

**OzHPV – Annual General Meeting Weekend
Beechworth, Victoria.
Friday 23rd, Saturday 24th & Sunday 25th November 2007**

A weekend gathering for OzHPV members and others interested in recumbents and human power vehicles. Based at Beechworth, Victoria, an historical gold town with many interesting places to visit by bike or otherwise. <http://www.beechworth.com/>

The OzHPV Annual General Meeting will be held on Saturday 24th November 6:00pm to 7:00pm at the Beechworth Youth Centre (Old Beechworth Rail Station) at the rail trail head. Members will then retire to a local eating facility for dinner.

Other activities over the weekend will really depend on what attendees want to do. There are plenty of things for non-riding participants and family as well.

Rides of the surrounding areas and using the rail trail are planned for Saturday at a leisurely pace and involving bakery visits. Those arriving on Friday can organise rides to suit themselves.

There are many accommodation options in Beechworth ranging from Bed and Breakfast cottages, grand guest houses, comfy hotels and motels, old world pubs, cabins and caravan parks. The [Lake Sambell Caravan Park](#) which has cabins and camping/ caravan sites and is only a short walk from the town centre. The park has allocated a camping area for our group and is happy for a late check out on Sunday afternoon. Camping fees for non-powered sites are \$11 per person per night.

Other accommodation can be found at <http://www.beechworth.com/accommodation/index.html>

Audax Australia will be conducting a set of three achievement rides on Sunday 25th November starting and finishing at Beechworth and participation by OzHPV members would be welcome. See attached flyer for information on the Audax rides.

* **Note*** You will need to pre enter if taking part in the Audax rides.

Tentative program:

Friday 23rd November

- Early arrivers can organise their own rides on Friday.
- Dinner at Tanswell's Commercial Hotel, 50 Ford St, Beechworth around 6:30pm

Saturday 24th November

- Ride to Myrtleford and return 70km
 - o Hard riders (70km) meet Beechworth Rail Trail head at 8:30am
 - o Moderate riders (52km) drive to Everton Siding for 9:00am start
 - o Drivers meet at Myrtleford Bakery approx 10:30am
- Ride to Stanley and return 16km
 - o Meet 2pm at Beechworth Rail Trail head
 - o Easy ride to Stanley and back
- OzHPV Annual General Meeting
 - o Beechworth Youth Centre Hall
 - 5:30pm for Soft drinks and nibbles supplied by OzHPV.
 - 6:00pm to 7:00pm OzHPV Annual General Meeting
 - o Dinner afterwards in Beechworth at venue to be arranged.

Sunday 25th November

- Participate in various Audax rides (50, 100, 150 or 200km) as per attached information. (Pre-entry required) or
- Easy rides around Beechworth area.
- Late check out from caravan park.

Further information:

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Please advise if you intend coming for the weekend.



Sunday November 25th 2007

The **Indigo Classic @ Beechworth** is an **Audax** bicycle ride throughout NE Victoria's **Indigo** shire. Starting in historic Beechworth, with a choice of **50, 100, 150 or 200km** routes, it traverses the scenic valleys, granite foothills and small towns of the beautiful **North East** region.

*It is an **Audax Australia** (www.audax.org.au) **sanctioned event, run along standard Audax rules and guidelines.***

It is not a race.

The challenge is to choose a distance and complete the ride within a designated time limit calculated on maintaining an overall speed of 15kmh. Entry includes route map & directions, Audax brevet card and emergency pick up if needed.

Food and drink can be purchased in the many small towns on route. Our usual nutritious post event refreshments will be available for a small donation to the local **Friends of East Timor Group**.

Entries are encouraged by Thursday 22nd November. Although entries will be taken on the day they can create delays.

To Enter go to www.audax.org.au/pdf/docs/rideentryform.doc fill in & print off the MSWord entry form, then post to

Indigo Classic, PO Box 304, Beechworth, Vic, 3747 with correct cheque payment (payable to Audax Australia).

Or, email your entry & pay by cash or cheque on the day.

Indigo Classic @ Beechworth				Entry Fees	
Route	Start at	Time Limit	Finish by	Audax & Cycling Australia Members	Non members
50km	8:30am	3hrs 20mins	11:50pm	\$10	\$15
100km	8:00am	6hrs 40mins	2:40pm	\$10	\$15
150km	7:00am	10hrs	5:00pm	\$15	\$20
200km	6:30am	13hrs 30mins	8.00pm	\$15	\$20

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