

Chester & North Wales CTC Caer a Gogledd Cymru

The 2018 Bert Bailey Veterans' 100

Route Sheet

The route, which is *almost* the same as last year, can be traced out on OS Landranger Maps 117 & 126.

**HAZARDS MORE DANGEROUS THAN USUAL ARE PRINTED
IN RED.**

**Emergency 'Phone Number:
07500 472155.**

!THIS IS IMPORTANT AND IS FOR YOUR OWN GOOD!

In case of accident, if you are taking any medication or receiving treatment from a medical practitioner, it would be helpful if you could state briefly below, BEFORE STARTING THE RIDE, what the treatment and medication is. So long as you don't have an accident, no one else will see these details unless you reveal them. Thank you.

Road surfaces

I have checked the route out and apart from the specific hazards already highlighted in **RED** in the route sheet, you will also have to contend with some roads a long way short of a perfect surface. If I mentioned all of these patches there would not be room for the directions, so proceed with care and keep a watchful eye out for potholes and surfaces which are starting to break up.

Duddon to Overton

- 00.0 Start from the car park gate, turning R.
- 00.3 **SO @ X with A51**. Follow signs to Waverton.
- 04.4 L @ X by school into Common Lane. SP Village Hall.
- 04.8 R into quarry Lane. No SP.
- 05.2 **R @ T with A41**. No SP.
- 05.4 L imm after the Black Dog PH. SP Waverton business park.
- 05.5 L @ T. No SP. Follow this road through Saughton, Bruera, Aldford.
- 09.0 SO @ T crossing bridge SP Churton.
- 11.2 Bear L SP Nantwich & Wrexham.
- 12.5 **SO @ X SP** Crewe-by-Farndon. Follow this road through Crewe-by-Farndon, Caldecott and Shocklach, SP Worthenbury and Threapwood.
- 17.5 Bear L SP Threapwood and Malpas.
- 17.8 L @ T SP B 5069, Threapwood and Malpas.
- 18.1 R SP Threapwood and Sarn.
- 19.1 R imm after crossing a bridge, SP Mulsford.
- 21.8 **SO @ A 525**, SP Overton.
- 22.0 R SP Cloy.
- 22.7 Bear R, SP Overton.
- 23.0 **Very sharp LH BEND @ bottom of steep hill.**
- 24.0 L @ T onto B 5069 SP Overton.
- 24.8 L @ T SP Ellesmere.
- 24.9 Cross road to Overton Village Hall for 11ses.

The Hall is open from 1000hrs to 1130hrs.

Overton to Four Crosses

- R out of hall, imm R at X into Salop Rd, SP Ellesmere.
- 29.9 L at rbt in Ellesmere, into Whitchurch Rd.
- 30.0 R into Watergate St. SP Tetchill.
- 30.1 In 200 yards, L into Birch Rd. SP Tetchill.
- 30.5 Cross canal and keep R SP Tetchill & Queens Head.
- 33.4 R in Hordley SP Queens Head. Continue to follow the signs to Queens Head.
- 37.3 L at Queen's Head onto the old A5.
- 38.1 R at West Felton Post Office sp Woolston.
- 40.0 Bear R SP Maesbury.
- 40.2 L SP Knockin.
- 40.7 R at X SP The Wood.
- 41.1 SO at X SP The Wood.
- 42.6 R at T onto B 4398. No SP.
- 44.6 SO @ NEW Mini RBT.
- 45.0 SO at X in Llanymynech, SP Llansantffraid-ym-Mechain.
- 46.3 L at T onto B 4393 SP Four Crosses.
- 47.6 **SO @ RBT crossing A 483 SP Llandrinio** by Flower shop. SP Fishery.
- 47.65 L onto 'The Street' SP Fishery/WC
- 48.0 R just after Golden Lion into Village Hall rd – LUNCH

The Hall is open from 1215 hrs-1430 hrs.

Four Crosses to Overton

- L out of Village Hall rd onto 'The Street'.
- 48.1 L at mini RBT SP Business Park
- 48.2 SO at mini RBT by Powys & Marches Stone Supplies.
- 49.0 L @ T with B4393 SP Llandrinio.

- 50.4 Cross bridge controlled by lights.
- 52.6 Sharp L at Crew Green SP Meverley.
Cross River Severn by an old railway bridge.
- 55.2 R SP Argoed & Kinnerley. Follow signs to Kinnerley.
- 56.9 L at T, SP Knockin, and go through Kinnerley.
- 57.3 L into Kinnerley Rd, SP Knockin & Maesbury.
- 58.3 L at B4396 (Ignore the Knockin Shop!) SP Lynclys & Oswestry.
- 58.7 R SP Maesbury, Oswestry by Rolly Farm on the corner.
- 59.7 **Bear R on Blind LH bend!!!** SP Sandford. Follow signs for West Felton.
- 61.3 Bear R into Fox Lane by large “No through Rd” sign.
Cross A5 by footbridge.
- 61.7 SO @ X into Tedsmore Rd. SP Tedsmore.
- 62.7 L SP Tedsmore. Sign may be obscured by hedge.
- 62.9 SO @ X SP Haughton, Rednal.
- 63.8 L @ T SP Haughton, Rednal.
- 64.3 L @ X SP west Felton.
- 64.9 SO SP Rednal and Hordley. You will now go round the WW2 Rednal Airfield, or what is left of it.
- 66.0 R @T SP Hordley, Tetchill, Ellesmere.
- 67.9 L SP Hordley, Tetchill & Ellesmere. Follow signs through Tetchill to Ellesmere.
- 71.3 L at T in Ellesmere. Immediately R into Cross St.
- 71.5 SO at RBT on A 528 SP Wrexham & Overton.
- 76.4 L at X in Overton and imm L for Tea at Overton Village Hall.

The Hall is open from 1530hrs-1730hrs.

Overton to Duddon

R out of Hall, then Imm L into Church Rd.

76.7 R at T into Bangor Rd.

79.2 R at T opp Buck House Hotel.

82.4 Keep R by White House – NOT SP to Shocklach.

83.6 L. No SP. **EASY TO MISS** (red field gate as you turn in)!

83.9 L. SP Chorlton.

84.6 L by Phone box SP Tilston.

85.7 L @ T SP Tilston.

86.6 R @ T SP Tilston.

87.1 Drinks at Yew Tree Cottage, by kind permission of John and Sue Wright. This house is on the LHS of the road where the road bends sharply R.

Drinks will be available between 1630hrs and 1830hrs.

87.7 L in Tilston by the Carden Arms, SP Stretton.

89.8 **SO @ staggered X with A534** SP Coddington.

89.9 SO @ T by A & A Farm Supplies.

90.8 L by farm SP Handley (before duck pond).

90.9 Keep R past Coddington Church.

91.6 R opp Stone Pillars SP Clutton.

92.7 L @ T. No SP.

93.1 **SO @ X with A41**. SP Tattenhall.

94.1 R @ T opp 1836 Restaurant SP Burwardsley.

94.5 L by The Letters Inn and very soon R into Tattenhall Rd
SP Huxley.

96.5 R SP Huxley and cross River Gowy.

97.3 L @ T SP Tarvin.

99.5 R fork. No SP (field gates ahead as you turn).

99.7 R @ T no SP (large conifer hedge on left).

100.0 **SO @ X with A51** SP Utkinton.

100.3 L into Duddon Village Hall car park and the finish.

The War Memorial Hall will re-open at 1830hrs.

Well done! Now go and **SIGN IN** please, then get a cup of tea and some biscuits.

Some statistics:

Total ascent: 3587ft.

Max Alt: 410ft.

Min Alt: 43ft.

Average Gradient: 1:74.

Max Gradient: 1: 14

Emergency Phone Number-07500 472155

CERTIFICATES

The Chester and North Wales DA Committee hopes that all riders will be able to attend the presentation ceremony which will be held **no later** than 1945hrs, but if you are not able to do so, please collect your certificate when you sign in at the end of the ride.

***Uncollected certificates will not
be posted.***