



BSCC senior road racing results page

Race name: Dunnstown - Mt Warrenheip KOM

Date: 14th March 2010

**A Grade**

1<sup>st</sup> Pat Shaw  
2<sup>nd</sup> Jay Bourke  
3<sup>rd</sup> Jon Townsend

**B Grade**

1<sup>st</sup> Warren Faneco  
2<sup>nd</sup> Ben Clark  
3<sup>rd</sup> Aaron Blomeley

**C Grade**

1<sup>st</sup> Jason Haire  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sam Edwards  
3<sup>rd</sup> Tim Oliver

**D Grade**

1<sup>st</sup> Thayne Turley  
2<sup>nd</sup> Kylie Zelly  
3<sup>rd</sup> Michael Colvile

Race description:

**A Grade**

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## C Grade

Report 1 - Gail & Tim Oliver

An unlucky 13 riders fronted up to the Dunnstown Pub for two honest laps of the Corkscrew/Mt. Warrenheip circuit. An interesting mix of new, old and young members prepared for battle in the early hours of Sunday morning, with ideal conditions keeping the mood optimistic ahead of a tough days racing. New members Matt Turner, Paul Crack and Ben Morrison didn't take long to find the front and lift the pace, with young Victory Snibson keeping a close eye on any movements being made, and shutting down any breaks that attempted to go clear. With the peloton moving smoothly like a well oiled machine, Gerard White began driving the bunch after completing the first of two adventures through the corkscrew. With the pace high, a few riders were overcome by the excitement and began attacking the bunch, much to the pleasure of "The Big Man" Jason Haire.

The race continued the seesawing of riders off the front under the watchful eye of "the Race Director" Mr Don Stewart, who had encroached on Gail Oliver's favourite 'possie' in the gravel, meanwhile, karma was catching up with Gerard White, with his strong efforts on the front catching up with him, as he proceeded to drop his chain on two separate occasions.

With anticipation of the finish, and the mount looming in the backdrop, "The Big Man" got itchy feet and belted off the front with under 10km's to go. With the "pimple" and the Warrenheip drawing closer, nobody was keen to throw down a challenge and drag the rest of the bunch back to Jase. The super strong and brave effort by young Josh Liston (who hadn't missed a turn all day) was impressive to say the least, as his gear restrictions made him spin on his pedals like something out of an animated cartoon.

As the "pimple" approached, it was Navajo's Tim Oliver who launched the first attack at the base of the climb, with young Sovereign Hill team member Angus Lyons chasing hard to rejoin the now splintered peloton along with Andrew Pearson. At the base of the climb, it was Liston, Lyons, Edwards and the duo of Tim and Gail Oliver who were still together and chasing Jason who was continuing to drag himself up the Mount. As the climb started in earnest, it was Gail Oliver and Josh Liston who cracked under the pressure, as Lyons, Edwards and Tim Oliver who battled for the now seemingly guaranteed minor places. But 3 into two won't go as Edwards rode off the front to claim second, with Oliver narrowly beating Lyons for third on the line, while Jason Haire wrote himself a ticket into B grade by taking out line honours.

A great day of suffering was had by all.

Report 2 - anonymous

A fantastic day was the call of the day for the first C grade race of the year. There was a good number with a mix of seasoned contenders and a few new faces and juniors thrown together.

The first lap saw the pace stay fairly friendly with some nice even taking of turns going on. A couple of small attacks were had Gerard White and Don Stewart both doing their best to get away but nothing that stuck. The first real attack of the day came from Josh Liston who still riding under 17 gears could not make any ground into the strengthening head wind. The

pace became too much for some with the numbers dwindling as the race went on. The next attack came from Tim Oliver with Andrew Pearson following close behind, Jason Haire jumped on board but it was not to be with the pace settling again. Half way through the last lap and there was less and less rotation towards the front, many were tiring and many others were trying to get a good rest for the final climbs to come. It was then that Jason Haire and Josh Liston after working hard all race found themselves with a small gap, Haire was able to pull away and gain a substantial gap on the field, the sudden burst of pace was too much for Liston. Haire rode the next 10km solo pushing hard to maintain a good lead and give himself a chance against the much more suited hill climbers like Sam Edwards, Josh Liston and Angus Lyons. The rest of the field continued to work to bridge the gap. In the end it was Haire over Edwards who made up a lot of ground in the hills, followed by the tight battle for third where Tim Oliver got over Angus Lyons. Gail Oliver took out first Lady having ridden a fantastic race showing a lot of the men a thing or two about racing.

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