Email from Donald Ashton after the H25 event on 21st April

As you have been informed, the surface of the A31 at the Alton end of the course is in a very poor state.

Coxbridge roundabout itself is OK, having been properly fixed a couple of years ago, but the A31 on the Bentley side is bad, both for the approach and exit.

A lot of the potholes have been patched, but there are long gaps along the length of the road between the two lanes which are just looking for a wheel to swallow.

The issues start near Northbrook Farm in the narrowed section where there are serious grooves in the middle of the lane then a whole stretch of rough patched potholes before the roundabout and then the grooves between the two lanes.

On the exit from the roundabout there is a groove between the two lanes and a number of potholes toward lane 2.

There was also a section of road which became covered in mud after a short shower, which was only partially cleared by the traffic during the event.

The only rider who reported any issues said he was looking for the potholes I had warned him about and he said he 'must have lost at least a couple of minutes looking for the potholes'.

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