

London to Paris Cycle Trip Info

Detailed Route Information

Please note: This itinerary is a guide only. It can be subject to change dependent upon viability, course members' fitness, and weather conditions or for any other reason the guide may deem necessary. Every effort is made to fit the course around your needs and abilities.

Day 1

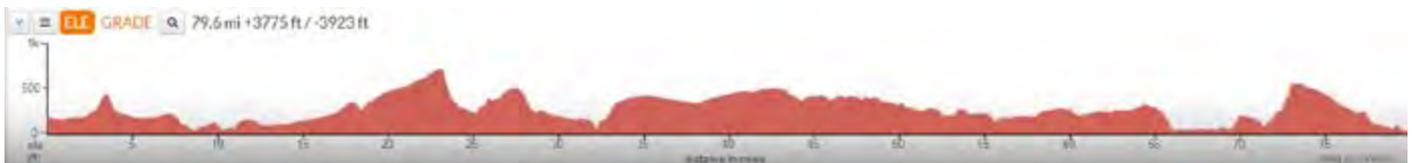
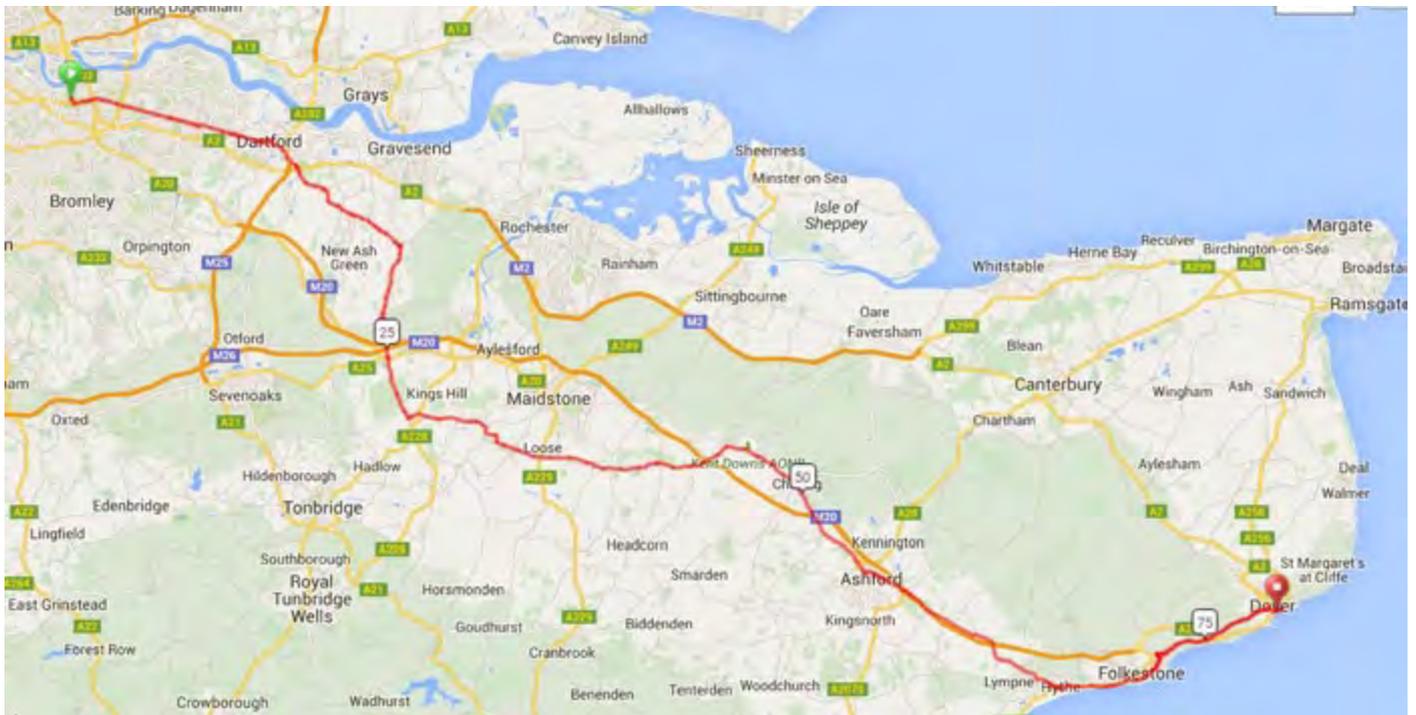
London to Dover - 80 Miles

6.00 am start - EY Office, Tower Bridge, London

The route takes in Greenwich park, Shooters Hill and then follows the Thames corridor through to Dartford. From there you will skirt Maidstone passing through Coxheath, Lenham and over the Kent Downs towards Folkstone. From Folkstone you follow the coast northward to Dover. You will overnight in Dover and cross to France in the morning.

Route Map

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Day 2

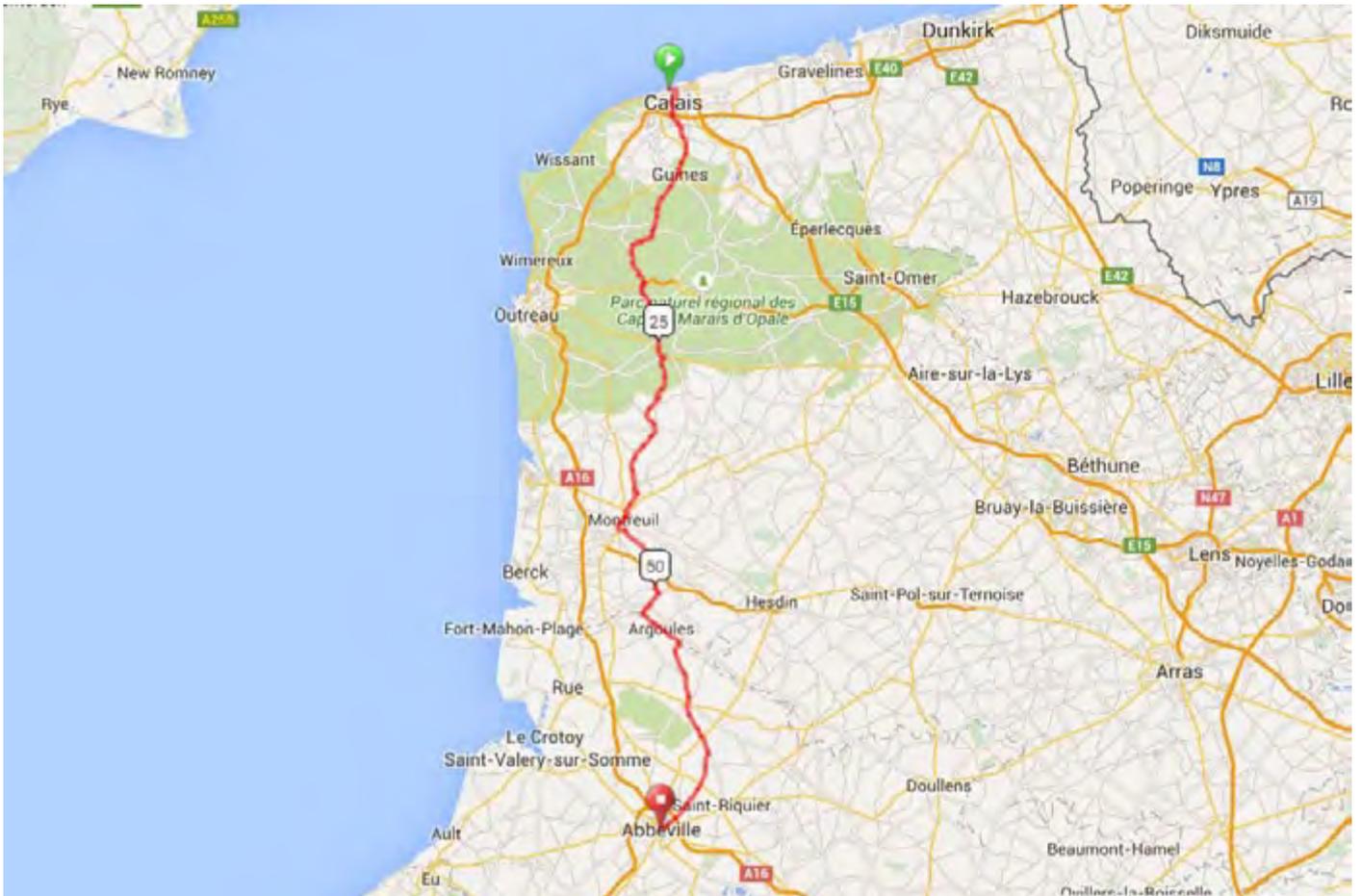
Calais to Abbeville - 75 miles

6.00 am start with ferry crossing

Ferrycrossing to Calais after breakfast. The route is rolling countryside on minor roads. From exiting Calais via the old town centre you travel south through the national park area over good roads and undulating terrain. Some areas are exposed to wind and poor weather conditions. Road surfaces are generally good and the chance to stop at the roadside plentiful. After this the route heads out into the country on good roads passing through numerous small villages and passing a very pretty windmill with crepe shop attached. Here the roads are narrower with some pot holes and loose surface gravel.

Route Map

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Day 3

Abbeville to Beauvais - 64 miles

9.00 am start

The day starts with a ride through the town centre then again out into open countryside headed generally south all day. The roads used are in good condition although narrow and single lane in places. Next we follow the river valley, passing beneath the viaduct only 20 minutes out from the town. The last section of the day runs along D316 & D7 to Beauvais; the road is rough around Moliens and on exiting Crillon there is a short steep downhill before a left turn to head to Beauvais.

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Day 4

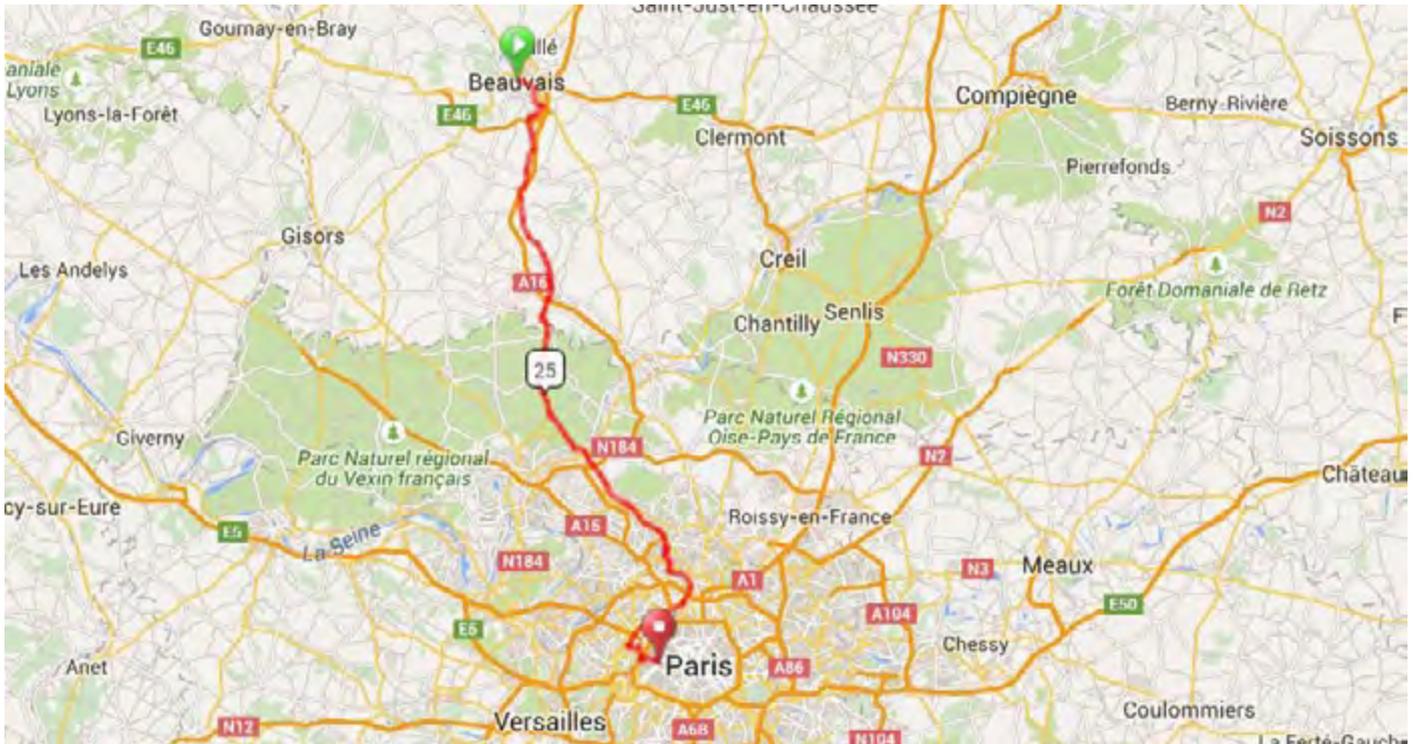
Beauvais to Paris - 59 miles

10 am start

The going is undulating, yet again, following the river course to South East until reaching Mouy. After this the group needs to stick quite closely together as they approach Paris and once we have entered the city proper. There are some very steep, winding descents that take you into the outskirts of Paris. On crossing the river we make our way through the Bois de Boulogne and then to the Trocadero for fantastic views of the Eiffel Tower. We will then take the final ride down beneath the tower, along the Seine, then onto the Place de Concord and up the Champs Elysees with a victory lap for the brave ones around the Arc de Triomphe.

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