

The Tour of Britain Returns to Norfolk and Your School Can Get Involved

Saturday 12 September will see the return of Britain's premier cycle race to Norfolk. Hundreds of professional Olympic, World and Commonwealth cyclists will be competing for the coveted yellow jersey in what will be the centrepiece of the British sporting calendar as the country's largest free-to-watch live sporting event.

Attached is a schools' resource pack full of information and activities across the curriculum to ensure that you capture all of the excitement of the tour and use it to inspire your pupils.

Active Norfolk, Norfolk County Council, Suffolk County Council and local sponsors Adnams have joined forces to bring a full Tour stage back to our region for the first time since 2012, with local support provided by Breckland, Broadland, North Norfolk, Norwich, and South Norfolk councils.

There are eight stages to the Tour, which will run Sunday 6 to Sunday 13 September 2015, taking riders through eight different regions of the UK, before the grand finish in central London. The Aviva Tour of Britain will be a spectacular display of elite performance cycling and 20 teams of riders from all over the world will descend on Norfolk's roads for the Norfolk-Suffolk stage.

Norfolk and Suffolk are hosting Stage 7, which will see riders depart from Fakenham Racecourse and riding through Reepham, Aylsham, Norwich, Hethersett, Wymondham, Attleborough, and Thetford, before passing into Suffolk. The Stage will finish in Ipswich.