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RACING NEWS & REVIEWS

Murrarie – B Grade

Four of us shaped up in B grade on a beautiful spring morning – Richard, Stephen, Paulie and myself. No Tim or Robbo so a chance for Richard to slip into the role of the “protected one”. I went off the front from the start with Mat from Ayup and stayed out there for a couple of laps until the pack was close enough that I decided to sit up. After I gave another break a go shortly after, Richard counter attacked and about 8 guys went with him.

It was a perfect situation for us as Richard was a much bigger chance in a pack of that size than the 50 or so that started. Basically the race involved the pack trying to get organised enough to pull back the front group but it just didn't happen. After an average speed of about 41.5 km/hr Richard got not only the Prime but also second place. Great ride by him and he generously added to our end of season kitty again.

Mt Mee TT

I don't have the actual results yet but only two things need be said – it was hot, and there was a big headwind. I don't think I've ever ridden up Mt Mee in those sort of conditions (and I've been up it a lot of times !!).

Next Weekend

Next weekend is the last race of the HPRW season and will be held at Lakeside at 8am. It would be great if we had a really big turn up in A grade. For all those boys who are verging on A grade why not give it a go this weekend before the official season ends.

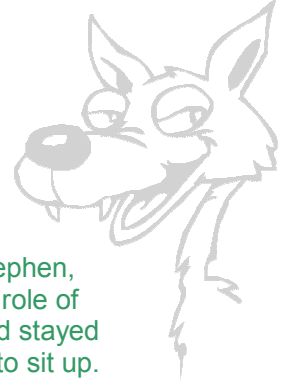
Sat 3 Oct -

Lakeside 8am (HPRW)

Sun 4 Oct – Half Ironman at Calypso Lakes (good luck to all those guys racing).

Training

Tomorrow's ride is out to Beerburrum and back via the waterfront leaving at 5am.



Richard and I did our TT's last Tuesday night and Richard went about 2min 30 faster than his last attempt in 57min 20. I managed to keep him honest in 57min 55 which gave me a 3 second moral victory over Robbo's time from the week before. I'll take any win I can get – even in training.

Behave...

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