

LAUNCESTON & NORTH CORNWALL MOTOR CLUB LTD.

71st TAMAR CLASSIC RELIABILITY TRIAL

SUNDAY 22nd OCTOBER 2017

Launceston & North Cornwall Motor Club and MG Car Club Devon & Cornwall Centre welcome you to the 71st Tamar Trial to be held on Sunday 22nd October 2017.

This year's Tamar route will be staying in the Mid/North Cornwall and West Devon area and we have reduced any mileage on the dual-carriageway to as little as possible. We are again using the starting area at Martin's Cash & Carry and Launceston Football Club venue which is just a short distance from the A30 dual-carriageway and less than 2 miles from our finish at The Winds of Change, South Petherwin.. The trial will of course include the favourite hills of recent years and as always we strive to include some new sections to keep the event varied each year. Last year we were pleased to be able to complete the trial in daylight and we hope to do so again.

We are once again running the car side of the trial under a dual-permit. This allows non-championship contenders or those who perhaps only enter a few events over a year the chance to participate in the trial without the need for a competition license. For the Cars, Lockton's have introduced a flat rate scheme of £5.50 plus IPT per vehicle for on-event cover which will ensure that all competitors are appropriately covered. Motorcycle competitors will again this year benefit from being covered for road mileage under the normal authorization insurance certificate, meaning separate cover is not required.

We look forward to offering you a good day's trialling in a beautiful part of Devon and Cornwall.

Supplementary Regulations for Motorcycles

OFFICIALS

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1) EVENT

The Launceston & North Cornwall Motor Club Ltd. will organise a dual permit National B/Clubmans Classic Reliability Trial on Sunday 22nd October 2017. The meeting will be governed by the General Regulations of the M.S.A. Ltd.(cars), the Sporting Codes of the A.M.C.A.(motorcycle), these Supplementary Regulations and any written instructions the organising Club may issue for the event.

Permits applicable are A.M.C.A. AMCA/CT/13608
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2) ELIGIBILITY

Motorcycles:- The event is open to all members of Clubs belonging to the A.M.C.A. or Day Members of Launceston and North Cornwall Motor Club. Club membership/Championship Registration Cards, as well as current M.O.T.'s (if required) will also be checked.

3) CHAMPIONSHIPS

The event is a round of the ACTC ACTC Pouncey League for Solo Motorcycles and a round for the ACTC Red Rose Bowl for Motorcycle Combinations.





4) START

The start will be at Martin's Cash & Carry, Pennygillam Industrial Estate, Launceston, PL15 7ED, map reference 201/321836.

Trailers may be left at the start which is approximately 5 minutes from the finish.

The first competitor will start at 8.01 a.m., with motorcycles starting first and following at 1 minute intervals and then the cars at 2 minute intervals in numerical order. **N.B.** Competitors must be ready to start after scrutineering. Late starting penalties will be applied to all competitors.

Refreshments will be available at the start and en-route. Fuel stops will be advised in the route. Fuel is available at Tescos, Launceston before the start.

5) SCRUTINEERING AND SIGNING ON

This will start at 7.00 a.m. Scrutineers will issue numbers which must be produced at signing on. Competitors should have signed on at least 30 minutes before their starting time.

6) ROUTE

Public roads will be used to link sections. The route will be approximately 75 miles and include at least 12 sections and two special tests. A route card will be issued with the final regulations, and competitors failing to

follow this will be excluded from the results. Route checks and a mid route time control will be operated. (O.S. Maps 190 & 201)

7) CLASSES

Motorcycles:

- A) Solo motorcycles of British manufacture (engine and frame)
- B1) Solo motorcycles up to including 225cc
- B2) Solo motorcycles from 226cc to 450cc
- C) Solo motorcycles over 450 cc.
- D) Motorcycles with trials sidecars (Scooter side –car outfits are not eligible)

Trials sidecars to meet ACTC approved specification.

- D1) Motorcycles with touring or trials sidecars not conforming to ACTC Regulations.
- E) Three wheelers as defined in the MCC standing supplementary regulations 2005.
- F) Solo motorcycles any cc with tyres that **DO NOT** comply to the required standard (This class will not be eligible for any award)

8) CONFORMITY

All vehicles must conform to the relevant R.A.C. /A.M.C.A. regulations in respect of Classic Reliability Trials.

9) AWARDS

DUNHEVED CUP	To Best Solo Motorcycle
BUDE & DISTRICT CHALLENGE CUP	To Best Side-Car Performance
<u>DUNHEVED TROPHY</u>	To Best Special Test Times with Solo
	Motorcycle

<u>LADIES CUP</u> To Best Female Driver/Rider.

AN AWARD To Best Performance by a Quad (but will not be

eligible for Overall Award)

AN AWARD To the Passenger on the Winning Side-Car

The above trophies to be held for one year, and no competitor can win more than one. All awards subject to a minimum of 5 eligible competitors. Other awards may be given at the organisers' discretion.

10) MARKING

- a) Sections will be marked 12 1. There will be restarts at the Organisers' discretion.
- b) <u>Motorcycles</u> will be marked as follows:- a stop or a footing will constitute a failure at that point in the section. Footing will however be allowed for the first three yards in a section.
- c) In the event of a tie, aggregate times on special tests will decide- should a tie still exist, special test 1 will decide, with the smallest cc engine vehicle having preference should a further tie still exist.
- d) Late starting and late arrival at the time control will result in competitors being penalised. Each minute late in reporting at the start or re-start 5 penalties.
- e) Hitting of numbers marking sections will **not** be penalised but hitting of posts or marker tape defining the route will be penalised.

11) ENTRIES

The maximum entry for the meeting is 130, split initially as 70 cars and 60 motorcycles. Should any category be under subscribed, the balance may be made up from the other.

Entries will be selected by order of receipt of post for motorcycles. The entry list opens with the publication of these regulations and finally <u>CLOSES ON TUESDAY 10th OCTOBER 2017</u>. Should any competitor notify withdrawal of their entry by 6^{th} October, their entry fee will be refunded less an administration fee of £10.00.

Competitors' minimum ages;

Driver: 17 + RTA

Front Passenger: 14 years.

Rear seats: 2 years. (2 to 4 years must secured in a child seat)

12) ENTRY FEES

Motorcycles - £33.00- There is no need to supply S.A.E.'s as L & N C M C will provide them.

Please make cheques payable to L & N C M C, thank you.

Send completed entry forms and fees to:

<u>SIMON RIDDLE, 34 HAZELWOOD ROAD, CALLINGTON, CORNWALL, PL17 7EU</u>

<u>Tel. No.</u> 07920 482078

The Route Cards and Entry Lists will be sent out by e-mail (unless no e-mail is provided) or unless the competitor states on their entry that they want the route etc. posted.

13) STARTING ORDER

Motorcycles: (A, B1, B2, C and F in mixed order) then D1, D, E

14) RESULTS

Provisional results will be sent by e-mail within 7 days of the event or hard copy by post, if requested.

15) APPEALS

Must be made in accordance with A.M.C.A. requirements.

16) INSURANCE (PLEASE READ CAREFULLY)

<u>Motorcycle Competitors</u> are being covered for Road mileage under the normal authorisation Insurance Certificate. This is a new initiative from the AMCA insurance brokers who are:

Doodsons Motorsport Century House Pepper Road Hazel Grove Stockport SK7 5BW

Tel: 0161 419 3000

Therefore regarding Road cover, this broker provides this cover automatically under the normal authorisation, so separate cover is not required.

17) FINISH

Winds of Change Public House, South Petherwin MR 201/312819 Food will be served from 1200 until 2100 hours. PLEASE PARK AT REAR OF PUBLIC HOUSE AS DIRECTED.

18) CHILD PROTECTION ACT

The MSA policy statement on protection is as follows;

The child's welfare is paramount

All children whatever their age, culture, disability, gender, language, racial origin, religious belief and /or sexual identity have the right to protection from abuse.

All suspicions and allegations of in-appropriate behaviour will be taken seriously and responded to swiftly and appropriately.

As defined in the Children's Act 1989 anyone under the age of 18 years should be considered as a child for the purpose of this document.

19) MISCELLANEOUS

- a) Any competitor involved in an accident during the Event <u>must make a written report to the Secretary of the Meeting at the finish or within 7 days if a non finisher</u>.
- b) Competitors are expected to ensure that the requirements of the Road Traffic Act are complied with in all respects.
- c) Vehicle advertising or sponsorship is **not** permitted in this Event.
- d) Badly prepared, "tatty" vehicles will be rejected at scrutineering.
- e) Vehicles with excessively noisy exhaust systems will be rejected. The organisers reserve to right to subject all vehicles to further tests during the event.
- f) Minimum tyre pressures may be applied on the day at the Organisers' discretion. There is no minimum tyre pressures for motorcycles.
- g) Due to Landowners' concerns, no dogs are allowed on the Trial.
- h) Trailers may be left in the Storm Nightclub Car Park which is directly opposite the start and is 5 minutes

from the finish.