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Mums and Dads, friends and neighbours.

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SECRETARY'S COMMENTS.

As many of you may know, one of our members had his scramble bike stolen from a shed at his home. And I was surprised to learn that many of you have not got your machines insured and that some of you thought it was not possible.

Therefore, I have arranged with my Insurance Company (General Accident) to have proposal forms available for anyone who needs them.

The cost is £1.50p. per hundred pounds value with a minimum cost of £6.00p. This will give you cover for theft while the bike is at home in a locked shed or garage and for transporting the bike to and from meetings etc.

Also, one or two new members have asked about personal accident insurance for the riders, well as far as I know the only company to insure scramblers is the Combined Insurance Company of America, Park House, 165 The Broadway, London, SW.19 lNE. Anyone interested should contact the company direct.

It has come to my notice that some of our riders are using abusive language to Marshals and parents around the track. Now the Marshals are there for your safety, to warn you of a hidden danger and if you are lying in the track you are that hidden danger.

Now I know that most parents are only too happy to lend a hand to lift the bike, but it is you the boys who are spoiling it, I hear that Marshals are being sworn at and ordered to pick the b..... bike up.

This matter has been discussed at committee and it has been decided to stop it AT ONCE. The next time this is reported the rider will be told to put his bike on the trailer and off home.

SO PLEASE LADS, don't let it be you.

Congratulations to ex members, Kevin Marshall and Nick Toms on their performance in the adult scene. Both, I understand have enough points to become experts in July.

FOXHAM - 2nd MARCH 1975.

Our first 1974 meeting, and only made possible by the untiring efforts of our Chairman, Len Shears, Fred Leyfield (Mr. No.94) and Den Dart (Mr. No.78). So tons of stone and scalpings were hauled and spread by these three and I thank you all on behalf of all club members. It was unfortunate that after such hard work the rain returned and the meeting had to be abandoned after only three blocks of races but the conditions were impossible.

FOXHAM RESULTS.

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| Juniors. | | |
| 1st Race. | 2nd Race. | Points Race |
| 1. T.Wheeler. 2. K.Nurden. 3. M.Lake. 4. D.Williams. 5. J.Abbott. 6. T.Poole. 7. D.Nash. 8. R.Peck. | T.Wheeler. K.Nurden. M.Lake. J.Abbott. D.Williams. S.Leyfield. A.Rossiter. T.Poole. | S.Leyfield. M.Lake. |
| Intermediates. | | |
| 1. E.Bailey. 2. C.Salter. 3. N.Selwyn. 4. A.Lucus. 5. M.Hewlett. 6. R.Shears. 7. J.Brzeszkiewicz. 8. M.Cleaver. | C.Salter. E.Bailey. R.Hughes. M.Hewlett. R.Shears. T.Passfield. J.Brzeszkiewicz. J.Howell. | C.Salter. E.Bailey. J.Howell. |
| Seniors. | | |
| 1. D.Mills. 2. K.Farwell. 3. A.Sugg. 4. K.Turner. 5. D.Clark. 6. K.Ashford. 7. B.Toogood. 8. N.Sugg. | D.Mills. K.Farwell. A.Sugg. K.Turner. K.Ashford. D.Stacey. C.Mills. N.Sugg. | K.Turner. K.Ashford. A.Sugg. D.Stacey. N.Sugg. C.Mills. R.Wilton. |
| Experts. | | |
| 1. A.Tristram. 2. R.Ford. 3. F.Parker. 4. S.Bailey. 5. C.Bryan. 6. C.Beavis. | C.Bryan. R.Ford. S.Bailey. G.Earl. C.Beavis. C.Nurden. | F.Parker. R.Ford. M.Rawlins. C.Beavis. K.Denman. C.Nurden. |

T. Hales.

7. C. Nurden.

8. T. Dart.

POEM TIME.

We thank you fellows we really do,

> Our dearest wish you surely knew,

You must have worked the winter thro

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Valerie Rawlins.

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Contact - Mr. Thompson, 55, Redhill, Broad Town, Swindon. Tel: Broad Hinton 493.

PERSONALITY PAGE - KEVIN DENMAN. No. 65.

Kevin lives at Merriott, Nr. Crewkerne which means it is usually an early start for the Denman family on Sunday mornings.

The family being Pam (Mum), Brian (Dad) and Mandy, Kevin's younger sister, all very enthusiastic about scrambling, even though Brian insists it's why his hair is turning colour, and Pam awaits the moment the bike is loaded onto the trailer. Mandy, as most of you will know, loves scrambling, as we all love Mandy.

Kevin's riding began at the age of three on a one horse power mount and he rode in pony competitions from then until he was eleven year old in which time he won about 1,000 rosettes and prizes. The pony riding these days being left to Mandy.

It was at eleven that Kevin changed to two wheeled riding, joining C.S.S.C.in 1971 in the 'B' Group riding a 125 cc Bantam, this was later replaced with a 80 cc Suzuki. The next mount was the 90 cc Suzuki on which Kevin had his proudest moment, that day in Sept. 1973 when he won the 'B' Group B.S.M.A. Interclub Trophy. Later, this bike was changed for a 125 cc Suzuki, which he rides today. At the last count he had won thirty three trophies for scrambling.

Kevin's interest and hobbies are many, he is captain of the Rugby team, plays cricket and football, I believe he plays a guitar, and I hear he is now learning the drums. On top of all this he still finds time to attend Wadham Comprehensive School in Crewkerne where he is at present studying for 'O' Levels.

When I talked to Kevin he asked me to thank all past and present committee members for their untiring work in organizing these scrambles and to thank "St.Johns" for the part they play each week, especially at the 1974 Christmas Trophy meeting where he received first class attention when he had the misfortune to crash. We wish you luck with your "O" Levels and with future scrambling.

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P.S. Since this article was written, Kevin has sold his scramble bike and purchased a set of drums, so who knows it may be the Kevin Denman Group we shall be hearing at the C.S.S.C. Christmas party one year soon.

Best of luck with your new venture and do come along to see us from time to time.

5 Shiremoor Hill,
Merriott,
Somerset.
9th April, 1975.

To the Committee and Members of C.S.S.C.

As you will all have heard, Kevin has finished schoolboy scrambling, and has now taken up the noisy art of drum playing, he is having lessons with a drummer from a very good group and is making very good progress.

I would like to say, how much I have enjoyed our time with the club, and also my duty last year as Chief Marshall, even if things did not always go according to plan. We shall be coming to watch a few meetings during the year and also any Social activities which you have. I should like to wish the Committee and all the members, Good Luck, and safe riding during 1975.

BRIAN DENMAN.

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EASTER TROPHY MEETING AT MILTON CLEVEDON - 30th MARCH, 1975.

It was a last minute switch, due to the efforts of Mr. Ted Lucus (Mr. No.32 & 53) that enabled the 1975 Easter Trophy Meeting to take place. Thanks Ted, it was a great course and everyone enjoyed themselves, even if they were a bit cold. Our thanks also to our farmer friends, Mr. Barber, Mr. Clothier and Mr. Walters.

The Juniors were unfortunate that the snow storm coincided with their practice but they were not downhearted and soon the weather changed to match the lads' spirits. Tim Wheeler who won four of five junior races was chased all day by Ken Nurden who won the last race, and Martin Lake, Eion Bailey won the first intermediate race but it was then Chris Salter who won the next four with Richard Hughes hot on their trail.

In the Seniors, Kelvin Ashford won the warm-up race but it was Andy Sugg who won two of the trophy races, while Gary Hudson won the third and fifth races. Chris Bryan in top form won the first three Expert races, Nigel Fox the next and Richard Ford the last one. What a great days' racing with boys dicing it up right through the field, but study the results, you will find that there are many names quite familiar to you but don't forget some have now gone up a group and look again, yes new names too, not just lads who haven't reached the results before, but new members. Congratulations lads, not only the trophy winners but each of you who managed to get into the results, it was a grand performance. And thank you to all those members who helped to clear up the equipment and litter.

MILTON CLEVEDON RESULTS.

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Warm-up Races.

8. R. Peck.

| Juniors. | Intermediates. | Seniors. | Experts. |
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| 1. T.Wheeler. 2. M.Lake. 3. K.Nurden. 4. A.Rossiter. 5. D.Purnell. 6. S.Gray. 7. S.Faultley. | E.Bailey. C.Salter. A.Willmott. R.Hughes. P.Rushton. J.Brzeszkiewicz. R.Shears. | K.Ashford. G.Hudson. K.Turner. D.Mills. A.Sugg. B.Toogood. D.Clark. | C.Bryan. R.Ford. F.Parker. K.Poole. M.Rawlins. S.Morse. N.Fox. |

M. Astwood.

S. Bailey.

MILTON CLEVEDON RESULTS, contid...

1st Leg Trophy.

| TS. | t Leg Trophy. | | | |
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| | Juniors. | Intermediates. | Seniors. | Experts. |
| 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. | T.Wheeler. K.Nurden. M.Lake. A.Rossiter. S.Gray. B.Wheeler. S.Faultley. W.Howell. R.Peck. A.Lake. T.Poole. D.Purnell. | C.Salter. E.Bailey. R.Hughes. N.Selwyn. T.Passfield. A.Willmott. M.Hewlett. R.Steer. S.Mitchell. R.Shears. A.Lucus. A.Ford. | A.Sugg. G.Hudson. D.Mills. K.Turner. B.Toogood. K.Ashford. D.Stacey. D.Clark. D.Nelmes. M.Webb. C.Smith. N.Sugg. | C.Bryan. R.Ford. N.Fox. F.Parker. M.Rawlins. C.Beavis. T.Hale. S.Bailey. M.Warner. G.Earl. C.Nurden. T.Dart. |
| 2nd | d Leg Trophy. | | | |
| 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. | T.Wheeler. K.Nurden. M.Lake. A.Rossiter. S.Gray. B.Wheeler. D.Purnell. W.Howell. D.Nash. S.Faultley. R.Peck. S.Leyfield. | C.Salter. E.Bailey. R.Hughes. J.Brzeszkiewicz. N.Selwyn. A.Brown. T.Passfield. A.Willmott. S.Mitchell. M.Hewlett. R.Shears. J.Howell. | G.Hudson. B.Toogood. K.Turner. D.Mills. A.Sugg. P.Collins. K.Ashford. D.Clark. C.Smith. N.Sugg D.Stacey. C.Mills. | C.Bryan. F.Parker. N.Fox. M.Rawlins. S.Morse. C.Beavis. K.Poole. S.Bailey. T.Dart. T.Hale. A.Coombes. C.Nurden. |
| 3r | d Leg Trophy. | | | |
| 2. | T.Wheeler. K.Nurden. A.Rossiter. | C.Salter. R.Hughes. E.Bailey. | | N.Fox. F.Parker. Ford & C.Bryan (Dead Heat) |
| 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. | M.Lake. S.Gray. D.Purnell. W.Howell. D.Nash. B.Wheeler. R.Peck. A.Lake. S.Leyfield. | A.Willmott. R.Shears. J.Brzeszkiewicz. A.Ford. T.Passfield. N.Selwyn. A.Brown. M.Cleaver. S.Mitchell. | G.Hudson. D.Mills. K.Ashford. M.Webb. D.Clark. D.Stacey. N.Sugg. C.Smith. C.Mills. | M.Rawlins. S.Morse. S.Bailey. T.Dark. C.Nurden. A.Coombes. T.Hale. K.Bryant. |

MILTON CLEVEDON RESULTS, cont'd

Just for Fun Block.

| | Juniors. | Intermediates. | Seniors. | Experts. |
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| 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. | K.Nurden. M.Lake. T.Wheeler. S.Gray. W.Howell. B.Wheeler. A.Lake. S.Faultley. | C.Salter. E.Bailey. R.Hughes. A.Willmott. R.Shears. A.Ford. N.Selwyn. J.Brzeszkiewicz. | A.Sugg. D.Mills. C.Smith. | R.Ford. F.Parker. M.Rawlins. T.Hale. S.Bailey. C.Nurden. K.Poole. T.Dart. |
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OVERALL RESULTS OF TROPHY RACES. (Best two results to count).

| | Juniors. | Intermediates. | Seniors. | Experts. |
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| 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. | T.Wheeler. K.Nurden. M.Lake. A.Rossiter. S.Gray. B.Wheeler. D.Purnell. W.Howell. | C.Salter. E.Bailey. R.Ford. N.Selwyn. A.Wilkmott. J.Brzeszkiewicz. T.Passfield. R.Shears. | A.Sugg. G.Hudson. B.Toogood. D.Mills. K.Turner. P.Collins. K.Ashford. D.Stacey. | C.Bryan. N.Fox. F.Parker. R.Ford. M.Rawlins. S.Morse. C.Beavis. S.Bailey. |

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Our sincere thanks to our Chairman who gave us that splendid trophy for the Expert Group awarded at last Sunday's Easter Trophy meeting. Thank you very much.

With the forming of the Expert group we find the club short of a few trophies, namely the Whitsun Trophy meeting, the August Bank Holiday meeting (Mr. Cary has kindly offered to donate this one), the Christmas Trophy meeting and the Club Championship. Therefore, if any member has a wish to see his name engraved on silver now is the time.

I'm sure members will be pleased to know that we shall be running a sponsered meeting on Spring Bank Holiday Monday in aid of Charity. Sponser Cards will be available shortly.

Don't forget the next round of the B.S.M.A. Championship is the South West's Round but will be run by the West Mercia Club on 18th May at Bewdley. Anyone still wishing to enter should write to Mr. John Fereday, 47 Walker Avenue, Brierley Hill, West Midlands, DY5 2LY. Don't forget S.A.E.

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