





Club Meets: Second Wednesday of the Month at the Cleveland Bay, Eaglescliffe Rideout's: March April to October. Meet for 10am start at Yarm Town Hall every Sunday

XMAS CLUB NEWSLETTER

December 2021

<u>First things first –</u> The Club Social event (belated XMAS do) will take place Wednesday evening 5th January 22

<u>Please</u> If you want to attend and have not already made Brian aware, please do so by <u>latest</u> 18th December. This is for Club members only and the ticket price will be £5.

After that date we will open to friends and family (non-members) for 1 week **only** at a cost of £10 - Currently we have 31 persons wanting to attend. More details below.

WE (BRIAN) MUST HAVE ALL NUMBERS BY 27th DEC SO WE CAN GIVE THE CATERER A CHANCE OF DELIVERING

The Chairman's Ramblings:

Firstly, with the NEC Live Bike show now behind us can I thank both Norman and Alan for doing such a great job in organising the trip, the coach, breakfast stop, raffle, whip round for the driver and if that wasn't enough, Alan did a few laps with a bin bag collecting the rubbish. Great Job guys! And thanks

The Chairman's taken over the Newsletter for the time being to help our previous loyal scribe in his transition away from his secretarial duties and into semi-retirement, hopefully, as he has intimated, taking on the role of assistant Secretary after the next AGM.

That still means however that we need somebody to take over the Club secretarial role, if interested, please shout up, drop an email, pick up the phone and throw your hat in the ring.......please. The role will be voted on at the AGM in January so time is of the essence, and you will still have Brian to lean on for advice.

This is your Newsletter, if you have anything to say and promote or even if it's just a bit of trivia, please forward it on and let's put it into print.

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Membership has certainly dropped off over the past 2 years, predominantly because of the pandemic. We are down to around 55 currently from a high 2 years ago of just short of 100, any ideas of what we can do to get the numbers to increase are welcome.

Positive from the last Club meeting in December so a few returning so we are back above 60 again

New Year Social

We have planned a Social evening to be held on the 5th January at The Cleveland Bay straight after the Club committee meeting with a 19.30 start and food to be available from 20.00hrs. It will be £5 per head for members and £10 for non- members. please don't forget to pay!

If you would like to go and haven't let Brian know as above.

Places are limited so its first come first served, as they say you have been warned!

Catering will be by Claire's kitchen and the menu will be: Sandwiches, crisps, Quiche, Sausage rolls, Corn Beef slices, Scotch eggs, Spring rolls, Samosa, home cooked ham slices. For dessert there will be a selection of home baked cakes.

With a bit of luck and recipient being in attendance Alan will make his rider of 2021 award (if he's not in attendance then it will have to wait until he does attend)

AGM 2022

The 2022 AGM will follow on the 12th January at the Cleveland Bay 20.00hrs with both Secretary and assistant secretary roles up for election.

A few notes of protocol below and I'm sure Brian will forward be on the ball to issue a reminder with the relevant attachments as necessary.

- 1) Any member wishing to make a proposal to change the YMCC constitution must do so in writing (email) to the Secretary a minimum of one week before the AGM
- 2) Any member wishing to raise a matter under any other business must do so in writing (email) to the Secretary a minimum of one week before the AGM
- 3) Any member wishing to nominate a proxy to vote on their behalf at the AGM must notify Brian by email nomination his/her proxy by name. I shall forward all such notices to the committee prior to the AGM
 - (Brian Taylor, Neil Fowler and Bill Robinson all wishing to act as proxy voter if needed)

Other things to look forward to in 2022 –

Hopefully we will eventually be able to get pie and pea and BBQ events up and running again, NEC show and a long way off but a Christmas Party, but we need to get Covid back under control first and as you are ware it's raising its head once again, so fingers crossed Boris can get us back on track.

Club Website

The Club Website. www.yarmmotorcycleclub.co.uk.

Our webmaster Stephen who has done a great job in launching the new site. Please send in lots of info for to be included. Send in your pictures, articles of interest, forthcoming events, and items for sale and wanted. STEPHEN is the site moderator; he has the final responsibility for what appears on the site. Please give him your support log in and join you may need your club number.

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BMF INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP DEAL CONTINUED FOR 2022

The BMF. Why not join the BMF as an individual member and save yourself and the Club money? Strengthen the membership base of the BMF and give it more clout in working for riders' rights. Convert to Full Membership at a £5 reduction in the normal fee AND make £5 for the Club. The joining fee will be £26, and the club will receive a payback of £5 for every member recruited. The payback to the club will be in the form of a credit note to be cashed in exchange for part of their affiliation fee for the forthcoming year. Speak to the Club Secretary for details and Application forms.

Club Logo Shirts.

Shirts with the Club Logo are available from Elizabeth Embroidery, Stockton.

All shirts are of excellent quality and in a range of colours. The Tee Shirt is available in a micro-fibre type material. For further details and ordering see Allan Coverdale.

You can also take your own garments to have the club logo embroidered by Elizabeth's Embroidery, Stockton on Tees. Tel: 01642 674 973.

Club Neck Tubes.

There will be some very good quality neck tubes available at the next Club night, ideal for those that enjoy a bit of winter riding and also as wearing of a Covid mask is becoming mandatory in shops once again will do that job into the bargain and a bit of Club advertising so win win.

Club Badges. Allan Coverdale has Club Badges available at £8 each. These are quality items and will improve the appearance of your jacket/t-shirt/underpants/whatever!

The Biker Guide. Want to know more about biker-friendly accommodation, cafes, camping, events and squillions of other things related to biking? Check out www.thebikerguide.co.uk

Ride-Out Programme. There are Ride-Outs every Sunday and on public holidays, in normal times, spring 2022 is not that far away!

First organized ride out will be 27th March 2022 and remember that is the day the clocks go forward and run up until 30th October 2022

Bank Holiday ride outs-

Good Friday 15th April

Easter Monday 18th April

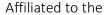
May Day Bank Holiday2nd May

Spring Bank Holiday 2nd June

Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday 3rd June

Longest Day Charity Ride Out 21st June – 3 passes all money raised to Zoe's place

Summer Bank Holiday 29th August



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Planned Rides for 2022

- 1) Squire's café, Sherburn in Elmet
- 2) Kielder Water
- 3) Devils Bridge
- 4) Forest of Bowland
- 5) Kendal, Wilf's cafe Staveley
- 6) Hartside Café
- 7) Keswick Filling Station Café
- 8) East Coast Tour (Whitby, Scarborough, Bridlington, Holy Island (Tide Permitting)

Major Event Calendar 2022

2022 Bennetts British Superbike Calendar				
Round	Date	Circuit		
1	April 15 - 17	Silverstone National		
2	April 30 - May 2	Oulton Park		
3	May 20 - 22	Donington Park National		
4	June 17 - 19	Knockhill		
5	July 22 - 24	Brands Hatch GP		
6	Aug 12- 14	Thruxton		
7	Aug 27 - 29	Cadwell Park		
8	Sept 9 - 11	Snetterton 300		
9	Sept 23 - 25	Oulton Park		
10	Sept 30 – Oct 2	Donington Park GP		
11	Oct 14 - 16	Brands Hatch GP		

2022 World SBK Calendar:

- 8th 10th April: MotorLand Aragon, Spain
- 22nd 24th April: TT Circuit Assen, the Netherlands
- 20 22nd May: Circuito Estoril, Portugal
- 10th 12th June: Misano World Circuit "Marco Simoncelli", Italy
- 15th 17th July: Donington Park, UK
- 29th 31st July: Autodrom Most, Czech Republic
- 9th 11th September: Circuit de Nevers Magny-Cours, France
- 23rd 25th September: Circuit de Barcelona-Catalunya, Spain
- 7th 9th October: Autodromo Internacional do Algarve, Portugal
- 21st 23rd October: Circuito San Juan Villicum, Argentina
- 11th 13th November: Pertamina Mandalika International Street Circuit, Indonesia
- Dates to be assigned: Phillip Island Grand Prix Circuit, Australia
- A 13th event is to be announced (TBA)



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2022 MOTOGP Calendar

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Date	Race	Venue
4-6 March	Qatar GP	Losail
18-20 March	Indonesia	Mandalika
1-3 April	Argentina GP	Termas de Rio Hondo
8-10 April	Americas GP	Circuit of the Americas
22-24 April	Portuguese GP	Portimao
29 April-1 May	Spanish GP	Jerez
13-15 May	French GP	Le Mans
27-29 May	Italian GP	Mugello
3-5 June	Catalunya GP	Barcelona-Catalunya
17-19 June	German GP	Sachsenring
24-26 June	Dutch GP	Assen
8-10 July	Finnish GP	KymiRing
5-7 August	British GP	Silverstone
19-21 August	Austrian GP	Red Bull Ring
2-4 September	San Marino GP	Misano
16-18 September	Aragon GP	Aragon
23-25 September	Japanese GP	Suzuka
30 September-2 October	Thailand GP	Buriram
14-16 October	Australian GP	Philip Island
21-23 October	Malaysian GP	Sepang
4-6 November	Valencian GP	Ricardo Tormo

And a few more that may be of interest -

Scarborough	TBC	Scarborough
North West 200	10th - 14th May	Northern Ireland
TT Races	29th May - 11th June	Isle of Man
Southern 100	11th - 14th July	Isle of Man
Festival of 1000 bikes	16th - 17th July	Mallory Park
Ulster GP	16th 20th August (Prov)	Northern Ireland
Classic TT	20th - 29th August (Prov)	Isle of Man

And if anybody is interested there will shortly be a link to "Ride Italy" motorcycle tours on the Club Website, visiting Mugello Mogto GP, Amalfi Coast, Tuscany, Corsica and Sardinia, so keep an eye on it being posted

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BE ADVISED:

- · Avoid crowded spaces= Ride Motorcycles
- Do not use public transportation =Ride Motorcycles
- Well ventilated spaces are virus free = Ride Motorcycles
- Protect your nose and mouth = Ride Motorcycles
- Recommended use of Gloves = Ride Motorcycles
- Try not to touch contaminated surfaces = Don't let anyone touch your Motorcycle
- Avoid shaking hands = Do not remove your gloves when getting off the Motorcycle
- Keep a Safe distance from people who sneeze or cough = Ride Motorcycles
- Maintain a positive and prudent attitude = Only way to ride a Motorcycle

*Feel Free to Share this Important Information

Another photo for Brian, I was always of the opinion that to race a sidecar around places like the Isle of Man and as the photo Oliver's Mount, the passenger had to have a tile loose, nothing in this photo makes me think differently...... nutter's!



Please message me or email if you would like something putting in the newsletter.

There is no deadline...you either make the next issue or you don't!

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And to finish off can I thank all Club and Committee members for keeping the YMCC ticking over during the past year, attending the Club nights and the ride outs during the better weather.

To Gloria for keeping the raffle organised and collecting subs each club night, without this we couldn't continue.

Here's wishing everyone and their families a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and prosperous New Year!

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