

RICHMOND
VICTORIA - AUSTRALIA
DISTRICT 9800



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THE GREAT AUSTRALIAN BIKE RIDE – FINISHED!!!!

The Great Australian Bike Riders crossed the finish line to a Mad Hatters Tea Party welcome on October 10th in Lincoln Square, Carlton, after a 7 month, nine-stage ride around Australia that began in Melbourne on the 21st March. They were on the road raising funds and awareness for Australian Rotary Health and mental health research.

Richmond Rotary were well represented in the last leg by our 5 fit 'n fab team of OXYGens' coordinator, Rotarian Krissy O'Reilly, Rotarian Simon Marriott, Krissy's friend, Mark and Friends of RCR - Mark Fielding and Frank Belzunce.

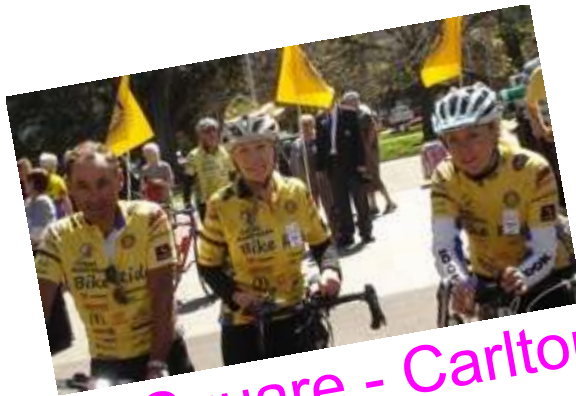
Krissy presented the 4 riders who completed each stage with a commemorative plaque each. The bunch of GABR cyclists then rode down Swanston Street to the Melbourne Town Hall where they were welcomed by the Deputy Lord Mayor, Cr. Susan Riley. On the steps of the Town Hall Krissy presented ARH with a sponsorship cheque for over \$1,000 to go towards Youth Depression and Suicide Research. CONGRATULATIONS TEAM!



THE FINISH



of The Great Australian Bike Ride



Lincoln Square - Carlton



Saturday 10th October 2009