

CTC TWO MILLS 70th Anniversary Event

23rd August 2009

Keith and Debbie did a really wonderful job of organising, and indeed, supplying, all the food and drinks for our 70th Anniversary Rides Event.

From the Eureka Café, Janet led some 25 or so riders on the first part of the ride to Hadlow Road Station. This was an interesting route via John Smith's house to pick up his forgotten helmet, and Mike Cross's house to collect his President's Chain of Office for a promised photo shoot.

We had 11's at the station, where other old friends came to talk or join the party for the rest of the day.

I led the second leg to Royden Park, mainly along the Wirral Way, but there were one or two diversions just to keep people's minds on the road ahead.

Lunch was in The Coach House, next to the Walled Garden and was a surprising affair. How did they prepare and transport all that wonderful food? Even the vegetarians and special diets were catered for. Fantastic!

After lunch, we gave a vote of thanks for Keith and Debbie. Some commercials' followed announcing a very full program of events for Chester and North Wales CTC.



This was followed by group photographs and videos before Peter Williams led us back to Hadlow Station for a cream tea and cutting of a beautifully decorated Anniversary cake.

What a day! Everything went as planned, even the weather was fine. Many, many thanks to Keith & Debbie.

Bob Witton