

KENT YOUTH TRIALS CLUB

MINUTES OF COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON Friday 16th July 1993

PRESENT: Peter Saddler, Paul Bullock, Carol and Brian Dunk,
Roger and Carol Thompson, Dave and Caroline Paine,
Stuart Gilbert, Ann Reynolds.

APOLOGIES: John and Cathy Bird, Stevie Dunk, Linda and Bob
Thompson.

MINUTES of previous meeting read and accepted as a true record
Proposed Brian Dunk, Seconded Roger Thompson.

MATTERS ARISING: None

CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT: Letter of thanks read out from the
Thames Club.

Thanks to everyone for supporting the Open Day at Greenfields.

CAMPING WEEKEND: Thanks to: Tony Croucher, Ann and Nigel Craig,
Caroline and Dave Paine, Bob and Linda Thompson, Paul Bullock,
Roger and Carol Thompson, Martin Davis and Mrs. Davis, Gary
and Brenda Moore and James and Brian, Andy Heathfield (for
Friday, especially) and any other person Carol has forgotten
to mention. The Committee Thanked Carol and Brian for all their
hard work.

Loos have been installed for three consecutive years now.
Carol would like a small band to be in charge of loos, to receive
them and have them collected etc. This time, on collection
Carol had to apologise for the state they were in as they had
been abused.

Although youngsters were told not to wander they did and
parents should be responsible. Some youngsters wandered
too near the gun turrets and had to be turned back. Vic's
car was badly dented and nobody has admitted to it.
Suggestions from Committee that in future at all trials,
bikes are unloaded and taken straight to a designated area
and left there until the trial begins so there is no danger
of bikes hitting cars, also no riding in the paddock. Also
suggested that we cannot find out who damaged Vic's Car..
Insurance only covers third party for visitors but Roger to
check.

A good weekend had by all and everybody came together, probably
because of the rain.

TREASURER'S REPORT: A lot of money paid out for:

Toilets,
Wine and flowers (Greenfields)
Permits
Trophies, etc
S.E. Centre Gazettes.

MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY: (absent) New members:

Oliver Say
R and B Ely
J. Bartholomew

Proposed Roger Thompspon, Seconded, Brian Dunk

New members must attend 2/3 practices before entering a trial.
Paul to assess capabilities. Notice of this to go in the
Magazine and with Return of Membership.
Proposed Paul Bullock, Seconded Stuart Gilbert.

Ross Thompson and Grant Stone move up to expert status, question
Mark over Ben.

COMPETITION SECRETARY: Nothing to report.

RIDERS REPORT: Luke Payne reported in the absence of Stevie
and Simon. Said it was a good trial, especially as he finished
before it started to rain, but very enjoyable.

CLERK OF COURSE: Absent. The trial was stopped and restarted
because of some accidents; sections altered and re-start.

PRACTICE SECRETARY: Broadoak practice went v ery well. Bob
Rolfe has b een accepted into ACU. Said Kent Youth had
priority on the land, he wants us to use it . The Parish
Council were at the practice, and now it goes before the
County and City Councils.

Next practice on 1st August at Broadoak then 12 September at
Edenbridge. Paul will be on holiday so will need somebody to
help at the practice.

Land at Edenbridge has hard standing, woods streams, etc. 25 acres.
At the Open Day Tony was very helpful. Bob Rolfe brought
3 slow bikes for people to try. We must approach Bob about
next open day.

GENERAL SECRETARY: Letter from ACU re integration. We will
wait for news from meeting. Clubs must be rus as adults
are. Invitations to be sent for meeting on 14th August at
ACU House in Rugby.

SOCIAL AND TROPHY SECRETARY: Caroline has £50 tea money profit,
and that is after buying Mars bars for observers etc.
A sponsor has offered to sponsor a trial to about £80 for
trophies, etc. Discussion followed to approach other people
for possible sponsorship.

SAFETY OFFICER: Dave Payne said that once the trial is
finished, riders should not be allowed to ride as they tend
to ride through sections when other riders are still in the
trial.

OBSERVERS SECRETARY: Absent

MACHINE EXAMINER: There were 4,5 machines with no chain guards but the owners were told. This rule to go in Magazine again.

RAFFLE SECRETARY: Carol showed a profit of £70 on the raffle. Thanks extended to both Carol and Caroline.

EDITOR: Absent.

PRESS OFFICER: Result to go in next week. Luke Payne's picture may go in. Local papers are dead keen on local rider and local venue. East Kent Gazette and Kent Messenger. Lionel Barlow writes for K.M. and his permission had to be sought.

FORWARD PLANNING:

AOB: It was Proposed by Stuart that we raise money for Graham Jarvis to help him in the Wrold Rounds. A great deal of discussion took place around this idea. Finally decided that a vote should be made with the whole committee as to how much we would try and raise and when and if, etc. Proposed Carol to ask full committe to agree in principle to try and raise money for Graham. Seconded Stuart.

Date of Next Meeting; Wednesday August 1993