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## **Sad Passing of Bob Drane**

'Sidge' Kenny

Few people exemplified as distinctly the dual roles of successful trials rider and steadfast club member as Braintree's Bob Drane, who passed away at the turn of the year. Bob had reached a very good age, it is thought well into his nineties and had been a leading Eastern Centre trials rider since the 1950's - being notable for the peculiar rounded tank on his Greeves and his ear-flapped riding hat – helmets not

being compulsory in those years. Not quite a founding member when the Braintree club joined the reformed Eastern Centre in 1946, Bob was nonetheless one of the longest serving members, which the club recognised many years ago in making him a lifelong member at a special gathering for that purpose.

Bob had followed motorcycle sport for many years, and before actively competing, attended many of the frequent scrambles in this region as well as going long distances in organised coachloads to Championship and International meetings such as those held in Shropshire at Hawkstone Park. In his own competitive riding, Bob was a "thinker" in terms of trials performances, taking his own time when confronted by a section and working out carefully what would be the best line to take. This aspect reflected his working career as a skilled machinist who produced very precise prototypes of equipment in early research stage - on occasion for Her Majesty's government. (as then)



In his later career, Bob used both his riding skills and his ability to read information and data to follow and open up the numerous "green lanes" in the Braintree area and would take a party of fellow riders along with him – under strict discipline to observe due courtesy to horse riders and walkers. The event became popular and was invariably prefaced by dinner at the Andrews field (Stebbing) airfield. He worked for the Eastern Centre as: "Rights-of-way" delegate for many years and in his methodical way, joined and became a worthy and well regarded delegate on the Essex County Council's: 'Footpaths and Rights of Way' committee.

A quietly spoken, very courteous character, Bob nonetheless had decided and sometimes strongly expressed views and was a stout defender of our sport, if not always in favour of the way it is run. He was nonetheless a loyal club and Centre man and both will miss him - and I suspect, some of the values he stood for.



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## 2024 ACU Eastern Youth Trials Championship

Clive Dopson - Secretary to the ACU-EC Trials Committee

At the 2023 ACU-EC Trials Forum on November 1st it was decided that for 2024 the Youth Championship classes within B Class rounds will remain as 2023, that is Youth Expert, Intermediate and Novice. Where a club organising a B Class round can offer a beginner's route (lower than white) there will also be a new Youth Beginner class. In addition, all clubs, where a beginner's route is included, were offered to host a round of the Youth Beginner's Championship. Championship points will be calculated but there will not be a Youth Beginners trophy in 2024. Once a rider has ridden as Youth Novice or above, they cannot score points as Youth Beginner. All youth classes remain open to all ages of youth rider's dependant on parents or guardians ensuring they are capable of riding the class entered. The 2024 Youth ACU-EC Championship Trials are as the table below, the championship will be reviewed at the 2024 Trials Forum, probably in early November.

Any changes to the proposed calendar will be shown in the Event Calendar on the ACU-EC website.

Date	Club	Venue	ACU EC Championship	Exp	Int	Nov	Beg
Sun 24/3/24	Wymondham	Middleton	В	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Sun 14/4/24	Ipswich	Badwell Ash	В	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Sun 28/4/24 (to be confirmed)	Essex & Suffolk Border	Raydon	B plus Youth Beg.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Sun 9/6/24	Braintree	Spansey Wood	Youth Beg. only				Yes
Sun 23/6/24	Southend	Poles Wood	D plus Youth Beg.				Yes
Sun 21/7/24	Bury	Hawkedon	В	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Sun 27/7/24	Diss	Wattisfield Hall	C plus Youth Beg.				Yes
Sun 8/9/24	Essex & Suffolk Border	Tattingstone	В	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Sun 29/9/24	Norwich Viking	Gt. Ellingham	Youth Beg. only				Yes
Sun 13/10/24	Castle	Thorrington	B plus Youth Beg.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes





Diss MCC

#### **OPEN Permit Enduro**

#### Sunday 25th February 2024

## GH Motorcycles Santon Enduro, Round 1 of ACU Eastern Enduro Championship

Thetford Forest, Ride 22, A134, Kings Lynn Road, IP27 0TR

What 3 Words: meaty.spouse.headers Permit No.: ACU 202124

**Sign On:** 07.15 **Start:** 09.00

#### **OFFICIALS**

ACU Eastern Steward: TBC Club Steward(s): TBC

Clerk of the Course: Andy Waters (Licence 95651)

Child Protection P.o.C.: Secretary of Meeting

Secretary of the Meeting: Bev Chapman

Diss, Norfolk

email: help@dissmcc.co.uk

Course: Forest

Classes: Defined in Sport80 Entry

Awards: None

#### **JURISDICTION**

Held under the NSC and the Standing Enduro Regulations of the ACU and ACU EASTERN, the 2023 ACU Eastern Enduro Championship Conditions, the Supplementary Regulations and any Final Instructions which will have the force of the Regulations. Open to Adult members with an appropriate licence riding Solo machines

#### **ENTRIES**

All entries will be via the ACU Sport:80 Online Entry System. Entry Fee £93.00. Entries will not be refunded unless the entry is refused, or a Doctor's certificate is provided. In the event of cancellation, refunds will be made less £10.00 administration fee. This includes ACU Sport80 and Stripe Commission fees.

Entries Open: January 15th 2024, @ 8:00 pm Entries Close: February 14th 2024 @ 8:00 pm

#### No Entries on the day!

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# Recollection Section

Sidge Kenny

We've all come across a colleague or a chum who is a bit hard on all things mechanical. He is the one that whacks items a bit too enthusiastically with his hammer, or yanks too vigorously on a cable and inevitably he is the one who tightens up his nuts with cruel ferocity. And usually, he is the one we have to eventually sort out and repair his mechanical wrong-doing. More than often however, he is also the one with, in every other aspect, a sensible and genuinely thoughtful, friendly personality.

As a result you – being equally such a kindly friend - spend much of your spare time getting him out of a muddle. I speak of such things from first hand experience. My friend, Ollie, is such a (rather lovable) case.

I have lost count of the number of times I have had to "nip round" and sort out his various tales of woe – mainly all self-induced. The split alloy cases, stripped threads, bruised shafts and ruined oil seals give evidence of a man who should rather be collecting cheese labels. Yet with great good humour and almost infectious confidence, Ollie undertakes his work. Rarely am I called in before the disaster to give any advice or at least, a second opinion. Ollie sails in – literally, just like a novice explorer in the jungle who sets off merrily into the wilderness, without a care in the world or without snake-proof boots – or even his phone.

Motorcycling as a rule brings with it the need to adopt a degree of mechanical prowess and in years past, most riders would take great pride in the knowledge that their machines rarely, if ever, had to go to a repair shop. They maintained them as well as riding them — which endowed the rider with several talents from mending punctures to complete rebuilding of engines and gearboxes. Talent and skill was thereby a dividend gained — though perhaps in this day and age not quite so deeply rooted as in the past. The bikes nowadays especially in the electronic department, are more sophisticated, need highly specialised gear to find out what is wrong — it is (so they say!) a by-product of progress.

In the competition field however, and at the lower "clubmen" level, most riders are indeed talented mechanics and religiously maintain their bikes to produce good performance. Further, so many embark on making up complete bikes and devising previously unheard-of mixtures of engines and frames – if they are not fully: "home-built." This advanced factor is one that I particularly admire. The satisfaction from riding a bike in any type of discipline which you have constructed, must give enormous pleasure regardless of how you actually did in the event. It is a talent which sadly I do not possess though I can keep most things running - and wearily, I am clearly just of adequate prowess to help Ollie get out of the s\*\*t - or more politely - the mechanical mire.



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Sunday 3rd March 2024

# Norwich Vikings MCC DRD Trophy Trial

East Wretham, Thetford IP24 1SQ

What 3 Words: Subway.Outsiders.Wide Permit No.: ACU 202600

**Sign On:** 9.30am **Start:** 10.30am

#### **OFFICIALS**

Club Steward(s): James Douglas

Clerk of the Course: Barbara Douglas (Licence 70441)

Child Protection P.o.C.: Barbara Douglas
Secretary of the Meeting: Barbara Douglas

The Old Cottages, The Moor, Reepham Norwich

Tel: 07484220349 email: barbara.douglas@hotmail.co.uk

Course: tree roots and banks

Routes: Red/Blue, White, Orange, 50/50

Classes: Expert B, Inter, Inter B, Novice, Twinshock,

Pre 70, Youth A,B,C,D,E

Awards: None

Norwich Viking MCC

National Grid Ref: TI 921926

#### JURISDICTION

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#### **FNTRIFS**

All entries will be via the ACU Online Entry System. Entry Fee £20 Adult £15 Youth. Entries will not be refunded unless the entry is refused, or on presentation of a doctor's certificate. In the event of cancellation refunds may be made less £3 to cover administration costs.

Entries Open: February 10th 2024, @ 9.00 am Entries Close: March 2nd 2024 @ 12.00 am

#### 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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Riders sign on at van on arrival.

## Alan Cocksedge Photos of Eastern Centre Events Pt. 6 Roger Chaplin

In this addition of the Gazette are Alan Cocksedge colour photos from 1962 in fact  $1^{\rm st}$  April and again the then named Sudbury & District Motor Cycle & Light Car Club Scramble at Tye Farm Great Cornard. This was the Club's second Scramble in its history, Barry Chaplin now 19 was again Secretary of the Meeting plus Clerk of the Course as Don 'Tubber' King had stepped back on his position on the Committee. Barry names the event 'Suffolk Point-to-Point Scramble' and set about getting some of the top country's riders, first he got the 'local boy' Dave Bickers undefeated 250cc European Motorcross Champion next Barry went after the other top British rider Jeff Smith who had won 4 British Titles and went on to win another 5 plus two World Championship Titles. It was a bit of a cat and mouse game but Barry was determined and he snared his prey.

I took over from 'Tubber' as Press Secretary in 1962 I was 16 and here came Alan Cocksedge into the picture. I was asked to go and see him at the Suffolk Free Press offices in Sudbury which was close to my place of work. He explained the Scramble needed publicity and he gave me a piece he had written and a list of media outlets that this press release should go to – WOW – there were nearly 40 included in the list were all the local newspapers in East Anglia, three national newspapers, the Motor Cycle press plus two Television companies, there was Anglia in Norwich which started in 1959 and the local BBC also in Norwich plus BBC Sports View in London which went out nationally. I had learnt to type so one evening I borrowed a portable typewriter from work, obtained some carbon paper typed out on the Club's headed notepaper 40 copies actually 5 sheets 8 times. WOW what affect these press releases had nearly 9,000 spectators turned up on the day some as far as Oxfordshire

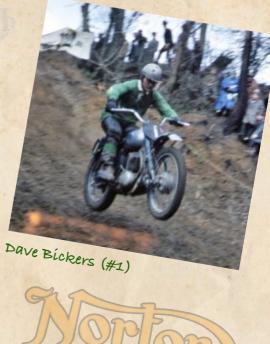
Jeff Smith won 3 races, W J A Mills the Juniors, Dave Bickers up to 350cc and Jim Aim was the only finisher of the Veteran Bike race. Both Anglia & BBC local showed footage on the Monday night. The Final Account Book shows Income £394/17/6 Expenditure £218/6/6 Profit £176/11/0.



Alan Cocksedge











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# 2023 ACU Eastern Trials Championships Final Standings

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1	Ipswich	6	20	15	11	15	15	17	6	20	17	9	17	15	13	20	20	13	20	249	6	6	15	222
2	Castle Colchester	20	17		15	17		15	17	10		17			11	10	15	15	17	179	0	11	0	168
3	Diss	7		20	9	13	17	3	11		11		20	17	15	6				162	0		0	162
	Chelmsford	17	10		20	9		20	1		20	4		20			17	4		142	17	0	0	125
	Southend	10	15						20			20			20	3		17		105	0		0	105
	Wymondham					20			15			13		13	17			20		98	0	0	0	98
	Ilford			13			20	11		17			13			17			13	91	0		0	91
	Essex Suffolk Brdr.			11	8	6	9	4		15	10		11			15			10	89	0	0	0	89
	Braintree	13	11			11			10			11			9			10		75	0	9	0	66
	Woodbridge	5		17	10		7	5	8			10							4	62	0	0	0	62
	West Essex	8			13			13			15									49	0		0	49
	Sudbury			10			8			5			10			8				41	0	0	0	41
	Eastern Fourstroke		6				1									9				18	0		0	18
	Lowestoft Invaders												15						7	15	0	0	0	15
	Norwich									11										11	0	0	0	11
	Bury St Eds									2										2	0	0	0	2
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#### **EXPERT "A" - HALSTEAD TROPHY**

Pos.	Name	Rnd.1. Poles Wd	Rnd.2. Raydon	Rnd.3. Alphamst.	Rnd.4 Purls Hill	Rnd.5 Middleton	Rnd.6 Bad. Ash	Total	Worst Score	Champ Points
Champion	Kieran Tovey	15	20	20	20	20	0	95	0	95
2	lan Johnston	20	13	15	0	0	15	63	0	63
3	Julian Harvey	0	0	17	17	0	20	54	0	54
	Brandon Youngman	17	15	0	0	0	17	49	0	49
	Tom Norman	0	0	10	0	0	13	23	0	23
	John Lowen	11	0	9	0	0	0	20	0	20
	Jack Stiles	0	17	0	0	0	0	17	0	17
	Jacob Lowen	9	0	8	0	0	0	17	0	17
	Dean Heathfield	0	0	0	15	0	0	15	0	15
	James Yearley	13	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	13
	Graham Marfleet	0	0	13	0	0	0	13	0	13
	Jack Austin	0	0	11	0	0	0	11	0	11
	Chris Ryland	0	0	0	0	0	11	11	0	11
	Roger Higgs	10	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	10
	Bobby Stafford	0	0	0	0	0	10	10	0	10
	Andrew Barrell	0	0	0	0	0	9	9	0	9

#### **EXPERT "B" - PAUL THOMAS CUP**

Pos.	Name	Rnd.1. Poles Wd	Rnd.2. Raydon	Rnd.3. Alphamst.	Rnd.4 Purls Hill	Rnd.5 Middleton	Rnd.6 Bad. Ash	Total	Worst Score	Champ Points
1	Scott Baldwin	15	17	17	17	17	17	100	15	85
2	Mark Reason	20	20	20	20	0	0	80	0	80
3	Mark Banham	17	11	10	15	20	0	73	0	73
	Mark Baldwin	0	10	9	10	13	15	57	0	57
	Stephen Mannerings	13	13	13	13	0	0	52	0	52
	Andrew Keeble	0	9	11	11	0	0	31	0	31
	Aaron Wakefield	10	15	0	0	0	0	25	0	25
	Daniel Carter	0	8	15	0	0	0	23	0	23
	James Williams	0	0	0	0	0	20	20	0	20
	Matthew Neale	0	0	0	0	15	0	15	0	15
	David Woods	11	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	11

#### **INTER "A - CHRIS EDWARDS TROPHY**

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ļ.		Poles Wd	Raydon	Alphamst.	Purls Hill	Middleton	Bad. Ash		Score	Points
1	Jordan Bailey	15	0	20	20	20	17	92	0	92
2	Stephen Bland	0	20	15	13	17	20	85	0	85
3	Gary Gladwin	17	17	17	17	11	15	94	11	83
	Michael Lilley	20	15	3	9	13	9	69	3	66
	Neil Kemp	9	0	13	15	10	11	58	0	58
	Nathan Morton	11	11	9	11	9	10	61	9	52
	Mike Dowson	0	13	11	7	15	5	51	0	51
	Aaron Richardson	6	10	0	8	8	13	45	0	45
	Darren Tovey	10	9	1	4	0	0	24	0	24
	Toby Morley	0	0	8	10	0	0	18	0	18
	Paul Wakeling	0	7	2	6	0	0	15	0	15
	Sam Appleton	0	0	0	0	6	8	14	0	14
	James Brown	13	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	13
	Tim Allen	0	0	5	0	5	3	13	0	13
	Paul Towns	0	0	10	0	0	0	10	0	10
	Paul Fairhurst	8	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	8
	Alan Robinson	0	8	0	0	0	0	8	0	8
	Andrew Woods	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	7
	David Kendall	0	0	7	0	0	0	7	0	7
	Terry Lilley	3	0	0	0	4	0	7	0	7
	Elliott Ryan	0	0	0	0	7	0	7	0	7
	Mitch Stafford	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	0	7
	Neil Fenn	0	6	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
	Gareth Price	0	0	6	0	0	0	6	0	6
	Daniel Thompson	0	0	0	3	3	0	6	0	6
	Dale Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	6	6	0	6
	James Brown	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
	Stuart Horrex	0	5	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
	Dale Johnston	0	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	5
	Joseph Butcher	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
	Gary Drage	0	4	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
	Paul Owen	0	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	4
	Nick Ogden	Ö	0	Ö	0	Ö	4	4	Ö	4
	Stephen Robinson	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
	James Johnson	2	0	0	0	Ö	0	2	0	2
	James Coker	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1

#### INTER "B" - BOSTOCK TROPHY

Pos.	Name	Rnd.1. Poles Wd	Rnd.2. Raydon	Rnd.3. Alphamst.	Rnd.4 Purls Hill	Rnd.5 Middleton	Rnd.6 Bad. Ash	Total	Worst Score	Champ Points
1	Richard Snowden	17	0	17	15	17	17	83	0	83
2	Andy Nunn	20	15	10	13	20	9	87	9	78
3	Jim Cammack	0	0	20	20	15	15	70	0	70
	Alan Day	13	13	13	17	11	10	77	10	67
	Mark Green	15	17	15	10	0	0	57	0	57
	Trevor Baker	0	20	0	11	9	11	51	0	51
	Trevor Ellis	11	8	9	9	8	0	45	0	45
	Simon Donnelly	0	11	8	8	10	8	45	0	45
	Gary Smith	10	7	0	0	7	6	30	0	30
	Daniel Piper	0	10	11	0	0	0	21	0	21
	Kevin Plummer	0	0	0	0	0	20	20	0	20
	Paul Houghton	0	0	0	0	13	0	13	0	13
	Adam Keeble	0	0	0	0	0	13	13	0	13
	Alan Miller	0	9	0	0	0	0	9	0	9
	Adrian Parker	0	0	7	0	0	0	7	0	7
	Dominick Fairbanks	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	0	7
	Paul Owen	0	0	Λ	0	0	0	Λ	0	0

#### YOUTH EXPERT (RED/BLUE) - DAVID CORDLE TROPHY

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Pos.	Name	Rnd.1	Rnd.2	Rnd.3	Rnd.4	Rnd.5	Rnd.6	Total	Worst	Champ
1 03.	Name	Middleton	Bad. Ash	Hawkdn.	Tattingstn.	Thorr.ton	Raydon	Total	Score	Points
1	Daniel Adcock	0	0	0	0	0	20	20	0	20
2	Bradley Barrell	0	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	20

ACUE Final Tie Break

#### **YOUTH INTERMEDIATE (50/50)**

Pos.	Name	Rnd.1 Middleton	Rnd.2 Bad. Ash	Rnd.3 Hawkdn.	Rnd.4 Tattingstn.	Rnd.5 Thorr.ton	Rnd.6 Raydon	Total	Worst Score	Champ Points
1	Daniel Adcock	20	20	20	20	20	0	100	0	100
	Charlie Kendall	17	17	0	0	0	0	34	0	34
	Fin Penny	0	0	0	0	17	0	17	0	17

YOUTH NOVICE (WHITE) - BUTCHER TROPHY

Pos.	Name	Rnd.1 Middleton	Rnd.2 Bad. Ash	Rnd.3 Hawkdn.	Rnd.4 Tattingstn.	Rnd.5 Thorr.ton	Rnd.6 Raydon	Total	Worst Score	Champ Points
1	Jack Holmes	0	20	20	20	20	20	100	0	100
2	Alfie Holmes	0	10	17	11	10	10	58	0	58
3	Ollie Norman	0	11	0	15	11	11	48	0	48
	Alfie Chapman	0	0	0	10	17	9	36	0	36
	Jenson Grice	20	13	0	0	0	0	33	0	33
	Archie Leech	0	15	0	0	0	15	30	0	30
	Arthur Teager	0	9	0	0	7	8	24	0	24
	Owen Parker	0	0	0	0	9	13	22	0	22
	Ruby Brand	0	0	0	9	5	5	19	0	19
	Fin Penny	0	0	0	17	0	0	17	0	17
	Bradley Barrell	0	17	0	0	0	0	17	0	17
	Samuel Smith Hilton	0	0	0	0	0	17	17	0	17
	Joshua Woods	0	0	0	0	15	0	15	0	15
	Ethan Stewart	0	0	0	0	8	6	14	0	14
	Jasper Johnson	0	0	0	0	13	0	13	0	13
	Jasper Lee	0	0	0	13	0	0	13	0	13
	Aiden Johnston	0	0	0	0	6	7	13	0	13
	Logan Brand	0	0	0	0	4	4	8	0	8
	Chloe Moore	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	3
	Joshua Moore	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	2

#### **NOVICE - ROY BANNISTER TROPHY**

Pos.	Name	Rnd.1 Middleton	Rnd.2 Bad. Ash	Rnd.3 Hawkdn.	Rnd.4 Tattingstn.		Rnd.6 Raydon	Total	Worst Score	Champ Points
1	Ralph Petts	15	15	20	17	20	20	107	15	92
2	George Austin	13	20	17	13	17	13	93	13	80
3	Darren Cobbold	11	3	15	0	15	10	54	0	54
	Aaron Kerry	5	0	9	11	13	8	46	0	46
	Lewis Roper	9	8	5	10	8	0	40	0	40
	Dale Johnston	20	13	0	0	0	0	33	0	33
	David Williams	6	9	8	9	0	0	32	0	32
	Matthew Crissell	0	0	10	0	10	6	26	0	26
	Steve Martin	17	7	0	0	0	0	24	0	24
	Gavin Nixon	0	10	13	0	0	0	23	0	23
	Tim Ford	0	0	0	15	0	7	22	0	22
	Ryan Mackintosh	0	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	20
	Arthur Austin	8	4	6	0	0	0	18	0	18
	Jason Naruszewicz	0	17	0	0	0	0	17	0	17
	Daniel Leach	0	6	0	0	0	11	17	0	17
	Colin Brand	0	0	0	0	0	17	17	0	17
	Oliver Silcock	0	0	0	0	0	15	15	0	15
	N Ward	0	11	0	0	0	0	11	0	11
	Nick Jordan	0	0	11	0	0	0	11	0	11
	Dominic Fairbanks	0	0	0	0	11	0	11	0	11
	Terry Brown	10	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	10
	Bob Wreathall	0	0	0	0	9	0	9	0	9
	Terence Thompson	0	0	0	0	0	9	9	0	9
	Tom Jones	0	0	0	0	0	8	8	0	8
	Robert Martin	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	7
	Paul Mitchell	0	0	7	0	0	0	7	0	7
	Scott Stewart	0	0	0	0	7	0	7	0	7
	Andy Prill	0	5	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
	Richard Smith	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	5
	Andrew Gill	0	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	4
	Carl Herrington	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	4
	Gavin Welham	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	3
	Robert Manning	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
	William Wreathall	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2

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Р	os.	Rider/Passenger	Rnd.1. Poles Wd. 12/2/23	Rnd.2. Poles Wd. 15/10/23	Rnd.3 Poles Wd. 10/12/23	Total	Worst Score	FINAL Champ Points
	1	Elliot/Scott Ryan	20	17	20	57	17	40
	2	Luke/Woody Reynolds	0	11	15	26	0	26
	3	Robert/Stanley Head	0	20	0	20	0	20
		Robert Head/Bob Chapman	0	0	17	17	0	17
		Dave/Luke Ryan	17	0	0	17	0	17
		Jake Pope/Harry Allaway	0	15	0	15	0	15
		Elliott/Graham Tickner	0	13	0	13	0	13



#### TWINSHOCK "A" - K HORREX TROPHY

Pos.	Name	Rnd.1 Middleton	Rnd.2 Bad. Ash	Rnd.3 Hawkdn.	Rnd.4 Tattingstn.	Rnd.5 Thorr.ton	Rnd.6 Raydon	Total	Worst Score	Champ Points
1	Dan Carter	17	17	10	20	0	20	84	0	84
2	Andrew Keeble	9	15	0	9	10	17	60	0	60
3	Gary Baker	13	20	15	11	0	0	59	0	59
	Mark Banham	20	13	7	6	13	0	59	0	59
	Tom Norman	0	9	0	13	20	0	42	0	42
	Clive Dopson	10	0	13	0	15	0	38	0	38
	Lewis Chapman	0	0	20	0	17	0	37	0	37
	Stephen Howard	15	8	11	0	0	0	34	0	34
	David Woods	0	0	17	17	0	0	34	0	34
	Paul Fairhurst	8	11	0	8	0	0	27	0	27
	James Arden	0	0	9	15	0	0	24	0	24
	Kevin Palmer	0	0	6	7	8	0	21	0	21
	Richard Rogers	0	0	0	0	7	13	20	0	20
	Chris Collins	11	7	0	0	0	0	18	0	18
	Graham Palmer	0	0	8	0	9	0	17	0	17
	Richard Norman	0	6	0	10	0	0	16	0	16
	Richard Keeble	0	0	0	0	0	15	15	0	15
	Rob Cameron	0	0	0	5	6	0	11	0	11
	James Brown	0	0	0	0	11	0	11	0	11
	Neil Kemp	0	0	0	0	0	11	11	0	11
	Nigel Allen	0	10	0	0	0	0	10	0	10
	Michael Lilley	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	7
	Gary Marchant	0	0	0	0	6	0	6	0	6
	Darren Phypers	0	5	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
	Andrew Woods	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	5

#### TWINSHOCK "B" - JEWHURST CUP

Pos.	Name	Rnd.1 Middleton	Rnd.2 Bad. Ash	Rnd.3 Hawkdn.	Rnd.4 Tattingstn.	Rnd.5 Thorr.ton	Rnd.6 Raydon	Total	Worst Score	Champ Points
1	Richard Snowden	20	20	20	20	20	17	117	17	100
2	Mark Chapman	17	6	17	13	15	15	83	6	77
3	Andy Nunn	11	13	10	15	17	13	79	10	69
	Craig Crowfoot	0	20	0	17	0	20	57	0	57
	Steve Newman	9	0	9	11	9	9	47	0	47
	Peter Bavin	15	0	0	9	10	0	34	0	34
	Kevin Bishop	0	0	15	8	0	11	34	0	34
	Trevor Baker	0	11	11	10	0	0	32	0	32
	Terry Lilley	0	15	0	0	13	0	28	0	28
	Alan Day	10	9	0	0	7	0	26	0	26
	Mark Teager	0	4	0	0	11	10	25	0	25
	Kevin Plummer	0	7	7	0	0	8	22	0	22
	Kevin Palmer	13	8	0	0	0	0	21	0	21
	Brad Woods	0	0	0	0	8	7	15	0	15
	Max Airey	0	0	13	0	0	0	13	0	13
	Jim Cammack	0	10	0	0	0	0	10	0	10
	Andy Bilbow	0	0	8	0	0	0	8	0	8
	Gary Marchant	0	0	0	7	0	0	7	0	7
	Nick Radley	0	0	6	0	0	0	6	0	6
	R Martin	0	5	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
	Nick Airey	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	5
	L Chapman	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	3

#### TWINSHOCK "C"

Pos.	Name	Rnd.1 Middleton	Rnd.2 Bad. Ash	Rnd.3 Hawkdn.	Rnd.4 Tattingstn.	Rnd.5 Thorr.ton	Rnd.6 Raydon	Total	Worst Score	Champ Points
1	Trevor Hill	0	20	17	20	20	17	94	0	94
2	Alan Miller	0	17	15	0	17	20	69	0	69
3	Brad Woods	17	15	0	0	0	0	32	0	32
	Stephen Stolady	20	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	20
	Paul Woods	0	0	20	0	0	0	20	0	20
	Steven Fielder	15	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	15
	Bob Clarke	0	0	0	0	15	0	15	0	15
	Harvey Newman	0	0	0	0	0	15	15	0	15
	David Smith	13	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	13
	Paul Collins	0	13	0	0	0	0	13	0	13
	Paul Bilbow	0	0	13	0	0	0	13	0	13
	Bob Wreathall	11	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	11
	Tom Jones	0	11	0	0	0	0	11	0	11

#### PRE 70 "A" - THE PALMER WOODMASON PLATE

Pos.	Name	Rnd.1	Rnd.2	Rnd.3	Rnd.4	Rnd.5	Rnd.6	Total	Total Worst	
1-03.	Nume	Blaxhall	Bromley	Watt'field	Blaxhall	Thorr.ton	Butley	rotai	Score	Points
1	Dan Carter (Pre)	20	20	0	20	20	20	100	0	100
2	Gary Baker (Unit)	15	15	17	0	15	17	79	0	79
3	Clive Dopson (2/) + (Pre)	13	17	15	15	6	0	66	0	66
	Chris Collins (Unit)	17	0	20	17	9	0	63	0	63
	Stephen Howard (Unit)	11	0	13	0	0	0	24	0	24
	James Newstead (2/)	0	0	0	0	17	0	17	0	17
	Trevor Baker (Pre) + (2/)	0	11	0	0	5	0	16	0	16
	Martin Alderman (Unit)	0	0	0	0	0	15	15	0	15
	Joe Butcher (Pre)	0	13	0	0	0	0	13	0	13
	Tim Blackmore (2/)	0	0	0	0	13	0	13	0	13
	Jack Austin (Pre)	0	0	0	0	0	13	13	0	13
	Paul Whitehead (Pre)	0	0	0	0	11	0	11	0	11
	Mark Fletcher (Pre)	0	0	0	0	10	0	10	0	10
	Richard Norman (2/)	0	0	0	0	8	0	8	0	8
	Bryn Matton (2/)	0	0	0	0	7	0	7	0	7
	Sam Appleton (Pre)	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	0	4

#### PRE 70 "B" - 2K TRIALS AWARD

Pos.	s. Name	Rnd.1	Rnd.2	Rnd.3	Rnd.4	Rnd.5	Rnd.6	Total	Worst	Champ
FUS.	ivanie	Blaxhall	Bromley	Watt'field	Blaxhall	Thorr.ton	Butley	IOlai	Score	Points
1	Richard Snowden (2/)	17	20	20	20	20	20	117	17	100
2	Kevin Plummer (2/)	15	17	20	15	17	15	99	15	84
3	Mark Chapman (Unit)	13	0	15	11	9	11	59	0	59
	Brad Woods (Unit)	9	13	13	0	0	0	35	0	35
	Paul Houghton (2/)	0	0	0	0	11	17	28	0	28
	Trevor Hill (2/)	0	15	0	0	10	0	25	0	25
	Andy Nunn (2/)	0	0	0	0	13	9	22	0	22
	Darren Phypers (Unit)	20	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	20
	Bob Clarke (2/)	10	0	0	0	8	0	18	0	18
	Trevor Baker (2/)	0	0	0	17	0	0	17	0	17
	Jason Sturgeon (2/)	0	0	0	0	15	0	15	0	15
	Andy Prill (Unit)	0	0	0	13	0	0	13	0	13
	Clive Dopson (Pre)	0	0	0	0	0	13	13	0	13
	Nicholas Dyble (Unit)	11	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	11
	John Daly (Pre)	0	11	0	0	0	0	11	0	11
	Peter Bavin (2/)	0	0	0	0	0	10	10	0	10
	Joe Butcher (Pre)	8	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	8
	Anthony White (Pre)	0	0	0	0	7	0	7	0	7

#### PRE 70 "C"

Pos.	Name	Rnd.1 Blaxhall	Rnd.2 Bromley	Rnd.3 Watt'field	Rnd.4 Blaxhall	Rnd.5 Thorr.ton	Rnd.6 Butley	Total	Worst Score	Champ Points
1	Trevor Hill (2/)	20	0	17	17	0	15	69	0	69
2	Joe Stollery (Pre)	7	11	15	11	9	9	62	7	55
3	Scott Chappell (2/)	17	17	0	0	0	17	51	0	51
	Tom Jones (2/)	10	13	13	0	0	11	47	0	47
	John Daly (Pre)	15	0	0	0	17	13	45	0	45
	Bob Clarke (2/)	0	0	20	0	0	20	40	0	40
	John Beasley (2/)	11	15	0	0	13	0	39	0	39
	Trevor Kemp (2/)	0	0	11	15	7	0	33	0	33
	Mark Gibb (Pre)	9	0	0	0	11	10	30	0	30
	Dan Wright (Unit)	0	0	0	13	8	0	21	0	21
	Nick James ((2/)	0	20	0	0	0	0	20	0	20
	Nick Dyble (Pre)	0	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	20
	Alan Day (2/)	0	0	0	0	20	0	20	0	20
	Brian Cook (Unit)	0	10	0	0	0	8	18	0	18
	Joshua Brown (2/)	0	0	0	0	15	0	15	0	15
	Robert Clarke (Pre)	0	9	0	0	5	0	14	0	14
	Peter Caunter (Unit)	0	7	0	0	0	7	14	0	14
	Colin Black (2/)	13	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	13
	Nathan Morton (Pre)	0	0	10	0	0	0	10	0	10
	Doug Barrell (2/)	0	0	0	0	10	0	10	0	10
	Paul Collins (2/)	8	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	8
	Hugo Rose (2/)	0	8	0	0	0	0	8	0	8
	Rod Newstead (2/)	6	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
	Colin Miles (2/)	0	6	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
	Phil Smith (Unit)	0	0	0	0	6	0	6	0	6
	Andrew Bilbow (Unit)	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	0	4
	Chris McKenzie (Unit)	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	3

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## ACU Eastern 'A' Class Trials Championship Round 1

Poles Wood, Ongar Road, Kelvedon Hatch, Brentwood. CM15 0LA

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**Sign On:** 09:00 **Start:** 10:30

#### **OFFICIALS**

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Course: Woodland, logs, banks, tree roots; 4 laps of 10 sections

Routes: Yellow, Red/Blue, White & Pink

Classes: Expert, Expert B, Inter & Inter B, Novice, Beginners,

Air-cooled Mono & Youth

Awards: None

#### **JURISDICTION**

Held under the NSC and the Standing Trials Regulations of the ACU and ACU EASTERN, the 2023 ACU Eastern Trials Championship Conditions, the Supplementary Regulations and any Final Instructions which will have the force of the Regulations. Open to Adult and Youth members with an appropriate licence riding Solo machines

#### **FNTRIFS**

All entries will be via the ACU Online Entry System. Entry Fee Adult £20 & Youth £10 to £15. Entries will not be refunded unless the entry is refused, or on presentation of a doctor's certificate. In the event of cancellation refunds may be made less £3 to cover administration costs.

Entries Open: February 2nd 2024

Entries Close: March 8th 2024 @ 9:00 pm

#### Entries allowed 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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Entries allowed on the day for non-championship classes ONLY. Non-championship classes are: Novice, Beginners, Air-cooled Mono & Youth



## **Motocross Reserved Number Scheme**

Unreserved numbers released on 12th February 2024

Now is the time to renew your number for 2024. If you want to ensure you keep the same number for the 2024 season, you must renew it by midnight on 31st January at the latest. **NO NUMBERS WILL BE HELD AFTER THIS DATE.** 

Any numbers not renewed by 31st January will be made available on a first come, first served basis. If you have not renewed your number by this date, there is every possibility that you could lose it to another rider. There were about 700 numbers sold in each of the last 6 years so if you don't want to lose your number, renew it NOW. You can renew your number online at www.easternacu.org

The cost of reserving your number for 2024 remains unchanged at £5.50 per season. This ensures that the chosen charities (East Anglian Air Ambulance, Essex Air Ambulance & ACU Benevolent Fund) receive just over £5 per transaction.

Numbers 1 –20 are kept for experts only. Number 1 is reserved for the Centre Champion.

Since its introduction this scheme has enabled the ACU Eastern, on behalf of riders, to make donations of more than £37.500 to the chosen charities.

NEW NUMBERS WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM NOON ON 12th FEBRUARY 2024

#### **EXPERT NATIONAL / BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIP RIDERS ONLY**

Any expert graded rider who is registered for an ACU National Motocross Championship may, where able to do so, purchase their registered number - even if it has already been purchased by a junior graded rider. If you wish to take up this option, please contact the reserved number co-ordinator direct: 07766 904655 - DO NOT attempt to do it online. The timing system will correctly calculate championship points and positions where riders compete in separate classes (expert / junior)



## What's on

**NOTE:** All dates are provisional, and subject to change. Always check events are still on before travelling at www.easternacu.org.

Date	Club	Disc.	Status	Venue	Championship
Feb 4, 2024	Castle Colchester MCC	Trial	National	Pebmarsh	
Feb 11, 2024	Southend & DMCC	Trial	OPEN	Poles Wood	ACU Eastern 'D' Class Championship
Feb 18, 2024	Eastern Fourstroke Assoc.	Trial	Closed to Club	Raydon	
Feb 18, 2024	Eastern Four Stroke Association	Trial	Closed to Club	Raydon	
Feb 25, 2024	Diss MCC	Enduro	OPEN	Thetford Forest	ACU Enduro Championship
Mar 3, 2024	Norwich Viking MCC	Trial	OPEN	East Wretham	
Mar 10, 2024	Norfolk & Suffolk Junior MCC	Motocross	OPEN	Hockham	
Mar 10, 2024	Southend & DMCC	Trial	OPEN	Poles Wood	ACU Eastern 'A' Class Trials Champs
Mar 17, 2024	Braintree & DMCC	Trial	OPEN	Purls Hill	ACU Eastern 'A' Class Trials Champs
Mar 23, 2024	Woodbridge & DMCC	Practice Day	OPEN	Blaxhall Circuit	
Mar 24, 2024	Sudbury MCC	Enduro	OPEN	Foxborough	ACU Eastern Enduro Champs
Mar 24, 2024	Wymondham & DMCC	Trial	OPEN	Middleton	ACU Eastern 'B' Class Trials Champs
Mar 29, 2024	Woodbridge & DMCC	Trial	OPEN	TO BE ADVISED	ACU Eastern 'C' Class Trials Champs
Mar 30/31, 2024	Norfolk & Suffolk Junior MCC	Motocross	OPEN	Gt. Hockham	



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