

PLAYER'S

Nº 6



**BRITISH
MOTOCROSS
CHAMPIONSHIPS**

1968

and
CHARD SCRAMBLE
Organised by
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OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

FOREWORD

*By R. A. Garrett,
Chairman John Player & Sons*



After the disappointments caused by the cancellation of the "Players No. 6" Motocross Winterinternals, due to the serious epidemic of foot and mouth disease that swept many of the areas in which events were due to take place, I am delighted that the A.C.U. have invited "Players No. 6" to sponsor the British Motocross Championships.

This year we are indeed maintaining our policy "to be where the action is". We are involving ourselves not only in the most thrilling of spectacles — Motocross; but are supporting many other fields of sporting activity including the "Players No. 6" National Autocross Championship: Professional Cycle Racing in the "Tour of the West" and "The Players No. 6" Motor Cycle Road Racing Championship. In addition to this comprehensive range of activities the "Players No. 6" Hovercraft will be appearing throughout the length and breadth of the country.

I understand the courses chosen by the

clubs organising the qualifying events in the "Players No. 6" British Motocross Championships offer a genuine challenge to the tenacity and toughness of riders and machines.

Apart from the sporting aspects of motocross, manufacturers see at firsthand how machines stand up to the hammering they receive on the course. Practical research of this kind enables them further to improve production models and leads to higher standards of performance, safety and road worthiness.

A word of caution. I would ask those spectators attending this event to remember that public road conditions are rather different from course conditions and to drive with care and consideration for others when returning home, — and indeed, at all times.

If you wish to demonstrate your skill — the answer is to join a club affiliated to the A.C.U. and compete in events such as you are seeing today.

MOTOCROSS

The "Players No. 6" British Motocross Championships comprise two classes — up to 250 c.c. and up to 500 c.c. Riders scoring points in each of the classes at five different events throughout the season. The champion in each class will be awarded not only prize money but a superb "Players No. 6" Trophy which he will win outright. This series of ten events, taking place on some of the toughest and most demanding courses in the country, will attract the cream of British Motocross competitors.

These Championships have been held for many years under different titles; a background synopsis of the history of the Championships along with a list of previous winners appears on the Inside Back Cover of this programme.

Classes: The "Players No. 6" British Motocross Championships will be contested by riders in two classes:

Class 1. Solo machines up to 250 c.c.
Class 2. Solo machines from 320 c.c. to 500 c.c.

Points: Every rider in the Qualifying Rounds will score points as follows:

1st	8	2nd	6	3rd	4
4th	3	5th	2	6th	1

Duration of races: A signal will be exhibited when the race leader crosses the finishing line having completed thirty minutes, he and other riders are then given the 'plus two laps' signal board.

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Treasurer	L. Neil, Esq.
Secretary of Meeting	G. Picketts, Esq.

The Chard Motor Club wish to thank all members of the
S. Western Clubs and non-members for their help today.

THE CHARD MOTOR CLUB

are greatly indebted to Players No. 6 for donating the
Trophy and Prize Money for the 1st Round of 500 c.c.
British Motocross Championship, also for their valuable
support in advertising this event.

PRIZES AND TROPHIES PRESENTED BY PLAYER'S NO. 6

Prizes, in each Class for each race:

1st place.....£30	6th place.....£5
2nd place.....£20	7th place.....£4
3rd place.....£15	8th place.....£3
4th place.....£10	9th place.....£2
5th place.....£7	10th place.....£1

In addition to the prize money the overall
winner of each meeting, on a points basis,
will receive a Players No. 6 Trophy. The
overall Champion in each class at the end
of the series will receive £50 and the
Players No. 6 British Motocross Champion-
ship Trophy. This cup will be won outright.

EVENT 1 1st Round British 500 c.c. Championship (2 Races)

30 mins. plus 2 Laps

1	A. CLOUGH	35	V. ALLEN
2	D. BICKERS	36	T. LEADBITTER
3	C. HORSFIELD	38	M. FIELD
4	J. SMITH	39	B. ATKINSON
6	A. J. DAVIS	40	R. DOWNES
7	V. EASTWOOD	43	K. SEDGELEY
8	F. K. MAYES	44	J. AIRD
10	G. R. WINSOR	45	M. BALLARD
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12	J. LEWIS	48	J. DUNN
14	R. OWEN	49	J. BANKS
15	E. GREER	51	Arthur LAMPKIN
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19	B. WADE	61	J. TAYLOR
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22	C. D. LONGDEN	65	R. FRAMPTON
23	J. AIM	66	D. CLAYTON
24	E. DEELEY	67	M. DAVIS
25	V. VAUGHAN	69	T. CHALLINOR
26	J. CONNOR	74	D. J. RICKMAN
28	P. SMITH		

1st...7 2nd...11 3rd...67 4th...51 5th...69 6th...52 7th...4 8th...12 9th...25

10th..... 11th..... 12th.....

1st, £30 2nd, £20 3rd, £15 4th, £10 5th, £8 6th, £6 7th, £5 8th, £4
9th, £3 10th, £2 11th, £1 12th, £1

Points: 1st, 8; 2nd, 6; 3rd, 4; 4th, 3; 5th, 2; 6th, 1.

START

Electric Gate

FLAG SIGNALS

Red—Stop

Yellow—Danger, drive slowly

Green—Course clear

Black with Number—That driver to stop

Yellow with Black Cross—Last Lap Flag

Black and White Chequered—Finish

**NOTICE TO RIDERS. Fuel Regulations and Signing On Instructions
will be enforced !!!**

Drivers. All drivers must be present with their machines and have signed on at the Paddock by 11.0 a.m. Drivers must be dressed in protective clothing when presenting their machines to the Scrutineers.

Fuel. Only recognised Pump Fuels will be allowed and no additives may be used which increase the octane value.

EVENT 3 2nd Race British 500 c.c. Championship

30 mins. plus 2 Laps

1	A. CLOUGH	35	V. ALLEN
2	D. BICKERS	36	T. LEADBITTER
3	C. HORSFIELD	38	M. FIELD
4	J. SMITH	39	B. ATKINSON
6	A. J. DAVIS	40	R. DOWNES
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28	P. SMITH		

1st...1 2nd...7 3rd...66 4th...67 5th..... 6th..... 7th..... 8th..... 9th.....

10th..... 11th..... 12th.....

1st, £30 2nd, £20 3rd, £15 4th, £10 5th, £8 6th, £6 7th, £5 8th, £4
9th, £3 10th, £2 11th, £1 12th, £1

Points: 1st, 8; 2nd, 6; 3rd, 4; 4th, 3; 5th, 2; 6th, 1.

Winner...7...pts. 2nd...67...pts. 3rd...66...pts. 4th.....pts. 5th.....pts. 6th.....p/s.

Winner to receive Players No. 6 Trophy, plus £10 from the Chard Motor Club, to be presented after the last race at the Players van.

Visit the

WINDWHISTLE HOTEL

*after the Scramble
for the famous*

CHARRINGTON'S BEERS, Etc.

The Chard Motor Club warmly thanks the public for its support and Miss Chapman for the use of this land for the Scrambles.

EVENT 2 200 c.c. up to 750 c.c.

(Excluding riders from Event 1)

20 mins. plus 2 Laps

5	Guy WINSOR	47	B. GWYNNE
9	G. STAPLETON	50	T. COX
13	R. FRASER	54	T. THOMPSON
20	P. BAULCH	56	R. MITCHELL
27	M. PERKINS	57	R. STEPHENS
29	R. BAKER	58	R. KALLAWAY
30	J. TRIBLE	59	R. BLAKE
31	M. EVELEY	60	B. CURTIS
32	J. REES	62	R. NEALE
33	S. WIGGINS	64	J. LIFE
34	G. WIGGINS	68	L. WATTON
37	C. BARNEY	70	D. SMITH
41	D. LANE	71	I. ENGLAND
42	G. FOOT	72	R. JORDON

1st 29 2nd 50 3rd 60 4th 33 5th 62 6th 34 7th 59 8th 68 9th 41

10th 32

1st, £20 2nd, £15 3rd, £10 4th, £8 5th, £6 6th, £5 7th, £4
8th, £3 9th, £2 10th, £1

EVENT 4 350 c.c. up to 750 c.c.

2 Heats

(Alterations from regs. granted by A.C.U.)

Heat 1

3 Laps

1	A. CLOUGH	18	R. TAYLOR
2	D. BICKERS	19	B. WADE
3	C. HORSFIELD	20	P. BAULCH
4	J. SMITH	21	A. BROWNING
6	A. J. DAVIS	22	C. D. LONGDEN
7	V. EASTWOOD	23	J. AIM
8	F. K. MAYES	24	E. DEELEY
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14	R. OWEN	30	J. TRIBLE
15	E. GREER	32	J. REES
16	A. ROBERTON	35	V. ALLEN
17	K. HICKMAN	36	T. LEADBITTER

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... 4th..... 5th..... 6th..... 7th..... 8th..... 9th.....

10th..... 11th..... 12th..... 13th..... 14th..... 15th.....

These riders will go forward to final.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

This event is being held on private property and you are strictly forbidden to cause damage in any way.

Spectators are forbidden on the Course or in the Competitors' Paddock.

Persons crossing the Course or ignoring the Course Marshals do so at their own risk. The Promoters do not accept responsibility for any accident arising therefrom.

All Vehicles Parked at Owner's Risk.

EVENT 4

Heat 2

3 Laps

38	M. FIELD	57	R. STEPHENS
39	B. ATKINSON	59	R. BLAKE
40	R. DOWNES	60	B. CURTIS
43	K. SEDGELEY	61	J. TAYLOR
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49	J. BANKS	69	T. CHALLINOR
50	T. COX	70	D. SMITH
51	Arthur LAMPKIN	71	I. ENGLAND
52	Alan LAMPKIN	72	R. JORDON
53	C. SPOONER	74	D. J. RICKMAN
55	D. WICKENS		

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... 4th..... 5th..... 6th..... 7th..... 8th..... 9th.....

10th..... 11th..... 12th..... 13th..... 14th..... 15th.....

These riders will go forward to final.

Final of Event 4

20 mins. plus 2 Laps

1st 16 2nd 52 3rd 41 4th 50 5th..... 6th..... 7th..... 8th..... 9th.....

10th.....

1st, £15 2nd, £10 3rd, £8 4th, £6 5th, £5 6th, £4 7th, £3 8th, £2
9th, £2 10th, £1

EVENT 5 Up to 360 c.c.

20 mins. plus 2 Laps

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9th, £2 10th, £1

EVENT 6 200 c.c. up to 750 c.c.**Heat 1**

Riders must ride in heats allocated.

1	A. CLOUGH	37	C. BARNEY
3	C. HORSFIELD	39	B. ATKINSON
5	Guy WINSOR	41	D. LANE
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1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... 4th..... 5th..... 6th..... 7th..... 8th..... 9th.....
 10th..... 11th..... 12th..... 13th..... 14th..... 15th..... 16th..... 17th.....

18th..... 19th..... 20th.....

Heat 2

These riders will go forward to final.

2	D. BICKERS	40	R. DOWNES
4	J. SMITH	42	G. FOOT
6	A. J. DAVIS	44	J. AIRD
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 10th..... 11th..... 12th..... 13th..... 14th..... 15th..... 16th..... 17th.....

18th..... 19th..... 20th.....

These riders will go forward to final.

Final of Event 6**20 mins. plus 2 Laps**

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... 4th..... 5th..... 6th..... 7th..... 8th..... 9th.....

10th.....

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**2 Heats
3 Laps****3 Laps**

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ORGANISING
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VENUES

250 c.c. CLASS

- 7 April Nantwich M.C.
Hatherton Hall Farm
Nr. Nantwich
- 15 April Cumberland County M.C.
Brownrigg Fell,
Plumpton,
Pentrich.
- 21 April Tor M.C. & C.C.
Higher Farm Wick,
Glastonbury.
- 14 July Northallerton & D.M.C.
Carlton Bank
Stokesley, Nr. Yarm.
- 18 August North Western Centre
Cuerdon Park,
Bamber Bridge, Preston.

500 c.c. CLASS

- 24 March Chard M.C.
Windwhistle, Chillington
Chard.
- 14 April Cambridge Matchless M.C. &
C.C.
Lawn Farm, Elsworth.
- 2 June West Wilts. M.C.
Farleigh Hungerford,
Nr. Trowbridge.
- 30 June Halstead & D.M.C.
Little Loveney Hall,
Wakes Colne.
- 20 October Builth Wells M.C.
Aberduhonw,
Builth Wells.

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