



BARNESLEY ROAD CLUB - CONSTITUTION

Version 2018

- 1 That the club shall be called the Barnsley Road Club and shall consist of an unlimited number of members.
- 2 That the objective of the Club is the furthering of the interests of all forms of cycling
- 3 That the Club shall consist of male and female members divided into the following classes with the annual rates of subscription as approved at the A.G.M:-

Junior members (upto and including 17 years of age), -	£2-00 per person.
Adult members (over 18 years of age), -	£10-00 per person
- 4 That persons wishing to become members of the Club shall supply all information required on an entrance form. All applying members must confirm their acceptance of this constitution and the clubs code(s) of conduct
- 5 It is recommended that all riding members should be affiliated to `British Cycling`, or `Cyclist`s Touring Club`, or some other body giving third party insurance.
- 6 That there will be no lower age limit on membership. Children under the age of 16 shall only be allowed to attend main section club runs when accompanied by a parent/guardian or responsible adult.
- 7 Subscriptions shall become due on January 1st. for the current year. Unless a member`s subscription shall have been paid before February 28th that membership shall be taken as lapsed and they shall require re-election.
- 8 That no member shall allow themselves to become a first claim member or official representative of any other cycling club without sanction of the executive committee.
- 9 Life membership shall be awarded to any member who has 21 years unbroken membership or who has rendered outstanding service to the Club. The member shall receive a club certificate denoting the same. For the purpose of life membership, junior members shall be regarded as members of the Club from the date of admission as a junior member.
- 10 The business of the Club shall be carried out by an Executive Committee composed of the following,
 - President
 - Chairperson
 - General secretary,
 - Treasurer
 - Racing secretary
 - Social secretary
 - Press secretary
 - Club-runs captain,
 - Leader of `B` rides
 - Club Welfare Officer
 - U18 Membership Elected Representative

These, together with the Press Secretary and 2 Auditors shall ALL retire annually, but shall be eligible for re-election.

The General Secretary may, at the A.G.M. at which he/she is elected nominate a member to act during the year as Assistant General secretary, (with membership of the Executive committee) subject to approval of the nomination.



11 Persons desirous of holding office with the Club shall be nominated by two members of the Club.

12 Vice Presidents may be elected at any General Meeting as a recognition of services rendered to the Club, provided that a two-thirds majority of the members present agree. Such Vice Presidents shall remain in office whilst retaining membership of the Club, or until called upon by two-thirds of the members present to resign. Vice Presidents shall, by virtue of that office, be deemed members of all committees and shall be permitted to hold any other office within the Club to which they may be elected.

13 General meetings shall be held half yearly. These are to take place in the months of April and October.

14 Fourteen days' notice shall be given of all General Meetings

15 Minutes of the last A.G.M. shall be read at the Half Yearly General Meeting. Half Yearly Meeting minutes for the second half of the year shall be read at the following A.G.M.

16 The Executive Committee shall have full management of the affairs and funds of the Club. It shall have full power to expel any member for misconduct and refuse admission to anyone they consider undesirable.

17 If at any meeting there does not consist of a quorum within thirty minutes of the time stipulated for the commencement of that meeting, it shall be declared void and a date thereupon decided for a further meeting.

18 The Executive Committee is empowered to temporarily fill any vacancy caused by the death, resignation or otherwise, of any officer of the Club.

19 The Club captain shall have charge of, and full authority on all club runs.

20 The Barnsley Road Club colours shall be, White, Black & Turquoise with Barnsley Road Club badge.

21 The Racing Secretary and/or any other nominated official shall handicap all Club events where handicaps are awarded.

22 Awards or prizes for Club events shall be as follows:-

1st. fastest, ----- Trophy to be held for one year.

Ladies, Juniors/Juveniles, where there is a trophy, it will be held for one year.

All prize winners to receive an inscribed memento.

Reliability Rides, all Club members completing a ride will receive a certificate, any member completing all three rides in one year will receive an inscribed Club Medal. Entry fee:- £1 per ride.

23 Time Trials. Counting events (which be any open or club event) for Barnsley Road Club's Mens Best All Rounder competition and Veterans Best All Rounder (on Standard) competition shall be :- 50 miles, 100 miles and 12 hours. If no male or veteran finishes a 12 hour event then the counting events shall be, 25 miles, 50 miles and 100 miles. Counting events (which can be any open or club event) for Womens Best All Rounder competition shall be:- 25 miles, 50 miles and 100 miles. If no female rider completes a 100 mile event then the counting events shall be 25 miles and 50 miles.

24 No second claim member with less than 10 years unbroken membership shall be allowed to compete for club awards.



25 junior members, (12 years of age and up to and including 17 years of age) shall only be eligible to compete in Club or `open` time trials subject to written consent of parents.

26 Conditions for Club Records and standard times to be reviewed annually at the A.G.M.

27 Any question affecting the Club and not covered by the foregoing rules shall be dealt with by the Executive Committee, whose decision on such questions shall be final.

28 No alteration of the foregoing rules shall be affected unless the ambiguity or interpretation of any rule has an adverse effect on the good running of the Club and its members. The Executive Committee shall be empowered to use its discretion and by a two-thirds majority amend the said rule. Any rule which has been amended shall be re-proposed at the next General Meeting for approval of the Club members.

29 Dissolution – A resolution can be proposed, by any club member in advance of any AGM, (or EGM) to all members of the executive committee, providing there is submission of this proposal by 31st January, or 14 days prior to any EGM (By nature this will need to be fast paced) respectively.

The proposal must receive 100% of all executive committee votes in favour, to support any presentation of a resolution to dissolve the club in an official club meeting. The proposal will be addressed once by the executive committee and not carried over for future review. A response to the proposing member is required only to confirm the decision.

A resolution to dissolve the Club can only be passed at an AGM (or EGM) through a vote of the membership, and can only succeed if 80% or more votes are in favour, from those physically present (including abstentions) at the meeting.

In the event of the dissolution of the Club, any assets remaining after the satisfaction of all debts and liabilities shall not be paid to or distributed among the members of the Club, but shall be given or transferred to one or more of the following approved sporting or charitable bodies.

1. A registered charitable organisation/s
2. Another Club which is registered CASC
3. The sports national governing body for use by them for related community sports.