

Charter

The Club:

- Provides sociable leisure cycle rides for enthusiastic cyclists from the area surrounding Wantage, Oxfordshire
- Welcomes potential members to try a ride before becoming a member
- Recommends that riding members are insured for third party liability whilst on Club rides
- Organises a regular programme of rides for members led by trained ride leaders
- Welcomes accompanied junior members who are physically capable of participating in the advertised ride

The Club expects:

- Riders to:
 - Join rides that they are capable of riding at the duration / pace / difficulty advertised
 - Ride on suitable and well-maintained bikes
 - Arrive at rides 10 minutes prior to the advertised start time
 - Follow the instructions of the designated ride leader
 - Ride safely at all times, conscious of the needs of ride companions and other road users
 - Act at all times in a way that is a credit to the Club
- Ride Leaders to:
 - Plan, lead and report Club rides in accordance with ride leader guidelines
 - Act all times with the first priority of rider safety and the second priority of rider enjoyment
 - Report dangerous riding to the Committee
- The Committee to:
 - Actively and demonstrably contribute to the management and development of the Club
 - Inform the Chairman if duties cannot be discharged in a timely manner

- Act openly and transparently at all times, including publishing all committee minutes to members (suitably redacted for sensitive minutes) promptly
- Promote the Club in a positive light at all times

The Club does not:

- Participate in cycle sport
- Require that members belong to any other cycling organisation or national body
- Discriminate between members in any situation
- Seek to introduce new cyclists to the sport

First year objectives for the Club:

- Organise road rides according to the ride structure
- Promote the Club to potential members in Wantage and the surrounding area, including the Vale villages, and the Lambourn Valley
- Review progress, measured by participation and verbatim feedback from members
- Propose priorities for the following year at the October 2017 AGM