



Portsmouth Cycle Forum Meeting Thursday 14 March 2013

Eastney Community Centre, 7.15-9.15pm

Agenda

Welcome and introductions

1. Who Are Cycle Lanes For? – Chris Boardman presents ...
2. A vision for cycling (in London and Portsmouth)

Annual General Meeting

3. Apologies for absence
4. Minutes of Annual General Meeting of 8 March 2012
5. Matters arising from these minutes
6. Chairman's report
7. Treasurer's report and accounts
8. Proposed changes to the constitution
9. Nomination and Election of Officers
The current Chairman, Vice-chairman, Hon. Secretary and Hon. Treasurer offer themselves for re-election.
 - Chairman
 - Vice-chairman
 - Hon. Secretary
 - Hon. Treasurer
10. Nomination and election of Executive Committee Members (Not less than 6 or more than 8 persons).

Other topics

11. Local Sustainable Transport Fund – update
12. Infrastructure update
13. Forthcoming events
14. AOB and Open Forum
 - including is Thursday the best day for PCF meetings?
15. Dates of future meetings (subject to confirmation) : 9 May, 11 July, 12 September, 7 November
16. Close

See reverse for meetings and events

Meetings and events

17 March 2013 - TEO in Gosport Ride

Start: Guildhall square at 10am. Route: mostly cycle paths and quiet roads Description: across to Gosport via the ferry to follow the route to Alverstoke to see the Crescent and the Crescent Gardens which were designed by Thomas Ellis Owen (TEO) in the 1820s. TEO designed much of Southsea Garden Suburb.

31 March 2013 - Isle of Wight Ride

Meet at 09:00 at Portsmouth Harbour Station in the Fastcat lounge. Route: mostly country lanes Description: Following the 1/2 Round the Island route (the full round the island next time?).

28 April 2013 - Wickham Ride

Start: Guildhall Square at 10am Route: cycle ways and country roads Description: ride out to Wickham via Soberton and Swanmore, south along the disused railway and then back into town via Nelson's monument and Portchester.

9 May 2013 – Portsmouth Cycle Forum meeting

25 May 2013 - Portsmouth World Naked Bike Ride

Portsmouth World Naked Bike Ride is a clothes-optional fun ride around Southsea and Old Portsmouth. In common with 70 similar naked bike rides that take place around the world, the aims are several: To draw attention to the profligate use of fossil fuels by society. To draw attention to the vulnerability of cyclists on our roads. To celebrate the simple innocence of the human body. Full details at www.portsmouthwnbr.org. Starts at 13:00, duration is 02:30 hours.

PCF has been asked to provide a running bike repair service for the ride. Volunteers?

09 June 2013 - Round the Harbours Bike Ride 2013

Perfect for riders of all abilities, this 30 mile summer cycling event passes some suprising coastline and takes in two ferry crossings. With start and finish points at Havant, Fareham, Gosport and Southsea, it is ideal for families, groups of friends, corporate teams and individuals. This journey is an enjoyable ride through some fascinating countryside. More details at www.bfh.org/uk/roundtheharbours.

19 – 23 June Bike Week 2013 – www.bikeweek.org.uk

11 July 2013 – Portsmouth Cycle Forum meeting

12 September 2013 – Portsmouth Cycle Forum meeting

7 November 2013 – Portsmouth Cycle Forum meeting

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