

Big Battlefield Bike Ride



PCB Design Service providers Routability (www.routability.co.uk) and Total Board Solutions (www.totaboardsolutions.co.uk) teamed up to donate a tandem to the Help for Heroes campaign, a charity formed by Bryn Parry, the cartoonist, and his wife Emma. The charity, www.helpforheroes.org.uk was launched on 1st October 2007 and has already raised over £4.3 million which will be used to build a swimming pool and hydrotherapy complex at the Defence Medical Rehabilitation Centre (DMRC) in Headley Court, Epsom. The DMRC is the premier facility for the rehabilitation of injured Service personnel and has been since the Second World War.

The tandem, purchased from JDCycles.co.uk of Ilkley, will be used in the Big Battlefield Bike Ride which will see 300 cyclists crossing the beaches of Normandy, onto Dieppe, the Somme and finally to Dunkerque. The event will culminate in a gathering of this and other Big Bike Rides which will pass through the capital to the Cenotaph on 1st June.

Sue Critcher of TBS and Ben Dowding of Routability are pictured above with Major David Hepburn, OC of the DMRC.