



## Cycling Events Risk Assessment Form

**Course Assessed: Astwood**

**Course Code: F5v/10**

**Date of Assessment:**

<b>Course Description:</b>	<i>Into and alongside the villages of Astwood and North Cranfield. Located to the north-east of Milton Keynes.</i>
<b>Traffic Flows:</b>	<i>Very low on the majority of roads used. Increased road flow on A422.</i>
<b>Course History (previous issues, rider feedback etc):</b>	<i>Successfully used for many years by NBRC for TT's and other road racing organised by other clubs. No known accidents or incidents.</i>
<b>Course Variants:</b>	<i>This course is also used with a start point in Astwood High Street. The course risk assessment is otherwise the same as presented here – it starts at approximately 2.1 miles on this risk assessment, and finishes at the top of the climb into Astwood.</i>

<b>Key Identified Risks:</b>				
<b>Distance (miles)</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Identified Significant Risk/Hazards</b>	<b>Measures to Reduce/Control Risk</b>	<b>Level of Risk Low/Med/High</b>
0.0	Start Point, opposite Bike Bus.	Riders warming up, riders lining up.	Cycle warning signs.	Low
0.0	Start Point, opposite Bike Bus.	Poor road surface.	Riders made aware at sign on.	Low
2.0	Left turn in Astwood.	Possible traffic at T-Junction.		Low
2.2	Left turn on to A422.	Joining on to faster, busier road. Give way to right.	Warning signs on A422 prior to the cyclists left turn. Riders made aware at sign on.	Med
2.2-5.7	A422.	Road traffic, Various lay-bys.	Riders made aware at sign on.	Low
5.7	A422 left turn in Chicheley.	Sharp left hand turn.	Riders made aware at sign on.	Low
7.5	Left turn at T-junction in North Crawley.	Give way to right.	Riders made aware at sign on.	Low
8.7		Sharp left turn.	Riders made aware at sign on.	Low
9.4	Left turn on to Astwood Road.			Low
10.0	Finish point.	Other riders in vicinity. Cars turning out from the Bike Bus.	Rider caution advised at sign on.	Low

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