

ASTLEY & TYLDESLEY Cycling Club

MATCH DAY OFFICIALS - START MARSHAL

Main Purpose

- To ensure the fair starting of all races.

Main Duties

- Ensure the release of tapes for each race, looking away from the riders and varying the time duration in accordance with the sport's regulations (between 2 and 5 seconds).
- Press switch to ensure starting gates can be locked in position for the next race.

N.B. Start Marshal's duties are often combined with those of Flag Marshal (manual mechanism) or Announcer (electronic mechanism).

Equipment

- Starting Gates and electronic switch.

Dress Code

- Smart Casual (Club Jacket and/or Club Tee Shirt preferred) for most matches.
- Club Match Officials Dress (Union Jack Tee Shirt or White/Blue/Red Polo Shirt and Black Trousers) for major events.