The Cambridge Autumnal 100 '20

1 Girton to Great Thurlow 33km

Turn Left from Girton Pavilion towards Cambridge

SO @ mrbt (no \$) to L @ T \$ CAMBRIDGE

i Good, wide cycle path on LH-side

SO @ **3**×**TL**, descend Castle Hill (castle mound behind car park on LH-side)

SO @ TL, SO @ mrbt, then L @ T by Round Church opp Hardy's, to R @ T, imm L @ TL

SO @ **all TLs and RBTs** to Cambridge Airport \$ NEWMARKET A1134, becomes A1303

SO @ RBT after P+R and runway approach

L before electronic sign, \$ Stow cum Quy NCN51, through underpass **then R** on lane

Follow NCN \$ Bottisham to cross road and rejoin A1303

i <u>For the quick and the brave</u>: ignore L turn and cont to SO @ RBT – **CARE BUSY!** – and keep in RH lane \$ NEWMARKET A1303

In 1.5km, 1st R \$ The Wilbrahams

SO @ **X** in Six Mile Bottom \$ BRINKLEY and climb up onto the chalk escarpment

In Brinkley **R** @ **T eff SO IMM L eff SO** \$ GT BRADLEY

In 800m turn L \$ GT BRADLEY

R @ **T** \$ GT BRADLEY and cross the River Stour into Suffolk

Thru Great Bradley, Little Thurlow to Great Thurlow

INFO CONTROL Great Thurlow 33km

i Just after the crossroads and bus stop in Great Thurlow, answer the question in your brevet.

장 Cambridge Audax

Organised by Nick Wilkinson, 07500 787785.

This Audax UK event takes place on Saturday 17 October 2020, starting at 9:00am.

Control opening and closing times are shown on the brevet.

If you decide to abandon the ride, please let us know by text or phone on 07500 787785, so that we don't have to wait for you to 'not arrive'!

This event is run under the governance of Audax UK and is undertaken as a private excursion on public roads. This route is advisory.

For more audax events around Cambridge, visit our website at <u>www.camaudax.uk</u>.

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Key to symbols and abbreviations

Distances in kilometres from start of each stage R, L, RHS, LHB—Right, Left, Right/left-hand side/bend **SO**—Straight on @—At thru—Through cont—Continue opp—opposite IMM—Immediately gn—Green **T**—T-junction GT—Green Triangle X—Crossroads (give way) STGX—Staggered X [x]—Crossroads (in your favour, easy to miss) RBT (3E)—Roundabout, third exit mrbt—Mini RBT **TL**—Traffic lights **JCN**—Junction \$ Stow-cum-Quy—Sign to Stow-cum-Quy \$ MOULTON—Sign to and go to/through Moulton [Hall Rd]—Signed street name NCN51—National Cycle Network route 51 (blue signs) PH—Public house pedx—Pedestrian crossing *i* — information or note

More here: <u>www.camaudax.uk/audax/routesheet</u>

2 Gt Thurlow to Thaxted 28km

Cont SO, thru Gt Wratting, to ...

SO @ STGX \$ KEDINGTON B1061

Thru Kedington, Calford Gn to Sturmer where ...

L @ T IMM R \$ 6'6" [Hill Lane]

Thru Steeple Bumpstead — garage on right

2km after Steeple Bumpstead, **turn L** by metal railings \$ Finchingfield

In 3.8km, 1st R \$ THAXTED

In 1.2km, 1st L no \$

L @ T imm R (GT) \$ THAXTED and into Little Sampford [*Hall Road*]

Soon R @ T (GT) then 1st L (GT) \$ THAXTED

R @ T and into Thaxted where ...

R @ T \$ SAFFRON WALDEN

CONTROL Thaxted 64km

i Garage, Post Office, café, pubs

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3 Thaxted to Saffron Walden 13km

Climb main road past ancient Guildhall to L after historic church \$ DEBDEN [*Bolford St?*]

SO @ X after Debden \$ SAFFRON WALDEN

In Walden, **SO** @ **mrbt then SO** @ **TL then R** @ **mrbt** and descend to town centre where ...

R @ TL into one-way

CONTROL Saffron Walden 74km

i Bicicletta café on LHS, or L after Starbucks for ATMs, shops, other cafés. In these covid-times I will accept a suitable, recognisable selfie

4 Saffron Walden to Girton 36km

Cont along one-way street from Bicicletta to ...

bear L @ **mrbt** \$ LT WALDEN and climb to **SO** @ **mrbt** \$ LT WALDEN B1052 [*Castle Hill*]

In Linton L @ T IMM R \$ Library [High Street]

Bear L *into one-way system* then bear right to follow priority, then ...

i There are roadworks at the top of the oneway — you may need to dismount and use the pavement for a short section.

L @ T no \$ and continue climbing

Cont to T-junction in Balsham where ...

L @ T \$ FULBOURN, CAMBRIDGE, soon ...

INFO CONTROL Answer the question on the brevet just as you leave the village.

i Enjoy the long descent(s) to Fulbourn where ...

SO @ double-mrbt no \$ [Cambridge Rd]

i Shared-use path on RH-side

L @ RBT eff SO \$ CAMBRIDGE

SO @ TL \$ CITY CENTRE

SO @ **RBT** no \$ [*Cherry Hinton Rd*] into 20 zone **SO** @ **2**×**TL** to ...

R @ TL no \$ [Hills Rd] and over bridge

SO @ 3×TLs, thru restriction to city centre

i CARE PEDESTRIANS! Take your time thru city

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centre — shoppers and tourists are <u>not</u> expecting quick cyclists! **WE REALLY, REALLY MEAN THIS!**

SO @ TL by John Lewis then bear R by Lloyds Bnk

Bear R to L @ T \$ no left turn 'except cycles'

L @ TL to SO @ TL then bear R into 1-way

SO on RH-bend/[x] \$ Ped Zone [Bridge St] **then SO** thru restriction and mrbt to ...

SO @ TL and climb Castle Hill to ...

SO @ **double-TL** and **cont SO** at all TLs to pass *BP Garage* on RH-side, then ...

Soon R \$ GIRTON then SO @ mrbt

Cont to the recreation ground on RH-side

ARRIVÉE Girton Recreation Pavilion

i If organiser is present, fill in and sign your brevet before handing it in with any receipts; if absent, take a selfie in front of the ornamental fence and post the brevet to the address shown inside with your proofs-of-passage. If validating by GPS then your tracklog is the proof-of-passage and selfies not required.