasby; 4. Doug Stewart;
5. Tom Ford; 6. Carlos De Oliveria.

B Grade

1. Elliott Carson; 2. Chris Brown;
3. Darin Dunstan; 4. Mark Yancazos;
5. Bernie Streeter; 6. Stephen McNeilly.

C Grade

1. Paul Byrne; 2. Brett Clapham;
3. Nick Vroomansd; 4. John O'Boyle;
5. Garry Horsfield; 6. Keith Hickey.

'D' Grade

1. Paul Greeney; 2. John Hanson;
3. Kylie Anticich; 4. John Hoye;
5. Claes Qvarnstrom; 6. Jon Dooner.

4 October – Gr. Scratch, Dog Hill, Baldvis

For the 2nd week in a row we started the event with 101 riders. Of particular interest was that 'A' grade contained 3 female riders, as did 'B' grade, numbers that reflect the improved standard of our women members over the years. 'A' grade followed the pattern established over a number of races this season, where a small break on the first lap saw teams shut down action in the bunch, with the inevitable result that saw the break succeed in taking the winning places. On this occasion Norm Shattock, Andrew Brierley, Bernie Swart, John Gregg and Ian Lyne held off the field, at one time holding a lead of just over 2 minutes. Jockeying for position and knowing they had a substantial lead on the bell lap, that lead fell to 54seconds at the line. In a keenly contested sprint it was John Shattock who crossed first, just ahead of Andrew Brierley, Bernie Swart, Jon Gregg and Ian Lyne. Doug Stewart took the bunch sprint for 6th place, followed by Chris Singleton, Martin Depiazzi and 18 other riders.

'B' grade saw a quiet start but with 4 laps to go Stephen McNeilly stirred things up when he took a 15 seconds lead. The following lap saw a change of leaders as Paul Lamond, Jason Hapeta and Michael Buytels opened a gap. On the penultimate lap, Paul Lamond decided to try a lone break but with a 20 seconds lead there were few who would

have put money on his holding off the bunch, especially as there quite a strong breeze against him on the final leg. However, riding strongly Paul had time to free wheel across the finishing line some four seconds before Mark Anastasas took the bunch sprint from Carl Morrone, Antony Bourn, Micheal Buytels, Keith Winch, Justin Schulz and first woman finisher, Melissa Robinson, in 8th place.

'C' grade started off cautiously but at the half-way mark, Nick Vroomans and trial rider Victor Wessel were ahead of the field by 15seconds. The following lap Chris was accompanied by Brett Clapham, Andrew Foggin and trial rider Phillip Price, all with a 30-seconds lead. On the final lap that lead had been increased by another 20 seconds, though by that time only three of the four assailants remained, to ride a comfortable final lap before the sprint that was won by Brett Clapham, with Phillip Price on his wheel and Chris Young at 2 seconds. Garry Horsfield led in the peleton with John Liso alongside for 5th place, Andrew Foggin in 6th, Richard Barville in 7th and Eddy Pope in 8th place. Unluckiest rider of the day was trial rider Kelsie Davies who punctured towards the closing laps of the race.

'D' grade had a relatively small field of 10 riders, though they were joined by Denis Robinson and Derek Mayall from 'E' grade. Derek was still with the group with a lap to go when he dropped off the back to take the 'E' grade victory. Brian Buck made an early attack and crossed the start line with a 15-second lead on the 1st lap. It was reported that he was caught when the rest of the group latched onto 'A' grade and closed the gap – not allowed guys (!). For the remainder of the race the group stayed together. Leigh McDonald took the sprint over Bob Stephens, Brian Buck and Fiona Vescoli-Finnigan, with John Shattock another 3 seconds behind.

'A' Grade 11 laps, 86km

1. Norm Shattock; 2. Andrew Brierley;
3. Bernie Swart; 4. Jon Gregg;
5. Ian Lyne; 6. Doug Stewart;
7. Chris Singleton; 8. Martin Depiazzi;
9. Patrick Hayburn; 10. Charlie Gargett;
11. Simon Bell; 12. Matthew Swan;

13. Steve Marks; 14. Martin Lowell;
15. Joe Bertram; 16. Liz Leyden;
17. Erin Kinnealy; 18. Bradeley Hall;
19. Lee Parker; 20. Eddie Hollands;
21. Chris Gaskell; 22. Cassia Higgs;
23. Andrew Kirkham; 24. Greg Bayley;
25. Nick Foster; 26. Roger Knight;
27. Craig Pennell; 28. Magnus Rudisele;
29. Gary Wright.

*Time: 1h 51m 21secs; Average 15m 50secs
per lap; 40.4kph.*

'B' grade, 10 laps, 78km

1. Paul Lamond; 2. Mark Anastasas;
3. Carl Morrone; 4. Antony Bourn;
5. Michael Buytels; 6. Keith Winch;
7. Justin Schultz; 8. Melissa Robinson;
9. David Irvine; 10. Luke Austin;
11. Martin Williams; 12. Barry Wilson;
13. Andrew Candy; 14. Anthony Mateljan;
15. Reagan Gruenthal; 16. Sarah Duffield;
17. Stephen McNeilly; 18. Peter Neuzerling;
19. Jarrod Bell; 20. Lorna Henson;
21. Jason Hapeta; 22. Ian Turner;
23. Pedro Turibaka; 24. Gavin Wark.

*Time: 1h 58m 08secs; Average 16m 50secs
per lap; 38.00kph.*

'C' grade, 6laps, 64km

1. Brett Clapham; 2. Phillip Price;
3. Chris Young; 4. Garry Horsfield;
5. John Liso; 6. Andrew Foggin;
7. Richard Barville; 8. Eddy Pope;
9. Nick Vroomans; 10. Darren Lee;
11. Rod Atkinson; 12. Duncan Rogers;
13. John Hanson; 14. Ben Lewis;
15. Robin Warrington; 16. Jarred Finnigan;
17. Juliana Austin-Olsen; 18. Janice Graham;
19. Victor Wessel; 20. Wayne Reeve;
21. Kevin Dolman; 22. Mark Castle;
23. Maurice Berger; 24. Jill Pope;
25. Neil Webster; 26. Bruce Abbott;
27. Greg Smith; 28. Corey Gaidzionis;
29. Andrew Rothern; 30. Mick Russell;
31. Keith Hickey.

*Time: 1h 42m 55secs; Average 17m 00secs
per lap; 37.6kph.*

'D' grade, 8 laps. 62km

1. Leigh McDonald; 2. Bob Stephens;
3. Brian Buck; 4. Fiona Vescoli-Finnigan;
4. John Shattock; 5. Nick Cowie;
6. Wayne Gordon; 7. Derek Crowther;
8. Lyn Scott.

*Time: 1h 35m 00secs; Average 15m 00secs
per lap.33.8kph.*

'E' Grade – 4 laps, 43km

1. Derek Mayall; 2. Denis Robinson.

*Time 1hr 16m 30secs: Average 19m 00secs
per lap; 33,6kph;.*

11 October, Points Races, Herne Hill.

A bit breezy but a fine day as 81 riders decided to try out their sprinting abilities at the end of each lap. There were some fast and furious finishes but thankfully not one negative incident. At the presentation a surfeit of Subway sandwiches were demolished, and as well as the race prizes, the season's points score awards were delivered for the individual and overall points competitions, with Jon Gregg taking out the individual, and the Northern Beaches CC taking out the team awards. This was the final race of the winter season, with the next race being the 1st Criterium of the season at Wangara.

Results Points Score races (places for those on equal points based on a count-back):

'A' Grade 67km - 7 laps

1. Eddie Hollands 15 pts; **2.** Sam Smith 10;
3. Norm Shattock; **4.** Chris Glasby 9;
5. Wayne Thompson 8; **6.** Bevan Tarrett 8;
7. Martin Depiazzi 7; **8.** Andrew Brierley 4;
9. James Dunphy 3; **10.** Kim Halliday 2;
11. Ian Lyne 2.

'B' Grade 57km – 6 laps

1. Steven Gray 11 pts;
2. Jools Spon-Smith 10; **3.** Antony Bourn 7;
4. Carl Morrone 7; **5.** Stephen McNeilly 6;
6. Simon Vine; **7.** Scott Ayles 5;
8. Mark Welford 3. **9.** Gavin Wark 3;
10. Mike Andrew 2; **11.** Paul Shields 1;
12. Jamie Bell 1.

'C' Grade 48km – 5 laps

1. Greg Smith 13; **2.** Ross Pittorini 10;
3. John Liso 7; **4.** Mark Castle 6;
5. Kevin Dolman 5; **6.** Garry Horsfield 4;
7. Nick Vroomans 4; **8.** John O'Boyle 3;
9. Kylie Anticich 1; **10.** Peter Hunt 1.

'D' Grade 48km – 5 laps

1. John Hoye 19pts; **2.** Nick Cowie 16;
3. Chris Howard 7; **4.** John Shattock 6;

5. Bob Stephens 5; 6. Richard Stokes 2;
7. Fiona Vescoli-Finnigan 1.

'E' Grade – 38km 4 laps

1. Rebecca Schultz 18pts; 2. Derek Mayall 14; 3. Denis Robinson 8.

Club Points Score Results

Congratulations to the points score winners over the 2015 road season. For additional results see the webpage. The awards were presented after the points score race at Herne Hill on 11th October.

Individual Points Awards:

Jon Gregg of 'A' grade had a clear win over Kevin Dolman, and there was a fair distribution among the various grades.

1. Jon Gregg 137 points;
2. Kevin Dolman 119; 3. Sam Smith 116;
4. Kylie Anticich 110; 5. Fiona Vescoli-Finnigan; 107; 6. Paul Greeney 105;
7. John Liso 104; 8. Justin Schultz 102;
9. Michael Morton 98; **Eq. 10.** Anthony Bourn, Magnus Rudisele 97; 12. Garry Horsfield 95; 13. Ian Lyne; 14. Nick Vroomans; 15. Allan McDonald 91;
Eq.16. Chris Glasby, Elliott Carson 90;
18. Gary Wright 88; **Eq. 19.** Greg Smith, Ray Lawrie, Andrew Brierley, James Dunphy 85 points.;

Team Points Awards

1. Northern Beaches 375 points;
2. Eddy Hollands Bicycles 351.
3. Team Brooks 334.
4. Unicorn Specialized 331.
5. KHT Cycling Team 321.
6. Hall Cycling 284.
7. Churchill Cycles 270.
8. MAN Riders Choice 264.
9. Team Arbitrage 250.
10. Total Travel WA 230.
11. Roues Chaudes Cycling 212.
12. Cycles Bespoke 209.
13. WCM 200.
14. Vayda Sport 165.
15. Glen Parker Cycles 145.
16. Speedlite Cycles 80.
17. Squadra RTR 78.
18. Pedalare Racing 66.
19. Rota-M 60.
20. Dome Coffee Cycling 42.
21. Squadra Barista 32
22. Access Unlimited 29.

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