

# NRC Special Ride Events Schedule 2022

Month	Day	Date	Title	Description
May	Sunday	15 <sup>th</sup>	The Dean 200	This is an ultra-challenge of 200 miles and will follow the same course as last year. It starts and ends in Newbury with a trip into the Forest of Dean returning via Chepstow and the old Severn Bridge. It will be a very early start (05:30) to make sure it can be completed before it gets too late. A good tester for those that do the 300k Audaxes. Always best to attach lights just in case. If the weather postpones this event, it will be rescheduled a week later for the 22 <sup>nd</sup> .
	Thursday	26 <sup>th</sup>	Off Road MTB 15 mile	This is a local event primarily set around the Newbury/ Thatcham Area. It will be an evening event.
June	Thursday	23 <sup>rd</sup>	Cotswold 60	This will be a drive-ride event starting and finishing at the same point. The start point is Burford as it has a free car park.
			Cotswold 45	This will be a drive-ride event starting and finishing at the same point as the 60.
	Thursday	30 <sup>th</sup>	Off Road MTB 20 mile	This is a local event primarily set around the Newbury/ Thatcham Area. It will be an evening event.
July	Sunday	10 <sup>th</sup>	Windsor Great Park 100	This is an endurance ride of ~100 miles starting and finishing in Newbury.
	Sunday	10 <sup>th</sup>	Windsor Great Park 45	To achieve the same destination on a shorter ride will be a drive-ride of ~40 to 50-mile cycle.
	Thursday	28 <sup>th</sup>	Off Road MTB 20 mile	This is a local event primarily set around the Newbury/ Thatcham Area. It will be an evening event.
August	Sunday	7 <sup>th</sup>	Stonehenge 85	This is a trip to the stones starting and finishing in Newbury.
	Sunday	7 <sup>th</sup>	Stonehenge 40	To achieve the same destination on a shorter ride will be a drive-ride of ~40-mile cycle.
	Thursday	18 <sup>th</sup>	New Forest 60	This is a drive ride event taking in the best of the new forest.
	Thursday	18 <sup>th</sup>	New Forest 40	To achieve the same destination on a shorter ride will be a drive-ride of ~40-mile cycle.
	Thursday	25 <sup>th</sup>	Off Road MTB 20 mile	This is a local event primarily set around the Newbury/ Thatcham Area. It will be an evening event.
September	Thursday	8 <sup>th</sup>	Isle of Wight Day Trip	An opportunity to cycle on the beautifully smooth roads of the Isle of Wight. This is the round the island cycle route in an anticlockwise direction with a stop at Ventnor for lunch on the seafront. Bikes are free on Red Funnel Ferries from Southampton and you pay as a foot passenger. Remember to have a couple of quid at hand for the chain ferry at Cowes a very short distance from the start.
	Thursday	15 <sup>th</sup>	Off Road MTB 15 mile	This is a local event primarily set around the Newbury/ Thatcham Area. It will be an evening event.
	Sunday	18 <sup>th</sup>	City of Dreaming Spires 80	A ride starting from Newbury and heading to Oxford and back.
	Sat/Sun	24/25 <sup>th</sup>	Bridgewater, Somerset	Autumn Club Away Weekend – Drive to Somerset with rides planned on both days.
October	Thursday	6 <sup>th</sup>	Off Road MTB 15 mile	This is the last off-road event and hopefully not too wet and muddy. It is a local event primarily set around the Newbury/ Thatcham Area. It will be an evening event.

As with all rides they will be subject to change due to weather or Covid-19 restrictions. Further announcements will be provided approximately two weeks before the event start date as a reminder unless it involves overnight stops and participants will need to be known earlier to ensure accommodation. Thereafter the events will be placed on Spond before the event takes place for those wishing to attend and organising groups.

<b>Important Dates for 2022</b>
Sunday March 27 <sup>th</sup> Daylight Saving Starts (Clocks +1 Hour)
Mother's Day 27 <sup>th</sup> March
Good Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> April
Easter Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> April
Early May Bank Holiday Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May
Spring Bank Holiday Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June
Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June
Father's Day 19 <sup>th</sup> June
Summer Bank Holiday Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> August
Sunday October 30 <sup>th</sup> Daylight Saving Ends (Clocks -1 Hour)