

Fred Ogle Memorial Ride 2018

Event Information



Date: Sunday 11th November 2018

For 2018 we are going back to basics as the event nearly wasn't going to happen this year. The entity that the event has been run under over recent years decided it no longer wanted to run the event. However as one door closes another opens, so for this year the event is being organised otherwise while a Charitable Trust is being established to enable this to be done more easily in the future. The new Trust will also enable the Bikes in Schools and Cycle Skills Education work that was happening in Northland to continue in much the same way that it has over recent years. Any proceeds from this year's event will be donated to the SDB (Simply Delivering Bike) Northland Charitable Trust.

The courses and the event format will be the same as they were in 2017 if you were there but to keep things simple, reduce the entry fees and keep costs down, there will be some changes as detailed below.

Stuart Bell will be the event organiser and contact person for enquiries.

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The Rides

Fred Ogle 110km Ride

This course is a 110km out and back route from the Mangakahia Sports complex through the back of Jordan Valley to Hukerunui and return.

Lynley MacDonald 50km Ride

This ride will follow the first part of 110km route but will have a turn-around point just under half the way along it to send riders back to the sports complex to finish.

Avantiplus Whangarei 12.5km & 25km Fun Rides

Both these rides start from the Mangakahia Sports complex heading west along Mangakahia Rd. Riders will turn left on to Whatatiri Rd then left again on to Kerehunga Rd and make their way back to the Sports complex. 25km riders will do this circuit twice.

For detailed course Maps and directions please email the event organiser or see copies at AvantiPlus Whangarei.

How to Enter

Please print the entry form or collect one from the AvantiPlus Whangarei store, fill in all the details required and sign it. Then at any time on or before Tuesday 6th of November you can either, scan it and email a copy to the organiser at Stu.Bell@xtra.co.nz , or during their opening hours leave a signed hard copy at the AvantiPlus Whangarei store on the corner of Walton and Albert Streets in Whangarei.

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How and when to pay your entry fees

Direct credit only please. Pay your entry fee by direct credit into ASB account 12 3099 0206079 00 so it arrives on or before Tuesday 6th of November 2018. Use Fred18 and the event you have entered (e.g. 110km) as the particulars and your Surname (with your initials if they will fit) in the reference field.

Entry Fees

Fred Ogle Memorial Ride 110km – Adult	NZD 60.00
Fred Ogle Memorial Ride 110km – Junior (Under 18 on day of event)	NZD 40.00
Lynley MacDonald Memorial Ride 50km– Adult	NZD 40.00
Lynley MacDonald Memorial Ride 50km– Junior (Under 18 on day of event)	NZD 20.00
AvantiPlus Whangarei 25km Fun Ride – Adult	NZD 30.00
AvantiPlus Whangarei 25km Fun Ride – Junior (Under 18 on day of event)	NZD 15.00
AvantiPlus Whangarei 12.5km Fun Ride – Adult	NZD 20.00
AvantiPlus Whangarei 12.5km Fun Ride – Junior (Under 18 on day of event)	NZD 10.00

Entry Confirmation

If entry and payment are both received on or before Tuesday 6th of November a confirmation email will be sent.

Late entries

Late entry fees (up to an additional \$20 above regular entry fees e.g. \$80 for 110km Adult late entry) apply to **entries submitted after Tuesday 6th of November.**

Late entries will be accepted up until 2:00pm on Saturday 10th of November. Email Stu.Bell@xtra.co.nz for a late entry form to fill in, scan and email back or enter instore at Avantiplus Whangarei from Wednesday 7th of November until Friday 9th of November between 10:00am and 5:30pm or on Saturday 10th of November between 10:00am to 2:00pm. Payment for all late entries must be received before 2:00pm on Saturday the 10th of November. Cash payments for instore entries will be accepted. Please bring sufficient cash with you if you wish to submit an entry instore at AvantiPlus Whangarei

There will be no entries accepted on the day.

Race pack collection

Wednesday 7th of November to Friday 9th of November from 10:00am to 5:30pm and Saturday 10th of November from 10:00am to 2:00pm at Avantiplus, cnr Albert and Walton St Whangarei or Sun 11th from 8:00am to 8:30am at the Mangakahai Sports Complex for those who live outside of the Whangarei District.

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Riders Briefing

All participants must attend a riders briefing prior to the start of the event they have entered. Riders briefing for the 110km ride will be held at 8:45am. A combined riders briefing for the 50km, 25km and 12.5km rides will be held at 9:15am. These will all be held in the Mangakahia Recreation centre grounds not on Kerehunga Road as has happened before.

Race start times

The Fred Ogle Memorial 110km ride starts at 9:00am. All riders should be ready to move to the start line at 8:55am after your riders briefing is completed. For safety reasons please place yourself in approximate finishing time order when you line up at the start.

The Lynley MacDonald Memorial 50km ride will start at 9:30am. All riders should be ready to move to the start line at 9.25am after riders briefing is complete. Again for safety reasons please place yourself in approximate finishing time order when you line up at the start.

The Avantiplus Whangarei 12.5km, and 25km rides will start at 9.40am. Please be ready to move to the start as soon as the 50km riders have departed.

Event timing

As it was done at the inaugural Fred Ogle Memorial Ride in 2008 this year's timing will be done manually. Remembering this is not a UCI world championship event, podium places will be decided by finish line judges. Other than that riders in bunch finishes will generally be given the same time and we would appreciate it if you can help us with your final finishing positions that will be recorded when you have made your way down the road and are entering the sports complex grounds again. If it is that close that you can't decide between yourselves you will be given equal placings.

Safety

All riders must wear an approved safety NZ cycle helmet while riding the event. All roads used for this event are open to traffic. Bicycles used must be fitted with all equipment required for them to be legally used on public roads and all road rules are to be obeyed by participants at all times.

Support Crews

The 110 km ride will be followed by first aid and mechanical support and a sag wagon if you happen to need it.

Trophies and Spot prizes and Prize Money

Prize-giving for all events will take place at the sports complex at 2pm.

The Fred Ogle Memorial Ride Trophy will be awarded to the first male to complete the 110km course. The Lynley McDonald Trophy will be awarded the first female to complete the 110km course. You must be present to be eligible for spot prizes.

With increased costs for Public Liability Insurance required by the road controlling authorities and to provide cover for the organiser and volunteers need to run this event we have tried to offset this with some cost savings in other areas. However subject to entries and other support the allocation of prize money if any will be at the discretion of the event organiser.