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Severn Bridge Road Race

The 45th Edition

Presented by **Bristol Road Club**

One of Great Britain's premier early season road races

Sunday 5th March 2017

E123 Race Start 11.00am – Finish 1.45pm – 9 laps
Start at HQ, Finish on Napier Miles Rd

Race HQ - Avon Riding Centre For The Disabled, Kings Weston Road,
Henbury, Bristol BS10 7QT

The Race

The race dates from the 1960's when it was organised by the late Jack Turner (an eccentric cycling genius). Crossing the first Severn Bridge it did a large circuit of Monmouthshire (South Wales), finishing in Henbury (England). Nobody objected that 90% of the race was held abroad, thus contravening the BCF rule that required the race to stay in its own division. Then it switched to a circuit through the "beautiful rolling countryside" of Avonmouth docks with the oil refineries and choking fumes of the sulphur works, where if a rider fell into one of the roadside ditches he immediately dissolved. We are fortunate this year to return to a new circuit near Bristol starting in Henbury and taking in some Avonmouth roads once again.

Chief Commissaire: Steve Jones

Commissaires 2 & 3: Neil Langdon, Clive Tiley

Chief Judge: John Coltman **Judge 1:** Stuart McCombie **Video Judge:** Dominic Wade

Neutral Service: BW Cycling **Motorbike Marshals:** National Escort Group (British Cycling)

NEG Team Leader: Jamie Allmond **First Aid:** Wiltshire Ambulance Service, Jayne Darling-Parkes

Sign-on/License Control: Emma Sainsbury-Munn

Safety Officers: Brian O'Kelly and Pete Deamer

Chief Marshal: Justin Oakley

Organiser:

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Past Winners

1982	Martin Eadon	Archer Road Club	2000	Ian Jeremiah	Cardiff JIF
1983	Dave Smith	Team Zoyland	2001	Cancelled	Foot & Mouth Disease
1984	Ben Luckwell	Team Zoyland	2002	Rob Hurd	Team Peloton
1985	Ben Luckwell	Team Zoyland	2003	Matt Bottrill	Race Scene
1986	Mike Parker	Mid Devon CC	2004	Julian Winn	Pinarello Racing Team
1987	Andrew Shaw	Plymouth Corinthians	2005	Benoit Lagorce (FRA)	Cycle Europe
1988	C White	Solihull CC	2006	Grant Bayton	Team GWR Radio
1989	N Salmon	Anglia Sport	2007	Gordon Macauley (NZ)	Plownam-Craven-Evans
1990	Toby Pinn	Anglia Sport	2008	Matt Rowe	Rapha-Condor
1991	Chris King	Bath University CC	2009	Marcin Bialoblocki (POL)	Sports Beans Wilier
1992	Jeremy Hunt	Mid Devon CC	2010	Phill Sykes	Sigma Sport Specialized
1993	Richard Wooles	CC Abergavenny	2011	Zak Dempster (AUS)	Rapha Condor Sharp
1994	Richard Prebble	Wembley Road Club	2012	Marcin Bialoblocki (POL)	NODE4 Giordana Racing
1995	Lee Davis	Team Energy	2013	Race abandoned	
1996	Simon Bray	Team Energy	2014	Alex Blain	Team Raleigh
1997	Rob Lyne	Team Energy	2015	George Harper	One Pro Cycling
1998	Simon Bray	Welsh Cycling Union	2016	Dale Appleby	NFTO
1999	Matthew Beckett	Teams Mens Health			

The Les Adams Memorial Trust

The purpose of the Trust is to benefit promising young riders (U21) living in an area covering bath, Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire. This is managed by Malcolm Prince, however in the first instance please contact the race Organiser for further details.

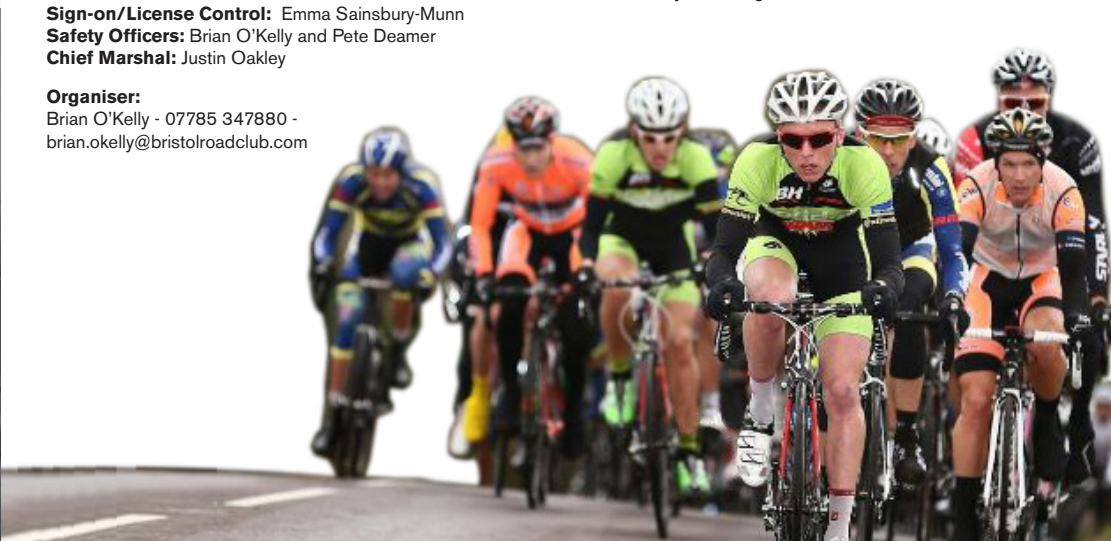
Prize Categories (Prize Fund Value of £1500)

BW Cycling 1st Prize £250 + **Sunwise glasses** + Severn Bridge RR Cup, **2nd** £150, **3rd** £100, **4th** £75, **5th** £50,

6th £40, **7th-10th** £35. **1st Junior** £40 + Sunwise glasses. **1st 2nd Cat** Sunwise glasses.

Argos Racing Cycles KOM Winner £100, **2nd** £50. **1st Team of 3 riders** £100.

1st Local Rider BW Cycling £100 in store voucher. **2nd** Carpet clean voucher from **Rees Property Services**



Competitors

E123 RACE

STARTS 11.00AM

No.	Name	Cat.	Club/Team	No.	Name	Cat.	Club/Team
1	Adam Pinder	2 J	Adept Precision RT/NE Healthcare	60	Daniel Coombe	2 J	Team Backstedt/Hotchillee
2	Hayden Burton	1 L	Bath Cycling Club	61	Alex Jones	1	Team Cadence Colossi
3	Miles Burton	2 L	Bath Cycling Club	62	Graham Collins	2	Team Tor 2000 KALAS
4	Nic McKibbin	2	Bath Cycling Club	63	Etienne Georgi	1	Team Wiggins
5	Ross Phelps	2 L	Bristol RC	64	Ashley Dennis	2	Team Wiggins
6	Jason White	1 L	Bristol RC	65	Andy Shackel	1	Team Wiggle
7	Andrew Edwards	2 L	Bristol RC	66	Luke Barfoot	2	Tri UK
8	Matthew Franklin	2 L	Bristol RC	67	Giles Greening	2	Tri UK
9	Christopher Hill	3 L	Bristol RC	68	Daniel Mcquillan	1 L	Tri UK
10	Rhys Britton	1 J	Bush Healthcare CRT	69	Oscar Hutchings	E	VC Equipe - Flix
11	Matthew Clarke	E	Canyon UK	70	George Smith	1 L	VC Equipe - Flix
12	George Fowler	1	Catford CC Equipe/Banks	71	Andrew Turner	E	VC Equipe - Flix
13	Alex Dalton	1	Catford CC Equipe/Banks	72	Lee Frost	E	VC Equipe - Flix
14	Joshua Lawless	E	Catford CC Equipe/Banks	73	Fred Wright	1 J	VC Londres
15	Callum Ferguson	2	Catford CC Equipe/Banks	74	Dominic Spear	2	VC Meudon
16	Laurence Kirby	1	Catford CC Equipe/Banks	75	Dylan Thomas	1	VC Meudon
17	Ryan Brain	2	Cwmcam Paragon Cycle Club	76	William Fleming	2	Velo Club Venta
18	Harry Veale	1	Cycleworks.co.uk	77	Neil Bond	2	VeloVitesse
19	Robert Borek	2 L	DRK Racing	78	Lee Davis	2	VeloVitesse
20	Alex Hunt	2	Flamme Rouge Cycling Team	79	WyndyMilla	2	Flamme Rouge Cycling Team
21	William Scott	1	Flamme Rouge Cycling Team	80	Dexter Gardias	E	BIKE Channel Canyon
22	James Mitri	2 J L	HMT with JLT Condor				
23	Sebastian Lewis	1	HostA@ TAAP Storck				
24	Joseph Clark	2	I-Team Cyclists' Club				
25	Kinsey McIlquham	2	KTM Impsport RT				
26	Ross Evans	2	Latchem Sunwise Race Team				
27	Gareth Turner	1	Latchem Sunwise Race Team				
28	Luke Nolan	1 L	Latchem Sunwise Race Team				
29	Calum Croft	2 L	Latchem Sunwise Race Team				
30	Adrian Lawson	2	Latchem Sunwise Race Team				
31	Matt Langworthy	2	Mid Devon CC				
32	Edward Silvertorn	2 L	Morvelo Basso RT				
33	David Prickett	2	Morvelo Basso RT				
34	Elliott Porter	1	Neon-Velo Cycling Team				
35	William Bjergfelt	1 L	Neon-Velo Cycling Team				
36	Chris Carter	2	Newport Shropshire CC				
37	Ashley Cox	E	NopinZ				
38	Thomas Bowering	1	PMR@Toachim House				
39	Jason Gault	2	Primera-TeamJobs				
40	Edward Hatfield	2 J	Primera-TeamJobs				
41	Matthew Downie	2	Primera-TeamJobs				
42	Ben Strain	2	Radeon-Bike Science RT				
43	Thomas Grigson	2 L	Radeon-Bike Science RT				
44	Matthew Griffin	2 L	Radeon-Bike Science RT				
45	Oliver Maxwell	E	Richardsons-Trek RT				
46	Dave Tilling	2	Ride 24/7				
47	Colin Parry	2	Ride 24/7				
48	Grant Bayton	2	Ride 24/7				
49	Mark Pery	2 L	Ride 24/7				
50	Steve Thomas	2 L	Ride 24/7				
51	Charlie Passfield	1	Spirit Tifosi Racing Team				
52	Michael Smith	1	Spirit Tifosi Racing Team				
53	Edward Clemens	E	Spirit Tifosi Racing Team				
54	Douglas Coleman	E	Spirit Tifosi Racing Team				
55	Thomas Scott-Collins	1	Spirit Tifosi Racing Team				
56	Adam Thompson	2	Spokes BPC Racing				
57	Ken Buckley	1	Spokes BPC Racing				
58	Lewis Martin	2	Spokes BPC Racing				
59	Jake Stewart	1 J	Swinnerton Cycles				

Reserves

No.	Name	Cat.	Club/Team
81	George Kimber	2 J	Cycle Sport Dynamo
82	Jake Alderman	2	Saint Piran
83	Alex Fanshawe	3	Saint Piran
84	Sean Frost	3	Tri UK
85	Olly Hacker	3	University of Birmingham CC
86	Alastair Kay	3	VeloVitesse
87	Steven Jones	3 J	Mid Devon CC
88	Joe Hawksworth	3 L	Bristol South CC
89	Samuel Holder	3 L	DRK Racing

Note: Names of Team riders may change prior to race start

Key

E - Elite J - Junior L - Local Rider (Live in BA or BS postcodes)

NEG Warning

NEG Motorcycle Marshals will be present on the race to assist in the safe passage of the race. The NEG will when safe to do so alert other road users to the presence of the race. Riders are reminded that they have an obligation to look after their own safety and obey the Highway Code. The presence of NEG Marshals does not imply that the road is closed and riders should be aware of oncoming and passing traffic and stay to the left lane of the carriageway unless otherwise instructed. NEG Marshals will make use of whistles, horns and flags to warn of danger or their presence. Riders should be particularly observant at these times. Riders should allow passage of NEG Motorcycles wherever possible and obey instructions and directions of both Static and Motorcycle Marshals.

Notes COMPETITORS, OFFICIALS AND MARSHALS MUST READ

- Race HQ – Avon Riding Centre For The Disabled, open from 9.00am. Please keep clean and tidy.
- Car Parking – Plenty of parking available in front and side of the HQ. Please allow room for Officials vehicles. Please obey instructions from parking attendants. PLEASE PARK THOUGHTFULLY.
- NO PARKING NEAR THE START AND FINISH LINE. Kings Weston House car park can be used which is a 2 minute walk.
- 10:00am – Safety Briefing for Marshals/Race Convoy/National Escort Group, meet with Chief Marshal in HQ.
- Sign on by 10:30am after which reserves will be admitted.
- 10:45am – Pre-race briefing for riders in HQ (ESSENTIAL ALL RIDERS ATTEND).
- You must observe the rules of the road at all times. Please be aware of horses and other road users.
- There are managed traffic lights on the circuit. If for any reason the traffic lights are red then you must STOP.
- If the race is slowed because of traffic you must never pass the lead car. Any rider that does so will be immediately disqualified.
- Only official vehicles are allowed in the race convoy. Spectators must not follow the race, you should drive the circuit in the opposite direction.
- K.O.M competition points 1st = 5, 2nd = 2, 3rd = 1. This is laps 2 to 7 at Finish line on Napier Miles Rd.
- Helmets must be worn by all riders whilst competing.
- To ride you must hold a 2017 British Cycling Race Licence.
- A BW Cycling neutral service vehicle will be provided that can take your wheels.
- Junior gear restriction: 7.93 metres (52x14).
- Prize presentation will be held shortly after the race finishes at the race HQ.

Race Directions

Circuit Description:

From HQ riders move out of riding centre downhill to exit, CARE over Cattle Grid and assemble on Woodgrove Road. From Woodgrove Road race neutralised, onto Kings Weston Road (B4057), where turn LEFT towards Henbury. Follow Kings Weston Road then bear LEFT into one-way section of road (Hallen Road, B4059). Follow to T-junction with Avonmouth Road and turn LEFT onto Hallen Road, direction Hallen to RACE START (OS Grid Ref: ST560791). Race continues along Hallen Road to enter Hallen where road turns into Severn Road. Continue until T-junction, then turn LEFT onto Chittingen Road (A403), direction Avonmouth, M5. Follow A403 which bears right and turns into Smoke Lane and proceed STRAIGHT ON (2nd exit) at Cabot Park roundabout, staying on A403 which turns into St Andrew's Road to TRAFFIC LIGHTS, where turn LEFT onto Kings Weston Lane (unclassified), direction Lawrence Weston, Sea Mills. Race follows Kings Weston Lane to traffic calming then up to roundabout at Long Cross and proceeds STRAIGHT ON (2nd exit), direction Lawrence Weston, Sea Mills. Continuing on Kings Weston Lane, past bollard by Tufton Ave then turn LEFT onto Napier Miles Road, direction Henbury, to RACE FINISH at entrance to Kings Weston School on the right (OS Grid Ref: ST544776). Continue along Napier Miles Road to T-junction and turn LEFT onto Kings Weston Road (B4057), direction Henbury. Follow Kings Weston Road through Pelican Crossing TRAFFIC LIGHTS by Long Cross Junction and then bear LEFT into one-way section of road (Hallen Road, B4059). Follow to T-junction with Avonmouth Road and turn LEFT onto minor road (still Hallen Road, B4059), direction Hallen to RACE START again and complete the circuit. The race finishes after crossing the finishing line on Napier Miles Road for the 8th time, total 8.8 laps and 112km.

