

April 2011

Dear Member.

Unfortunately my second attempt at the newsletter won't be such a bumper edition. Please, if you are competing, send me some words and pictures for inclusion in the newsletter to tell other WMC members how you are getting on. It doesn't have to be much, and a few pictures speak a thousand words!

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REVIEWS.....

SNETTERTON 300 - 16-17th April

A few weekends back, 3 of the circuit racing members made the long trek to Snetterton to try out the new circuit layout there. Gone is the huge back straight, and it has been replaced with a large infield section of complex and technical corners! The two Davies brothers, both racing there respective BMWs (Andy in his E36 M3 and Allan in his E30 M3) would be racing in the Classic Touring Car Championships Pre 93 Series, and Neil Philpotts, in the Starion was entered in the Classic Thunder race.

During Qualifying, Allan had a few issues with his car, but put the car a respectable 6th on the grid. Andy left it right till the last lap in his E36, and took the pole position with seconds to spare in the session.





Andy made the most of his pole position, and screamed off the line in to a lead he would hold all race – holding off the attentions of another E36 M3, and last years Champion in his E30 M3. Allan meanwhile made a couple of places and finished a respectable 4th overall.

Neil, in the Classic Thunder race, thinking the tight and twisty infield would take the Starions Power advantage away, put the Starion 3rd on the Grid – behind an ex-Bathurst Ford Falcon, and Joss Ronchetti's Lotus Sunbeam.

1st race (Classic Thunder was a double header) Neil made good his start, and used the power of the Starion to get in to 2nd place for the first corner – the position he was to hold through out this race, and the next. Unfortunately the power of the Falcon was a little too much for the Starion to cope with, and he had 2 solid 2nd overalls – 2 first in class positions.



Neil's in-car footage from the race can be viewed <u>here</u>.

Last months in car footage from Oulton Park can also be found here.

2011 NAV RUN CHAMPIONSHIP - SECOND ROUND 11th April 2011

Results from last months Nav Run in North Wales, organised by John Wainwright and Steve Noble are as follows:

1st Paul Collins and Joe Burgess

2nd Jon Chaimberlain and Nigel Harwood 3rd Andy MacDonald and Stuart MacMaster

MSA NEWSLETTER

The latest edition of the MSA newsletter can be downloaded and read by clicking **HERE**.

The latest edition of the MSA quarterly magazine (Motorsportsnow!) can be downloaded and read by clicking <u>HERE</u>.

If you have any adverts you would like including in the newsletter – please feel free to contact me – also note, this is not eBay, so be reasonable with the number of adverts you may wish to include.

SOCIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

When	What	Where
Monday 2nd May	Noggin & Natter	B/Holiday – Some members gather
		at the Fox and Hounds - Barnston
Monday 9th May	Noggin & Natter	Port Sunlight Village Social Club
Monday 16th May	Noggin & Natter	Port Sunlight Village Social Club
Monday 23rd May	Noggin & Natter	Port Sunlight Village Social Club

FORTHCOMING ANWCC-QUALIFYING EVENTS

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May 01	Ty Croes Sprint	NB	MGCC with Lancashire & Cheshire CC	Sprint
May 01	Hallamshire Rally	NB	Sheffield & Hallamshire MC	Stage
May 02	Grass Autotest 111	CM	Knutsford & DMC	-
May 02	Three Sisters Stages	NB	TBA	Stage
May 08	Autotest	CS	Ilkley & DMC	-
May 08	Tour of Hamsterley Rally	NB	Ripon MSC	Forest
May 08	Curbrough Sprint	SP	Sheffield & Hallamshire MC	Sprint
May 08	Autotest	C	West Cumbria Motorsport Club	-
May 14 /15	Eagle Road Rally	NB	Newtown & DAC	Road
May 14	MAS Challenge Autotest	CM	Caernarvonshire & Anglesey MC	-
May 14	MAS Challenge Production Car Autotest	CM	Caernarvonshire & Anglesey MC	Junior PCA
May 14	Plains Rally	NB	Knutsford & DMC	Forest
May 14	Barbon Hillclimb	NA	Westmorland MC	Hillclimb
May 15	May Autosolo	NB	CSMA North-West with Accrington MSC	Autosolo
May 15	May Autotest	NB	CSMA North-West with Accrington MSC	Autotest
May 15	May Production Car Autotest	NB	CSMA North-West with Accrington MSC	Junior PCA
May 18	Car Trial	CS	Ilkley & DMC	-
May 21 /22	061 Rally	NB	Stockport 061 MC	Road
May 21	Jack Neal Memorial Stages	NB	Clitheroe & DMC	Stage
May 21	Clwydian Cars Rally	NB	Clwyd Vale MC	Stage
May 21	Loton Park Hillclimb	NB	Hagley & DLCC	-
May 22	Autocross	NB	Bolton-le-Moors CC	Allrounders
May 22	Loton Park Hillclimb	NB	Hagley & DLCC	-
May 22	Scammonden Hillclimb	NB	MGCC North-West	Hillclimb
May 22	Autosolo	C	West Cumbria Motorsport Club	-
May 28	Aintree Track Day	О	Liverpool MC	-

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