Sier heading for best all-rounder

A FINE ride in Sunday's Sussex Cyclists' Association "50" established Robert Sier as the front runner in the Hastings and St Leonards Cycling Clubs "best all-rounder" competition.

He took sixth place in 2hr 2mins 45sec, improving his personal best by six minutes.

Current record holder Peter Baker finished in 2hr 3min 58sec to take 10th place, but 1984 best all-rounder Vic Bu-

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tler went out after only five miles with mechanical problems.

Club road star Mark Markowski suffered the same fate, but his effort lasted 85 miles of the circuit of Hambledon race. With five miles to go, and in the race winning break on the hilly Hampshire course, Mark was unfortunate to be forced out with a broken axle.