

## **WEST WILTS MOTOR CLUB**

Hon. Sec. Kay Gerken, 20 Gibbs Lease, Hilperton, Trowbridge, Wilts. BA14 7QN Club Meetings Third Tuesday in the Month at the Dog and Fox Bradford-on-Avon



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James Cup Trial Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> February Becky Addy Woods, Bradford-on-Avon

February Club Meeting Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February Dog and Fox, Bradford-on-Avon

ANNUAL CLUB DINNER FRIDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> FEBRUARY CUMBERWELL GOLF CLUB< B-ON-AVON

March Club Meeting Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March Dog and Fox, Bradford-on-Avon

Well, into another new year, and another Club AGM. This was the first one held at our new meeting venue at the Dog and Fox, but it carried on in the usual way by being very brief! All the existing officers gave their reports of the previous year and all the Club Officials were re-elected "en bloc". To sum up all agreed that last year had been a successful one for the club, having run two Open to Centre Trials, and two Hare and Hounds, one at Naish Hill and one at Farleigh Castle. Plus on the social side we ran the Annual Dinner, Disco and Awards Presentation, (more of which later), and our regular "Worker's Dinner" held as a "thank you", to all those who help to run our events in whatever capacity. In all it turned out to be a more successful year for the club than some of late as we didn't have to cancel any events and Clive our Treasurer was able to report that club funds ended the year a bit more healthy than before.

NOW ANOTHER REMINDER THAT OUR ANNUAL DINNER, DISCO AND PRESENTATION OF AWARDS IS GETTING CLOSER, DATE IS 22<sup>ND</sup> FEBRUARY & VENUE IS AGAIN CUMBERWELL GOLF CLUB.

AS 2013 MARKS THE 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE FORMATION OF THE WEST WILTS MOTOR CLUB. ALL THOSE COMING WILL GET A SURPRISE COMMEMORATVE PRESENTATION WHICH YOU WILL BE ABLE KEEP AS A USEFUL SOUVENIR.

Exactly what this is I am not allowed to say but our organisers, Chris Kelly and Babs Phelps have been working on it and I think all will have a unique souvenir as a reminder of the anniversary. I doubt if many ACU clubs have such a long unbroken history as West Wilts Motor Club and have run Moto Cross Events to World Championship level, 1933 to 2013, 80 years, a lot of water has gone under the bridge and an awful lot has changed!

AWARD WINNERS; any award tokens taken in lieu of trophies can be used towards the purchase of your tickets for the dinner and please let Chris Kelly our Competitions Secretary know and she will make sure that award winners for last year will be able to collect their awards on the night.

SO DON'T DELAY! GET IN TOUCH WITH CHRIS KELLY ON 01225 865479 OR BABS PHELPS ON 01225 723158 TO BOOK YOUR TICKETS. PRICE IS THE SAME AS FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS AT £25 EACH. HOW DO THEY DO IT I ASK MYSELF?!

Switch off "Caps lock", now, but still important, the venue for the James Cup Trial has been fixed. Brian Shuttleworth had been hoping the run it at Folly Woods but unfortunately the land availability could not be confirmed in time so it will now be held at another of our sites, at Becky Addy Woods, Bradford-on-Avon. The regulations will be on our Website very soon now. Observers will be required as usual so if you can bring someone along or can help yourself please make every effort, we cannot run observation trials without observers!

Finally, it is membership renewal time again, renewal slips will be enclosed with this newsletter for those that receive them by post and for the majority who get them by Email you will see the slip on our Webpage, you can down load it and send it to Phyllis Sweeting, our Membership Secretary, along with a cheque for the appropriate amount.

All the best and hope to see you at the Annual Dinner.

Terry P