

# CYCLE 4 SEWA Birmingham 2015

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**Total number of Cyclists: 58**

**Total Laps cycled: 1163**

**Total Attendance (inc friends, family, volunteers and cyclists): 160**

Cycle 4 Sewa has taken another city by storm! After successfully running the event in London and Manchester for the last several years, it was time for Birmingham to get involved, the home of Sewa UK and what a resounding success it was!

Geared up and ready to go, all of our cyclists gathered at the start line at 12:45pm on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> September at Tudor Grange Cycle Track, Solihull, West Midlands. We were privileged to have Mr Julian Knight, newly elected Conservative MP for the Solihull Constituency to say a few words and begin the race! We had 58 cyclists of all ages, from different cultures, and even whole families cycling together, which is a true representation of the community spirit which Sewa UK inspires to bring with all of its fundraisers.

After two hours of continuous cycling, and an amazing effort by all of the cyclists a total of 1163 laps were completed, with the highest individual effort coming from Yash Chaudasama (53 laps). This accumulative total equates to a massive 1163km, representing the same distance from Solihull to Berlin, an incredible team effort! Next year we set our sights on reaching the 2000km mark with more cyclists partaking.

After the race, Damji Tank from Sewa UK concluded the day with a few words and a small presentation, in which all of the cyclists were awarded with a certificate and medal to commemorate their achievement.

With all of the positive feedback received from attendees, there is no doubt that Cycle 4 Sewa Birmingham, will continue to be a success, and come back bigger and better in 2016!

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Please see photos below:





























