



### **The Kayleigh's Wee Stars 20 Mile Loop Explained**

There are 3 options for those taking part in the 20 mile cycle. Which route you choose will depend on if you have young children cycling and it will also depend on the type of bike you are riding.

Option 1 (Deeside Line and Road)	This route goes from Ballater to Aboyne on the Deeside Line, then crosses the Dee and comes back to Ballater via the South Deeside Road. The Deeside Line is not suitable for a road bike. You will need to be on a hybrid or a mountain bike. This route is also not suitable for very young children as there will be some traffic on the South Deeside Road.
Option 2 (Road only)	If you are on road bikes and you don't have any young children with you, take option 2. The route is simply North Deeside Road to Aboyne, across the Dee and then South Deeside Road back to Ballater.
Option 3 (Out and back on the Deeside Line)	Option 3 is the route to take if you have younger children with you. You will not go on any roads or meet any traffic. Simply take the Deeside Line to Aboyne, about turn and come back again. Of course you can easily shorten the route by turning back whenever you like. Again, the Deeside Line is not suitable for road bikes so you will need to be on a hybrid or a mountain bike.

You can find the 3 maps attached. If you are viewing this document on an electronic device, you can follow the link under each map to view it online where you can zoom in and out.

#### **Emergency Numbers**

If you need assistance at any point, call Thom or Paul on the number below. We have a van which will be around during the day to help out and pick up cyclists where necessary.

Thom: 07901774502

Paul: 07479899809

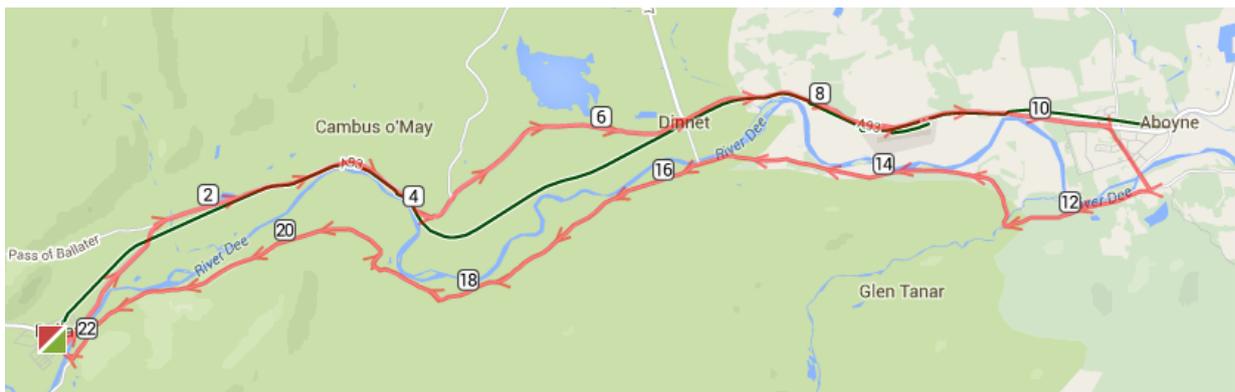
## 20 Mile Maps

### Option 1 – Deeside Line and Road



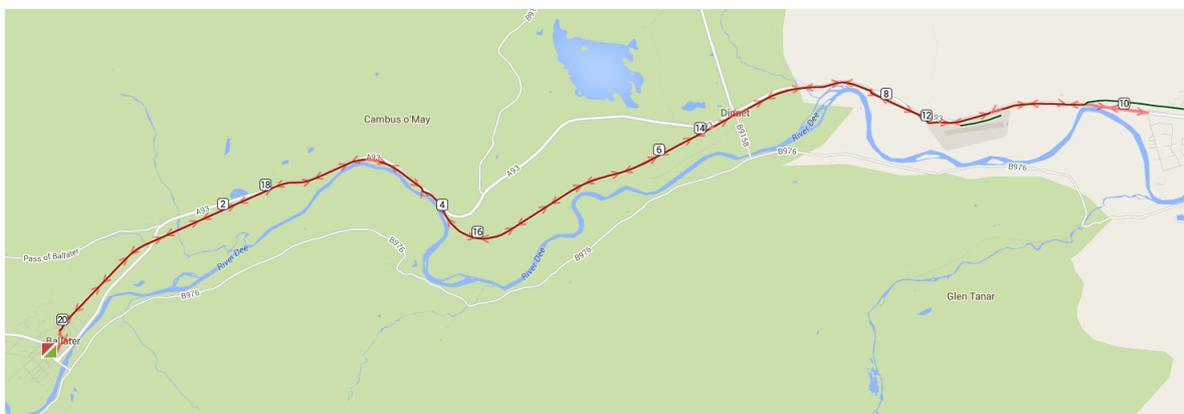
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### Option 2 – Road Only



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### Option 3 – Out and Back on the Deeside Line



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