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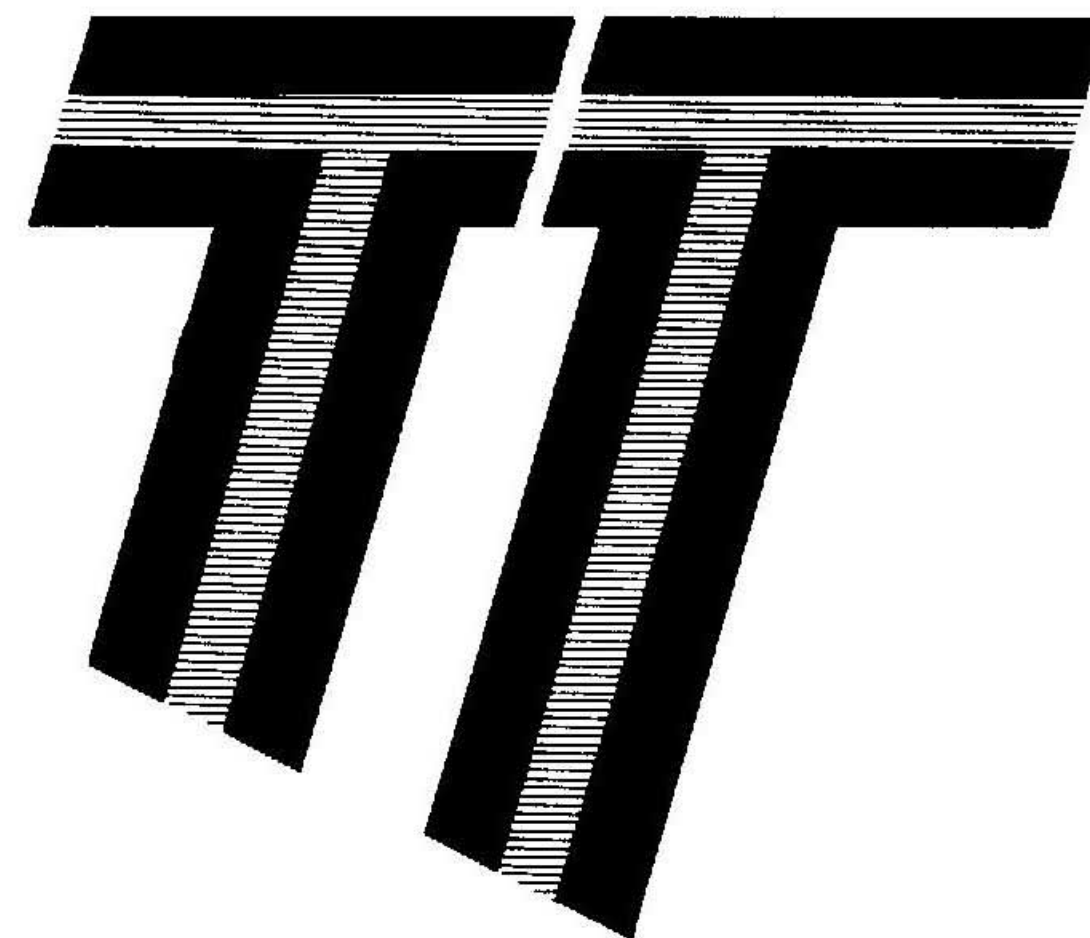
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PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

Official Practise:	9.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m.	Approx Time.
Heat 1 Qualifying Championship	10 mins + 1 Lap	11.00 a.m.
Heat 2 Qualifying Championship	10 mins + 1 Lap	11.15 a.m.
Heat 3 Qualifying Championship	10 mins + 1 Lap	11.30 a.m.
Presentation of British Championship Competitors		12.45 p.m.
Race 1 1st Qualifying Championship		
Repechage race	10 mins + 1 Lap	1.00 p.m.
Race 2 2nd Qualifying Championship		
Repechage race	10 mins + 1 Lap	1.15 p.m.
Race 3 Motor Cycle News British Championship race 1	40 mins + 2 Laps	1.30 p.m.
Race 4 1st Qualifying Championship		
Championship	30 mins + 1 Lap	2.15 p.m.

INTERVAL		2.55 p.m.
Race 5 Motor Cycle News British Championship race 2	40 mins + 2 Laps	3.15 p.m.
Race 6 2nd Qualifying Championship race	30 mins + 1 Lap	4.00 p.m.
Presentation of Awards		4.45 p.m.

The highest points scorer from the Two Qualifying Championship races will receive a set of HALVARSSON Swedish Leathers kindly donated by Alton Motor Cycle Supplies, 1 Thurburn Close, Broughton, Northamptonshire.



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BRITISH MOTOCROSS CHAMPIONSHIP

Foreword by Paul Owler (Motor Cycle News)

One round down and seven to go! A very warm welcome to Leighton Woods for the second round of the Motor Cycle News British Moto Cross Championships.

Once again the action is centered on the West Country—and if the racing is half as good as we saw at Torquay last month we will all go home today feeling very satisfied.

Graham Noyce has already given us a hint of why he is regarded Britain's best hope of a world 500cc moto cross title for years. The three times British champion took maximum points at Torquay and now heads the table by a full 10 points.

Hot on the 22 year-old Honda works rider's tail is Maico's Neil Hudson, who starts his World 250cc GP bid in Spain next week. Neil's two second places at Higher Rocombe showed that he is certainly capable of taking the title he was so close to winning last year.

Three men are tying with equal points in third spot on the title ladder.

Veteran Scot Vic Allan [Bultaco] is no stranger to the rigours of the British championship which he won last in 1975. He shares third place with Midlander Vaughan Semmens [Maico], who at 27 is in his first year as a professional moto cross rider, and Suzuki's British number one Stephen Beamish.

Next comes Bob Wright who holds fourth place on the strength of a third position in the second leg at the opening round. He leads the all-British CCM squad which boasts the only four stokes in the competition.

Plenty of young blood courses through the veins of the Motor Cycle News championship with Axbridge farmer Roger Garret [Maico], Suzuki's Jonathan Wright and Maico's Mike Pearce well up in the table along with last year's British Support Series champion Steve Harrison [Maico] and 1978 Under 18 Champion Dave Watson who scored his first points for Montesa.

KTM's challenge is headed by Dave Tomasik and team-mate Terry Dyer is hoping to be fit after his Higher Rocombe crash which left him with torn ligaments in his knee. Geoff Mayes [Maico], Billy Aldridge [Suzuki], Norman Barrow [CCM], Maico's Mike Stephens, Midlander Roger Harvey and Scot Willy Simpson all notched up points in the first round as well as Pete Mathia who obtained the first scoring result for the Bolton-based Cotton EMX team.

Riders who failed to get their points tally off the ground include Steve Harrison [Maico] who suffered a face injury at the last round, Midlander Rob Hooper [Maico], Cotton EMX man Rob Wilkinson, CCM's Jimmy Aird, and veterans Vic Eastwood [Hagon Yamaha] and Andy Robertson [Yamaha].

At the conclusion of the series five riders are relegated from the championship and replaced by the top five men from the Support Championship. Leader of the all-important secondary series is welshman Neil Griffiths who nabbed maximum points with two wins and he's followed by former British Schoolboy champion Dave Thorpe, Kawasaki's only works rider in the adult classes.

The two Motor Cycle News British Championship races are each of 40 minutes plus two laps while the Support series boys race for 30 minutes plus two laps.

Winner of each main championship race gets 30 points with scoring to 15th spot where the rider gets a single point.

Support series points are allocated on the conventional GP basis with 15 for a win down to one for 10th place.

The scene is set for a memorable day. Enjoy the action.

Motor Cycle News British Championship points: 1 G. Noyce [Honda] 60 points, 2 N. Hudson [Maico] 50, 3 S. Beamish [Suzuki] 34, V. Semmens [Maico] 34, V. Allan [Bultaco] 34, 6 B. Wright [CCM] 20, 7 R. Garret [Maico] 18, J. Wright [Suzuki] 18, 9 M. Pearce [Maico] 17, 10 S. Harrison [Maico] 14, D. Tomasik [KTM] 14, 12 G. Mayes [Maico] 10, 13 B. Aldridge [Suzuki] 8, 14 M. Stephens [Maico] 5, 15 N. Barrow [CCM] 3, T. Dyer [KTM] 3, P. Mathia 2, R. Harvey 2, V. Eastwood 1, D. Watson 1.

British Support Championship points: 1 N. Griffiths [Suzuki] 30 points, 2 D. Thorpe [Kawasaki] 18, N. Toms [Maico] 16, 4 P. Hunt [Husqvarna] 15, 5 P. Leask [Husqvarna] 12, 6 J. McMillan [Maico] 10, 7 M. Watts [Maico] 9, 8 A. Scott [CCM] 7, K. Ree [Maico] 6, 8 B. Aldrich 4, 9 T. Dyer 3, 10 P. Mathia 2, 11 V. Eastwood 1.

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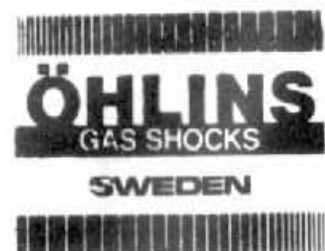
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Heat ONE 10 minutes plus one lap

First 16 riders to Qualifying Championship Races

No.	Name	Machine c.c.	Town
37	Don Brockbank	Yamaha 400	Millom
47	Ken Hanson	Maico 400	Wheatley
50	Robin Waddington	Maico 400	Clitheroe
53	Chris Small	Suzuki 420	Burbrook
56	Nigel Parvin	D.M.X Maico	Eastleigh
60	Gary Woollam	Maico 400	Old Woking
64	John Reid	Colton Honda 250	Middlesborough
67	Tom Oliver	Maico 250/440	Knutsford
70	John Turner	Maico 400	Morecambe
73	Gary Hudson	Maico 250/400	Bristol
76	Richard Childs	Husqvarna 390	Southampton
79	Mike Bishop	Kelly KTM 250/400	Dorchester
82	Dennis Le Breton	C.C.M. 500	Jersey
85	Rob Gravett	Maico 400	Maidenhead
88	Gary Colton	C.C.M. 500	Stockton-on-Tees
91	Archie Baird	Honda 250	Galston
94	Roy Turner	Montesa 414	Stonehouse
97	Mark Gleadhill	Maico 400	Braunton
100	David Shackleton	C.C.M. 500	Pontefract
103	Mike Beardshaw	K.T.M. 400	Nottingham
106	Keith Martin	Marghor Maico 400	Guildford
109	Roy Shaw	Maico 400	Chesterfield
113	Roy Hooper	M.F.S. Maico 440	Stroud
116	Bob Privett	K.T.M. 400	Southampton
119	Sam Sibbald	Suzuki 400	Kirkliston
122	Richard Goddard	Yamaha 400	Didcot
125	Billy Edwards	Maico 440	Lochmaben
128	Richard Ford	Maico 440	Bristol
131	Stephen Lane	Maico 440	Redditch
134	Geoff Churchill	Maico 400	Sherborne
137	Rick Davies	Maico 440	Coventry
141	Mike Lilywhite	Suzuki 400	Elmsworth
144	Peter Archer	K.T.M. 400	Farnham
147	Paul Farr	Maico 440	Macclesfield
151	Andy Dykes	Maico 440	Maniaive Thornhill
155	Martyn Smith		Kendall
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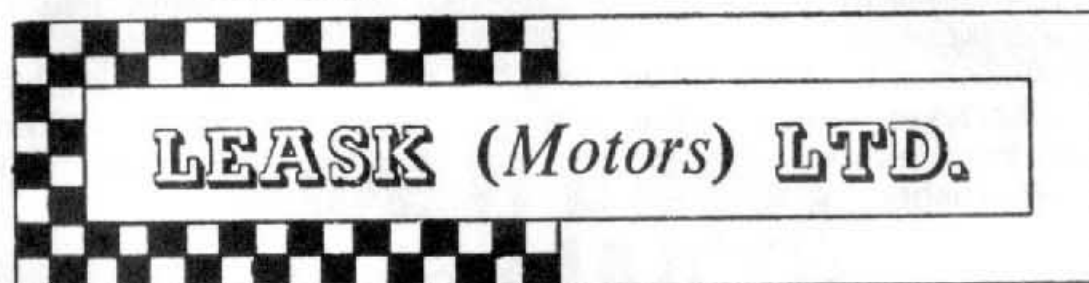
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48	Chris Bryan	Kramer	Bristol
51	Chris Clark	Beamish Suzuki 250/420	Petworth
54	John Leece	Yamaha 250/420	Millom
58	Brett Steele	Tillson Maico 400	Sheffield
61	Peter Bavin	Yamaha 400	Diss
65	Dave Brown	Husqvarna 390	Wotton-under-Edge
68	Paul Collins	Maico 400	Calne
71	Gary Taylor	Villa 400	Middlesborough
74	Clive Huntley	Maico 400	Newbury
77	Brian Taylor	Leask Husqvarna 390	Newcastle-upon-Tyne
80	John Hayden	Maico 440	Reading
83	Steve Adams	Maico 250/400	Braunton
86	Michael Gover	Suzuki 420	Southampton
89	Stephen Walker	Maico 250/440	Southampton
92	Rob Kinsey	P&S KTM 425 Maico 440	Kendal
95	Keith Turner	Montesa 414	Stonehouse
98	Ron Argent	Maico 250/440	Halstead
101	Kevin Gipp	Villa 400	Ely
104	Barry Cranston	Maico 400	Consett
107	Jeff Hogg	Bill Brown Maico 440	Egremont
110	Dave Bower	Bryco Maico 440	Wilmslow
114	Steve Craig	Mott Maico 440	Egham
117	Kevin Slight	Yamaha 400	Crawley
120	Derek Tyndall	MFS Maico 250/400	Stonehouse
123	Colin Luce	Montesa 414	Jersey
126	Chris Scriven	Husqvarna 390	Horsham
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49	Martin Perrett	John Perret Twin 495	Sturminster
52	Tim Stowe	Maico 440	Wellesbourne
55	Kevin Hatcher	Comerford KTM 360	Chessington
59	Kevin Ruddock	Honda 350/360	Slough
63	John Huntley	Suzuki 250/400	Esher
66	Ian Preston	Maico 400	Lancaster
69	Richard Szymanski	Maico 440	Bruton
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84	M. Jones		Sutton Coldfield
87	Pat Rowe	Yamaha 400	Aldershot
90	Allan Buckley		Manchester
93	Neil Hanham (Hanham M/Cs)	Maico 400	Ringwood
96	C. Allan		Southampton
99	Dennis Slythe	Maico 400	Waterbury
102	Paul Studley	Deutz Maico 400	Chard
105	Bruce Veal	Heyar Maico 400	Henley-on-Thames
108	Ian Astbury	Maico 250/400	Winsford
111	Lewis Delve	T.V.M. Yamaha 400	Longdown
115	John McMillan	Maico 400	Slough
118	Norman Emery	Maico 440	Eastleigh
121	Stephen Slade	Maico 440	Braunton
124	Chris Milner	Bultaco 370	Chesterfield
127	J. Graham		Cambridge
130	Terry Holloway	Villa	Bournemouth
133	John Telford	Suzuki 400	Bishop Auckland
136	David Stone		
136	David Grove	Maico 400	Bracknell
139	Steve Clark	Crooks Suzuki 420	Formby
143	Steve Shuttleworth	Crooks C.C.M. 500	Ulverston
146	John Fleming	Yamaha 400	Glasgow
150	Chris Beavis	Maico 250/400	Stroud
154	Wayne Jones		Pencoed
157	Wayne James		Merthyr
160	Bill Gibson		

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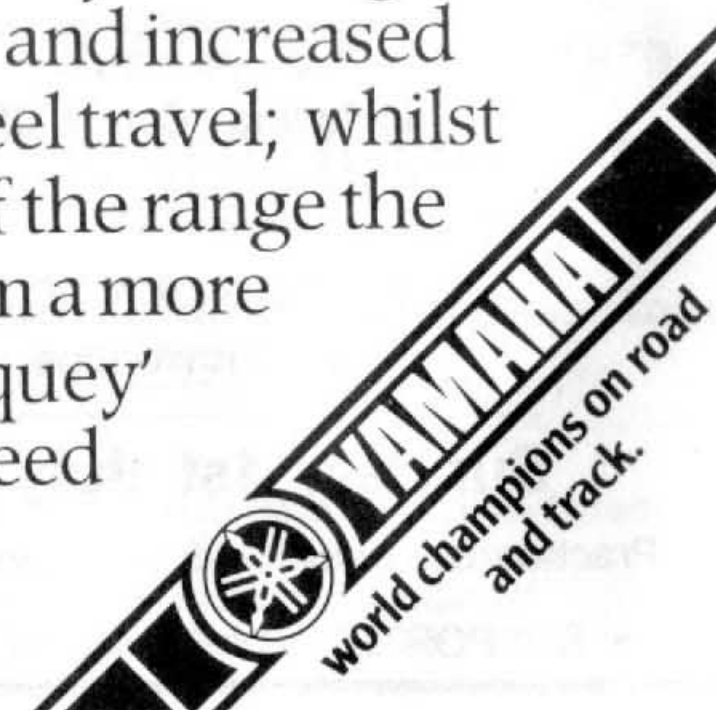
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Repechage 1

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Riders finishing 11th to 24th from Heat Two

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Repechage 2

Entries: Riders finishing 25th to 38th from Heat Two and
Riders finishing 11th to 38th from Heat Three

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Races THREE and FIVE

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No.	Name	Machine c.c.	Town	Points	
				1st Race	2nd Race
1	Graham Noyce	Honda	Eastleigh
2	Neil Hudson	Maico	Bristol	.....	.....
3	Andy Robertson	Yamaha	Knighton	.....	.....
4	Vic Allan	Bultaco	Tolworth	.....	.....
5	Rob Hooper	Maico	Rugeley	.....	.....
6	Robert Wilkinson	Cotton E.M.X.	Belfast	.....	.....
7	Vaughan Semmens	Maico	Brownhills	.....	.....
8	Bob Wright	C.C.M.	Blackburn	.....	.....
9	Pete Mathia	Cotton E.M.X.	Northwich	.....	.....
10	Paul Harrison	Maico	Market Harborough	.....	.....
11	Geoff Mayes	Maico	Cambridge	.....	.....
12	Bryan Wade	Villa	Stroud	.....	.....
14	Stephen Beamish	Suzuki	Brighton	.....	.....
15	Dave Tomasik	K.T.M.	Peterchurch	.....	.....
16	Dave Watson	Montesa	Gloucester	.....	.....
17	Bill Aldridge	Suzuki	Brighton	.....	.....
18	Jonathan Wright	Suzuki	Brighton	.....	.....
19	Roger Harvey	Maico	Rugeley	.....	.....
20	Vic Eastwood	Hagon Yamaha	W. Malling	.....	.....
21	Norman Barrow	C.C.M.	Millom	.....	.....
22	Stuart Nunn	Yamaha	Ely	.....	.....
23	Jimmy Aird	C.C.M.	Barnard Castle	.....	.....
24	Andy Ainsworth	Husqvarna	Blackburn	.....	.....
25	Roger Garrett	Maico	Axbridge	.....	.....
26	Willie Simpson	Husqvarna	Forfar	.....	.....
27	Stephen How	Kramer	Buckingham	.....	.....
28	Rob Taylor	Maico	Bristol	.....	.....
29	Malcolm Dearn	Husqvarna	Charlwood	.....	.....
30	Terry Dyer	K.T.M.	Eastbourne	.....	.....
31	Stephen Harrison	Maico	Market Harborough	.....	.....
32	Mike Pearce	Maico	Sunbury-on-Thames	.....	.....
33	Michael George	Maico	Sunbury-on-Thames	.....	.....
34	Michael Stephens	Maico	Hereford	.....	.....
35	Ivan Miller	K.T.M.	Thames Ditton	.....	.....
36	David Drake	Maico	Stafford	.....	.....

FIRST RACE

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
	13th	14th	15th		

SECOND RACE

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
	13th	14th	15th		



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40	Nicky Toms	Maico 440	Dursley
38	Paul Hunt	Husqvarna 390	Ottershaw
39	Perry Leask	Husqvarna 390	Hickstead
115	John McMillan	Maico 400	Slough
44	Michael Watts	Maico 440	Wheatley
46	Andy Scott	C.C.M. 500	High Wycombe
45	Keith Ree		Evesham
148	David Wells		
57	Ian Tomkinson		

Qualifiers from Heats and Repechage Races

Heat 1. Nos.

Heat 2. Nos.

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Race 1. Race 2.

First Race

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

Second Race

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

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1 Graham Noyce	60 pts		
2 Neil Hudson	50 pts		
14 Stephen Beamish	34 pts		
7 Vaughan Semmens	34 pts		
4 Vic Allen	34 pts		
8 Bob Wright	20 pts		
25 Roger Garret	18 pts		
18 Jonathan Wright	10 pts		
32 Mike Pearce	17 pts		
15 Dave Tomasik	14 pts		
31 Stephen Harrison	14 pts		
11 Geoff Mayes	10 pts		
17 Billy Aldrich	8 pts		
34 Michael Stephens	5 pts		
30 Terry Dyer	3 pts		
21 Norman Barrow	3 pts		
9 Pete Mathia	2 pts		
19 Roger Harvey	2 pts		
20 Vic Eastwood	1 pts		
16 David Watson	1 pts		
3 Andy Robertson	0 pts		
5 Rob Hooper	0 pts		
6 Robert Wilkinson	0 pts		
10 Paul Harrison	0 pts		
12 Bryan Wade	0 pts		
22 Stuart Nunn	0 pts		
23 Jimmy Aird	0 pts		
24 Andy Ainsworth	0 pts		
26 Willie Simpson	0 pts		
27 Stephen How	0 pts		
28 Rob Taylor	0 pts		
29 Malcolm Dearn	0 pts		
33 Mike George	0 pts		
35 Ivan Miller	0 pts		
36 David Drake	0 pts		

BRITISH SUPPORT CHAMPIONSHIP

	1st Round	2nd Round	Total
153 Neil Griffiths (Rhonnda)	30 pts		
62 David Thorpe (Bracknell)	18 pts		
40 Nick Toms (Dursley)	16 pts		
38 Paul Hunt (Ottershaw)	15 pts		
39 Perry Leask (Hickstead)	12 pts		
115 John McMillan (Slough)	10 pts		
44 Michael Watts (Oxford)	9 pts		
46 Andy Scott (High Wycombe)	7 pts		
45 Keith Ree (Evesham)	6 pts		
148 David Wells (Yeovil)	3 pts		
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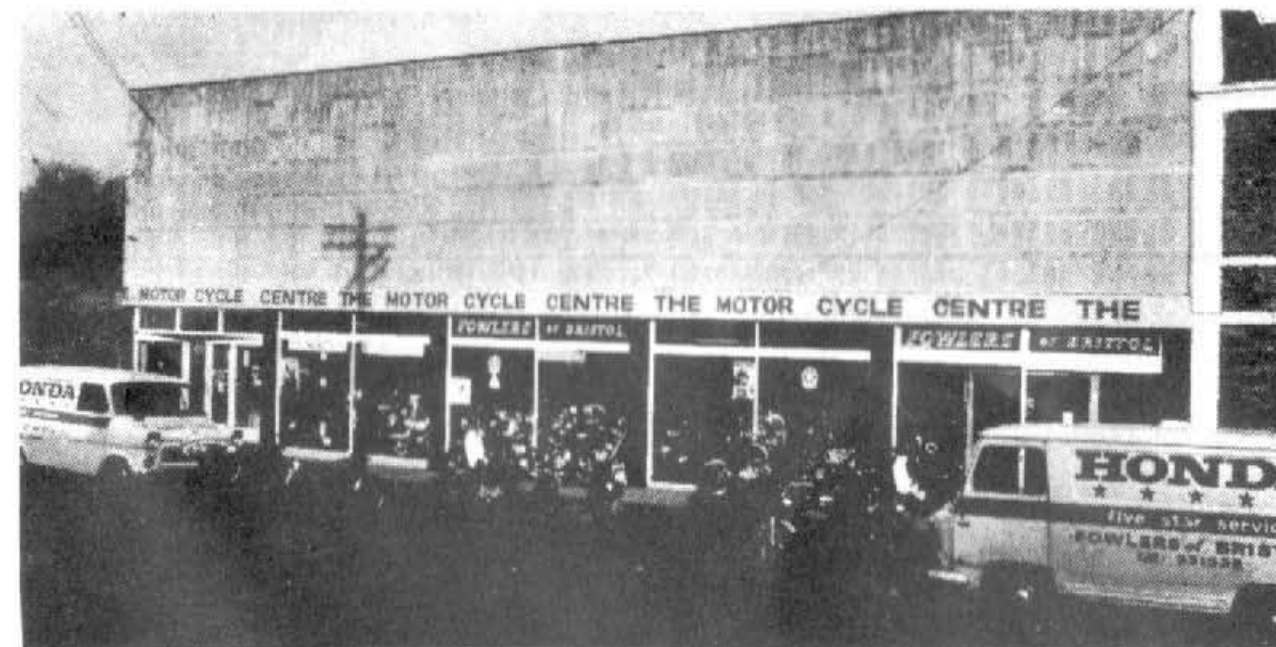


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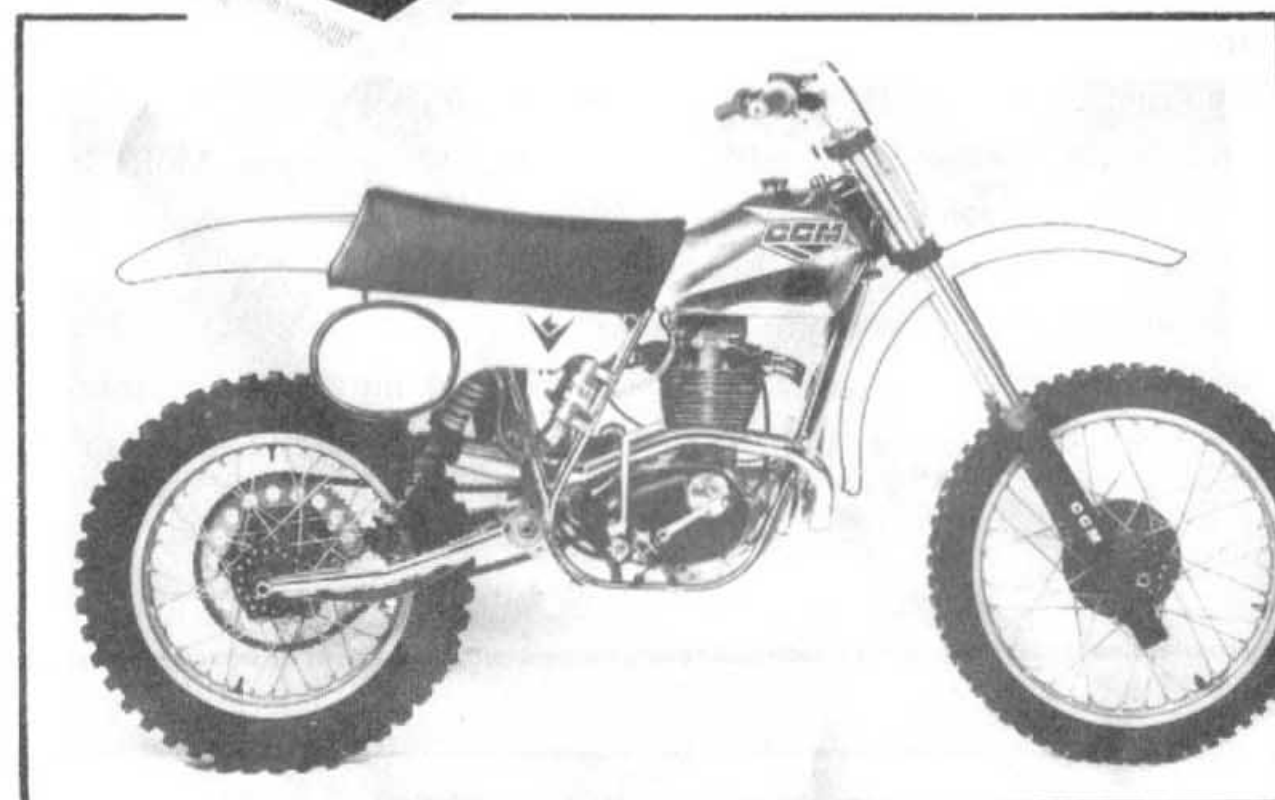
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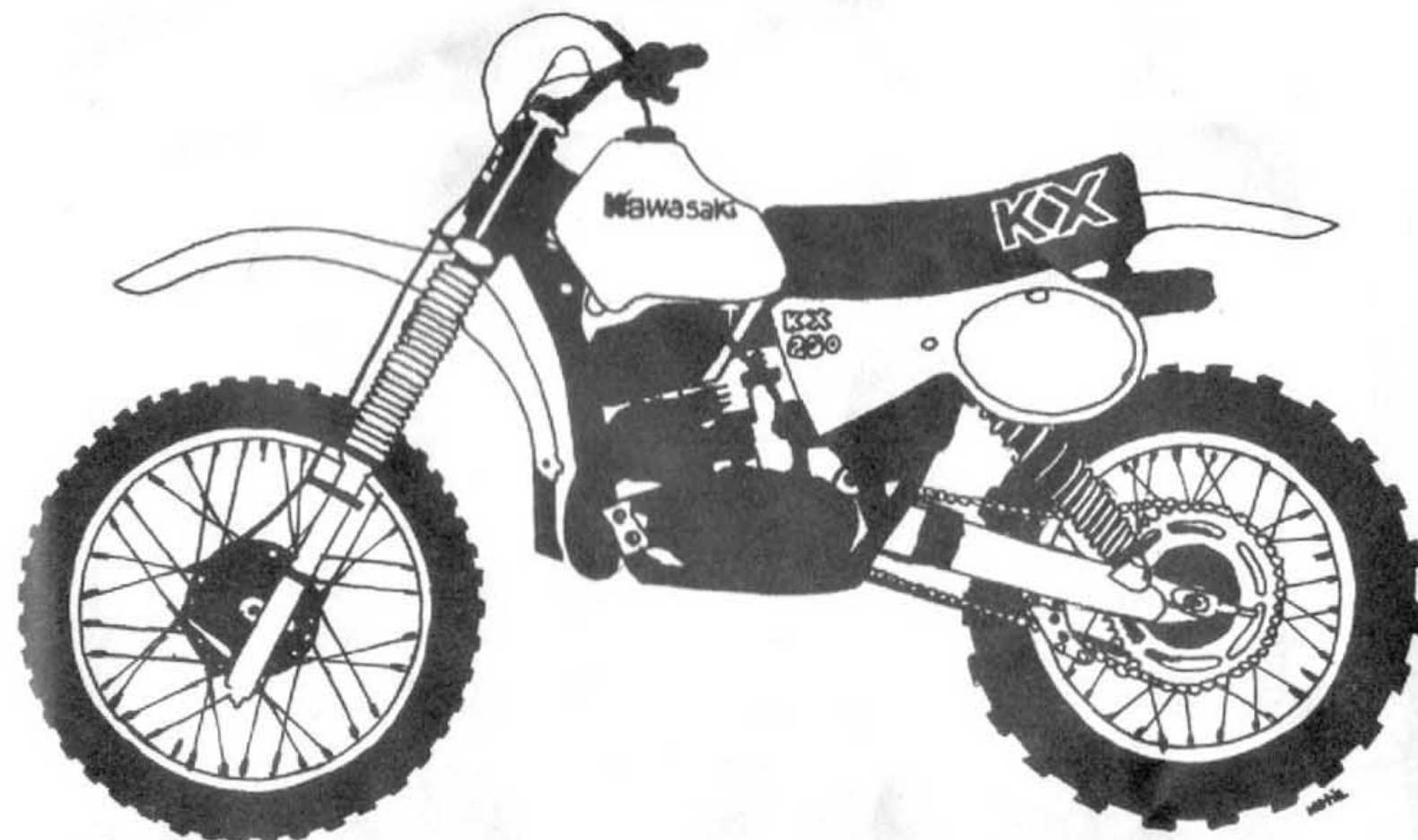
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