

## El Supremo's Dave Dover Dash Permanent 200

Dear Rider

Thank you for entering this Audax UK Permanent event, originally created by Dave 'El Supremo' Hudson.

### Category 2 Advisory route Permanent Events (Validation by GPS track or E-Brevet as proof of passage (PoP) only)

"You must use electronic proof of passage (GPS or E-Brevet- AB03) for this event." If you wish to use physical PoP and a Brevet card, please contact the organiser directly before entering to discuss.

For these events you will see two entry buttons - Choose either "Enter by GPS" or "Enter Online"

**Advise me 24 hours BEFORE you ride this event.**

The route sheet is taken directly from the original route sheet created by Dave but in a format that includes cumulative KMs and if cut/folded along guidelines fits into 100 x 140mm Self Seal bags.

If starting from Hailsham please park at the Freedom Leisure Centre on Vicarage Road, BN27 4HB. **BUT REMEMBER TO USE THE LONG TERM 23 HOUR CAR PARK AT THE BOTTOM OF THE HILL**

Control	Description <b>Start/Finish control can be any same control on the route.</b>
Hailsham (Start)	ATM at Tesco that you pass. The Natwest Bank and its ATM have long gone.  There is also an ATM at the end of the Waitrose Car.
Brenzett	ATM and Petrol Station Shop. Toilet
Dover	Newsagent on Elms Vale Rd. Open Mon to Sat 6am to 7pm. Sun 6am to 2pm.  If running late take 2 <sup>nd</sup> Exit @ MRAB and continue downhill to Petrol Station and use ATM or Shop. It is reported that there is also an ATM at the Railway Station that you pass.  Retrace back to MRAB and Newsagent to continue Stage 3
World Of Water	Lilleys Cafe  Mon to Sun 09:00 to 16:00. Closed XMAS to Feb 1st. Only accept cash. The owner will sign your Brevetcard unless doing GPS validation.

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	If running late and unlikely to make WoW before it closes or during XMAS shutdown, please use the Petrol Station on downhill AFTER leaving Tenderden.
Rye	Petit Café is newly open, and worth a visit. Open (currently) Mon to Sun 8am to 5pm. If closed use other shops / ATM in Rye.
Hailsham (Finish)	There is (currently) a Halifax Bank and ATM in High Street on Left just after T/Lts.

## Route

**Stage 1 (57km):** Leaving Hailsham we head easterly through Herstmonceux, Ninfield and Catsfield before skirting Battle and head towards Hastings. From Hastings we head towards Rye and the start of the level, towards Brookland and the first control at Brenzett.

**Stage 2 (40km):** Continuing over the levels we pass through Newchurch, Hythe, Folkstone and Sandgate, where we must resume some climbing. After the climb to Capel Le Ferne and the views of the channel, we are soon on the long descent towards Dover and the second control.

**Stage 3 (57km):** Continuing from the control we have a long drag towards Hougham before the climb overlooking the Channel Tunnel Complex. After descending we pass through Newingreen, Lympe, Ham Street, Tenderden and Rolvenden before arriving at the well-used World of Water Lillies Café.

**Stage 4 (16km):** A short stage via Beckley to Rye.

**Stage 5 (38km):** After the climb out of Rye we head towards Sedlescombe and then make our way back towards Battle before heading to Catsfield, Boreham Street, Herstmonceux and our return to Hailsham.

## Notes

This Permanent Event is for experience cyclists who will be aware of the following:

- Have familiarised themselves with the route before the event, ensuring competence and fitness to complete the course, roadworthiness of their bike and possession of adequate cycle repair equipment, spares and skills.
- During the event, riding safely, according to the rules of the road and personal capabilities, and taking responsibility for personal feeding, warm clothing and rest periods, especially at night.
- Personally, deciding not to continue if feeling unwell or too tired.
- As with any journey on public roads being aware of and allowing for highway design and maintenance, other road users (especially horses), busy traffic conditions, the state of disrepair of the surface (potholes, trenches, ironwork etc.), debris, obstruction of all kinds, poor or non-existent lighting on night sections and oncoming headlights.
- As some roads could be high and exposed, with hills that could be steep and strenuous, carrying adequate food, drink, clothing and equipment for any conditions.
- Preparing the bike (and rider) and carrying spares and tools and knowing how to use them.

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- In the event of bad weather, making a personal decision over starting or continuing.
- Being equipped to deal with bad conditions
- Making private arrangement if rescue facilities are wanted. (The CTC have a Rescue Scheme that could be considered if you are likely to be unable to summon your own assistance).
- Being adequately rested before travelling home after finishing an event.
- As with all Audax UK rides you are always on a private excursion on the public highway and responsible for your own conduct.

## GPS Validation

After the event go to the "Upcoming and Pending Events" section on your dashboard (the screen you see when you first login) and look for your ride. Expand the arrow to find the upload link for your track.

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Event No:	JHA27	Category:	PERMANENT	Points:	2	AAA:	0	Event Type:	Permanent	<a href="#">Upload Link for GPS track</a>

You can upload the following file types:

- gpx
- tcx
- fit (which will be converted to tcx before processing)
- zip (multiple gpx or tcx files)

The uploader link is specific to a particular entry - you can't use it for any other event, or for a second entry on the same event.

There is a file size limit of 1Mb.

Wahoo fit file are not accepted, because Wahoo have recently moved to a new fit2 format. Zipped fit files may also cause problems even if they seem to have uploaded correctly.

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