

# 200 take part in Tuam cycle

TUAM experienced a spectacular two days of cycling last weekend, when Logstrup C.C. hosted the prestigious Egan Cup on Saturday, followed by the Logstrup Grand Prix on Sunday.

Competitions catered for all age groups from 10 years upwards with approx. 200 riders taking part. This weekend of racing in Tuam has become one of the major highlights of the cycling season.

The Logstrup G.P. proved to be the most competitive and exciting event with 85 riders from all over the Country fighting hard for top places. Speeds of up to 40 mph were recorded in this race on a challenging course which included Tullinadaly Hill and town centre.

Ashley Clancy, Thermo King, Galway had his best race ever dominating the race on the last four laps. On the final lap he proved too strong for the other contenders as he soloed away to a great victory.

In the Egan Cup on Saturday, Declan McLoughlin, Navan/Avonmore C.C. was a very worthy winner in a hard fought race on the Birmingham Circuit.

Egan Cup winners - Seniors - 1, D. McLoughlin, Navan/Avonmore CC, 2, K. Cusson, 3, P. Carey, AMEV CC, 4, B. Holian, Hollymount CC. Junior 2: 1, A. Sheridan, Corrib Wheelers CC, 2, J. Treacy, Maddens Milk CC, 3, P. Quinn, Corrib Wheelers CC. Junior 1: 1, N. Forde, Thermo King.

Veterans: 1, L. Maxwell, Drogheda Wheelers CC, 2, B. O'Callaghan, Edenderry CC. U-16 - 1, E. O'Donoghue, South East Region, 2, M. McNena, Thermo King, 3, M. Woods, SER, 4, C. Power, SER.

Logstrup Grand Prix winners - Seniors: 1, A. Clancy, Thermo, 2, A. Clarke, AMEV,

3, G. Cromwell, 4, D. McLoughlin, Navan.

Senior C: 1, P. Dirrane, Thermo, 2, D. Crowley, CMP, 3, D. Molloy, Corrib Wheelers. Veterans: 1, B. O'Callaghan, Edenderry CC, 2, L. Maxwell, Drogheda Wheelers CC, 3, J. Holian, Hollymount CC.

Junior 1: 1, B. Holian, Hollymount, 2, Shane O'Neill, Logstrup = 3, dead heat: Conal Burke, Logstrup, N. Forde, Thermo King. Junior 2: 1, Shane Moss, Stamullen CC, 2, D. Long, Thermo King, 3, A. O'Halloran, N.T., Oranmore CC. Best Western Region Rider: Ashley Clancy, Thermo King CC. Best Logstrup Rider: Louis Byrne.

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Underage competitions included: Skills, Sprints, Cyclo Cross, Road Racing. There was an extremely high standard in this competition over the two days. Special interest was evident as this was regarded as a prelude to the all-Ireland Underage competitions which takes place in Tuam on the 29th and 30th of this month.

Overall winners - U-11: 1, C. McCarthy, Youghal CC, 2, K. O'Connor, Kielys, Tipperary, 3, J. Moylan, Maddens Milk CC. U-12: 1, M. Flynn, Blackwater CC, 2, T. Hogan, Blackwater CC, 3, B. Quinn, Logstrup CC. U-13: 1, K. Walsh, Commeragh, 2, D. Finnegan, Dundalk, 3, D. Kelly, Logstrup. U-14: 1, V. Lombard, Blackwater CC, 2, P. O'Callaghan, Edenderry, 3, G. McGaughey, Dundalk CC.

The Club are extremely grateful to the Stewards who worked so hard to ensure safety on the Courses and to the general public who co-operated in every way with the arrangement for the racing. To the Ladies committee for the catering.