

Sidcup & District Motorcycle Club Ltd

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JACK THOMPSON

CLASSIC BIKE TRIAL (29th Edition)

At Canada Heights, Swanley BR8 8DX



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Sunday 2nd December 2018



SIDCUP AND DISTRICT MOTOR CYCLE CLUB Ltd
The Twenty-ninth Annual Jack Thompson Classic Bikes Trial.

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Canada Heights, Button Street, Swanley, Kent

Permit Number ACU 51635

Start Time 9:30am

OFFICIALS

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Final Instructions

Directions to Canada Heights: (Postcode for SatNavs – **BR8 8DX** and keep going). From the M25 Junction 3, take the Brands Hatch signs onto the A20 (note: **not** the M20). Straight on at the first roundabout, then turn left after 300 yards into **Button Street**, signposted **Swanley Village**. Canada Heights is on the right after one mile of this narrow and bendy lane -TAKE CARE!

Engines may be started for warming up, but no machines are to be ridden before a rider's actual start, except to the start by the shortest route.

SIGNING-ON: will be in the BARN. Riders **MUST** show their 2018 ACU Trials Registration card. If you haven't one, bring £3 for a 1-event Trials Registration (unless you entered on line and £3 was automatically added to the entry fee).

The start is at **9:30am**; **2 solo** riders per minute. ODD numbers to Section 1; EVEN numbers to section 11. Two laps of 20 sections per lap.

IMPORTANT: Sections will close if the daylight level is insufficient for your safety and for the observers to see that crafty dab or two!

SECTION MARKING: **White** cards for the hard route, **Red** cards for the easier route, **Yellow** for the easiest route (inc. Sidecars). **W, R** and **Y** in the list of riders.

Don't forget that it is 10 marks if you miss a section. If you do not want to tackle a section, ask the observer to mark you a '5' and ensure this is recorded on his/her card.

MARKING will be 0,1,2,3,5 with **10 for missing a section**. Please ensure you visit every section on both laps. This trial is run to the "no stop" rules: i.e. no stationary balancing or rolling backwards.

The Jack Thompson Trophy will be awarded to the best performer in Class A riding the **WHITE** route.

Results will be compiled after the trial and will be on the Sidcup Club website, www.sidcupmotorcycleclub.co.uk the same evening.

Riders: If you wish to change from to a different ROUTE from that shown in this programme, please tell the Secretary of Meeting when you sign on.

The 2018 Jack Thompson Trial

Welcome, Bienvenue, welkon to Canada Heights for the twenty-ninth Jack Thompson Classic Bikes Trial.

We have almost the same number of riders this year as in 2017, but with some long-time entries absent this year. However, to counteract this, there are 21 riders who are with us for the first time. Included in these are a trio of **Bransburys**, a couple of **Frearsons** and one **Nicola Clarke**, who is daughter of the Sidcup Secretary and was Clerk of the Course of our 'Combine' trial at the beginning of last month.

Ex-British Motocross Champion, **Vic Allan MBE** used our Wobblers Trial to fettle the new 182cc engine in his MV Augusta. Watch out the 'Red' riders in Class B – once a winner, always a winner!

Returning to Canada Heights are ten riders from the Netherlands and Belgium. **Rob van der Ham** and **Martien Vermeulen** are here for the fourth year. Many thanks to **Geoff Cornes** for spreading the word and getting our European guests to enter.

The total number of riders and passengers in all 29 Jack Thompson Trials has reached 682, with the total number of rides 3,187. Fifty-six of those riders were made by the two 'ever-presents' **Joan Westbrook** and **Bob Onley**. Joan has had a few medical issues in recent years, but is always one of the first to enter the Jack Thompson.

Tradition gives the number one plate to last year's winner, so **Philip Wiffen** from Hampshire has that honour. This year is Philip's second Jack Thompson, so will he or 3-times winner, **Paul Edwards**, be wearing the number one plate next year. Or maybe last year's runner-up, **Steve Mote** will go one better this time. The only other previous winner of the unique Jack Thompson Trophy riding today is **Dave Shave**, who in recent years has swished to the Unit-Construction class.

This year we have more sidecars competing than ever before. Multi-British Sidecarcross Champion **Chris Etheridge** rode in 2013 and is back this year, and so is dad **Dennis Etheridge**. Dennis is one of the 'Monday Club' which meets each week at Canada Heights to maintain (i.e. repair!) our extensive range of equipment here at Canada Heights.

Finally, a mention of 14-year-old **Alex Davies** who returns on his Bantam, but up a grade to the White route. Last year's winner, Sidcup's own **Dave Burroughs** will have to be on his best form to beat Alex.

Have a good trial at Kent's home of motorcycle sport, Canada Heights.

Peter Burrell, Club President and Secretary of Meeting



The two names in **Bold** have ridden in every one of the previous twenty-eight Jack Thompson British Bike Trials. Welcome home!

No.	Name	Club	c.c.	Machine	Class/ cards	start
1	Philip Wiffen	Normandy	400	Matchlws	A W	9:30
2	Dave Plumb	Double Five	250	Triumph	B W	
3	David Wiffen	Normandy	410	Matchless G3C	A Y	9:31
4	Tony Plumb	Double Five	199	Triumph Cub	B W	
5	Mick Powell	Sidcup	150	B.S.A. Bantam	E R	
6	Robert Head / Aron Jacobs	Talmag	500	C.C.M.	G Y	9:32
7	Geoff Cornes	Gravesend	500	Matchless	A R	
8	Jo Castiaux (B)	MC Sclep	350	B.S.A	B R	9:33

No.	Name	Club	c.c.	Machine	Class/ cards	start
9	Pierre Borms (B)	MC Sclep	500	Ariel HT5	A R	
10	Tjeu Schreurs (NL)	Baarlose Trials	350	B.S.A. B40	B R	9:34
11	Samuel Castiaux (B)	MC Sclep	500	Norton	A R	
12	Jan de Klerk (NL)	The Wheelie Rotterdam	500	Norton 16H	C Y	9:35
13	Christian Thibaut (B)	Royal Mons	600	Norton	A R	
14	Martien Vermeulen (NL)	The Wheelie Rot	450	FN M13	D R	9:36
15	Rob van der Ham (NL)	The Wheelie Rot	350	Matchless G3	A Y	
16	Peter Weeink (NL)	MC Arnhem	200	Triumph Cub	B Y	9:37
17	Daniel Gilmont (B)	Royal Mons	500	Ariel	A W	
18	Chris Etheridge / Scott Grahame	Sidcup	250	B.S.A.	G Y	9:38
19	Trevor Baker	Eastern 4-Stroke	410	Matchless	A W	
20	Gary Baker	NE London	199	Triumph Cub	B W	9:39
21	Martin Kemp	Thames	250	Greeves	E R	
22	Ken Cross	Bexleyheath	249	B.S.A. C15	B R	9:40
23	Rupert Kemp	Thames	250	Greeves	E R	
24	Tom Frearson	Surrey Schoolboy	250	B.S.A. C15	B W	9:41
25	Graham Barton	Thames	250	James	E W	
26	Arthur Frearson	Normandy	350	Triumph 3TA	B Y	9:42
27	Neil Osman	Thames	410	A.J.S	A Y	
28	Jack Frearson	Surrey Schoolboy	350	B.S.A. B40	B W	9:43
29	Alex Davies	Double Five	125	B.S.A. Bantam	E W	
30	Dennis Etheridge / Andy Wood	Sidcup	600	Ariel	G Y	9:44
31	Graham Hayward	Gravesend	185	B.S.A. Bantam	E R	
32	Ian Hayward	Witley	350	A.J.S. 16C	D R	9:45
33	Richard Hayward	Gravesend	175	B.S.A. Bantam	E R	
34	Chris Dark	Redhill & Reigate	200	Triumph Cub	B W	9:46
35	Colin Mote	Erith	500	Ariel	A W	
36	Grace Dark	Redhill & Reigate	200	Triumph Cub	B R	9:47
37	Steve Mote	Erith	500	Ariel	A R	
38	Scott Dark	Redhill & Reigate	200	Triumph Cub	B W	9:48
39	Tom Bartrum	Bexleyheath	185	Vantage B.S.A.	E W	
40	David Clarke	Bexleyheath	250	B.S.A. C15	B R	9:49
41	Phil Roger	Barham	350	Matchless	A W	
42	Neil Hannam / Barry Pocock	West Gloucester & Dean Forest	500	Triumph	G Y	9:50
43	Dean Latter	Tenterden	250	Sprite	E R	
44	Bob Onley	Bexleyheath	350	Velocette MAC	C R	9:51
45	Roger Thompson	Gravesend	175	B.S.A. Bantam	E W	
46	Joan Westbrook	Erith	250	B.S.A. C15	B Y	9:52

No.	Name	Club	c.c.	Machine	Class/ cards	start
47	Emma Thompson	Double Five	147	Excelsior U10	E R	9:53
48	Vic Allan MBE	Kingston	182	MV Agusta	B R	
49	Steve Thompson	Gravesend	350	Triumph T90	A R	9:54
50	John Bull	Kenton & King'y	125	MV Agusta	B R	
51	Terence Thompson	Castle Col'r	185	B.S.A. Bantam	E R	9:55
52	John Toogood	Redhill & Reigate	350	Royal Enfield	B Y	
53	Pat Corridon	Greeves Riders	250	Greeves Anglian	E R	9:56
54	Roger Abbott / Colin Keane	Bexleyheath	600	Matchless G80T	G R	
55	Neil Sinden	Sittingbourne	500	Ariel	A W	9:57
56	Trevor Town	Sittingbourne	250	B.S.A. C15	B W	
57	Leonard Bransbury	Talmag	350	A.J.S. 16MC	A Y	9:58
58	Jonathan Bransbury	Talmag	200	Triumph Cub	B R	
59	Simon Bransbury	Talmag	250	Cotton	E R	9:59
60	Roy Beatty	OWLS	200	Triumph Cub	B W	
61	Nick James	Hillingdon & Ux	250	D.o.T. WR	E R	10:00
62	Chris Pickup	Milton Buzzard	200	Triumph Cub	B R	
63	Mike Salsbury	Greeves Riders	250	Greeves Scottish	E R	10:01
64	Nicola Clarke	Sidcup	250	B.S.A.	D R	
65	Graham Brown	Sidcup	500	Tribsa	A Y	10:02
66	Bernard Chambers / Ian Allaway	Talmag	500	Rickman Ariel	G Y	
67	Bryn Matton	Gravesend	249	Francis Barnett	E W	10:03
68	Steve Mannerings	Gravesend	250	B.S.A. C15	B W	
69	James Cammack	Castle Col'r	250	James	E R	10:04
70	Graham Braybrook	Eastern 4-ske	246	Royal Enfield	B R	
71	Bob Clarke	Wymondham	185	B.S.A. Bantam	E W	10:05
72	Kevin Hood	Ipswich	250	Royal Enfield	B W	
73	Colin Miles	Southend	250	Greeves Anglian	E R	10:06
74	Steve Monk	Southend	350	Royal Enfield	B W	
75	Kevin Goldsmith	Eastern 4-stroke	350	Royal Enfield	A Y	10:07
76	Graham Howes	North Berks	405	B.S.A. BB32A	D Y	
77	Chris Page	Hillingdon & Ux	175	B.S.A. Bantam	E R	10:08
78	Paul Fishlock / Debbie Merrell	Normandy	500	Ariel	G Y	
79	Richard Faggetter	Greeves Riders	250	Greeves Anglian	E R	10:09
80	Colin Sadler	Eastern 4-stroke	199	Triumph Cub	B R	
81	Terry Sewell	Southend	250	Greeves Anglian	E R	10:10
82	Mike Smith	Southend	255	Triumph Cub	B R	
83	Thorne Smith	Southend	250	Greeves	E W	10:11
84	Chris Woodcock	Tenterden	250	B.S.A. C15	B R	
85	Dave Burroughs	Sidcup	250	James	E W	10:12
86	James Bunton	Sidcup	200	Triumph Cub	B R	

No.	Name	Club	c.c.	Machine	Class/ cards	start
87	Steve Westley	Double Five	125	B.S.A. Bantam	E R	10:13
88	Mark Stubberfield	Double Five	250	B.S.A. C15	B Y	
89	Paul Stephen	Double Five	250	D.o.T.	E W	10:14
90	Karl Jarvis / Jana Grossman	Talmag	500	Triumph T5	G Y	
91	Tony White	Sidcup	350	A.J.S. 16C	A W	10:15
92	Dick Ramplee	Southampton	250	B.S.A. C15	B R	
93	Gary Mitchem	Milton Buzzard	350	Matchless G3C	A R	10:16
94	Alan Shorter	Ashford	350	A.J.S.	D Y	
95	Luke Wilkinson	Bexleyheath	175	B.S.A. Bantam	E R	10:17
96	George Smith	Sunbeam	350	Royal Enfield	C Y	
97	Robert Rout	OWLS	500	Royal Enfield	A R	10:18
98	Graham Bridger	OWLS	199	Triumph	B R	
99	Chris Brown	Sunbeam	250	Greeves Anglian	E Y	10:19
100	Dave Blanchard	Sunbeam	250	Triumph	C Y	
101	Daniel Carter	Woodbridge	490	Norton	A W	10:20
102	Peter Pesterfield / Deborah Smith	Haslemere Golden Valley	500	Ariel	G Y	
103	Richard Tree	Barham	498	A.J.S.	A R	10:21
104	David Strank	Barham	250	B.S.A. C15	B W	
105	Adrian Parker	Braintree	175	B.S.A. Bantam	E W	10:22
106	Richard Defago	Sidcup	200	Triumph Cub.	B R	
107	Douglas Johnson	Tongham	250	D.o.T.	E R	10:23
108	Glen Elden	Normandy	500	Norton T500	D R	
109	Doug Mummery	Gravesend	500	Noriel	A W	10:24
110	Dave Shave	Double Five	250	B.S.A.	B W	
111	John Dudley	Gravesend	250	James	E R	10:25
112	Dave Pickup	Double Five	200	Triumph TR20	B Y	
113	Andy Healey	Erith	350	Trigreeves	A R	10:26
114	Paul Randall / Richard Webb	Sidcup	500	Triumph	G Y	
115	Paul Thomas	GEST Trials	500	Ariel	A R	10:27
116	Neil Cozens	Sittingbourne	250	B.S.A. C15	B R	
117	Steve Higgins	Tenterden	250	Greeves TFS	E R	10:28
118	John Ruth	Southend	175	B.S.A.	F Y	
119	Jake Pope / Bob Chapman	Normandy	650	Triumph	G Y	10:29
120	Chris Anderson	Sittingbourne	200	Triumph Cub	B W	
121	Paul Edwards	Sittingbourne	440	Triumph	A W	10:30
122	Christopher Leigh	Hillingdon & Ux	175	B.S.A. Bantam	E R	
123	Dave Cooper	Erith	350	Triumph	A R	10:31
124	Tim Streatfield	Sittingbourne	250	Greeves Scottish	E W	



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Despite the organisers taking all reasonable precautions, unavoidable accidents can happen. Please remain in permitted areas only and comply with all instructions of marshals and notices.
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Class Winners in previous Jack Thompson British Bike Trials (names in **Bold** are riding in 2018)

	Non-Unit - White	Non-Unit - Red	Unit - White	Unit - Red
1990	Roger French	Ted Smith	Chris Dark	David Vine
1991	Roger French	Ted Smith	Roger Hand	Trevor Weller
1992	Mike Peach	Mick Holloway	Keith Wakefield	Mr Gordon Davis
1993	Roger French	Tony Tutt	Neil Repton	Mr Gordon Davis
1994	Adrian Steele	John Excell	Neil Repton	Chris Lurcock
1995	Graham Braybrook	John Phillips	Chris Dark	Terry Clements
1996	John Kendall	John Phillips	Neil Repton	Terry Clements
1997	Roger French	Roger Sutton	Chris Dark	Graham Wylie
1998	Mark Fletcher	Jim Shepherd	Neil Repton	Richard Challis
1999	John Kendall	Jim Shepherd	Colin Teager	Richard Challis
2000	Len Hutty	Graham Howard	Neil Repton	Graham Wylie
2001	Mark Fletcher	Robin Hodges	Mark Baker	John Greygoose
2002	Len Hutty	John Johns	Chris Anderson	Richard Challis
2003	Len Hutty	Chris Brown	Graham Bridger	Richard Challis
2004	Dave Shave	Colin Mote	Chris Anderson	Richard Challis
2005	Len Hutty	Mick Baldock	Chris Dark	Richard Challis
2006	Len Hutty	John Johns	John Kendall	Laurence Burton
2007	Dave Shave	John Johns	Graham Bridger	Daniel Burton
2008	Richard Whitebread	John Johns	Steve Monk	Daniel Burton
2009	Len Hutty	John Mantle	David Strank	Colin Sadler
2010	Mark Baker	Geoff Cornes	Steve Mannerings	David Dodd
2011	Paul Edwards	Geoff Cornes	Steve Monk	Mick Clarkson
2012	Paul Edwards	John Mantle	James Dabill	Graham Bridger
2013	Paul Edwards	Neil Osman	C Collins/Dave Plumb	Andy Healey
2014	Matthew Skeet	Rob Fleet	Dave Shave	Graham Bridger
2015	James Williams	John Mantle	Dave Plumb	Giles Whalley
2016	Mark Stokes	Steve Mote	David Strank	Graham Bridger
2017	Philip Wiffen	Steve Mote	Gary Baker	Graham Bridger

	Two-Stroke - White	Two-Stroke - Red	Rigid Frame
1990	Tony Coleman	Ian Bennett	Ron Macbeth
1991	Doug Theobald	Neville Lewis	Stan Metcalf
1992	Doug Theobald	Jim Woodmason	Stan Metcalf
1993	Dave Spurgeon	Brian Edwards	Stan Metcalf
1994	Russ Howland	Geoff Challis	Stan Metcalf
1995	Les Matton	Dave Godley	Stan Metcalf
1996	Dave Spurgeon	Andrew Bedwell	Stan Metcalf
1997	Roy Enticknap	Jim Woodmason	Ian Watkins/Roger Finch/Allen Shorter
1998	Dave Spurgeon	Dave Godley	Roger Finch
1999	Roy Enticknap	Geoff Challis	Ian Watkins
2000	Dave Spurgeon	Dave Godley	Dave Blanchard
2001	Graham Braybrook	Geoff Challis	Jeremy Tester

from 2002. this class was split

Solo - continued

	Two-Stroke - White	Two-Stroke -	Rigid / Girder	Rigid / Teles
2002	Bryn Matton	John Phillips	John Excell	Roger Finch
2003	Les Matton	Terry Sewell	John Excell	Ian Watkins
2004	G Braybrook/Laurie Bird	Graham Mitchell	Bob Onley	Sam Appleton
2005	Dave Shave	Tim Streatfield	John Excell	Sam Appleton
2006	Ben Wibberley	Roger Watt	Dave Blanchard	Mike Barton
2007	Ben Wibberley	Martin Kemp	Vince Cottingham	Stan Metcalf
2008	Dave Shave	Paul Casling	Bob Onley	Stan Metcalf
2009	Dave Shave	Mike Clarkson	Bob Onley	Graham Rodemark
2010	Dave Shave	Roy Enticknap	Dave Blanchard	Graham Rodemark
2011	Allan Brown	Roy Enticknap	Bob Onley	Doug Mummery
2012	Simon Bird	Roy Enticknap	Dave Blanchard	Graham Rodemark
2013	Tom Bartrum	John Pattinson	Arthur Frearson	Stan Metcalf
2014	Allen Collier	Jenny Stephen	Arthur Frearson	Doug Mummery
2015	Steve Mannerings/Kevin Hood	Graham Hayward	Jan de Klerk	Adrian Mountain
2016	Bryn Matton	Jenny Stephen	Adrian Mountain	Martien Vermeulen
2017	Dave Burroughs	Richard Hayward	Dave Blanchard	Graham Rodemark

Sidecar

1990	Alan Clarke / Marge Clarke	2004	Bob Miles / Ray Taylor
1991	John Budgen /?.....	2005	Paul Fishlock / Debbie Merrell
1992	Alan Clarke / Dave Denyer	2006	Alan Clarke / Alan Woods
1993	Mark Hancock / Peter Crockford	2007	Peter Pesterfield / Keith Laker
1994	Mark Hancock / Peter Crockford	2008	Peter Pesterfield / Gordon Smith
1995	Mark Hancock / Peter Crockford	2009	Paul Fishlock / Debbie Merrell
1997	Julian Plumb / Jim Patey	2011	Paul Fishlock / Debbie Merrell
1998	Ady Matthews / Richard Huck	2012	Dennis Etheridge / Dave Denyer
1999	Mark Reynolds / Luke Reynolds	2013	Paul Randall / Richard Webb
2000	Mark Reynolds / Luke Reynolds	2014	Paul Randall / Richard Webb
2001	Mark Reynolds / Luke Reynolds	2015	Paul Randall / Richard Webb
2003	Peter Pesterfield / Keith Laker	2016	Paul Randall / Richard Webb
2003	Peter Pesterfield / Keith Laker	2017	Pete Pesterfield / Deborah Smith

Classes : A – Separate 4-stroke engine & gearbox, sprung frame
 B – Unit-construction 4-stroke engine & gearbox, sprung frame
 C – 4-stroke engine, unsprung frame with girder forks
 D – 4-stroke engine, unsprung frame with telescopic forks
 E – 2-stroke engine, sprung frame, girder or telescopic forks
 G – Any British bike with sidecar

Cards : W – White cards in sections (the hardest route)
 R – Red cards (an easier route)
 Y – Yellow cards (the easiest route)



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