

Welwyn Hatfield Cycling Forum Newsletter March 2014

Second Saturday Social 8th March

This month's most excellent ride will be a visit to Jacks Cafe in Wheathampstead using different routes out and back.

We will leave the Forum, Herts Uni at 11am. More details -

<http://www.welhatcycling.org.uk/events.htm#MAR>

WGC Town Redevelopment

We were rather dismayed to discover that the current plans have no provision for cycling.

The proposal fails to address the very poor access from the east side of town and doesn't improve safety on the fast Campus gyratory.

While WHBC claim to encourage cycling, in practice the reality of getting quality infrastructure built still remains elusive.

When answering the questionnaire, beware of the skewed questions that focus on the detail without seeing the big picture.

http://consult.welhat.gov.uk/portal/planning_policy/wgc_town_centre_north_spd/wgc_tcn_spd

Online submission requires easy registration. The scheme is currently open for consultation until 10th March.

Five Miles to Fabulous

We will be running a ladies only ride on 26th April, leaving Monks Walk School, WGC at midday.

More details nearer the time.

Start Them Young

Kids appear from

1m.20s <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=34FyWCutqvw> See if you can spot the dog.

Handcycle up the Mountain

An account of how Karen Darke became the first person to handcycle up Cader Idris, North Wales.

<http://www.cyclingnorthwales.co.uk/pages/handbikes.htm>

Most of our events for the year are now on the website, but do check for changes before travelling.

Regds John

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