

## Minehead Cycling Club (a CTC Affiliated body)

### Under 18's Registration and Parental Consent for Club Rides

**Ride Details:** Sunday Club rides leave at 9.30 from the West Somerset College (or as notified from time to time). There is always a choice of rides from approximately 20 miles at a steady pace, to quicker groups riding up to 65 miles.

#### Details of Participant:

First name: .....

Surname: .....

Address: .....

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Postcode: .....

#### Emergency Contact Details:

Name: .....

Tel: .....

Relationship to rider: .....

**Note:** Non-members will be asked to join the club after 3 rides.

#### Disclaimer for riders

I agree that I understand and will abide by the terms and conditions required by the Club/CTC for the safe participation in this activity and to act responsibly and adhere to the rules of the road and countryside. Marshals, if they are used, are solely to indicate the direction and it is my responsibility to ensure that any manoeuvre is carried out safely. I hereby maintain that I am fit and healthy enough to participate in the activity described above and my cycle is in a safe, legal and roadworthy condition. I also accept that the Club cannot be held responsible for any personal injury, accident, loss, damage or public liability during the activity.

Name: .....

Date: .....

Signature: .....

Club rides are covered by Organisers' Public Liability Insurance. All CTC/British Cycling (BC) members are covered by third party insurance. **Riders who are not members of either CTC or BC are advised to join either organization or otherwise obtain their own insurance.**

The Club will not disclose the information on this form to any other organisation. If you do not want any photographs used, please notify the Club secretary.

## Parental Consent

**Please read and sign in space below:**

All participants in Club rides and events under the age of 18 must have a signed Club Parental Consent Form. The only exemption is where a young person having reached the age of 16 can prove that they are no longer living with their parents or guardians and are living as an independent adult. This will require evidence such as a rent book or utility bill with the person's current address in their name or a National Students Union membership card.

## Club/CTC Policy on Young People's Participation in Cycling Activities

The minimum age for **unaccompanied** children on any ride/event is 13. Children aged 13 to 17 may participate unaccompanied if they have parental permission and a signed Parental Consent form. There is no lower age limit if accompanied by a responsible adult acting in loco parentis, but a signed Parental Consent form is still needed.

Parents/Guardians must also understand:

- The demands of the cycling activity and that they alone can make the decision about the ability of their child to complete it;
- That the child may cycle with other adults and/or children, but that there is also a possibility of the child cycling alone (for example, on treasure hunts)
- That while the Club extends a welcome to cyclists of all ages and abilities, no special provision for children is made
- Arrangements to get to and from the event/activity are the sole responsibility of the parent/guardian
- That DBS checks may not have been done on event organisers or ride leaders

The Club, its members and other participants may take photographs during the course of a ride, mostly for

private use but some may be for local or national publicity purposes. It may be difficult to ensure that photographs in which your child appears will not be used in any way. If you have concerns about this please speak to the Club Secretary, Andy King, tel 07765765357.

**Signature of parent/guardian:** .....

**Name:** (Please use BLOCK CAPITALS) .....

**Date:** .....

**CTC/BC MEMBERSHIP NO:** .....

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