



1978 Girling British Sidecar

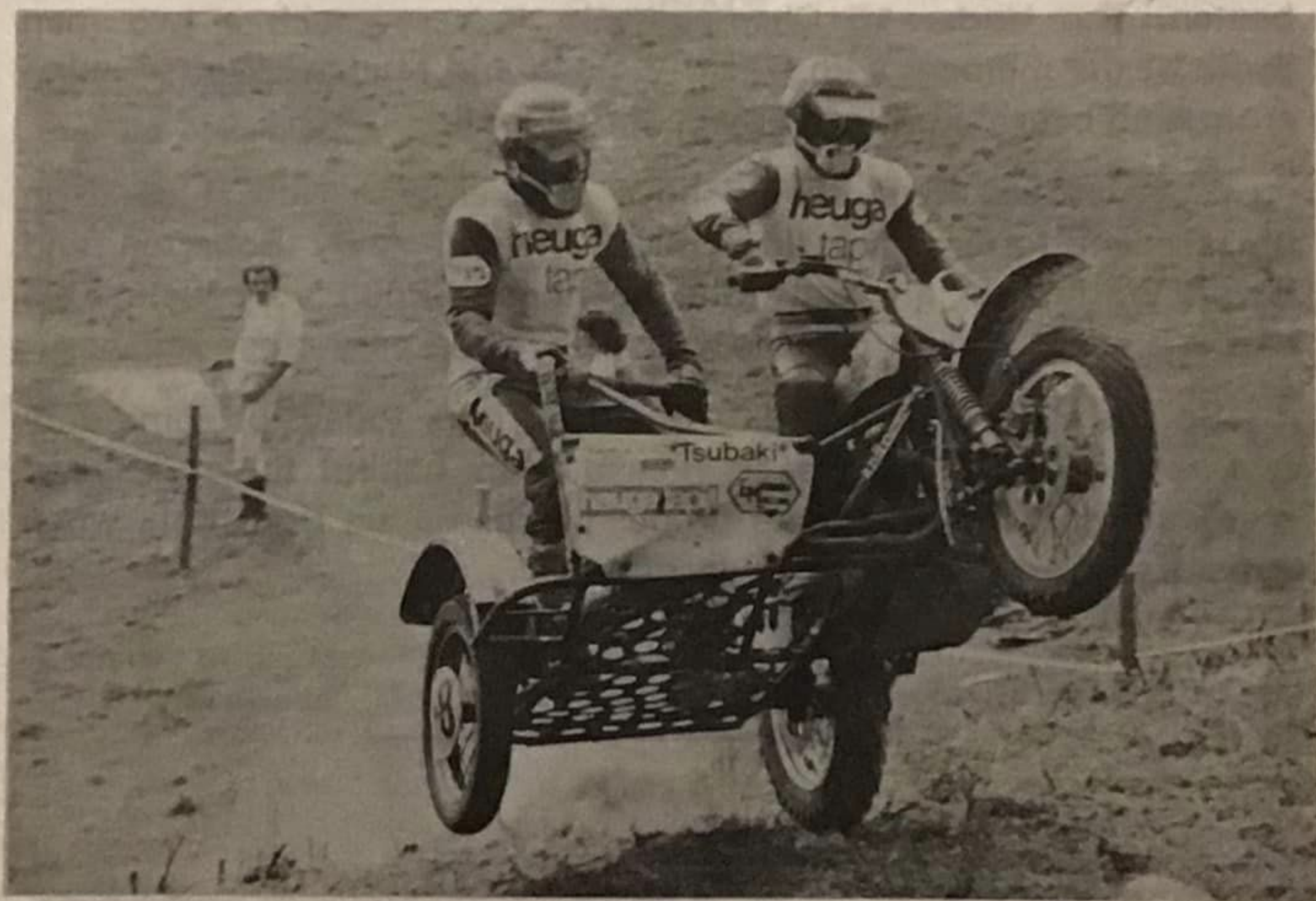
Cross Championship

(FINAL ROUND)

1978 British Under 18

Moto-Cross Trophy (7th Round)

INCORPORATING NATIONAL JACKPOT MOTO CROSS



Sunday, 8th October, 1978

BEENHAM PARK, BEENHAM, BERKSHIRE

11.30 a.m.

Official Programme — 20p

PROMOTED BY MORTIMER & DISTRICT M.C.C.

WELCOME TO BEAUTIFUL BEENHAM PARK

Once again the Mortimer Motor Cycle Club are promoting on behalf of the A.C.U. the British Sidecar Cross Championship with the 7th Round of the "British Under 18" Solo Championship thrown in for good measure. This is the Final Round of the 1978 British Sidecar Cross Championship and could hardly be closer. Just one point separates the young and upcoming Doug Fox from the old maestro himself Nick Thompson, when they come to the start line here at Beenham Park today to decide who will be the Girling sponsored 1978 British Sidecar Cross Champion. Both these drivers have a big lead over third placed man our own John Turner from Reading.

In the Sidecar Support races local man Ray Gerrish has a 33 point lead over second placed rider Geoff Stokes so cannot be beaten. The Under 18 Championship is very much a two man event at the moment with David Watson and Michael Watts having a big lead over third placed man Chris Small.

The Jackpot Race should be a cracker with Neil Hudson on his present form lining up with Vic Allan, Andy Robertson and Bryan Wade who all know this Beenham Circuit very well. This two leg event should provide you with some very close finishes.

So the stage is set here at Beenham Park today for some very fast racing in all classes so please keep behind the ropes and cross the course only at the proper places at the right time when a marshal gives you the O.K. to do so.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The Mortimer Motor Cycle Club wish to thank:—

Mr. R. Longfield, Miss M. Waddell and Mr. H. Larkcom for the use of the venue and kind co-operation.

The Mortimer & District M.C.C. also wish to record their thanks to the following for their invaluable assistance in the organisation of this meeting:—

The St. John Ambulance Brigade, Thames Valley Police, Mortimer Cricket Club.

Thames Side M.C.C. who provide most of our Marshals.

All Helpers, Marshals and Supporting Clubs, Riders and Spectators.

1978 GIRLING BRITISH SIDECAR CROSS CHAMPIONSHIP (Final Round)

1978 "BRITISH UNDER 18" MOTO CROSS TROPHY (7th Round)

Held under the General Competition Rules (10th Edition) the Standing Regulations of the A.C.U. the 1978 Conditions for the British Sidecar Moto Cross and Under 18 Solo Moto Cross Championships and the Supplementary Regulations.

T.T.C. No. 241

ACU Permit No. 212

OFFICIALS

Steward Appointed by the A.C.U. A. Carter
Steward Appointed by Southern Centre A.C.U. H. Nash
Steward Appointed by Mortimer M.C.C. J. Golder
Clerk of the Course D. Keep
Scrutineer (I/C) C. Challis
Starter B. Dade
Noise Meter Operator M. Frost
A.C.U. Timekeeper F. Henley
Lap Scorer (I/C) B. Coombes
Medical Officer Dr. Horgan
Commentator J. Mould
First Aid St. John (Theale Division)

Secretary of the Meeting—E. J. Challis,

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WARNING

MOTOR SPORT IS DANGEROUS

You are present at this meeting entirely at your own risk and the ticket of admission is issued subject to the condition that all persons having any connection with the promotion and/or organising and/or conduct of the meeting including the owners of the land or drivers and owners of the vehicles and passengers on the vehicles are absolved from all liability in respect of personal injury (whether fatal or otherwise) to you or damage to your property howsoever caused. THE TRACK IS WELL ROPED FOR YOUR OWN SAFETY. PLEASE KEEP OUTSIDE THE ROPES. PLEASE TAKE YOUR LITTER WITH YOU.

List of Competitors

JACKPOT SOLO UNLIMITED

No.	Name	Home Town	Machine
21	Vic Allan	Bultaco 370	Tolworth
22	Neil Hudson	Maico 250/400	Bristol
23	Andy Robertson	J.A.S. Montesa 410	Knighton
24	Bill Aldridge	Suzuki 400	Southwick
25	Rob Taylor	K.T.M. 250/400	Bristol
26	Jimmy Aird	C.C.M. 499	Barnard Castle
27	Peter Mathia	Suzuki 400	Cuddington
28	Richard Goddard	Yamaha 400	Didcot
29	Raymond Spence	E.M.C. Yamaha 500	Belfast
30	Laurence Spence	Suzuki 400	Belfast
31	Charles Smiley	Maico 440	Belfast
32	Bryan Wade		Stroud
33	Willie Simpson	Maico 440	Forfar
34	Robert Wilkinson	Fowler Maico 444	Bristol
35	T. Dyer	K.T.M. 250/400	
36	Roger Garrett	K.T.M. 250/400	Somerset
37	N. Griffiths	Beamiss Suzuki 250/400	
38	Paul Harrison	Maico 440	Market Harborough
39	Stephen Harrison	Maico 440	Market Harborough
40	T. Holloway	Maico 400	
41	Stephen How	Maico 440	Buckingham
42	Wayne Jones	Maico 440	
43	Nigel Parvin	Husky 390	Eastleigh
44	Vaughan Semmens	Wheeler Maico 440	
45	Nigel Miller	Bultaco 370	Basingstoke
46	Peter Miller	Maico 440	Basingstoke
47	Stephen Walker	Maico 250/400	Southampton
48	Stephen Beamish	Suzuki 402	Portslade
49	Jonathan Wright	Suzuki 402	Portslade
50	Alan Cook	Yamaha 400	Didcot
51	Rob Turner	K.T.M. 380	Stanwell
52	John Seward	Maico 400	Weybridge
53	Chris Waight	Suzuki R.M.C. 250	Southampton
54	David Drake	Maico 440	Gnosall
55	Gary Woollam	K.T.M. 400	Old Woking
56	Kevin Hatcher	Comerford K.T.M. 360	Chessington
57	Kevin Ruddock	Honda 250/350	Slough
58	Rob Donaldson	Maico 440	Basingstoke
59	Simon Cheyney	Yamaha Cheyney 500	Crookham
60	Chris Hale	Fowler Yamaha 250/400	Abingdon
61	John Reid	Colton Honda 250	Cleveland
62	Gary Colton	Colton Maico 400	Stockton
63	Nigel Withers	B.S.A. 500	Winchester
64	Fred Rowe	Maico 440	Aldershot

EVENT 3 — 1st Leg

30 MINS + 2 LAPS

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

EVENT 7 — 2nd Leg

30 MINS + 2 LAPS

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

Sidecar Support Drivers and Passengers

No.	Name	Machine	Home Town
25	Terry Burton	Norton Wasp 750	Henley
	Passenger: Andy Thomas		Woodley
26	Geoff Stokes	Wasp 850	Knottingley
	Passenger: Graham Martin		Hull
27	Jesse Moody	Norton Wasp 850	Eastleigh
	Passenger: Harry Frith		Bishopstoke
28	Francis Godfrey	Norton Wasp 750	Tyne & Wear
	Passenger: Kevin Hughes		Consett
29	W. Davenport	Hedlund Wasp 620	Bracknell
	Passenger: Peter Wootten		Woodley
30	Adam Daniels	Norton Wasp 850	Liss
	Passenger: Jim Daniels		Liss
31	Ivan Mayne	Wasp 750	Burgess Hill
	Passenger: Kevin McDavitt		Brighton
32	Terry Hedges	Norton Wasp 850	Bracknell
	Passenger: Mark Mossman		Warfield
33	Jimmy Fort	Helgar Wasp 750	Chester-Le-Street
	Passenger:		
34	Peter Thompson	Lonsdale Yamaha 750	Wearhead
	Passenger: Richard Nixon		Sparty Lea
35	Graham Jones	Norton Wasp 750	Basingstoke
	Passenger: Nigel Chivers		Basingstoke
36	Ray Gerrish	Yamaha Wasp 750	Reading
	Passenger: Andy Greenhorn		Hayes End
37	John Zebedee	Norton Wasp 750	Calne
	Passenger: Colin Chapman		Chippenham
38	Michael Gibson	Norton Wasp 750	Satley Tow
	Passenger: Steven Gibson		Satley Tow
39	A. Dutton	Norton Wasp 850	Isleworth
	Passenger: M. E. Tracy		Reading
40	Norman Gale	Norton Wasp 850	Ascot
	Passenger: Desmond Gale		Ascot
41	J. Batt	Hedlund Wasp 620	Ascot
	Passenger: Paul Mossman		Warfield
42	Rory Nash	Norton Wasp 850	Powys
	Passenger: Ryder Nash		Powys
43	Malcolm McDonald	Norton Wasp 850	Tyne & Wear
	Passenger: Lawrence Manning		Tyne & Wear
44	Eric Maguire	Saki 750	Ascot
	Passenger: Peter Lawrey		Wokingham
45	Mick Gibb	Kawasaki 750	Guildford
	Passenger: Dave Gibb		Godalming
46	Roy Humphrey	Norton 850	Reading
	Passenger: Steve Newport		Reading
47	Stephen Elliott	Norton Wasp 750	Westgate
	Passenger: Myles Graham		Westgate

