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Foreword

Phil Armes

It's that time of year again when we have to get all the paperwork sorted out for the new season. The dates meeting on November 19th was well attended and I am pleased to say we will have the fixture list all confirmed by the time this gazette hits your doormat – so thank you all for your efforts in making this a relatively painless process. Especially those clubs who were prepared to be flexible on their dates so that we could get all the proposed events in the calendar.

Alongside the fixture list I also have to put the 2015/16 handbook together, so if any club officials have new contact details please let me know as soon as possible. And for those of you responsible for championship conditions for the different disciplines I need them by 12th December at the very latest.

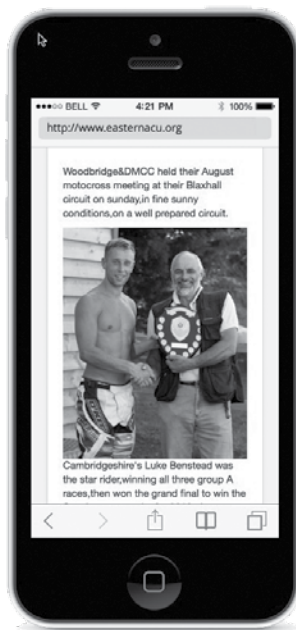
Of course it goes without saying that this is also the time of year when the hard earned awards are presented to those who were successful in the various disciplines and classes during 2014. The Centre awards night will be held at Gt Blakenham Village Hall on February 14th at 7.30pm. Full details are in this gazette so make sure you get your tickets booked and put the date in your diary.

And the Enduro forum and awards will be at the Limes Hotel on January 12th at 8pm – details also in this gazette.

It just leaves me to say thank you to you all for getting your paperwork into me in good time this year, and PLEASE continue to do so next year as it makes putting the gazette together so much easier – and getting it to you in a timely manner.

Hope Santa brings the latest gadget or goody for you bike – or maybe even a new machine – and that you have a safe and successful new year.

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Braintree & DMCC
Sunday 21st December 2014

OPEN Permit TRIAL
Beazley End

Turkey Trot Trial

Sign On: 9.30am
National Grid Reference: TL 769244

Start: 10.30am
Permit No. ACU 43041

OFFICIALS:-

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|--|-------------------------|-----|
| Eastern Centre Steward: | tbc | Club Steward(s): | tbc |
| Clerk of the Course: | J Yearly (Licence 19961) | | |
| Child Protection P.O.C.: | S Penfold | | |
| Secretary of the Meeting: | S Penfold, 13 Gardeners Road, Halstead, Essex CO9 2JU Tel: 01787 476825 | | |

JURISDICTION:

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Start / Finish: Codham Little Park Farm, Beazley End, Braintree, CM7 5JJ

Classes: Expert A & B, Inter A & B, Novice, Youth A & B, Pre-70, Twinshock

Awards: Seasonal Fayre

Entries: Must be on the OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM and sent to the Secretary of the Meeting with a fee of £15.00 for Adults and £10 for Youth. Include one 9x4 SAE. Cheques/POs to be made payable to Braintree DMCC. (Not paid into the bank before 22nd December 2014) Late Entries + £5

Entries Open: 21st November 2014

Entries Close: 19th December 2014

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 Venue: Date of Event:
 Permit No: **ACU** Course Lic/Cert No. (where Applicable)

This event is held under the National Sporting Code of the Auto-Cycle Union, the Standing Regulations, Supplementary Regulations and any Final Instructions issued for the meeting. The ACU National Sporting Code and Standing Regulations are published annually in the ACU Handbook.

Entry declaration: I/we the undersigned apply to enter the event described above and in consideration thereof:

- I/we hereby declare that I/we have had the opportunity to read, and that I/we understand the National Sporting Code of the ACU, the ACU Standing Regulations, such Supplementary Regulations as have or may be issued for the event, and agree to be bound by them.
- I/we further declare that I/we are physically and mentally fit to take part in the event and I/we are competent to do so.
- I/we confirm that I/we understand the nature and type of event I/we are entering and its inherent risks and agree to accept the same notwithstanding that such risks may involve negligence on the part of the organisers or officials.
- I/we confirm that the machine(s) as described below which I/we compete on shall be suitable and proper for the purpose.
- I/we confirm that if any part of the event takes place on a public highway, the machine(s) described below shall be insured as required by the Road Traffic Acts, or equivalent legislation, and that it/they will comply with the regulations in respect thereof.
- I/we agree that I/we are required to register my/our arrival by "signing on" at the designated place not less than 30 minutes prior to commencement of my/our practice or first competition, whichever occurs first.
- I/we confirm that I/we are not suspended or my/our ACU Licence has not been suspended/withdrawn from any ACU competition.
- I consent to details of any injuries I may suffer at this event being passed between all medical services and the Clerk of the Course.
- I consent to the collection and retention of my personal information by the ACU

• I/we enclose the entry fee of: £ **Don't forget to put Entry Fee here**

Acknowledgement of the risks of motorsport: I/we understand that by taking part in this event I/we are exposed to a risk of death, becoming permanently disabled or suffering some other serious injury and I/we acknowledge that even in the event that negligence on the part of the ACU, the promoter, the organising club, the venue owner, or any individual carrying out duties on their behalf were to be a contributory cause of any serious injury I/we may suffer, the dominant cause of any serious injury will always be my/our voluntary decision to take part in a high risk activity.

I/we have read the above and acknowledge that my/our participation in motorsport is entirely at my/our own risk.

Rider's signature: If under 18, state date of birth*:

If applicable:

Passenger's signature: If under 18, state date of birth*:

* For riders under 18 years of age - I accept the above conditions of entry to this event and give my approval:-

Signature(s) of parent(s) or person(s) with parental responsibility:

Riders and Passengers under 18 years of age who cannot produce a valid ACU Competition Licence/Trials Registration must also complete a 'Parental Agreement form (Single Event)' in addition to this entry form.

Don't forget to sign

Rider's Surname: **First Name:**

Address: **Postcode:**

Phone No.: **Email:**

ACU Licence No: **Club:** (The ACU affiliated club to which you belong)

Passenger's Surname: **First Name:**

Address: **Phone:**

ACU Licence No: **Club:** (The ACU affiliated club to which you belong)

Class Entered (Tick required)

Expert ☐ Expert B ☐ Inter ☐ Inter B ☐ Novice ☐ Pre 70 ☐ Twinshock ☐

Youth A ☐ Youth B ☐ Youth C ☐ Youth D ☐ Youth E ☐ Sidecar ☐ ☐

Machine: Make: Engine Size (cc)

Entrant (if different from rider)

Company / Name: **Entrant's Licence No.**

Address

Halstead & DMCC Club Notes

Kieran Doherty

This month is all about the AGM. We had a good turnout for a Tuesday night which is always good to see. The biggest change for the club is the new treasurer Alison Mitchell taking over from Ben Howlett. Ben has decided to end his time at the club and will be missed by all. I would like to thank Ben for all his help over the last few years but also welcome Alison into the club.

Another change is the introduction of a second vice chairman this year sharing the role with Andy Mayers is Mark Relland.

We would also like to welcome Charlie and Graham Garrod to the committee. What they don't know about motocross is not worth knowing. So I'm sure they will become useful assets to the club.

The club is hoping to try something a bit different next year with a Friday evening meeting instead of the Wednesday evening we hope that other clubs will also be joining us to create a series.

Finally the club would like to wish everybody a Merry Christmas and happy new year.

See you all in the New Year and the count down to the new season.

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Prizewinners will be notified in writing and invited to attend. They will receive 2 tickets free of charge. The cost for additional tickets will be £7.50 per person.

Please complete the application form below and indicate your meal choices.

| | Number required |
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| Stewed steak and mushrooms with dumplings | |
| Mild Chicken Curry and Rice | |
| Jacket Potato Cheese and Beans | |
| An assortment of rolls and breads will be available | |
| An assortment of desserts will be served. | |

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Triangle (Ipswich) MCC
Friday 26th December 2014

OPEN Permit TRIAL
Raydon, Suffolk

Fun Trial

Sign On: 9.30am

National Grid Reference: TM 041388

Start: 10.00am

Permit No. ACU 43042

OFFICIALS:-

Eastern Centre Steward: tbc

Club Steward(s): Mrs J Blackburn R Sayer

Clerk of the Course: E Hood (Licence 9449)

Child Protection P.O.C.: G Blackburn

Secretary of the Meeting: G Blackburn, 4 Princethorpe Rd, Ipswich, Suffolk IP3 8NY

Tel: 07963 989130 email: gordon2005@ntlworld.com

JURISDICTION:

Held under the NSC and the Standing Trials Regulations of the ACU and the EASTERN CENTRE, these Supplementary Regulations and any Final Instructions which will have the force of these Regulations. Adult & Youth members of the ACU riding solo machines.

Start / Finish: Raydon Pit, Wades Lane, Raydon, Suffolk

Course: 4 laps of 10 sections.

Routes: Multi Route

Classes: All Adult & Youth A

Awards: None

Entries: Must be on the OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM and sent to the Secretary of the Meeting with a fee of £15.00 for Adults and £12 for Youth. Include one 9x4 SAE. Cheques/POs to be made payable to Triangle (Ipswich) MCC Ltd (Not paid into the bank before 2nd Jan 2015)

Entries Open: 4th December 2014

Entries Close: 20th December 2014

No Entries on the day. All Entrants, Riders or Passengers must be prepared to produce their current Licence/Trials Registration when signing on, N.S.C.7.11

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Enduro Awards Presentation & Forum



The annual presentation of awards, and forum, for Enduro will be held on 12th January at 8pm at the Limes Hotel, Needham Market.

The awards will be presented for:

Dave Barkshire Motorcycles 2 Man Championship
GH Husqvarna Solo Championship 2nd and 3rd places
Bar Meals will be available

For more Information please contact:

Jack Hearn on 07774 801205 or 01449 721042

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If applicable:

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Signature(s) of parent(s) or person(s) with parental responsibility:

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Address: **Postcode:**

Phone No.: **Email:**

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Passenger's Surname: **First Name:**

Address: **Phone:**

ACU Licence No: **Club:** (The ACU affiliated club to which you belong)

Class Entered (Tick required)

Expert ☐ Expert B ☐ Inter ☐ Inter B ☐ Novice ☐ Pre 70 ☐ Twinshock ☐

Youth A ☐ Youth B ☐ Youth C ☐ Youth D ☐ Youth E ☐ Sidecar ☐

Machine: Make: Engine Size (cc)

Entrant (if different from rider)

Company / Name: **Entrant's Licence No.**

Address



Well, Hey Nonny Nonny

You can't fool us Keith Weavers! It doesn't matter how many feathers you stick on your hat, we know it was you prancing around in Thetford Forest with the newly-formed Eastern Centre Morris Men.... and we're pretty sure the "trainee" in the background is our very own comps chairman, David Smith.

If any flags go missing from the Halstead club, we know where to start looking!

We believe that Roger Chaplin was expelled from the event because he misunderstood the concept and turned up in a Minor 1000.

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Sunday 28th December 2014

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Butley

Laurie Bird Memorial Trial

Sign On: 9.00am
National Grid Reference: TM 365505

Start: 10.00am
Permit No. ACU 43043

OFFICIALS:-

Eastern Centre Steward: A Foskew
Clerk of the Course: I Barfield (Licence 123652)
Child Protection P.o.C.: T Andrews
Secretary of the Meeting: T Andrews, 9 St Johns Meadow, Metfield, Harleston, Norfolk IP20 0LY

Club Steward(s): W Harvey J Read

Tel: 07803 270853 (Day) 01379 586819 (eve) email: tjandrews12@sky.com

JURISDICTION:

Held under the NSC and the Standing Trials Regulations of the ACU and the EASTERN CENTRE, these Supplementary Regulations and any Final Instructions which will have the force of these Regulations. Adult & Youth members of the ACU riding solo machines.

Start / Finish: Butley, Woodbridge, Suffolk, IP12 3NZ

Course: Woodland & Sand sections.

Routes: Multi route

Classes: Pre-70, Pre-Unit, Unit, Two Stroke, Twinshock

Awards: 1st in Class

Entries: Must be on the OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM and sent to the Secretary of the Meeting with a fee of £16.00 for Adults and £14 for Youth. Include one 9x4 SAE. Cheques/POs to be made payable to Woodbridge & DMCC (Not paid into the bank before 5th Jan 2015)

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Entries Close: 20th December 2014

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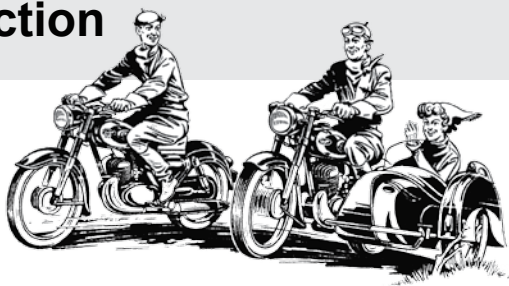
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The Recollection Section

Sidge Kenny



In the high summer of 1964, I drove my JCB through the famous gates of the genteel coastal town of Frinton-on-sea – which was already having its feathers ruffled by the highly visible sight of Radio Caroline moored just a few miles off

shore. My mission was to clear the garden of a large property to make way for an additional building plot – something which was to happen much more in Frinton as the years passed. At our morning tea-break, I sat on the low garden wall out in the warm sun with an elderly man who was the gardener of the house and was, in effect, working to terminate his job. Nonetheless the old boy was cheery enough with me

“They tell me you ride motorbikes,” the old boy said, chewing on a chunky sandwich. “I’ll bet you didn’t know there was motorbikes made here in Frinton. I was very surprised to hear this. Frinton seemed the last place on earth where motorcycles would be made “ Ratcliffe - ” - the old boy went on,- “ - the Ratcliffe brothers. They made cars was well, and I worked for them. We even went to Brooklands a few times. It all packed up when the War started....”

“Oh,” I said wondering if this was a fairy tale “So they made bikes until 1939 ?” “No” he snorted in some derision. “ - I mean the First War – the Great War, the one that started in 1914 .” He then carried on giving me an account of these machines which he worked on as a young man. It seemed there was indeed a factory of a humble type in Frinton, which firstly made bicycles at the beginning of the twentieth-century and then developed into the new motorised technology. There were in those early days, many small manufacturers of motorcycles – most destined to fail.

“Belt drive – “ he went on, “ – not so good if it were wet, chains were better - they didn’t slip.” At that precise moment, another man - well dressed - was passing by and then stopped. “ Belts on motorbikes? – I don’t know how many times I had to mend them on my old Premier I had a sidecar and that added to the load After the War, I got a Triumph” I assumed by his evident age he was also talking of the First World War. “ A trusty Triumph..” he added with a flourish. His remark was loud enough to be heard by a lady and gentleman walking arm-in-arm, on the other side of the road.. “ Trusty Triumphs?” the gent called across, “ -I rode them for thousands of miles in Mesopotamia (nowadays Iraq) during the War “ The couple came over to join us and immediately there was a whole series of yarns being swopped about motorcycling before, during and after the First World War. with me as a very attentive bystander though I wished I had a tape recorder.

Two things struck me at the time. Frinton seemed entirely populated by the elderly - and secondly; it is surprising who – no matter how genteel and distinguished they become in later life – how people remembered and enjoyed their youthful experiences on motorbikes.

A final thought stikes me today – I am now as elderly as that group of old-timers were then....

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Jay Sayer

Interesting to read Sidge's comments on female bikers last month.

Sidge forgot to mention that Abbi Radley passengers her dad Nick in the 500cc Grass Track sidecars and they finished a fantastic second in the FIME Championship held at High Easter this year. It was one of the most emotional Grass Track meetings that I have ever attended with Josh Goodwi/Liam Brown being the first ever Brits to lift the trophy on the same track where Josh's dad, Lester, lost his life in a racing accident several years ago.

Teri Massingham was a very creditable 350cc solo Grass Track rider until she retired recently and as for a female Sidecar driver, Penny Hook drove a 1,000cc right hand grass track sidecar with Sinead McLaren in the chair several years ago

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Machine: Make: Engine Size (cc)

Entrant (if different from rider)

Company / Name: **Entrant's Licence No.**

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Braintree & DMCC
Wednesday 31st December 2014

OPEN Permit TRIAL
Twinstead

Twinstead Wood Trial

Sign On: 9.00am
National Grid Reference: TM 858358

Start: 10.30am
Permit No. ACU 43044

OFFICIALS:-

Eastern Centre Steward: tbc
Clerk of the Course: A Parker (Licence 55033)
Child Protection P.o.C.: S Butcher
Secretary of the Meeting: S Butcher, Rowanbank, Maldon Rd, Witham, Essex CM8 1HX
Tel: 07712 766019 email: stephenbutcher1376@tiscali.co.uk

Club Steward(s): tbc

JURISDICTION:

Held under the NSC and the Standing Trials Regulations of the ACU and the EASTERN CENTRE, these Supplementary Regulations and any Final Instructions which will have the force of these Regulations. Adult & Youth members of the ACU riding solo machines.

Start / Finish: Twinstead Wood, Lorkins Lane, Twinstead, Essex

Course: Woodland.

Classes: Inter A & B, Expert B, Novice, twinshock, Pre-70, Youth A & B

Awards: None

Entries: Must be on the OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM and sent to the Secretary of the Meeting with a fee of £15.00 for Adults and £10 for Youth. Include one 9x4 SAE. Cheques/POs to be made payable to Braintree DMCC

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OPEN Permit TRIAL
Cadders Hill, Lyng

Jack Kersey Trial

Sign On: 10.00am
National Grid Reference: TG 066174

Start: 11.00am
Permit No. ACU 43045

OFFICIALS:-

Eastern Centre Steward: tbc
Clerk of the Course: B Douglas (Licence 70441)
Child Protection P.o.C.: B Douglas
Secretary of the Meeting: B Douglas, The Old Cottage, The Moor, Reepham, Norfolk NR10 4NL

Club Steward(s): J Douglas R Brookes

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Start / Finish: Cadders Hill, Lyng, Norfolk, NR9 5QZ

Course: Banks & Roots 4 laps of 8 sections.

Classes: Expert, Inter, Novice, Twinshock, Pre-70, Youth A,B,C,D,E

Awards: None

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Entries Open: 15th December 2015

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Sudbury MCC Club Notes

Roger Chaplin

Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year Everyone.

Not much to write about this month awaiting the Dates Meeting so we all can sort out the various clashes of meetings for 2015 so we can start our planning.

Some of our members made the annual pilgrimage to the Weston Beach Race along with first timers. There were high hopes for Jamie Roper this year as he finished 13th in 2013 and 10th in 2012 but it was not to be. A flat battery at the start meant he got away in last place and like a true champion he is managed to get up to 20th but disaster struck with 20 minutes to go his bike stopped but was credited with 68th. Top Sudbury rider was Craig Roper finishing 40th while Glenn Walsh making his debut at Weston finished 52nd. Ian Tutton also making his debut had a spectacular ride or should that be crash resulting in a broken bone or two, however he was credited with 274th. In the over 40 Class Nick Ames finished 5th while Andy Quorn and Graham Mays had a ding dong battle throughout the day with Andy taking 23rd and Graham 24th with Simon Thake securing 31st. Hollie Roper took a lovely photo of six of our riders before the start and she kindly let me have a copy which I managed to get it into two of the three newspapers I submitted to. Talking of photos I have managed to get one or two of my photos in various papers and websites this year also some of other real photographers which is a result.

All the Club's and Solo Enduro Championship Trophies for this year have now be allocated, now they have to be purchased and engraved before the Annual Dinner and Awards Presentation on February 7th 2015. I don't have a date yet for the AGM I think this will be arranged at the December committee meeting and it will take place in January.

"Where have all the young person's gone". I know they are not the right words for the song but this was a theme at the last Board or should I say Bored Meeting (now I am in trouble) as there appear to be no youth being involved at Board level although I know there is one or two at Club level. They are needed to take over from us oldies when we are put out to grass and the question arose are they being encouraged, appreciated, helped or being snubbed and/or ignored. Sidge Kenny reflected upon the past going back to the 1960s when Alan Penny, my brother Barry and myself were active on our Club's committees mere teenagers. Barry was 17/18 when he became Competitions Secretary organising Trials first then Scrambles making the Sudbury Club one of the top promoters. I became Press Secretary at 16 in 1962 then in 1964 took over from Barry as Competition Secretary while in 1966 became Treasurer. At the age of 26 I was elected Centre Treasurer and served 8 years and have been a Centre Vice President since 1975. I know I have written about what I have done but there are others out there who have done the same and more. I believe we should encourage the young members to get more involved, work with them, nurture them and get them to understand how we have done things and why in the hope they will take over and do bigger and better things in the future.

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Woodbridge & DMCC Club Notes

Charlie Ralph

Well done to two of our enduro riders at the final round of the two man team series at Great Cornard. James Potter teamed up with Lowestoft's Tom Braddock to win the Dave Barkshire sponsored championship class, and after a nail biting finish in the clubmans group, Ben Alexander finished as runner up.

At the Weston beach race, Steve Bixby was an excellent 17th, and Steve Atkins was 12th in the over 40 group. Several of our club members made the trip, including Jack Watling, Nick Mys, Tony Rooke, Jes Nicholls, Jacob Chambers and Ben Alexander to name a few.

The ACU youth club championships at Blaxhall saw some great racing in all classes, and the ACU were most impressed with our facility, so well done to John Blyth and the crew for all the prep work leading up to the event.

Our club riders, Luke Benstead, Shaun Southgate and little Drew Kemp were in action, and were always at, or near the front of the races.

On the subject of motocross, we have a lot of work to do, following the news that our Maxxis British Championship round will be on 28th June. The club has hosted British 125/250 championships in the past, as well as British under 21's and fourstroke championships, but it will be a first for the premier series. We will need lots of help from club members on the day, and beforehand. One of our main worries was room for riders and team sponsors parking, and car parking for spectators etc, but with the help from the neighbouring land owner, we have leased almost four acres on adjacent land.

The annual John Easty trial for pre 70 bikes and twinshocks took place at Rendlesham forest in early November, and entries were slightly down on previous years, however, most of the feet up lads enjoyed the day. The club award for the hard route went to Daniel Carter, and Matt Dye won the intermediate route trophy. Nick Dyble lost only 35 marks despite wet weather setting in, and the usual battle between the Woods family resulted in David beating his dad Paul in the twinshock hard route class. Elder brother Andrew, retired after the first lap.

Our next trial is on December 28th at Butley, when we remember our late friend, Laurie Bird.

It looks likely that the Eastern motocross championships will be over eight rounds for next year, which is great news. The main problem though, is finding a timing team to commit to

cover all of the events in the centre.

Finally, club membership will soon be due. We are holding our membership charges as the same as this year, despite increases in postage etc. £25 for the year if you require a monthly gazette along with a monthly newsletter, or just £7.50 if you require a newsletter only. There are several ways to join or rejoin, by the ACU online system, or the entry central online facility. Also on the Woodbridge website, following the link to membership, or by post to me. If you need help or info, please telephone me on 01394 389330 or 07596590621.

Enjoy the festive season, and wishing you all a great new year

Notes from Eastern Centre Trials Forum November 5th 2014

25 attendees including riders and organisers representing 11 clubs

For 2015 introduction of championship classes for Expert B to be included in Class A rounds and Intermediate B to be included in Class B rounds.

For 2015 to qualify as a championship round there is no minimum number of riders per class and in each championship riders will drop only one score during the year.

Trials Committee agreed for 2015 as Clive Dopson (Chairman), Kevin Hood (Vice-Chairman), Barbara Douglas (Secretary), Paul Fenn (Stewards Coordinator), David Cordle (Recorder), Eddie Hood, Jamie Douglas, Adam Keeble, Matthew Neale, Paul Nash, Nick Ogden.

Trials Seminars for Clerk of Course and Steward Licences planned for December 20th and January 17th, details will be on the website, the Trials Committee would request that any candidates request both Clerk of Course and Steward Licence.

There is a change to the published 2015 calendar Phil King National moves from February 1st to February 8th, Lowestoft A Class trial moves from February 8th to February 17th.

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Sunday 11th January 2015

OPEN Permit TRIAL
Gt Ellingham

January Trial

Sign On: 9.30am
National Grid Reference: TM 028980

Start: 10.30am
Permit No. ACU 43046

OFFICIALS:-

Eastern Centre Steward: tbc
Clerk of the Course: C Dopson (Licence 10432)
Child Protection P.o.C.: D Glover
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Start / Finish: Hill House Farm, Gt Ellingham, Norfolk, NR17 1AQ

Course: Ditches & Banks.

Routes: Red, Blue, White & Orange

Classes: Expert A, Expert B, Inter A, Inter B, Novice, Twinshock, Pre-70, Youth A,B,C,D

Awards: None

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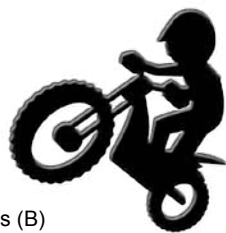
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What's on



DECEMBER

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|------|----------------------------|-------|------|--------------|------------------------|
| 7th | Lowestoft | Trial | OPEN | Corton | EC Champs (B) |
| 14th | Norwich Viking | Trial | OPEN | Lyng | Nfk & Sfk Group Champs |
| 17th | COMPETITIONS COMMITTEE MTG | | | Gt Blakenham | |
| 21st | NSJMCC | Trial | OPEN | GT Hockham | |
| 21st | Braintree | Trial | OPEN | Beazley End | |
| 26th | Triangle | Trial | OPEN | Raydon | |
| 28th | Woodbridge | Trial | OPEN | Butley | EC Champs (C) |
| 31st | Braintree | Trial | OPEN | Twinstead | |

JANUARY 2015

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|------|----------------|-------|------|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| 1st | Norwich Viking | Trial | OPEN | Lyng | |
| 4th | EFA | Trial | OPEN | Little Bealings | Pre-70 & Twinshock |
| 11th | Southend | Trial | OPEN | Danbury | |
| 11th | Wymondham | Trial | OPEN | GT Ellingham | N&S Grp - all solo adult Yth A,B,C |
| 25th | Ipswich | Trial | OPEN | Raydon | Nfk & Sfk Group |

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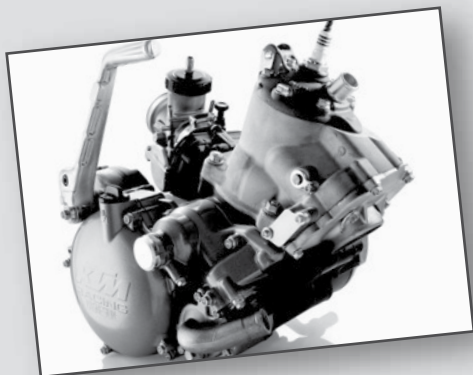
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