



# RISK ASSESSMENT

Courses and roads assessed. <b><u>L212 Coast Road</u></b>	Course local to: Ulverston Roose RAB Ulverston 21 miles – Coast Road
Date of assessment/ review Nov 2015, Approved 13 Jan 2016, Start corrected 25 Jan 2016.	Name of assessor: Glen Rhodes

## **Course description**

Out and back course on the A5087 between Ulverston and Roose Roundabout.

## **Traffic flows**

## **Course event/history**

This is a Type A (Open) events course adapted from a Type B club event course that has been used since 2013.



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## Key identified risks

	Distance	Location	Identified Significant Risk/Hazards	Level of Risk Low/Med/High	Measures to reduce Risk (if applicable)
1		General requirements	Time of event meets CTT standards. Course clear on day.		Traffic counts <b>Organiser</b> to ensure course checked on day
2		Before start	Competitors parking. Competitors riding from HQ and warming up.	LOW	<b>Organiser</b> to place 'CYCLE EVENT' warning signs.
3		Start area	Competitors waiting	LOW	<b>Organiser</b> to place cycle event warning signs and display head up sign.
4	0 miles	START on A5087 opposite North Lodge cottage on the A5087 at the lamppost where grass and tarmac meet.	Traffic passing riders waiting to start.	LOW	<b>Organiser</b> to position 'CYCLE EVENT' warning sign to make riders aware of cycle event and ensure officials to wear high visibility jackets/bibs. <b>LOCAL Rules</b> – riders not to perform a 'U'-turn in the vicinity of the start. <b>Organiser</b> to ensure riders are reminded on start sheet.
5	1.4 miles	Bardsea Bay	Riders pass car park near bay on opposite side of carriageway. Need to be aware of cars entering onto road.	LOW	<b>Organiser</b> to brief start marshals to warn riders of the possibility of approaching traffic.
6	2.0 to 2.5 miles	Sea Wood and local farm	Rough road surface	LOW	<b>Organiser</b> to include warning notice on start sheet.
7	3.9 miles	Aldingham Cross Road	Traffic on left from Aldingham and right from Scales	LOW	<b>Organiser</b> to ensure cycle event warning sign placed at junction visible to traffic from both sides.
8	8.1 miles	Rampside roundabout	Traffic from left and right. Riders take second exit.	LOW	<b>Organiser</b> to place cycle event warning signs at roundabout and position marshal for direction and safety.

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9	10.5 miles	Roose roundabout	10.5 miles. Traffic from left and right. Riders encircle roundabout.	LOW	<b>Organiser</b> to place cycle event warning signs at roundabout and position 2 marshals for direction and safety.
10		Rider reverse outbound route		LOW	
11	21 miles	Finish opposite start on A5087		LOW	
12		Return to HQ		LOW	Organiser to remind riders to obey rules of the road in start sheet.

**NOTES:**

1. The use of a vehicle for the timekeeper(s) at start and finish is where appropriate and is only identified as an example for the action to be taken.
2. The small junctions or entrances to farms/ facilities (garage, eatery, etc) that are not identified in this risk assessment have been considered, however are not considered significant to pose a risk and therefore have not been noted.
3. All rules of the road must be followed as to 'the Highway Code'.
4. This risk assessment shall be made available at the event signing on. By the riders signing on to event sheet they accept all hazards identified on this course and are aware that this is an open road event and that they have a duty of care and courtesy to other road users.

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