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Dear Members,

Well at last the new season has begun, not soon enough for some members it seems, but I am glad to know that they have enjoyed their scrambling in the previous year so much, and I hope that the 1976 season will be even better.

I would like to welcome all new members, and trust that they too will enjoy themselves. PLEASE read your rules and regulations very carefully, and should you not understand any item, get any member of the committee to enlighten you, also please remember all parents must marshal, Reg keep's very strict records, and all has time off in turn, so its not so bad, but if for any reason you have to go home without completing your marshal duties PLEASE let him know, or the racing may be held up.

The fun scramble held in January was quite successful, in spite of Jack Frost's presence, however, the lads had their fun and FUN is what it's all about.

Don't forget Mrs. Hughes is our competition secretary, please assist her all you can by getting your entry in early, with Severn Valley & Ringwood running on opposite Sundays, any vacancies will quickly fill with visitors.

Have a good season, happy scrambling.

L.E. Sheers. Chairman.

CORRECTION

In the January Full Chat I gave the Ringwood Competition Secretary as Mr. Waggot, this was incorrect, as he is their secretary. Ringwood Competition Secretary is:

Mr. P. Coates,
78, Runnymoad Avenue,
Bear Cross,
Bournemouth.

Tel: Northbourne. 71340.

Please accept my apologies, and correct your address book.

25th January, 1976. Wootton-Under-Edge.

Brrrr! Gosh it was cold, but still the sun shone all day, and the enthusiasm of both riders and parents matched the sun.

With no other meeting on, there were lots of visitors and so you will see many new names in the results.

Racing was keen in every group. With the leaders changing all the time, it would be difficult to pick out anyone for special mention, so I will leave you to study the results. Well done to those of you whose names appear, but to those who didn't quite make it, better luck next time.

Martin Lake, who's had the misfortune to break a leg, as we understand, on the mend and in good spirits, speedy recovery Martin, hope to see you soon.

Results.

<u>JUNIORS</u>	<u>INTERS</u>	<u>SENIORS</u>	<u>EXPERTS</u>
<u>Event 1.</u>			
1. N. Abbott.	C. Witts.	S. Cook.	S. Lane.
2. B. Wheeler.	P. Small.	A. Sugg.	R. Ford.
3. C. Arnold.	S. Mitchell.	M. Webb.	K. Turner.
4. A. Hopkins.	R. Hughes.	I. Bailey.	C. Small.
5. T. Wheeler.	T. Payne.	M. Fox.	I. Cheshire.
6. T. Poole.	N. Selwyn.	C. Salter.	S. Bailey.
7. A. Bedford.	A. Ford.	M. Cleaver.	C. Smith.
8. A. Rossiter.	P. Meredith.	N. Hackley.	K. Ashford.
<u>Event 2.</u>			
1. T. Wheeler.	C. Witt.	M. Webb.	R. Ford.
2. K. Nurden.	S. Mitchell.	C. Salter.	C. Beavis.
3. C. Arnold.	P. Meredith.	S. Cook.	K. Turner.
4. A. Rossiter.	T. Payne.	A. Sugg.	M. Warner.
5. B. Edwards.	N. Bedford.	N. Hackley.	K. Ashford.
6. A. Hopkins.	R. Hughes.	E. Bailey.	I. Cheshire.
7. A. Bedford.	N. Selwyn.	T. Passfield.	C. Small.
8. B. Wheeler.	R. Steer.	M. Fox.	D. Mills.
<u>Event 3.</u>			
1. T. Wheeler.	P. Hackley.	M. Webb.	S. Lane.
2. N. Abbott.	R. Hughes.	C. Salter.	C. Small.
3. K. Nurden.	C. Witts.	S. Cook.	R. Ford.
4. A. Bedford.	S. Mitchell.	A. Sugg.	S. Bailey.
5. B. Wheeler.	T. Payned	D. Clark.	I. Cheshire.
6. A. Rossiter.	A. Ford.	M. Hewlett.	M. Warner.
7. C. Arnold.	N. Selwyn.	M. Fox.	K. Ashford.
8. B. Edwards.	P. Meredith.	N. Hackley.	D. Stacey.

Results - Continued.

Event 4.

1.	N. Abbott.	C. Witts.	M. Webb.	S. Lane.
2.	T. Wheeler.	S. Mitchell.	C. Salter.	C. Small.
3.	K. Nurden.	R. Hughes.	D. Clark.	S. Bailey.
4.	A. Hopkins.	A. Ford.	S. Cook.	CC Beavis.
5.	A. Rossiter.	P. Meredith.	N. Hackley.	R. Ford.
6.	C. Arnold.	No. 14.	E Bailey.	I. Cheshire.
7.	A. Bedford.	T. Seaford.	M. Hewlett.	K. Ashford.
8.	B. Edwards.	P. Hackley.	A. Sugg.	M. Warner.

49, Cotswold Green,
Stonehouse,
Glos.

Dear Fellow Riders,

Thank you very much for voting for me in the recent personality competition. I was very thrilled to receive this trophy.

Wishing you all a very enjoyable and successful new season.

Yours thankfully,

Keith Turner (42)

Secretarys Notes.

Dear Members,

Did I say in last months magazine something about a bad start to the season with the proposed scramble on Jan' 4th. being cancelled. Well what about Wootten under Edge, from my point of view, it was a disaster. Martin breaking his leg and then the back wheel on Alans bike shedding a chain and nearly all the spokes in his third race.

Martin, I am glad to say has made a rapid recovery, and by the time you read this his leg should be out of plaster. Then it's another six weeks at least before he rides a bike again. There is one thing that I think all riders should take note of. Martins leg was broken by his bike falling back on him. Robert Shears & Bart Toogood both had their legs broken the same way. In speedway the rider lays his machine down so that it slides away from him in a crash. Now in Scrambling that would take some doing on a bumpy track, but if you come off while racing try and get away from the bike. Bent handlebars can be replaced in ten minutes, but a broken leg takes at least three months.

Litter, please take this home with you, we had a number of complaints last season from farmers about rubbish being left at a meeting. So remember to bring a bag and take your litter home. Just one more point this month, if you write to me and expect a reply, please enclose a S.A.E. as it saves me time and the Club money.

John Lake.

Secretary.

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SAFETY

Please come to Scrutencoring enclosure in full kit, Boots, Gloves, Helmet, etc. or you may be sent back to put it on.

also in the inforest of safety, it is clearly stated in our rules & regulations, that membership is on a family basis, which means Father, Mother, riding members, and their non riding brothers or sisters, it does not mean, Aunts, Uncles, Gran & Grandad, and all other relations etc, how while we all like them to come, we remind you that they can be non riding members simply by completing the necessary form, and paying their membership fee.

Richard started scrambling at the last meeting of 1972, in the "B" Group, on a 80cc. Yamaha, so on to be changed for a Jawa 90, and later three 125cc. Suzuki's not all at once I hasten to add. He started scrambling simply because he enjoyed speed.

It was Richard's own idea, Dad who had never ridden a Motor cycle, agreed and enjoys it all (except for the cost) but Mum wishes he had kept to football or cricket.

Richard, like most of our top lads, chooses Burton as his favourite course, something I think his favourite scrambler Niel Hudson would also agree with.

Still at school, Richard is busy studying for five 'O' Levels, yet somehow he still finds time for his other hobby, radio controlled model aircraft.

I know that many of you will be sorry to hear that Richard has been successful in brainwashing his parents into letting him leave the C.S.S.C. and join the adult scene. The Suzuki has now been exchanged for a 400cc. Maico, which he intends to master as soon as possible.

Richard would like to thank all the lads who voted him personality of 1975, and wishes the best of luck to all the Corsham Members.

We wish you luck Richard; and shall no doubt from time to time be along to see you and your Maico perform.

Juniors Please take note!

As we agreed at the AGM we have approached the B.S.M.A. with regards to the possibility of a cadet class, but this was out voted, therefore we shall be running one Junior group 6 - 11 year olds, who may ride what ever machine they wish up to 80cc, providing the rider can touch the floor with both feet.

Congratulations.

This month we must send our heartiest congratulations to Ex. No. 28. Niel Hudson, on winning the magnificent Patchquick Trophy. Well done Niel, we know you would do it one day, but I think you surprised us all by making it so soon.

We hear that our President was last seen tearing around the pits somewhere on crutches, something to do with him jumping off a lorry. Sorry to hear this Gord', hope by now you have thrown the crutches away and that you are back in harness.

RAFFLE.

This year our raffle will be organised each meeting by Mrs. Joan Collins & Mrs. Hazel Salter. The money for prizes is to be increased, this will make it much more attractive, but we shall still welcome any offers of prizes.

1976 B.S.M.A. CHAMPIONSHIP.

Entries for the 1st. Round of the B.S.M.A. Championship will be run by the West Mercia Club, and will be held on 4th. April, 1976. at Wilden Lane, Stourport.

Entries should be sent to Mr. J. Fereday, 4, Fawnhopp, Wingates West, Redditch, Worcester, as soon as possible, so get your entry forms to-day from Mrs. Jean Hughes.

2nd. Round. 2nd. May. Ringwood Club. entries to. Mr. P. Coates, 78, Runnymede Avenue, Bear Cross, Bournemouth, Hants.

3rd. Round. 6th June. Severn Valley Club. entries to. Mr. R. Bedford, Glebe Cottage, Castle Morton, Nr. Malvern.

4th. Round. 4th July. Corsham Club. entries to. Mrs. J. Hughes, 7, Edwin Short Close, Bitton, Bristol.

5th. Round. 1st August. Cotswold Club. entries to. Mrs. Hill, 18, Glen Park Crescent, Kingscourt, Stroud, Glos.

6th. Round. 5th September. Portsmouth Club. entries to.

7th. Round. 3rd. October. Midlands Club. entries to. Mr. A. J. Webb, 10, Brampton Close, Cookley, Kidderminster.

Don't forget, you will be issued with a number when you enter for the first round, and you must use the same number right through the championship. If your first entry is at a later round you must apply for a riding number.

DO NOT FORGET to send a stamped addressed envelope with each entry.

ROUGH GUIDE TO SOME OF THE 1976 MEETINGS.

March	7th.	Ringwood.
	14th.	C.S.S.C.
	21st.	R.S.S.C. & S.V.S.S.C.
	28th.	C.S.S.C.
April	4th.	1st Round B.S.M.A. West Mercia. & R.S.S.C.
	11th.	C.S.S.C.
	18th.	C.S.S.C. Easter Trophy Meeting. & S.V.S.S.C & R.S.S.C.
	25th.	C.S.S.C.
May	2nd.	2nd Round B.S.M.A. Ringwood. & S.V.S.S.C. Open Trophy.
	9th.	C.S.S.C.
	16th.	R.S.S.C. & S.V.S.S.C.
	23rd.	C.S.S.C.
	30th.	C.S.S.C. Whitsun Trophy Meeting. & R.S.S.C.
June	6th.	3rd Round B.S.M.A. Severn Valley.
	13th.	R.S.S.C.
	20th.	C.S.S.C.
	27th.	R.S.S.C. & S.V.S.S.C.
July	4th.	4th Round B.S.M.A. Corsham.
	11th.	R.S.S.C. & S.V.S.S.C.
	18th.	C.S.S.C.
	25th.	C.S.S.C. & R.S.S.C. & S.V.S.S.C.
August	1st.	5th Round B.S.M.A. Cotswold.
	7/8th.	British Championship. Organizers S.V.S.S.C. & R.S.S.C.
	8th.	& R.S.S.C.
	15th.	C.S.S.C.
	22nd.	R.S.S.C. Southern National (Matchams Park) & S.V.S.S.C.
	29/30th.	C.S.S.C. August Trophy & Monday Fun. & R.S.S.C.
Sept	5th.	6th Round B.S.M.A. Portsmouth & R.S.S.C.
	12th.	C.S.S.C. Malmesbury Carnival & Cotswold National (Larkstone)
	19th.	C.S.S.C. Trowbridge Carnival & S.V.S.S.C & R.S.S.C.
	26th.	C.S.S.C.
Oct.	3rd.	7th Round B.S.M.A. Midland & R.S.S.C.
	10th.	C.S.S.C.
	17th.	R.S.S.C. & S.V.S.S.C.
	24th.	C.S.S.C. R.S.S.C. & S.V.S.S.C.
Nov	7th.	C.S.S.C. Christmas Trophy. & R.S.S.C.

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