



VMCC West Wiltshire Section



Regulations for the Second White Horse Challenge 1st May to 4th June 2021

The White Horse Challenge run as an alternative to the White Horse Trial in 2020 due to the Pandemic was very successful. So we have decided to run it again this year as well as the WHT itself which is scheduled for 4th July 2021. To enter the Challenge just send an email or telephone (see contacts below) and you will get a copy of the final regs with locations and questions or confirmation of where they can be downloaded.

Formally the challenge will run from 1st May to 4th June 2021 – but see below. The theme this year is Wiltshire Airfields and we believe there were no less than 32 in use at some time in the last century though physical evidence of most is now hard to find. All locations are accessible on paved roads but there are some green lane options nearby if you enjoy such activity.

To cover all locations, you would need OS Landranger Maps 163 Cheltenham, 173 Swindon, 174 Newbury, 183 Frome and 184 Salisbury. However, before rushing out and buying maps, you will probably find the airfield history document enclosed with these regs or sent separately has sufficient map detail to do the job. However, note the locations in this document are generic, not the necessarily the clue locations.

Riders will start and finish from home or any other location of their choosing following the Covid-19 safety guidelines in force at the time. There is no target, how many you visit and over what period is up to you. There is no entry fee and no signing on/off. There are no classes, no machine type or age restrictions. Nor is it limited to VMCC members, anyone can have a go. You can take the family in the car if you wish.

Questions, which have to be answered correctly to prove you visited the exact spot, are included with the location list. This will be sent out on request or available for download from <https://westwilts.vmcc.net/> about 25th April. Where there is no obvious physical sign of the airfield, a nearby landmark has been substituted. If you cannot find the clue you can submit a photo but keep them under 1mb file sizes please.

We would like to know how many people took part so request that you submit your answer sheet to Peter at starfield181@gmail.com by noon on Friday 4th June. You can of course do the challenge later if you wish but will not be eligible for the incentive prize mentioned below.

To enhance the challenge, points are allocated to each location on the following basis.

Zeals – 50 points

Kemble, Ramsbury, and Colerne – 25 points each.

All other locations – 10 points

The three highest scoring entrants will each receive a free entry to the White Horse Trial on 4th July 2021. Tie break rules will be established at the organiser's discretion – please complete the answer sheet fully.

As far as possible, everything has to be done by email. If you don't have access to this, try teaming up with someone who does. Contact Keith or myself if this presents a problem and we will do our best to help.

Please ride in compliance with the NMC Covid Safe Rider guidelines which can be found at <https://www.uknmc.org/downloads> . Park discretely and ride safely.

Have fun.

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