

THE LINK

Truro and District
Motor Club Limited



Welcome from Tony Wood – Hon. Secretary

July 2012

TDMC continues to grow and the committee strives to run more events and get involved in others. David Brenton as Deputy Clerk of the Course is heavily involved with the Boconnoc rally event, which looks as though it will be very successful. Organisation has started for Cornwall Festival of Motorsport which runs alongside the Tregrehan hillclimb on 9th September. TDMC are co-promoting the hillclimb with Newquay Auto Club. As you must know NAC lost the use of St Eval last year, one of the stalwart venues in the county and one enjoyed by most competitors for many years. John Collins wrote many letters in support of the event to high up people in government in support, unfortunately without success. TDMC committee thought that we ought to help by inviting NAC to co-run one of the Tregrehan events, so invited them along for September. Martine Brewer will be acting as entries secretary.



FTD 18.15 Andrew Dinner

Tregrehan Speed Hillclimb

The first Tregrehan Speed Hillclimb for 2012 took place on 10th June. The event was a round of the ASWMC Championship, Cornwall Speed Championship and National Hillclimb Motorcycle Championship. Competitors were able to have six timed runs. Click here to read more and see the videos: www.trurodmc.co.uk/tregrehan.html

The next hillclimb will take place 9th September and will incorporate the Cornish Festival of Motorsport and Tregrehan Classic Tour. More details on the website link above.

AutoSOLO

The long awaited 2012 AutoSOLO events are starting on 19 August 2012. NEW venue, NEW course, NEW layout, same fun! Hopefully the first of four before the end of the 2012.

Visit www.trurodmc.co.uk/AutoSOLO.html for details, ASRs and entry form. Please get your entries in as soon as possible so that we can get trophies ordered and engraved to hand out on the day.

I would like to thank all those who took part last October. You made the event a success and a very enjoyable day. Please enter again for more fun.

This is one event that will NOT be cancelled because of bad weather. There will be a BBQ available for you to cook on and tea/coffee will be provided by TDMC. You will have to make it yourself so bring your thermal cups unless you like drinking tea/coffee from plastic cups.

Secretary of the meeting this time will be Shaun A Collins and you can contact me if you have any questions: John H Collins on 07751 212075.

Boconnoc Motorsport Carnival

The special stage rally takes place at Boconnoc Country Estate, near Lostwithiel, Cornwall from 9am – 5.30pm on Sunday 29th July. Over 40 cars have entered. It is being jointly organised by Truro, Camel Vale, Newquay, Plymouth and South Hams motor clubs. Spectators are welcome to view 13 stages. Tickets £10 on the gate or £8 in advance online. Marshalls are also required. Visit the website for more details: www.boconnocmotorsport.co.uk



Photo by Kim Gooostrey

<p>Bulletin Board TDMC members' area for sale & wanted adverts and motor related requests. Email the newsletter editor if you would like to include anything in next month's issue. Free but space is limited.</p>	<p>Venue Can you help? We are looking for a production car trials venue. Any ideas please contact one of the committee.</p>
<p>Tregrehan Classic Tour As part of the Cornish Festival of Motorsport on 9th September, classic and sportscar drivers are invited to take part in the Tregrehan Classic Tour.</p> <p>The approximately 50 mile half day tour will start at 9.30am and finish at Tregrehan at lunchtime with a procession up the hillclimb course. The cars will then be displayed at the top of the hill and entrants will be able to watch the hillclimb action in the afternoon.</p> <p>Entry fee includes road book and admission to Tregrehan Hillclimb.</p> <p>Contact Melody for more information: newsletter@truodmc.co.uk</p>	<p>TDMC Committee The committee holds monthly meeting at the Hawkins Arms, Zelah and we will advertise those meetings which are open to members on our website and via the newsletter, so please keep an eye on them and come along, after all it is your club.</p> <p>A change around at this year's AGM has resulted in the following changes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • President – Jonathan Williamson • Vice Presidents – Peter Wellington, Carole DeAth and Adrian Luxon • Chairman – Phil Montgomery-Smith – the mad man in the yellow peril • Vice Chairman – Bob Eddy • Hon Treasurer – Mike Tregoning • Hon Secretary – Tony Wood • Competition Secretary – David Brenton • Membership Secretary – John H Collins • Chief Marshall – Adrian Luxon • WebMaster – Jeremy Thomas • Press Officer – Allen Iggulden • Newsletter Editor – Melody Kozlowski • Club Archivists – Simon and Wendy Vanstone <p>As you can see everyone on the committee has a role and is committed – or at least they should be! Contact details here: www.truodmc.co.uk/Contacts.html</p>

Club Membership

Hi and welcome to my little section of the newsletter. We find that memberships are down slightly on last year, several reasons for this: lack of events this year and the economy are the most probable cause. I would like to ask all past members to download a membership form from: www.truodmc.co.uk/Membership.html and send it in to me please. We are looking into purchasing car stickers and such for members. Once we have the car stickers one will be dispatched with each membership card, so joint membership will have two car stickers, additional stickers can be purchased directly from me. John H Collins, Membership Secretary.

Contact details

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