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# RISK ASSESSMENT

Course	HCC269
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## Course for HCC 269

Start at the 3rd tree on the left in Missenden road approximately 200 meters before Butlers Cross cross roads. Proceed to Butlers Cross cross roads where turn left (M1) into Ellesborough road. Proceed through Ellesborough to the junction with the A4010.

Turn left (M2) onto A4010 and continue to the roundabout near Askett. Turn left (M3) into Cadsden road to climb Cadsden hill and descend Longdown hill to the T-junction with Missenden road. Turn left (M4) into Missenden road and continue pass Chequers house and descend hill to the start point approximately 200 meters short of Butlers Cross cross roads to complete one circuit.

Repeat circuit. Continue for a third circuit to finish at the third tree on the left approximately 200 meters before Butlers Cross crossroads

Marshalls are included in this course description solely to indicate the course. They perform no role whatsoever in respect of the Risk Assessment itself.

## Traffic Flows

**ORGANISERS OF EVENTS IN 2016 ARE REQUESTED TO CARRY OUT A TRAFFIC COUNT DURING THEIR EVENT AND SUBMIT TO LWDC TOGETHER WITH THE EVENT RESULTS.**

## Course Restrictions

None

## Course History

Course used for club events for the past 5 years

No	Location	Appx Dist	Perceived Risk	Level	Action Required
1	Start point	0	Traffic passing riders waiting to start	Low	Place <b>warning sign</b> before start. All officials to wear <b>Hi-Viz upper garments. Riders to wear Hi Viz numbers on their backs.</b> Riders attention raised to traffic movement at time of their start. Riders waiting to start must <b>keep off the highway.</b>
2	Crossroads in Butlers Cross	0.15	Competitors turning left into Ellesborough Road. Traffic entering and leaving crossroads being unaware of cycling event	Medium	Cycle Event warning signs (2,3) on eastern approach to Butlers Cross cross roads on Wendover Road and on Chalkshire Road approach from the North.
3	Junction of Ellesborough Road with A4010	1.25	Competitors turning left to join A4010	Low	Cycle Event warning sign (4) on northern approach of A4010 to junction with Ellesborough Road to alert drivers.
4	Roundabout in Askett at the junction with Cadsden Road, the A4010 and minor road from Askett	2.5	Competitors turning left into Cadsden Road to give way to traffic coming from right on roundabout. Traffic approaching RAB being unaware of cycling event.	Medium	Cycle Event warning signs (5,6) on western approach from Askett and on southerly approach of A4010, Aylesbury Road from Princes Risborough.
5	Junction of Longdown Hill with Missenden Road	4.25	Sharp left turn into Missenden Road	Medium	Cycle Event warning sign (7) on southerly approach of Missenden Road to junction with Longdown Hill to alert drivers.
6	Finish point	6.33 (19.0 miles 3 circuits)	Danger from passing vehicles	Low	All officials to wear <b>Hi-Viz upper garments. Riders to continue past the finish without stopping.</b> A finish chequer board or flag is to be displayed at finish. It must be fixed to ensure it is not affected by passing traffic. Competitors to continue past the finish point and continue for further circuits or finish and return to HQ car park
7	Wherever placing or removing signs		Danger from passing vehicles	Medium	Be very vigilant of traffic conditions, It is strongly recommended that sign erectors to wear Hi-Viz upper garments complying with BS EN 1150, BS EN 471 or ISO EN 20471:2013

Side road junctions, the small junctions or entrances to farms/facilities (garages, cafes etc) that are not mentioned in this risk assessment have been considered, they are not considered significant to pose a risk and therefore have not been noted.