

## CAMBRIDGE MATCHLESS MOTORCYCLE CLUB

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### OCTOBER MEGAPHONE 2018

HARVEST TRIAL last weekend went very well. Shame we did not have the wood but the lads did a good job in wet weather finding 10 sections in the meadow. Despite the rain on Saturday the sections on Sunday soon dried out in glorious sunshine so that scores were lower than expected, but I think this suited lots of the riders.

#### CHRIS WOOD TRIAL 4<sup>th</sup> November, Hinxton Cutting

This is one of our premiere events and incorporates a round the South Midland Expert Championship. The event also caters for inters. 50/50, novice, clubman, twinshock and experienced youth A and B. Although the hard route will be geared to the championship the second route will be aimed to give other classes a fair ride. Due to the nature of the ground there is no third route. ACU on-line entries are now open and we have already received quite a few. Course is 2 laps of 20 sections so we need 20 OBSERVERS. Please let me know if you can help. Perhaps some of the sportsmen can avail themselves!! NO ENTRIES ON THE DAY.

Please note that when an on-line entry is made and you then find you are unable to ride e.g. sickness/work commitment etc. we can easily withdraw your entry and money from ACU, if taken, will be put back into your account providing you email the Secretary by the end of the event, so there is no need to enter on the day.

This system makes it so much easier for the Secretary and those laying out the course, who all put a lot of time, effort and commitment into organising these events.

#### DECEMBER TRIAL

Although not in the calendar it is hoped to run an additional event at Balsham on 16<sup>th</sup> December but we have to clear this with the Centre. Further details later.

#### TRIALS REGISTRATION

When ACU Trials Registration is due you can also renew your club membership at the same time via the ACU which eliminates the need for you to get a unique number from Margaret and cuts out a lot of time and paperwork. The ACU then forwards in baulk (monthly) membership fees to the club. Don't make the mistake of paying the ACU and also Margaret. To reduce paperwork further we will not be sending membership cards but acknowledge membership renewal by email. Matchless Club Cards are not necessary as your primary registered club is on your ACU licence.

CLUB WEBSITE Peter Rank has now taken over as Administrator of the club website from Bryan Dix, who did an excellent job for many years. Thanks Bryan. You will find that Pete has already made a few changes and is looking for ideas to improve club communication.

## CLERK OF COURSE SEMINAR (TRIALS)

To be held on 12<sup>th</sup> January 2019. To act as a C of C you need to be certified! If you are interested please let me know.

## NEW SECTION MARKERS

You may have noticed a sample of the proposed new markers at our last two trials. If adopted these will take up much less storage space and will show up better than the existing ones. Any thoughts on these please get in touch.

Arrangements for next years' Stonebridge Trial are in hand which could involve significant changes but still include plenty of cross country run in the same format.

## HELP

## OBSERVERS REQUIRED FOR THE CHRIS WOOD TRIAL 4<sup>TH</sup> NOV.

Colin & Margaret