

# Race Results & Reports 2012



ICC day of Racing at Sherburn 1st July 2012

Wednesday 13th June

## 2012 Yorkshire Summer CX Series - Round 4- Kippax

Hardest race of the series so far, with a section of the course including the long-jump sandpit, then five climbs up a steep bank on mud and grass (2 rideable, 2 marginal and one no chance for me) and then another dismount for some steps. The rest of the course was fairly flat and fast with a couple of twisty sections. After a dire start (didn't realise how bad at the time but see the video!) I made my way back up to 38th, Alison had a good race and finished 62nd, 87 started in total. Full results and video <http://www.yorkshirecyclocross.org.uk/>

David Kinloch

## Sunday 10th June 2012

Lancaster - 25m SPOCO (sporting TT course)

Leanne Farrow rode in 1.12.04 and won the ladies competition.

East Bradford 10 Mile TT - V212 Course

Open women-

Claire Jessop 27:28 (4th)

Emily Hallworth 27:40 (5th)

Open men-

Ged Millward 21:55 (2nd)

David Kinloch 23:41 (8th)

Edward Rosser 24:40 (12th)

Greg Jessop 28:13 (24th)

## Saturday 9th June 2012

RTTC National Championship 25 (Men)

Michael Hutchinson  
In-Gear Quickvit  
Trainsharp RT  
00:47:01

43  
Ged Millward  
Ilkley CC  
00:53:10  
2nd M45-50  
75  
Ewan Farrow  
Ilkley CC  
00:55:15

87  
Ben Hallworth  
Ilkley CC  
00:56:14  
PB 30 secs  
116  
Mark Pimlott  
Ilkley CC  
00:59:52

128 finished - very wet & windy conditions

RTTC National Championship 25 (Women)

1  
Julia Shaw  
Drag2Zero  
00:54:57  
20  
Katherine Pimlott  
Ilkley CC  
01:01:58

34 finished

## Wednesday 6th June 2012

Kildwick 10 mile TT.

Ben Hallworth : 22.30 (Winner), Katherine Pimlott : 24.35 & ( Matt Cox :24.46 ? ) Four clubs competing - Nelson Wheelers, East Bradford, Bronte Wheelers & ICC .

VTTA (North Lancs and Lakes) 25 mile TT Clitheroe

Pos

Rider

Club

Time

1

Paul Grindley

Liverpool Century RC

00:54:07

4

Ged Millward

Ilkley CC

00:55:40

42 riders competed

Colne Valley Cross race. Round 3

David Kinloch placed 31st of 73 (despite a crash on the first lap!) David commented it was a faster course than the first two rounds and a lot less mud!.

## Saturday 2nd June 2012

Holme Valley Wheelers 25m TT on the V232

Ged Millward - 52:45 , Ewan Farrow - 55.03 (PB); Leanne Farrow - 1.06.40 ( PB by over 7 minutes!) Claire Jessop - 1.06.57; Emily Hallworth - 1.07.02 (also PB by over 7 minutes!). Great afternoon's racing for ICC.

Photo From left - Ewan Farrow, Emily Hallworth (the terminator), Leanne Farrow, Claire Jessop.



Thursday 31st May 2012



David Kinloch rode the Richmond TT Spoco last night, a very hilly route along Swaledale and up from Grinton on to the moor and back, 600m of climb. He did a 1:06:56 and placed 20th.

Photo courtesy Richmond CC

**Sunday 27th May 2012**

Four riders from ICC travelled to Bridlington for a 25m TT on the V433 course (a fifth ICC entry, Greg Jessop, unfortunately not riding due to injury), making the most of the weather and enjoying a weekend away due to the 8am start. Claire Jessop put in an excellent performance to win the Ladies event, with both Emily Hallworth and Leanne Farrow recording good times on their first 25m time trial to help ICC to the Ladies Team prize too. The course is an out-and-back run down the A165 south of Bridlington, running parallel to the coast, and all riders battled the on-shore breeze on the second half of the course. The V433 was a refreshing change from the more common dual-carriageway courses, being on mostly single-carriageway roads. It was also a very well-run and friendly event. Despite recording a place in the top 15, Ewan Farrow claimed the highlight of the day was definitely fish and chips in the sunshine afterwards!



ICC Ladies get top 3 places on the podium at the Bridlington V433 25 TT today and the ladies team prize too!

Results

(1st Joel Wainman 00:53:27 (Team Swift))

12th: Ewan Farrow - 1.00.51

27th :Claire Jessop - 1.10.30 (1st Lady)

29th : Leanne Farrow- 01:13:43

30th : Emily Hallworth - 1.14.04

### T252 25M TT Teeside

This event was run on the same course as the National 25 will take place on in 2 weeks time so a chance for us locals to get a sneak preview.

Ged Millward- 55:46 (5th)

Ben Hallworth - 57:58

Mark Pimlott - 1:02:05

Katherine Pimlott - 1:03:38

### L245 Border City Wheelers 24m hilly SPOCO (sporting course).

David Kinloch did a time of 1:04:10 . Riding his road bike he came in 24th out of about 40 starters. The course was 1.75 laps of a rectangle starting from Calthwaite north of Penrith, with amazing views over to the Lake District. It was an extremely windy day, making the long uphill drag very tough. Well done!

### Monday 21st May 2012

#### Roundhay Park Grass track League

Good results for two ICC juniors again - Harry Hunt - 2nd in U12s Juvenile ½ Lap Time Trial Freewheel & Seb Cliffe won the U8s freewheel Group C scratch event.

### Sunday 20th May 2012

#### National 10m TT

Overall 56th (4th in 45-50 age cat) Ged Millward - 22:17

Overall Winner was Michael Hutchinson - 19:40.

## Full Results

### Etape Du Dales Sportive-

12

Ewan Farrow

M

06:20

Gold

48

Andrew Duncan

MV40

06:44

Gold

89

Tony Whetham

MV40

07:01

Silver

168

Richard Johnson

MV40

07:28

Silver

179

Bob Hamilton

MV50

07:33

Silver

210

Stephen Mattocks

MV40

07:40

Silver

265

Andrew McLoughlin

MV40

07:53

Silver

277

Patrick Madden

MV40

07:55

Silver

325

Ian Robertson

**MV50**

**08:06**

**Bronze**

**348=**

**David Waring**

**MV50**

**08:13**

**Bronze**

**384**

**Chris Lumbard**

**M**

**08:20**

**Bronze**

**385**

**Peter Barker**

**MV40**

**08:20**

**Bronze**

**387**

**Mark Jeffcott**

**MV40**

08:20

Bronze

388

Charles Oxtoby

MV50

08:20

Bronze

393

Jon Rand

M

08:21

Bronze

503

Michael Cooper

MV50

08:55

Bronze

509=

Marlon Frost

MV40

08:56

Bronze

**Saturday 19th May 2012**

**Hull 10m TT (V718)**

Emlyn Simpson - 23:06 (PB)

Stuart Hey - 24:01

**J4/32 (Knutsford) 50M TT**

7th Ben Hallworth 1:57:57 (new PB and Club record),

Mark Pimlott 2:11:40.

**2012 Yorkshire Summer CX Series - Round 2- Todmorden - Weds 16th May**

53rd David Kinloch

72nd Alison Kinloch

83rd John Parkinson

**Full results**

**Monday 21st May 2012**

Roundhay Park Grass track League

Good result for ICC youth rider Seb Cliffe who won the U8s freewheel event.

**Yorkshire Championship 10 Mile Time Trial (V212) - Sunday 13th May**

Ged Millward - 22:15 (1<sup>st</sup> Vet 45-50 6th Overall)

Claire Jessop - ?? (1<sup>st</sup> F Vet)

Ewan Farrow - 24:07

Emily Hallworth - 28.32

Leanne Farrow - 28:52

**Drighlington BC 25 mile TT (V232):Dishforth to Knayton.- Saturday 12th May**

Ged Millward - 54:08 (5th), (out of 105 riders)

Ben Hallworth - 56:44 (new PB)

Ewan Farrow - 58:59 (new PB)

Mark Pimlott - 59:40

Katherine Pimlott - 1:01:54 (1st Lady)

Claire Jessop - 1:09:40

Greg Jessop - 1:10:52

**YCF 10M TT on the V212 Boroughbridge - Tuesday 8th May (same course that the Ilkley / Otley interclub will be held on in June/July)**

Ged Millward 22:14 (8th), Ben Hallworth 22:48 (9th), Daniel Jay-Webster 24:42 (28th), Claire Jessop 28:01 (46th), Emily Hallworth 28:28 (47th), Leanne Farrow 28:43 (49th), Greg Jessop 29:01 (52nd) Rachel Bowman 29:03 (53rd). Rachel got 1st Lady on Handicap and Dan got 1st overall Handicap.

### 25 mile Time Trial Cockermouth Cumbria - Sunday 6th May

On a rare sunny day in Ilkley for those travelling afar to race the weather conditions were dreadful, it was sleeting and raining not to mention a rising headwind on the way back. The temperature barely rose above freezing. Ged Millward- 56 mins Mark Pimlott - 1:03.

### Dishforth 25 Mile Time Trial (V236) - Saturday 5th May

Ged Millward 54.35 (4th place), Ben Hallworth 56.46 (11th place), Ewan Farrow 59:24 (3rd on handicap), David Leckenby 59:51, Matthew Cox 1.05.38, Emlyn Simpson 1.07.43, Claire Jessop 1.09.31. . thanks to the small posse that rode out to support the ICC team.

### Yorkshire Cyclo-Cross Association Summer Series Round 1 - Oakbank School - Wednesday 2nd May

David Kinloch was 40th out of 80 starters (all over 14s together), Michael Burdon was 41st and Alison Kinloch was 66th (4th woman)

### Hull City Road Club (V718) 10 mile time trial - Saturday 28th April

Four riders represented Ilkley Cycling Club at the Hull City Road Club (V718) 10 mile time trial on Saturday. The course covers a fast 10 mile circuit starting at South Cave and heading out to North Ferriby and back. Ilkley's Ben Hallworth put in a strong performance completing the course with a personal best of 21:54. Despite the windy conditions Mark Pimlott rode a brilliant ride and also achieved a personal best of 22:28. Due to a mix up by the officials at the finish line Ged Millward's time wasn't recorded , an approximate time of 20:30 would have put him up with the top 10 finishers out of the 117 riders entering the event. Katherine Pimlott had an excellent ride finishing 3rd lady with an overall time of 23:30.

### Featherstone (V910) 10 mile time-trial - Sunday 29th April

Sunday saw the Featherstone (V910) 10 mile time-trial, and hats off to those who rode in the atrocious conditions - with gale force winds and driving rain prevailing through most of the day. Ged Millward stormed home in 24:19 finishing second overall. Ben Hallworth's 25:36 was enough to secure him 5<sup>th</sup>

position. Also riding for Ilkley Cycling Club were, Claire Jessop (30:52), Emily Hallworth (31:45) and Greg Jessop (33:25).

### Ravensthorpe CC 10 mile TT V910 - Saturday 21st April 2012



3 ICC women of B/C club ride level, 2 of them new to racing this year went competed in this this TT on Saturday. The weather held up ok on the V910 if a little windy for our 3 lady team. A long drag up a slight hill into a headwind with a blast back home. Results were Leanne Farrow 30:21, Emily Hallworth 30:36 Rachel Bowman 31:46. (although there was a dropped chain and someone who went the wrong way!). Great results and I think everyone really enjoyed it.

### Derby 25 mile TT A25/11 - Saturday 21st April 2012

Katherine Pimlott took part in a 25 mile time trial in Derby on the A50. This was a BBAR (British Best All Rounder) event and so attracted some of the fastest women in the country who tackled a fierce headwind on the outward leg which mean't times were somewhat slower than usual, the winner Lynne Taylor from Born to Bike came in first in first lady with 57.32, Katherine was 11th out of 18 in 1.01.54.

### Bowland 3/4cat Road Race - Sunday 22nd April 2012

Hail, rain and sun for Ewan at the Bowland 3/4cat Road Race. He finished with a fantastic 4th place which will earn him and the club a good load of BC points. ( Ewan has now got his 3rd Cat- congratulations). Ewan reported " it was a great race, although I ended up covered in mud! One chap broke away on the third lap (of four) and stayed away - the rest of us fought it out on the final climb; a handful went right at the bottom and held on all the way to the line. Brilliant race, def one for an ICC team next year! A long climb on the race

circuit suited Ewan " It was awesome - all the big strong men panting themselves to death and me spinning along happily. Of course it was another matter on the rolling downhill - I did have a dig at the start of the second lap on that hill and pulled out 30 seconds, but lost it on the 'easy' bit of the course!"

### Otley CC 25 mile Time Trial- V236/1 -Sunday 22nd April 2012

On Sunday there was a good ICC turn out at the Otley 25 on the A19 Topcliffe/ South Kilvington course. Conditions appeared still and dry but from all accounts it was deceptively windy for the riders. Ged Millward was the fastest Ilkley rider and came 4th overall in 54.04,(New ICC Record) next was Ben Hallworth in 57.48, then Mark Pimlott in 58.56, Tim Ashelford in 1.01.05, Daniel Jay-Webster had an eventful ride, his time was 1.03.54 but included going off course and stopping prematurely before the finish, so he will be much quicker next time he rides. Emlyn Simpson also had a few mechanical issues before the start giving him a 15.40 minute time penalty which meant officially his time was 1.18.01....., but we all know he did a 1.03.03 really.

### VTTA (Yorkshire) Time Trial Hull - Saturday 14th April 2012

Ged Millward showed some excellent form this weekend. On Saturday in cold, wet and windy conditions, Ged finished a strong third place, in 20.49, out of a field of 110 riders at the VTTA (Yorkshire) 10 mile time trial in Hull. Mark and Katherine Pimlott also represented Ilkley Cycling Club in this event, Katherine finishing as second lady in 23.59.

### Tockwith Circuit - Saturday 14th April 2012

This Saturday also saw the first 'Day of Racing' at the Tockwith circuit with a good turnout in all races. Races were held throughout the day in mostly dry conditions with races for Youth and Senior categories. Ilkley CC had two riders racing with David Waller making a good first appearance for the club in his first ever race, and Ben Hallworth narrowly missing out on points in a bunch sprint at the line.

### LVRC Road Race Lindale - Sunday 15th April 2012

Following Saturday's show of strength, Ged Millward went on to win the Lindale LVRC Road Race on Sunday , scoring a historic first road race victory for the club . The Lindale Road Race consists of nine laps of a technical five mile circuit, near Grange-over-Sands, and was also contested by Ilkley Cycling Club's Rogan Ashton and Otley CC's James Cullen. Several riders attacked off the front in the first half of the race, but they were all chased down by the main pack. The second half of the race saw the formation of the race-winning move as three riders, including Ged, attacked hard. The three built a good lead over the peloton and held them off to contest the sprint for the line. Ged's recent good form and tactical riding ensured he bagged the victory for Ilkley.

## Hull CRC Time Trial - 6th April Good Friday

Katherine Pimlott and Ged Millward represented Ilkley Cycle Club at the Hull RC Timetrial on Good Friday. Thermometers were reading 2 degrees as the riders set off for the start, to brave the chilly westerly breeze over the 10 mile course in Hull.

Facing some hot competition, Katherine finished in 4<sup>th</sup> position out of the 15 ladies who entered the event, with a time of 23:00, beating her previous personal best by 23 seconds. Ilkley's Ged Millward did an astonishing 19:21 to beat the previous Ilkley men's club record by over 3mins.

### Hull RC TT Results (ladies):

### Hull RC TT Results (Men):

1. Clare Ella 21.48

1. J.Jones [www.drag2zero.com](http://www.drag2zero.com) M 18.09.

2. Alex Deck 22.35

2. J.Ramsbottom Scunthorpe Poly CC M 18.47.

3. Jo Blackburn 22.42

2= M.Sinclair Lutterworth Cycle Centre RT M 18.47.

4. K Pimlott 23.00 - a new PB

4. R.Pears Bath CC M 18.50.

5. V Graves 23.05

5. S.Haradine Team Echelon M 19.02.

6. Susan Semple 23.12

6. A.Basson Team Pedal Revolution.co.uk M 19.04.

7. Charlotte Colclough 23.32

7. P.Graves Clifton CC M 19.08.

8. Karen Brooks 23.35

8. L.Tunncliffe Clay Cross RT M 19.09.

9. Sharon Clifford 24.11

8=D.A.Parkinson [www.drag2zero.com](http://www.drag2zero.com) M 19.09.

10. C Crabtree 25.03

10. M.Thaxter Huddersfield Star Wh. M 19.17.

11. O Tomlinson 25.51

11. G.Millward Ilkley CC M 19.21. - ( PB )

12. V Hood 26.03

(124 riders )

13. R Koss 26.43

14. Molly Hodges 27.14

15. Cheryl Trueman 28.11

### Plus "Down South" on the same day - (report from Ewan Farrow)

Leanne's Farrow's first open TT - a 10 mile down on the south coast. She pulled a 28.30 out of the bag, knocking 9.22 off her V810 time from last summer and so winning the best improver! I also raced it, managed a 22.53 and won second improver! Weather was good, very little wind albeit a chilly morning.

### Otley Open 10 TT - Saturday 31st March

One of the first flat time trials of the season along the A19 for Ilkley riders. En route as we passed Dishforth airfield the windsock told us it was going to be windy and yes it was. It was a fast course for some with Tejvan Pettinger of Sri Chinmoy Cycling Team (and the Otley Hill Climb Champion) taking the fastest time in 21.00 mins for the men and Jo Blackburn of Team Swift taking it for the ladies. Stuart Hey took the fastest time for ICC, followed up by Claire Jessop and then Greg Jessop.

### Circuit of the Dales - Sunday 1st April

The Circuit of the Dales is a classic annual time trial which is a highlight of the spring racing calendar for many, attracting a large field of riders from all over the country.

This year's event, run by Nelson Wheelers, was on Sunday 1st April, which turned out to be a very beautiful if rather chilly day for this 50 mile hilly time trial (although it was shortened to 48.2 miles by roadworks in Ingleton). The stunning route went from Ingleton via the back roads to Kirby Lonsdale, to Sedburgh, Garsdale, Hawes and up over to Horton in Ribblesdale and back to finish by White Scar Caves. The terrain was incredibly technical, with twists and turns over a constantly changing gradient from incredible descents to eyeball popping climbs and plenty of teeth chattering road surfaces to test the riders bike handling skills and tenacity.

There was an impressive start sheet and the favourite was Rapha Condor Sharp's Richard Handley, just back from the Tour of Normandy who did not disappoint and was the fastest home in a blistering 1.55.38. Ilkley Cycling Club's five riders rode superbly. Ged Millward achieved his goal of being in the top 20 (out of a field of 124) and came in 13th overall in 2.09.42, Ben Hallworth was the next Ilkley rider home in with 2.19.45 (36th) then David Leckenby who won the prize for fastest on handicap with 2.22.19 (41st overall), followed by Mark Pimlott who was 57th in 2.29.33. Katherine Pimlott was the final rider home for Ilkley with a very respectable 2.30.43 (61st overall) winning a prize for second lady behind Lynn Hamel of Team Herbalife who was first lady with 2.28.35. Overall, Ilkley had the third fastest team of three riders home. A very successful and enjoyable morning for all.

### Dirt Wheels Penny Pot Lane Road Race - Sunday 1st April

Road Racing made a return to the roads of North Yorkshire on Sunday with 2 races held on the infamous Penny Pot Lane circuit. In the 70/80s the circuit was used for the Harrogate International Classic and ridden by the likes of Sean Yates (Team Sky) and the famous Sean Kelly whilst he wore the Irish National Jersey.

Five riders for Ilkley Cycling club took part, Andy Grigg, Ewan Farrow, John Rigby Jones, Matthew Cox and Rob Ormrod. The eventual winner of the Elite race was Node 4 Giodana rider Kieran Friend with Sheffrec CC rider James

Allen winning the race for 3rd / 4th category riders, with Ilkley CC's Ewan Farrow and John Rigby Jones finishing well in the first bunch home.

#### Hagloffs Open 5 - Peak District

Ilkley Cycling Club's Sue Booth and her teammate Louise Hanley from Dirtwheels went into this weekend 3rd overall Female Pairs in the series but a win in the Peaks has put them into 1st overall. Ilkley also had Stuart Pitches and his teammate who came 5th in the male pairs which is an excellent result in a really tough category.

### **Otley Hill Climb - 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 2012 - Race Report Ilkley Cycling Club - 1st Team Prize Winners**

Ilkley men prove that every second counts! Unseasonably hot conditions greeted the riders who turned up for the Otley Two Stage Hill Climb race on Saturday 1st October. The race has a long and illustrious history with many of the country's best riders having competed there in the past.

Stage 1 saw the riders head out from Pately Bridge and up the tough 0.8 mile Guise Cliff climb, averaging 11% and as much as 16% in places. After a short break, the riders then tackled the even harder Norwood Edge, with an average gradient of 12% and maxing out at a lung busting 17%. These two tough challenges combine to make for one of the toughest cycling races in Yorkshire.

Despite having been active only five months, Ilkley Cycling Club aimed to pull together a strong team. As well as individual prizes, there was also a team prize for the fastest combined team of 3 riders. Setting our sights on the team win, we would have to pull together something special to compete with the big Yorkshire teams who sent their best "climbers" to the race. But with 6 strong riders from Ilkley signed up, it was looking like a good performance was on the cards.

Unfortunately, due to injuries and illness, only three of the six were able to make it to the start line, meaning a good time would mean no margin of error, and the three remaining riders putting in the rides of their lives to have any chance.



The first stage saw some fast times, with the course record being broken by Oxford's Tejvan Pettinger. Ilkley's trio of Ewan Foster, Ben Hallworth and Tim Ashelford, also put in excellent times. Although there were no official times produced at this stage, it looked like Ilkley were within a few seconds of the other top teams. The team were surprised at how well they had done, as the GS Metro team from Newcastle had come with a large squad to specifically target the team prize. Ilkley's team were all first-timers to the event, although Tim Ashelford is a Triathlon Champion and Ben Hallworth an accomplished road-racer. They were backed up by Ewan Farrow who had shown enormous improvement through the summer after a serious injury in the early part of the season.

As the second stage approached, the route became busy with hundreds of supporters lining the roadside up the steepest parts of the climb. Tim was the first Ilkley rider to go and his experience saw him put in a constant effort through the 1.1m course finishing strongly with a stage time of 6:29.5. Riders were finding the steepness and heat hard work, but were thoroughly enjoying the racing and the atmosphere of the crowd.



Ben then put in a powerful ride too, which provided him with the fifth fastest combined time of the day. The GS Metro team now had their fastest riders to go, and after strong performances had moved into the lead in the team competition.

With only a couple of riders left, and the increasing afternoon heat making life even more difficult, Ewan Farrow set off knowing that nothing less than a perfect ride would give Ilkley any chance. The key was not to go too fast too early, as a good time would be best achieved by keeping a constant



effort through the whole climb. Ewan measured his effort with great accuracy, and cheered on by the Ilkley supporters three-quarters up the climb pushed on hard towards the end to record a fantastic time for the stage of 6:27.2

As all the riders finished, the exact results were unclear, and the timekeepers had to go away and work out the complicated timings. But before too long the results were announced and Ilkley had in fact won the team competition by just 1 second over the Newcastle outfit.

Katherine Pimlott, the Club's chair, was among many of the club who were there to support on the climbs and enjoy the club's victory at the end, saying "Wow, what a fantastic effort by the guys! This is such a hard event and they have really put in some outstanding performances to take this win."

Report by Paul O'Looney ICC Secretary