
Ultracycling Achievement Recognition

Cycling New Zealand will record achievements of ultra-distance rides, such as 24 hour velodrome attempts. These are NOT New Zealand records, but a recognition of the ride and an official recording for posterity.

Definition of 'Ultracycling'

- For long distance / long time duration track attempts for events that are not recognised National Track Records
- For "point-to-point" road rides between towns (e.g. Auckland to Wellington) or extended duration road rides, typically of greater than 200km

Auckland to Wellington

Special thanks to The Kennett brothers for publishing these records for prosperity in their "RIDE – the story of cycling in New Zealand" book.

Men

1927	A Sutherland	72 hours	
1929	J H Brewin	65 hours	
1929	S Wright	56 hours 5 mins	
1951	G Lukey	30 hours 17 mins	
1960	K Johnston	28 hours 32 mins	
1967	J People	26 hours 44 mins	
1971	B Stone	26 hours 21 mins	
1972	R Bush	25 hours 26 mins	
1981	D Horner	25 hours 18 mins	
1983	B Lambert	23 hours 0 mins	
1983	B Fleck	20 hours 9 mins	
1984	B Lambert	19 hours 59 mins	*

*Fastest time

Women

1932	V Baird	79 hours 40mins	
1934	V Baird	50 hours 33 mins	
1986	Y Sprey	26 hours 41 mins	*

*Fastest time