



Dear Resident

RE: York Cycling Festival - Saturday 24 February - Sunday 25 August

WestCycle, WA's peak cycling body, are bringing back a weekend of cycling fun for the whole family with this fantastic event taking place on Saturday 24 - Sunday 25 August 2019.

The Element Road Series consists of 3 rounds of road bike races which will be run in Gidgegannup, York and Lancelin.

The event follows on from the very successful 2017 and 2018 events and we are happy to be returning to the Shire of York. Cycling will be front and centre in one of the most picturesque and historic locations and we invite you to join us in witnessing WA's best racers in action, enjoy the closed road atmosphere as well as food, beverages and retail wares from the local York businesses. Whether you're looking to race in the graded races, wish to get your children into riding with the free Little Critters event or to cheer on the riders we'd love to see you there!

York Cycling Festival		
Saturday 24 August		
Time	Event	Location
9:30am – 11:00am	King and Queen of the Mountain: Mount Brown Hill Climb - <i>Includes the State Hill Climb Championships</i>	Mount Brown
12:30pm – 6:00pm	Town Criterium and Little Critters Ride	Avon Terrace/ Town Centre
5:45pm	Presentations	Avon Terrace
Sunday 25 August		
Time	Event	Location
8:30am - 11:30am	Gran Fondo - 54km - 94km	Knotts Road - Talbot Road - Talbot West Road - Qualen Road
11:30am - 3:30pm	Road race - 54km - 94km	Knotts Road - Talbot Road - Talbot West Road - Qualen Road
3:30pm	Presentations	Pioneer Avon Park

Please note that roads will not be closed during the Mount Brown Hill Climb (Sat 24 Aug) and Gran Fondo and Road Race (Sun 25 Aug). Traffic Management will be in place to manage traffic but please be careful driving on these roads as there will be cyclists in the area.



Road Closures

Please be advised that the following roads will be closed during the town criterium on Saturday 24 August:

- Avon Terrace (between South Street and Christie Retreat)
- South Street (between Avon Terrace and Lowe Street)
- Lowe Street (between South Street and Christie Retreat)
- Christie Retreat (between Lowe Street and Avon Terrace)
- Macartney Street (between Avon Terrace and Lowe Street)

Road closures will be in place from 11:30am, with streets reopening at 6:00pm. Please see overleaf for the race route and map of impacted streets. If possible, please do not park in the closed roads area if you need to leave during the hours of 11:30am - 6:00pm as this will disturb the event and racing. If you must leave the area during this time, please see one of our event marshals who will be placed around the course and they will guide you out of the area.

Little Critters Event

As part of the town criterium, we will be hosting the 'Little Critters' event. A FREE lap of the circuit for children aged 11 and under (approx 1 km). All types of bikes are welcome (training wheels, BMX, hybrid etc.) with children supervised by parents and coaches during the lap. Registrations for the Little Critters event can be done via our website or on the day from 8:00am - 3:30pm at the Registration Tent at Pioneer Avon Park. No experience necessary, your kids are sure to enjoy riding in a fun and supportive environment, bring the whole family along and join in the fun!

Town Criterium Event Program

- 11:30am - Roads closed
- 12:30pm - Racing commences
- 3:30pm - Little Critters registrations close
- 3:30pm - Penny Farthing Demonstration
- 3:45pm - Little Critters lap
- 5:30pm - Racing concludes
- 5:45pm - Final presentations
- 6:00pm - Event concludes and roads open

Event Village

The registration and main 'village' area will be set up at Pioneer Avon Park.

Town Criterium Traffic management

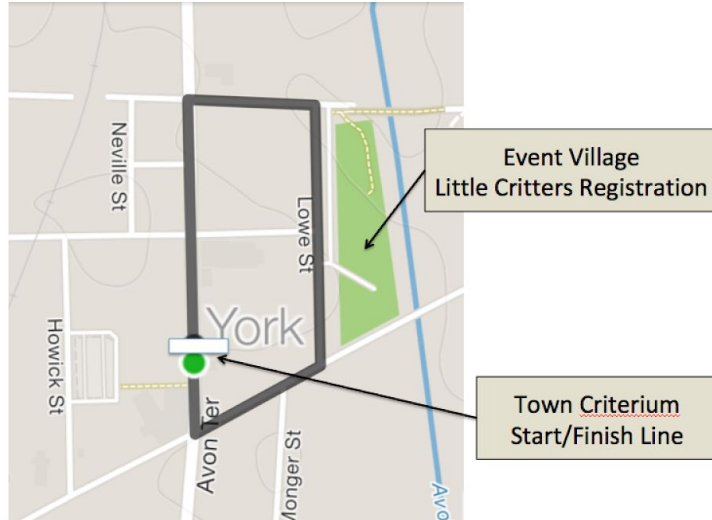
WestCycle have produced a formal Traffic Management Plan with ATM. Formal road closures will be in place from 11:30am to 6.00pm.

Business Engagement

We encourage local businesses to get involved and open their doors to the extra visitors they will have on the day.



Saturday 24 August - Town Criterium Route



Event day contact

Glenn Te Raki - Event Director, WestCycle Incorporated. On day contact only - 0451 412 809

For further information about the York Cycling Festival please visit our website at <https://element.asn.au/york/>

Our apologies for any inconvenience caused to you during this time. We are hoping you will support our event and we look forward to seeing you there! Any enquiries or concerns regarding the event prior to Saturday 24 August may be directed to WestCycle on 6336 9688 or info@westcycle.org.au.