



## **CTA 2019 AGM Achievement Rides Report – Arie Lemson**

2018 was another quiet year for the Achiever series.

A total of 43 rides were completed of which 18 were brevets or take twos. In 2017 a total of 69 rides were completed.

Super Achiever: Bruce Robinson.

Challenge series: Christine Liddiard and John Farely.

Achievers: Stuart Crombie, Liz Marshall and Arie Lemson.

Merit: Kleber Claux.

It seems that there is little demand for long or really hilly rides amongst our 200 plus members and the low turnout supports this. The 100k for instance had only 3 riders on the day so this medium distance through the hills has little appeal to the members. The longer distances are now ridden solo or in very small groups and the brevet option works well in this case. The take two option is no longer available in 2019 and missed opportunities will require a brevet. The 200k in two has also been scrapped because for the second year running, no riders attempted this 2 day event in spite of the coordinator's presence at the start.

I wish the next coordinator good luck as my knee trouble prevents me from completing the second year as envisaged earlier.

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