

**Burnley and Pendle CTC - Route Sheet - 50 mile Challenge Ride - starts at 9.00am Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2017 at Whalley Bus Station**

	Directions	Miles
1*	Leave WBS and turn right up King St.	0.00
2*	At mini r'bout turn left onto Station Rd	0.13
3	Continue on this road leaving Whalley, cross River Ribble by Aspinall Arms, climb short hill then turn right immed. after Hillcrest Tea Rooms	2.40
4	Follow to T. Turn right	2.98
5	Through Mitton hamlet, then fork left as main rd bears to right	3.46
6	At Next X rds turn right	4.40
7.	At T junc. turn left and immediate right up short hill	5.00
8.*	Continue to Waddington. Go past Lower Buck pub and St Helens church. Turn left at junction then right past Higher Buck pub	6.96
9.	Continue through West Bradford and on to Grindleton (up steep hill - low gear necessary or walk?) Regroup at top	9.42
10	Continue on Sawley Rd past schools and descend towards Sawley. Turn left at T junc. (don't go over bridge)	10.65
11	Continue to Bolton by Bowland. (Toilets on right entering village.) Fork left in village centre up Hellifield Rd	12.94
12	Continue on this gradual climb and then descend to X rds. Go straight across and continue through Halton West to T junc with A682. Turn left and then first right	19.71
13	Continue into Hellifield. Turn right onto A65.	20.22
14	After approx 300 yds fork left and follow this lane through Otterburn and on to Airton Xrds	23.88
15	Turn left and continue to Town End Farm Cafe - Lunch Stop	24.36
16	Retrace to Airton Xrds but go straight on and through Eshton towards Gargrave. On approaching Gargrave turn right opp. Caravan site on narrow lane that emerges by Dalesman Cafe on A65	29.43
17*	Cross A65 and go over river to Masons Arms. Turn right	29.56
18	Follow this rd then fork left up short steep hill	32.79
19	Continue to next right turn sp Gisburn (don't go down steep hill)	33.84
20*	Continue to junction with A59. Turn right	34.72
21*	Continue on A59 to Gisburn. Turn right by Cattle Market	38.04
22*	Follow this rd through Bolton by Bowland and on to Sawley, over bridge and onto junction with A59. Immediately before the A59 junc turn right onto cycle path. <b>(NB. Take extra care here as cars turn in quickly off main rd and will not be aware of your intended turn.)</b>	44.40
23	Follow the cycle track by side of main rd until it joins A671 at T junc. Turn right	45.65
24	Go through Chatburn village, climb Crow Trees Brow and the turn left immediately after Shackletons Garden Centre	46.22
25*	Continue to A59 junc. Take care crossing A59 onto cycle path on opposite side of rd	46.48
26	Follow this path to T junction in Worston facing Calf's Head pub. Turn right	46.75
27	Leaving village bear left on lane - just before concrete sheep!	46.93
28*	This lane becomes a cycle path alongside A59. Continue to end of path then recross A59	47.61
23*	Follow this lane to a X rds. Go straight across	48.29
24*	Continue right to the end of this lane with a gate across it. Go round the gate and bear right on cycle path. Use the traffic refuge to cross the main rd. From cycle route take care turning right onto Whalley Rd	49.70
25	Follow the rd past Clitheroe Golf Club, through Barrow village (50miles up somewhere here!) and onto to Whalley Bus Station	51.69
<b>Items marked with an * above are at busy junctions or sections of main rd which require extra care</b>		

**Burnley and Pendle CTC - Route Sheet - 50 mile Challenge Ride - starts at 9.00am Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2017 at Whalley Bus Station**

**Important Notes**

- 1. This ride is not a race and has no time limit and the rules of the road should be observed at all times and riders should conduct themselves in a safe manner taking into account the conditions on the day.**
- 2. Familiarise yourself with the route beforehand.**
- 3. Ensure that you and your machine are capable of making the journey - there are no rescue facilities and if you have any doubts about this do not attempt this ride.**
- 4. Ensure that you have sufficient supplies of food and drink to complete the ride and that you have sufficient spares, tools and clothing with you to be able to complete the ride.**
- 5. As with all Cycling UK/ Burnley and Pendle CTC rides you are on a private excursion on the public highway so ensure that you are fully capable and self sufficient.**
- 6. If you have any queries before the ride you can contact Harry Taylor on [harrytaylor1950@hotmail.com](mailto:harrytaylor1950@hotmail.com) or 075 22 343 181. I'll be doing the ride myself so may not be contactable after the ride starts.**
- 7. You'll need to register for the ride on the morning and let me know if you want the certificate. If you're not a CTC/Cycling UK member you'll also need to complete a Guest Rider form - I'll supply these on the day.**
- 8. You don't need to sign in at the end to prove you've completed the ride - we'll take it on trust that you've done it unless you tell us to the contrary.**