Local 4 perform well in Crawley 100

THE HASTINGS and St Leonards Cycling Club team of John Willis, Robert Sier, Steve Geran and Vic Butler rode well in Sunday's Clasencourt C & C four-up team time trial over 50km at Crawley.

Riding together for the first time the foursome finished 18th of the 32 teams competing in a well-organised event which took competitors over the rolling country-side south of Crawley before heading back up the Brighton road with tough

climbs at Bolney and Handcross.

All four riders were satisfied with their 1hr 23 mins 11 sec ride, which compared well with the 1hr 9 mins 56 secs ride of the Anglia Sport team which included Olympics choice, Steve Poulter.

Next weekend John Willis will return to road racing in the second Kent League event while Robert and Vic join Peter Baker in the Sussex Cyclists Association's '100' based at Arundel.