

Course identification : L1015 - 10 miles Levens, Lindale, Levens

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Location	Details of hazard	Risk before mitigating action (H,M,L)	Measures to reduce risk	Risk after mitigating action (H,M,L)
1 General requirements	Time of event meets CTT standards. Course clear on day.		Traffic counts Organiser to check course on day	L
2 Before start. Riders encircle A6/A590 roundabout on way to start.	Competitors parking. Competitors riding from HQ and warming up.	M	Organiser to place cycle event warning signs at approaches to A6/A590 roundabout and instructions to riders to park carefully and warning of U turns and prohibited areas for warming up. Also organiser to remind riders in race instructions not to attempt to cross the dual carriageway at any point.	L
3 Start area	Competitors waiting in lay-by. Fast traffic approaching start area from behind.	M	Organiser to place cycle event warning signs and prominently display head up sign and to brief start marshals to warn riders of approaching traffic.	L
4 Start in lay-by on A590 west of slip road to Levens Bridge	Competitor/holder up falling.	L	No additional measures required.	L
5 Slip road on left where A6 joins onto A590.	Fast traffic joining A590 from slip road to left of riders.	M	Organiser to place minimum of 3 cycle event warning signs on slip road and position marshal to warn traffic. Also, organiser to warn riders to take particular care at this junction in race instructions.	L
6 Single carriageway section of A590	Road narrows. On-coming traffic	M	Organiser to place minimum of 4 cycle event warning signs visible to traffic in each direction.	L

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7 A590 westbound to turn	Junctions onto A590 from minor roads and former Little Chef cafe. All have good visibility for emerging traffic and all carry only light traffic.	L	No additional measures required.	L
8 Meathop roundabout - Lindale bypass	Riders encircle roundabout. Fast traffic joining. Riders need to enter centre of roundabout in front of passing traffic.	M	Organiser to place cycle event warning signs and position 3-4 marshals on the roundabout. Also, organiser to warn riders to take particular care at this junction in race instructions.	L
9 A590 eastbound to finish.	Junctions onto A590 from minor roads and Little Chef/Garage. All have good visibility for emerging traffic and all carry only light traffic.	L	No additional measures required.	L
10 Exit from Dobson's Garage.	Traffic emerging from left.	M	Organiser to place cycle event warning signs	L
11 Finish area with timekeepers only on grass verge.	Riders turn left onto slip road. Finish is on slip road before junction.	L	Organiser to notify in start sheet that no times will be given to competitors or supporters at finish and that riders must not stop after passing finish timekeeper. Also organiser to position marshal at slip road to direct riders.	L
12 Return to HQ	Riders cross onto entrance slip road to A590 to return to HQ.	L	Organiser to place cycle event warning signs on approaches to junction and to remind riders to obey rules of the road	L