

Notice of an attempt to improve the Road Records Association men's tandem tricycle record from

## Edinburgh to York or reverse

RRA Attempt No 2090

The attempt will be made by **RALPH DADSWELL and PAUL MACE** and will take place on or after 7th July 2013.

Please *assume the attempt is postponed* unless notified otherwise.

The current holders of the record are Martin Purser and Kent Hallington with a time of 9h 1m 38s (1997)

Further details concerning this attempt can be obtained from :  
Ralph Dadswell, 11 Walnut Tree Lane, Longwick, Princes Risborough HP27 9SJ.

Prior to the attempt, you can call 01844 345 663 or 07769 314329 for information, or you can email [ralph@dadswell.com](mailto:ralph@dadswell.com)

This schedule also appears at <http://www.dadswell.co.uk> and <http://www.rra.org.uk>

If you need information prior to performing a roadside check, you can call directly to the following car on 07808 974 782

When an attempt is imminent, it is hoped that information will be available electronically on the Time Trialling forum, <http://www.timetriallingforum.co.uk/>

There may also be an online tracking facility – see the forum item for further details.

If you have a progress report, could you either post it to the forum above, or email it to [ralph@dadswell.com](mailto:ralph@dadswell.com) .

Please remember :

- The ride will only take place if weather conditions are suitable. Please wait to be notified.
- The riders must be entirely alone and unassisted.
- Overtaking by vehicles associated with the attempt is strictly regulated.
- Weather conditions can dramatically affect progress made compared with the schedule.
- If you witness the ride, please complete a checking form (below, or supplied by RRA) and return to the RRA Secretary.

### Checking Certificate

This is to certify that I saw Ralph Dadswell and Paul Mace riding a Tandem Tricycle alone and unpaced in accordance with the R.R.A. regulations.

The location for the observation was .....

The date and time for this observation was .....

They were followed by a car ..... at a distance of ..... yards.

NAME ..... CLUB .....

ADDRESS .....

.....SIGNATURE .....

Please complete the above, and return to:

Brian Edrupt, RRA Records Secretary, 136 Beaconsfield Road, ENFIELD EN3 6AY

### Schedule for the Attempt

Edinburgh to York	Inter	Total	Time
<b>START</b> at the north-west corner of the (former) Head Post Office at the junction of Princes Street and North Bridge in <b>Edinburgh</b> .	0.0	0.0	0900
Proceed southwards on A7, turning left and right after approximately 1 mile, passing the Commonwealth Pool. Follow the Old Dalkeith Road to the ring road (A720), where join A6106 (old A68).	5.6	5.6	0915
Follow A6106 through Dalkeith to join A68. Continue to the Soutra summit, just south of the B6368 junctions.	12.0	17.6	0950
Follow A68 to Earlston (junction A6105),	15.6	33.2	1031
and then to Jedburgh,	14.0	47.2	1110
over Carter Bar,	10.4	57.6	1144
to the junction with A696 near Otterburn.	13.0	70.6	1216
Leave A68 by continuing ahead, to join A696, to cross B6342,	13.8	84.4	1255
then continue on A696 to the Newcastle ring road (A1).	15.8	100.2	1341
Take A1 southbound to the junction with A167,	10.0	110.2	1410
where join A167 to Chester-le-Street where use B6290 Park Road North and rejoin A167 to Durham bypass (junction A690).	10.5	120.7	1441
Stay on A167, through the centre of Darlington, to cross A66.	19.6	140.3	1539
Continue on A167 to junction with A168 in Northallerton.	14.5	154.8	1623
Take A168 to South Kilvington where turn right at roundabout, using A61 through Thirsk centre, then A170, to junction with A19.	9.5	164.3	1652
Take A19 (straight on) to roundabout south of Easingwold.	10.5	174.8	1724
Stay on A19 to <b>York</b> , where use St Leonard's Place & turn right at end to <b>FINISH</b> opposite the centre of the museum garden gates in Museum Street.	11.5	186.3	1800

### York to Edinburgh

<b>START</b> opposite the centre of the museum garden gates in Museum Street, <b>York</b> .	0.0	0.0	1130
Proceed east, turning left and left again to join A19 northbound, to stay on A19 at the roundabout south of Easingwold.	11.5	11.5	1200
Stay on A19 to the A168/A19 flyover, where go ahead at roundabout,	10.5	22.0	1227
through Thirsk (joining A61 north) to roundabout at South Kilvington, where left on A168 to Northallerton.	9.5	31.5	1253
Join A167 north, to cross A66, south of Darlington.	14.5	46.0	1331
Stay with A167 through Darlington, to the junction with A690 near Durham.	19.6	65.6	1426
Stay with A167 to roundabout just short of A1(M) at Chester-le-Street, where bear left onto Park Road North to rejoin A167 north to the A1 junction.	10.5	76.1	1455
Join A1 northbound, to exit at the A696 junction (towards Ponteland)	10.0	86.1	1521
Follow A696 north, to cross B6342,	15.8	101.9	1606
to Otterburn, where road becomes A68.	13.8	115.7	1646
Take A68 north, to Carter Bar,	13.0	128.7	1730
then to Jedburgh.	10.4	139.1	1757
Continue to Earlston (junction A6105),	14.0	153.1	1841
to the Soutra summit (near the wind farms),	15.6	168.7	1935
and then shortly after Pathhead take A6106 through Dalkeith to the junction with the Edinburgh ring road (A720).	12.0	180.7	2011
Go ahead to join A7. Turn left at the Commonwealth Pool (East Preston St), then right, to <b>FINISH</b> just short of Princes Street, at the North-West corner of the (former) Head Post Office in <b>Edinburgh</b>	5.6	186.3	2030