

The Motor Cycling Club Ltd
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NO PETS PLEASE May we remind competitors that domestic pets may not be carried in a competing vehicle.

EXETER TRIAL Apart from the usual last minute snags all is looking well for the Exeter Trial on 6th January. The entry at 310 is larger in all categories than in 2006. Rod Bracey, the Chief Marshal, is pleased with the response for marshals and has all points covered although if any more members would like to help and enjoy an interesting day out he can certainly find them a place. His IT equipment is playing up at the moment so if you wish to contact Rod or have not had a reply to a recent Email please give him a ring on 01635 866657 or write to 5 Beech Close, Crookham Common, Thatcham, RG19 8DT.

MCC WEBSITE Even if you do not have your own internet connection you can still use the club website which is a mine of up to date information **with open access to all**. It is possible to download entry forms, check the background to our events and get the latest news on club matters. Have a look next time you are in your local library or visiting a *wired* friend.

TRIPLE Although this is the club magazine which is published three times a year its success depends upon members contributing items of interest. Editor, Celia Walton, does a great job but is always short of material. We particularly like stories of YOUR Exeter or YOUR Lands End but written from an angle that will interest others and perhaps help them to avoid YOUR mistakes. About a thousand words is the right length and if you can supply a photograph or more to illustrate your words so much the better. What we don't want are long rambling tales without any point. To communicate up to date information there's this monthly newsletter and the web site, to entertain those of you on Email there's the light hearted News of the Week but Triple is something different and is now an important part of MCC tradition. Please ensure it can continue.

TEAM AWARDS. Contrary to the decision at the last committee meeting that in future there will only be ONE team award per event, it has been decided that as we have received four motorcycle team entries for the Exeter we will continue to award separate motorcycle and car team prizes for the 2007 season. Whether this will continue will depend upon the support in 2007 and the whole question will be reviewed after the Edinburgh Trial.

INVITATION Blow out the Christmas cobwebs! The VMCC Oxford Section's successful and enjoyable Boxing Day event, the Ron Amey Trial now has a Sidecar Class. The bike must be at least 25 years old. One-day entry available. Regs and Entry Forms from: john@jhind.co.uk

CHRISTMAS MUGS: Fancy a dishwasher proof ceramic mug carrying a picture of your car, bike or favourite trials scene? Ken Green is now offering these printed with any picture you supply for about £4.00 plus £2.50 p&p so why not consider some as Christmas presents? The price varies with quantity so discuss what you would like with Ken. kengreen@landcrab2.freeserve.co.uk

FOR SALE – Members Small Ads.

Dutton 'Phaeton' (class 7). hydraulic handbrake, 4.44 differential (plus a std. diff. as a spare) 2 spare half shafts, 6 wheels with new / as-new tyres, new rear springs. Hood and sidescreens, plus wind deflectors, box of miscellaneous spare tax and test to end of year. £1250- could possibly be interested in Yamaha XT250 or parts thereof to offset some of the cash also: **Motorcycle route holder**, weatherproof, roller type with switched illumination, very well made in alloy, £10: Wanted, a pair of Yamaha XT 250 pillion footrests Ed Stobbs, 01239 881227. or Email edruth.stobbs@virgin.net
1993 Honda XR750 Black/Silver. Mileage: 3044 Tim Whellock 01460 66434 daytime and 0146053645 evening or mobile 07768 612065

Yamaha Serow 1986 lightweight special. £650. Dave Mason 01242 678106 (Glos).

M reg 250cc MZ in good condition chariotsofsteel@btinternet.com.

SEASONAL GREETINGS: *Whether you see it as a solemn religious event, a pagan festival to do naughty things under the mistletoe or just two weeks off in the middle of the winter, we wish you all a restful holiday with a New Year when you climb higher up at least one hill than you have done before.*

HAPPY CHRISTMAS