

The Motor Cycling Club Ltd
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THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF MEMBERS OF THE MOTORCYCLING CLUB LIMITED
will be held at SHINFIELD VILLAGE HALL, nr. READING on SATURDAY 18th. JULY 2009 AT
3.00pm to receive the REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE and STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS, for the year
ending 30th. November 2008, and to elect Officers, Members of the Executive, and to generally transact such
business of the Club as may be necessary. (Article paragraph 24)

Any member wishing to bring forward any matter at the General Meeting shall give Notice to the Secretary
within 3 days of receipt of this Notice of the General Meeting, together with a copy of the motion or
resolution, in accordance with paragraphs 26-29 of the Articles of Association.

By Order of the Executive. May 1st. 2009

The Secretary, The MCC, The Vicarage, Ashley Road, St. Georges, Telford. TF2 9LF

EDINBURGH TRIAL: 3rd OCTOBER 2009

The Edinburgh Trial has, in recent years, had continuing problems with adequate levels of marshalling to the extent that three years ago we were forced to cancel a section from the event simply because we had nobody prepared to marshal it. To avoid similar misfortunes happening again and to improve the event generally we are looking now for those who would be prepared to act as Chief Officials on this year's event. This early action and involvement of Chief Officials should, we hope, provide an even better quality event in October.

Should you be interested in volunteering for the role of Chief Official on any of the hills in this year's event then the organisers would be most pleased to hear from you. Please make contact with **either Roy Newton on 01283 733237 or Dick Peachey on 01580 892981**. We look forward to your calls.

SUMMER RUN: 7 June. As you probably know by now this takes place this year in Somerset and Dorset. The event is totally non-competitive with only a modest entry fee and the emphasis on having an enjoyable drive stopping occasionally to see sights of interest and enjoy the company of fellow minded motorists. **Regs and entry forms are available by sending an SAE to the event secretary:**

John Aley, 20 Old Shipyard Centre, West Bay, DT6 4HG or by Emailing: johnaley@portwrinkle.fsnet.co.uk

The run finishes at Compton Abbas airfield where fifty quid buys a flight in a Tiger Moth which must be pre-booked direct with **01747 811767** or fly@abbasair.com

TESTING TRIAL: 12 July. **This is another event where regs will be available shortly from John Aley by SAE or Email as above.** Popular as ever since its inception over 20 years ago the 2009 version will follow the now familiar pattern of timed trials sections with an overall handicap which allows the major trophy to be won by any competitor on any machinery – skill being the only prerequisite. Once more we shall be using the course at Keinton Mandeville, Somerset.

WELSH ENDURO: Jon Stobbs is running a short course enduro in West Wales on **June 7th** aimed specifically at beginners and those riding non-enduro machines. There will be a basic course on timecards and how to use them in the morning, along with general enduro riding tips, followed by the event itself based on a route of 5-6 miles on woodland & farm tracks and a quarry (marked by orange arrows), all rideable on just about anything with a little bit of off-road ability. There will be one time check per lap, the allowance for which starts off very generous and gets tighter as the day progresses, all topped off with a special test as a tie-decider at the end. The whole route is held on private property so bikes don't need to be road legal, though the standard enduro noise limit of 96dB will be enforced. There are classes for trail-bikes up to 550cc/over 550cc, trials bikes (day type), ladies (on any bike), and motorcross/enduro bikes with beginner/sportsman level riders only. Tyre choice is open. A social BBQ and natter will be found the evening beforehand on good, hard standing for campervans (grass is available for tents). **Further details please call Jon 01239 881227.**