

# The Argyle & Bute Run - Sunday 20th June 2010

**Starting location**: Callander (FK17 8AN), 9:30am for 10am departure **Finishing location**: Loch Lomond Shores Blue Car Park, Balloch, 5pm

#### **RULES OF THE RUN**

Try to keep the car in front and behind in view at all times. It is possible that splits will form during the run, just try to keep with a group and you should be able to re-form at the next stop point.

A little thought for the car behind will go a long way, especially when approaching junctions or forks, drop back a little to ensure they go the right way.

Not everyone is a total speed freak, plus there are plenty of sheep, pheasants and yokels strategically placed to ambush you when least expected. Please be considerate to both the rest of the group and any poor fool who happens upon us. It's not a race so we don't want to see people blasting past others.

Please ensure you have a full tank of fuel.

The Organisers and NEWMINISCOTLAND.CO.UK accept no responsibility for any loss, damage, injury or death incurred as a result of this event.

It is assumed that all participants have adequate insurance, road tax and driving licences. It is further assumed that participation of the run acknowledges acceptance of all of the above.

#### Contact Mobile Numbers

Greig: 07738 969817 (lead car)

Del: 07961 813213 (rear car)

START – car park behind the Dreadnought Hotel, Callander, (FK17 8AN)		
Make your way out to the main street and turn <b>right</b> (heading north)		
Kilmahog	(0.8m)	
Strathyre	(8.7m)	
Lochearnhead	(13.3m)	
Lix Toll – stay on the main road, signposted for Tyndrum/Fort William (A85)	(18.9m)	
Crianlarich	(30.0m)	
Tyndrum	(34.9m)	
****Stop at Green Wellie Stop on right hand side of road for toilets & refreshments – 15 minutes only***		
Turn <b>right</b> coming out of Green Wellie and stay on A82 (right hand fork) to Fort William (A82)	(35.6m)	
Turn left signposted Glen Orchy	(41.4m)	
***This is a Single Track Road, so take care***		
IF YOU COME TO BRIDGE OF ORCHY YOU HAVE GONE TOO FAR!!		
Catnish	(48.6m)	
***Photo stop in parking area if enough space***		
At T-junction, turn <b>right</b> , signposted for Oban (A85)	(51.8m)	
Dalmally	(53.3m)	
Loch Awe	(56.9m)	
Traffic lights on bridge	(58.3m)	
Taynuilt	(65.8m)	
Connel	(73.0m)	
Esso garage	(76.2m)	
***OBAN for lunch***	(77.6m)	

We will stop in Oban at the Corran Halls Car Park, which is on the right as you come into Oban toward the shoreline. We have allocated 90 minutes for lunch so plenty of time to find somewhere to buy lunch or have a picnic. Depart Oban **no later** than 2pm

	Turn left out of	Corran Halls of	car park onto	A85 for	Crianlarich
--	------------------	-----------------	---------------	---------	-------------

Continue to Connel, follow A85 (A82) Crianlarich under bridge	(82.5m)
Taynuilt	(88.8m)
Stay on A85	(89.8m)
Loch Awe	(97.8m)
Stay on A85	(99.5m)
Turn right (A819 to Inverary)	(100.3m)
Stay on A819 to Inverary	(105.3m)
Turn <b>right</b> onto A83 at Inverary	(114.8m)
Within 50 yards, turn <b>right</b> through white arch into car park	
Proceed to far end of car park and park-up	(115.0m)

### \*\*\*Inverary for refreshments – 30 minutes only\*\*\*

We will stop in Inverary for 30 minutes. There are good public toilets at the pier (20p entry I think!) and various ice cream and "sweetie" shops on the main street within 5-10 minutes walk from the car park. Please do not be late back.

Depart car park and turn left onto A83 - proceed through Inverary town centre

Turn left onto B828 (A83) for Glasgow	(132.3m)
** This is a Single Track Road, so take care **	
Turn left onto B839	(128.5m)
Turn <b>right</b> onto A815	(126.1m)
Traffic lights at bridge	(115.6m)

#### \*\*\*Photo stop at Rest & Be Thankful Car Park\*\*\*

(135.8m)

Turn **right** into Rest & Be Thankful car park

Depart car park and turn **right** onto A83, heading to Glasgow

Arrochar petrol station	(142.1m)
Turn <b>right</b> onto A814, signposted for Helensburgh	(142.5m)
Continue on A814 alongside Loch Long until roundabout and turn <b>left</b> , staying on A814 (Helensburgh)	(151.2m)
At next roundabout, turn left onto Glen Fruin Road (Loch Lomond)	(152.4m)
At T-junction, turn <b>right</b> onto A82 (Glasgow)	(161.3m)
At roundabout, continue <b>straight</b> through on A82 (Glasgow)	(163.7m)
At roundabout, turn left onto A811 (Stirling)	(166.2m)
At roundabout, turn left for Loch Lomond Shores	(166.5m)
At roundabout, continue <b>straight</b> through into Blue car park	(166.8m)

## **END OF RUN**

