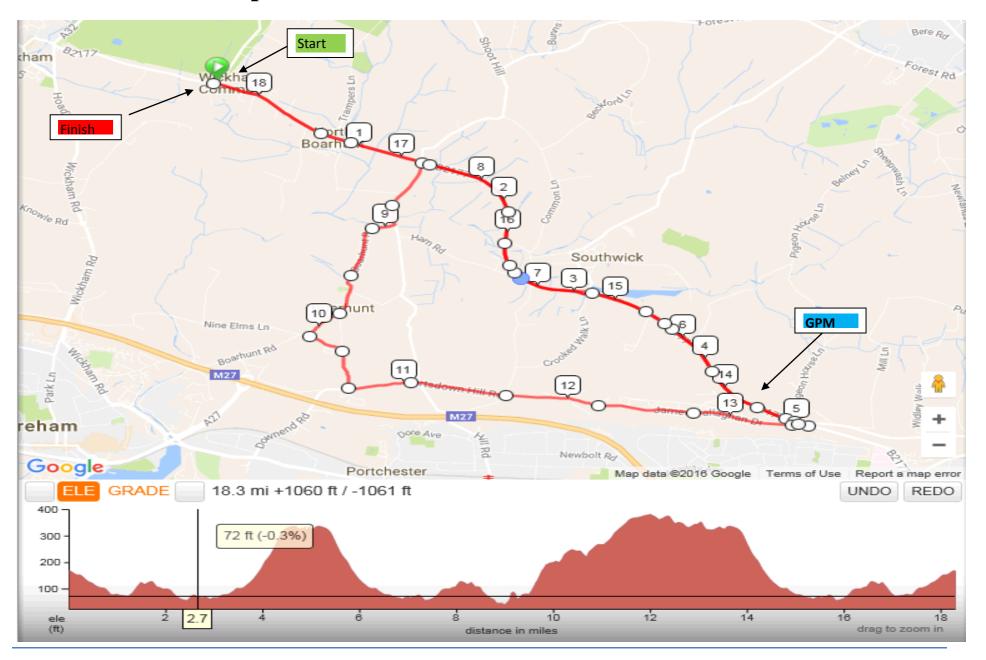
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Press Release

Velo Club ST Raphael Waite Contracts have decided to raise the bar for 2017 as our event from the feedback we received this year's was a success, we wanted to create a New Hard Riders course to mix things up a little. Some people call it the hell of the South but after riding this it I'm calling it "The Pain on Portsdown Hill" slightly longer than my event from this year but I also tougher. I will be offering a prize for (Gran Premio Della Montagna or for Strava Fans KOM) at the 4.5 mile marker but the prize will only be awarded if you complete the full course. The event will consist of two categories TT and Road bike category and I am reaching out to the roadies of the world why not come and see how you fair up against some of the best Testers in the South DC area and possibly further afield.

Why my event..... Good prizes, well marshalled and another course record up for grabs but best of all loads of cake.....

Feel free to train on this course and see you on the 19th February 2017

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Course Description:

START at Mellish Bottom at Farm shop in layby on B2177.

Proceed East to Staple crossroads.

Continue on to Southwick rbt, carry straight on B2177 up Southwick Hill towards Portsmouth to turn at roundabout junction with James Callaghan Drive (GR 648066) (Portsdown Roundabout) 4.633 miles. Retrace to Southwick rbt taking the 2nd exit and Proceed on B2177 to Staple Cross road, then left to South Boarhunt across small bridge bear right on the bend to climb through South Boarhunt then turn left into Swivelton Lane (10 miles) continue on to junction with Portsdown Hill road turn left continue along Portsdown Hill road to main roundabout (Portsdown Roundabout). Take 1st exit onto B2177 to descend Portsdown Hill to Southwick Roundabout , Take the 2nd exit and proceed on the B2177 (15.00 miles) towards Wickham passing through the start where the **FINISH** at Holts Mead in line with TP134 0.375 miles west of start (18.1)