



49th Annual Open Hill Climb on Sunday 29th September 2024 Results

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Award	Name	Club	Time	Prize
Winner	Joshua Aiken	Elevate RT	03:03.1	£30
2nd	Ewan Tuohy	Arctic Aircon RT	03:11.9	£20
3rd	James Hayward	Woolwich CC	03:12.8	£10
1st Lady	Debbie Percival	Medway VC	04:51.1	£30
2nd Lady	-	-	-	£20
3rd Lady	-	-	-	£10
1st Junior	Charles Langford	Southend Wheelers	03:28.1	£10
1st Juvenile	-	-	-	£10
1st Youth	Finley Andrews	4T+ Cyclopark	03:54.2	£10
Vet 40-44	James Hayward	Woolwich CC	03:12.8	£10
Vet 50-59	Keith Walker	Wigmore CC	04:09.0	£10
Vet 60-69	Steven Penny	Wigmore CC	04:49.1	£10
Vet 70+	-	-	-	£10
Team	Joshua Aiken Thomas Willan John Blight	Elevate RT	10:15.8	£10 each

Medway Towns Trophy - Awarded to the fastest rider of the five cycling clubs in the Medway Towns		
Keith Walker	Wigmore CC	Engraved annual trophy + £10

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Congratulations to **Joshua Aiken** and **Debbie Percival** on their winning rides in the annual 49th Wigmore CC open hill climb.

A dry day with a cold wind resulted in times that were generally slightly slower than those in the warmth of last year. Joshua took his third victory in open hill climb, having won all three in which he has competed. By finishing second Ewan added yet another top three placing in the event, whilst James, the course record holder, was less than a second behind in third and took the over 40s victory in the process. Joshua also led **Elevate RT** to their first team victory on Hollingbourne Hill.

Riding the event for her 20th time multiple winner of the Wigmore CC hill climb event Debbie added yet another victory to take her haul to nine and was just two seconds away from taking the vets 60 prize.

Junior prize was taken by **Charles Langford**. Having won the juvenile category last year Charles was one of the few riders to be quicker this year and placed 7th overall.

Arguably the ride of the event belonged to 14 year old **Finley Andrews** with a time comfortably under 4 minutes to finish 20th overall.

In his final year in the over 50s category **Keith Walker** once again took the award for the over 50s while **Steve Penney** also repeated last year's achievement by taking the over 60s prize.

The event doubles as the club hill climb championship for both Medway VC and Maidstone based club San Fairy Ann, **Mike Stanley** now being this year's Medway VC champion whilst the SFA result was notably close with **Martin Kober** taking the crown by 0.5s from **John Cockrill**.

Wigmore CC once again extend their thanks to the Boyd family for the use of the farm buildings at the top of Hollingbourne Hill. The area makes a great HQ for both parking and presenting the rewards, the positive comments received by Wigmore CC will be passed on.

Finally, a big thank you to all the volunteers who ensured that not only was the event safe and issue-free. There was a very impressive display of cakes!

Start timekeeper	Paul Buckley
Finish timekeeper	David Abbotts
Recorders, runners & results board on the day	Julien Barton Kate Savage Jamie Harris
Results board preparation	Martin Trice
Awarder of prizes	Anthony Bee
Pusher off	Phil Appleby
Signing in/out	Anthony Bee
Start area	Kevin Ford
Marshals (hill & parking)	Richard Masters David Smith
Tea and cakes	Philbrook family
Overall coordinator	Robert Philbrook
Start and results sheets	Keith Walker

Apologies to anyone missed

And of course thanks you to all the riders for making the 49th Wigmore CC Hill Climb another success, we look forward to seeing you plus your club mates next year for our **50th** open hill climb!

Full Result

Place	Name	Club	Cat	Group	Time
1st	Joshua Aiken	Elevate RT	Senior		03:03.1
2nd	Ewan Tuohy	Arctic Aircon RT	Senior		03:11.9
3rd	James Hayward	Woolwich CC	Veteran	40-49	03:12.8
4th	Matthew Ferguson	Redhill CC	Senior		03:19.4
5th	Ben Elliot	Redhill CC	Espoir		03:23.4
6th	Martin Fenna	Ashford Whs	Senior		03:25.9
7th	Charles Langford	Southend Wheelers	Junior		03:28.1
8th	Richard Cartland	HuntBikeWheels.com	Veteran	40-49	03:31.5
9th	Thomas Willan	Elevate RT	Veteran	40-49	03:34.6
10th	Daniel Pink	Bigfoot CC	Senior		03:36.6
11th	John Blight	Elevate RT	Senior		03:38.1
12th	Christopher Lockwood	7Oaks Tri Club	Senior		03:39.0
13th	Tom Patrick	K20 Cycling club	Senior		03:41.2
14th	Ross Matheson	4T+ Cyclopark	Veteran	40-49	03:43.2
15th	David Ross	Elevate RT	Senior		03:44.0
16th	Avinash Mahandru	Parlay CC	Senior		03:44.6
17th	Martin Kober	Abellio - SFA Racing Team	Veteran	40-49	03:49.3
18th	John Cockrill	Abellio - SFA Racing Team	Senior		03:49.8
19th	James Sherwood	Orwell Velo	Senior		03:53.4
20th	Finley Andrews	4T+ Cyclopark	Youth		03:54.2
21st	Alex Pearson	Woolwich CC	Veteran	40-49	03:57.1
22nd	David Harris	Abellio - SFA Racing Team	Senior		04:01.6
23rd	Keith Walker	Wigmore CC	Veteran	50-59	04:09.0
24th	Brendan Hirst	Rugby Racing Cycling Club	Veteran	50-59	04:10.7
25th	Simon Osborn	Wigmore CC	Veteran	40-49	04:24.2
26th	Edmund Overall	Wigmore CC	Senior		04:29.3
27th	Daren Turner	Ashford Whs	Veteran	50-59	04:33.3
28th	Michael Stanley	Medway VC	Veteran	50-59	04:36.6
29th	Craig Millward	Wigmore CC	Veteran	50-59	04:48.5
30th	Steven Penny	Wigmore CC	Veteran	60-69	04:49.1
31st	Debbie Percival	Medway VC	F / Veteran	60-69	04:51.1
32nd	Mark Amon	Rye & District Wheelers CC	Veteran	50-59	04:58.9
33rd	Connor Clare	Medway VC	Senior		04:59.7
34th	David Gearing	Woolwich CC	Veteran	60-69	05:05.0
35th	Mick Claydon	Ashford Whs	Veteran	50-59	05:14.0
36th	James Martin	Medway VC	Senior		05:50.2
37th	Mike Finch	Wigmore CC	Veteran	60-69	05:58.7
38th	Marin Stoichkov	Wigmore CC	Senior		06:15.9
-	Maria Sparks	Ashford Whs	Senior		DNSA
-	Dave Richards	Abellio - SFA Racing Team	Veteran	40-49	DNSA
-	Emily Tanner	Woolwich CC	F / Junior		DNSA
-	Steve Gooch	Rye & District Wheelers CC	Veteran	50-59	DNSA
-	Rory Stuart	Hythe Cycling Club	Senior		DNS
-	Matt Melville	Elevate RT	Veteran	40-49	DNS

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Previous Winners

Year	Winner	Club	Entries	Time	Course
1976	Bob Smith	Folkestone CC	38	2:51.4	Cold Blow Lane
1977	Tom Wilson	CC Orpington	62	2:43.2	Cold Blow Lane
1978	Mark George	Medway VC	46	2:33.2	Cold Blow Lane
1979	Malcolm Martin	San Fairy Ann CC	50	2:30.0	Cold Blow Lane
1980	Paul Elliott	Gemini BC	38	2:46.6	Cold Blow Lane
1981	Paul Elliott	Gemini BC	29	2:37.8	Cold Blow Lane
1982	Phil Mason	San Fairy Ann CC	21	2:31.8	Cold Blow Lane
1983	Phil Mason	San Fairy Ann CC	34	2:11.6	Cold Blow Lane
1984	Steve Marchant	South Eastern RC	27	2:20.6	Cold Blow Lane
1985	Phil Mason	San Fairy Ann CC	32	2:30.0	Cold Blow Lane
1986	Martin McGregor	Thanet RC	24	2:35.0	Cold Blow Lane
1987	Martin McGregor	VC Elan	23	2:58.9	Cold Blow Lane
1988	Robert Hatton	VC Elan	35	2:51.6	Cold Blow Lane
1989	Martin McGregor	VC Elan	34	2:30.2	Cold Blow Lane
1990	Martin McGregor	VC Elan	28	2:35.8	Cold Blow Lane
1991	Martin McGregor	VC Elan	26	2:37.4	Cold Blow Lane
1992	Steve Castle	Wigmore CC	23	2:53.0	Cold Blow Lane
1993	Andy Lyons	Olympia Sport	42	3:19.0	Hollingbourne Hill
1994	Tom Luxford	Woolwich CC	33	3:24.2	Hollingbourne Hill
1995	Iain Akhurst	Sydenham Whs	38	3:08.8	Hollingbourne Hill
1996	Neil Harrigan	Renners R. T.	50	3:14.6	Hollingbourne Hill
1997	Iain Akhurst	Sydenham Whs	49	3:08.8	Hollingbourne Hill
1998	Tim Bayley	VC Deal	53	3:04.1	Hollingbourne Hill
1999	Matt Goodes	De Laune CC	54	3:05.4	Hollingbourne Hill
2000	Gary Baker	Anglia Sport	74	3:00.8	Hollingbourne Hill
2001	Justin Hoy	Liphook CRT	52	3:07.9	Hollingbourne Hill
2002	Matt Goodes	De Laune CC	58	3:15.3	Hollingbourne Hill
2003	Robert English	Southport CC	70	3:12.5	Hollingbourne Hill
2004	Pete Tadros	In Gear Racing Team	57	3:23.5	Hollingbourne Hill
2005	Robert English	21st Century ACT	69	3:05.8	Hollingbourne Hill
	Deborah Percival	34 Nomads CC		4:18.1	

From 2006 the start position was moved about 15 metres further back so the course record changes.

2006	Rafal Radziej	Team Economic Energy	44	3:01.7	Hollingbourne Hill
	Deborah Percival	34 Nomads CC		4:38.4	
2007	Bill Bell	Gemini BC	60	3:11.3	Hollingbourne Hill
	Deborah Percival	34 Nomads CC		4:24.1	
2008	Bill Bell	Gemini BC	41	3:12.4	Hollingbourne Hill
	Deborah Percival	34 Nomads CC		4:29.3	
2009	Pete Tadros	In Gear Quickvit	66	3:08.5	Hollingbourne Hill
	Deborah Percival	34 Nomads CC		4:26.9	
2010	Basil Moss	Cambridge CC	76	03:17.3	Hollingbourne Hill
	Deborah Percival	34 Nomads CC		04:19.0	
2011	Pete Tadros	In Gear Quickvit	61	03:07.7	Hollingbourne Hill
	Bronwen Ewing	Rye & District Wheelers		04:05.5	
2012	Joe Harris	GS Henley	55	03:12.3	Hollingbourne Hill
	Bronwen Ewing	PMRacing		04:10.7	
2013	Peter Tadros	InGear Quickvit Trainsharp RT	66	03:16.9	Hollingbourne Hill
	Deborah Percival	34 Nomads Gem Hygiene		04:17.5	
2014	Peter Tadros	InGear Quickvit Trainsharp RT	84	03:16.4	Hollingbourne Hill
	Bronwen Ewing	Trainsharp Racing Team		04:27.2	
2015	Bill Bell	Bigfoot CC	77	03:12.6	Hollingbourne Hill
	Bronwen Ewing	Trainsharp Racing Team		04:25.5	
2016	James Hayward	Woolwich CC	86	03:04.0	Hollingbourne Hill
	Deborah Percival	34 Nomads CC		04:29.9	
2017	James Hayward	Woolwich CC	67	02:56.5	Hollingbourne Hill
	Jacintha Hamilton-Love	Dulwich Paragon CC		03:58.0	
2018	Sebastian Dickson	Cambridge University CC	82	03:03.9	Hollingbourne Hill
	Jacintha Hamilton-Love	Dulwich Paragon CC		04:12.5	
2019	James Hayward	Woolwich CC	65	03:10.0	Hollingbourne Hill
	Katie Painter	MedwayTri		04:49.0	
2020	Samuel Painter	TBW23 Stuart Hall Cycling P/b T'sharp	63	03:10.8	Hollingbourne Hill
	Debbie Percival	Kent Velo Girls/Boys		04:49.9	
2021	Joshua Aiken	Orwell Velo	41	03:00.1	Hollingbourne Hill
	Debbie Percival	Kent Velo Girls/Boys		04:58.8	
2022	Finn Dunton	trainSharp Development Team	43	03:28.3	Hollingbourne Hill
	Emily Tanner	Woolwich CC		04:55.6	
2023	Joshua Aiken	Elevate RT	41	03:01.6	Hollingbourne Hill
	Grace Dent	San Fairy Ann CC		04:38.9	
2024	Joshua Aiken	Elevate RT	44	03:03.1	Hollingbourne Hill
	Debbie Percival	Medway VC		04:51.1	