



Clwyd Vale Motor Club

Putting fun back into Motor Sport

January
2011



The 'Bring it On' Scatter

Saturday 29th January 2011

Broughton & Bretton MC in association with Rhyl & District MC announce the third running of the highly successful 'Bring It On Scatter' in memory of Chris Webber. Competitors are likely to cover in the region of 100 miles and the event will start & finish at the Bridge Inn, Pontblyddyn where there will be supper supplied with results at 2200hrs, after which we will be partying WEBBER style, with karaoke and disco.

There will be no tricky navigation as this scatter rally is a chance for experts and novices alike to get out and about on some of the classic roads that map 117 has to offer with the emphasis being FUN. All proceeds from the event will be donated to the Welsh Air Ambulance appeal.

"Due to the expected high number of entries, we recommend an early entry to avoid disappointment. We look forward to seeing you all on the night" Baz Green & Claire Thomas
(Regs and Entry Forms can be found on our website: www.cvmc.org.uk)

January 2011 Club Dates

• **Wednesday 19th January**

Club Night: Slot cars organised by Stuart Thomas. 8pm at the Pwll Gwyn.

• **Friday 28th January**

Night Nav: Organised by Keith & Tina Cross. (re-scheduled from postponed November event)

Start: Nant Mill - Map Ref 117/290 501

Finish: Moors Inn - Map Ref 117/250 531

Maps: All on 117 (get out of your 116 comfort zone!!)

Time: First novice @ 7:00pm, experts @ 7:30pm. **Entry Fee:** £3 per crew.

Status: Closed to Club, CVMC members only (you can join on the night).

February Club Dates

• **Wednesday 2nd February**

Closed Committee: Clwyd Vale MC Committee Members only. 8pm at the Pwll Gwyn.

• **Wednesday 16th February**

Club Night: BATTLE OF THE SEXES QUIZ NIGHT !!!!!
organised by Neil Lloyd. 8pm at the Pwll Gwyn.
A new "annual" event that will decide each year just which of the sexes is the cleverest
No Motorsport questions, just General Knowledge to give everyone a fair chance.

• **Friday 25th February**

Night Nav: Organised by Eddie Blackwell.

Start & Finish: tba

Maps: probably 116

Time: First novice @ 7:00pm, experts @ 7:30pm. **Entry Fee:** £3 per crew.

Status: Closed to Club, CVMC members only (you can join on the night).

Club Event Dates for your 2011 Diary

Sunday 17th April 2011:

Dennis Wells Memorial Car Trial

Saturday 21st May 2011:

Clwydian Cars Stage Rally

?? June 2011: (date tba)

Charity Rally Rides Day

Sunday 24th July 2011:

HCC Wales Car Trial

Saturday 3rd September 2011:

Vale of Clwyd Classic

Sat/Sun 19th/20th November 2011:

HCC Wales Farrington Trophy

Please check this Newsletter or the Club Website for the latest event info and SUPPORT THE CLUB EVENTS.

(then send me a report about your exploits!!)

Please Note: Due to the inclement weather of late, there are no Recent Results for the Club Championships on page 5. Hopefully you will all be out and about soon collecting some points...

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Established 1966
MSA Registered & 
Member Club of 2 Regional Associations:-
Association of North Western Car Clubs
and the Welsh Association of Motor Clubs




ANWCC
Association of North Western Car Clubs

Meeting Place
The Pwll Gwyn Hotel
Denbigh Road
Afonwen, Mold. CH7 5UB
Telephone: 01352 720227
Map reference 116/127 716½
Or without a map, about 6½ miles
North East of Denbigh on the A541.
The Pwll Gwyn is on the North side
of that road, so is easy to find.
Our club night is the third
Wednesday of every month.
All welcome.

What's On

Courtesy of DVT and the ANWCC website: www.anwcc.org. Please contact organisers directly to check latest details.

Jan 16 Anglesey Autotest CS Caernarvonshire & Anglesey MC Autotest Lee Matthews
Jan 16 Anglesey Autotest NB Caernarvonshire & Anglesey MC Autotest Lee Matthews
Jan 17 Anglesey Production Car Autotest CS Caernarvonshire & Anglesey MC - Lee Matthews
Jan 17 Anglesey Production Car Autotest NB Caernarvonshire & Anglesey MC - Lee Matthews
Jan 23 Autosolo CM Knutsford & DMC - Jeff Gray
Jan 23 Autosolo NB Knutsford & DMC Autosolo Jeff Gray
Jan 29 Bring It On Scatter Rally CS Broughton & Bretton MC with Rhyl & DMC - Barry Green
Jan 30 Autosolo CS Bolton-le-Moors CC - Peter Sharples
Jan 30 Autotest CS Bolton-le-Moors CC - Peter Sharples
Jan 30 Production Car Autotest CS Bolton-le-Moors CC - Peter Sharples
Jan 30 Autosolo NB Bolton-le-Moors CC Autosolo Peter Sharples
Jan 30 Autotest NB Bolton-le-Moors CC Autotest Peter Sharples
Jan 30 Production Car Autotest NB Bolton-le-Moors CC - Peter Sharples
Feb 03 Sporting Trial NB Hagley & DLCC - Dave Parr
Feb 04/05 Legend Fires North West Stages NB Motor Sport NW Stage Ann McCormack
Feb 05/06 Powys Lanes Rally CM Epynt MC - -
Feb 07 Scatter Rally 111 CM Knutsford & DMC - Jeff Gray
Feb 12/13 Valentine Novice Rally CM Caernarvonshire & Anglesey MC - -
Feb 16 12-Car Scatter Rally CS Ilkley & DMC - Ben Spencer
Feb 18/19 Chris Kelly Memorial Rally NB Manx AS Stage Hilary Moore

Feb 19/20 Winter Challenge Road Rally CS North Wales CC - Dave Thomas
Feb 20 Riponian Stages NB Ripon MSC Forest Alan Hill
Feb 20 Riponian Historic Stages NB Ripon MSC Historic Alan Hill
Feb 27 Oak Leaf Stages NB Ecurie Royal Oak MC Stage Keith Wain
Mar 04 12-Car Scatter Rally CS Ilkley & DMC - Ben Spencer
Mar 05 Malcolm Wilson Rally NB Kirkby Lonsdale MC Forest Ronnie Sandham
Mar 05 Malcolm Wilson Rally NB Kirkby Lonsdale MC Historic Stage Ronnie Sandham
Mar 05 Tour of Cheshire NB Knutsford & DMC Historic Road Jeff Gray
Mar 06 Autosolo CS Bolton-le-Moors CC - Peter Sharples
Mar 06 Autotest CS Bolton-le-Moors CC - Peter Sharples
Mar 06 Production Car Autotest CS Bolton-le-Moors CC - Peter Sharples
Mar 06 Autosolo NB Bolton-le-Moors CC Autosolo Peter Sharples
Mar 06 Autotest NB Bolton-le-Moors CC Autotest Peter Sharples
Mar 06 Production Car Autotest NB Bolton-le-Moors CC - Peter Sharples
Mar 06 Mid-Wales Stages NB Newtown & DAC Forest Chris Tomley
Mar 06 Mid-Wales Stages Historic Rally NB Newtown & DAC Historic Stage Chris Tomley

This is your Newsletter...

"If I don't know what you're up to, then nobody else will"

Please send me anything of interest. Event reports are great to read whether you are a competitor, service crew, marshal, official or just spectating. Pictures can be put in and anything else that your colleagues in the club might find informative or amusing!

...and how do you get it?

For those of you who are receiving this Newsletter by email, please let me know if you change your email address. If you receive it by snail mail, please check the address on the envelope and let me or Pat Jones know if there are any amendments needed.

I am sure most of you have an email address or at least access to one and it would really help me (and the club funds) if you could change over to receiving the Newsletter electronically.

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New Members

At the time of the last committee meeting (5th January) there are now **101** members with Pat issuing **147** club cards which include junior and family memberships.

A cordial welcome is extended to those who have recently applied to become members of the club. If you have any queries or require any assistance, then do not hesitate to contact any of the club officials.

We hope that your association with Clwyd Vale Motor Club will be a long and momentous one. Remember, our aim is to be as friendly as possible towards one another with many of you joining in the various events and functions during the year.

If we are not already catering for your requirements, then please do not hesitate to let us know so that we can do something about it.

This club newsletter and the website; www.cvmc.org.uk, are vital means of communicating information out to the members but they require input from everybody to succeed.

Please send any reports or articles to Pete White, the newsletter/web editor: news@cvmc.org.uk



Morgan's Historic & Classic Vehicle Events Yearbook 2011.

Produced by the Rotary Club of York Vikings to assist organisers of nearly 1000 events in North & Central Wales, Central & Northern England & the whole of Scotland that involve Steam

Traction, Veteran, Vintage & Classic Cars, Commercial Vehicles, Motor Cycles, Buses, Stationary Engines & Aircraft to publicise their events **FREE OF CHARGE.**

This helps thousands of enthusiasts, who purchased over 6500 copies in 2010 know about them.

The combination of these two things, plus supporting advertisers who pay the cost of printing the yearbook has allowed the proceeds over **£ 118000.00** in the last seven years, to be donated to local, national & international charities supported by the Rotary Club of York Vikings.

By being issued in early February it is the first and largest calendar of events available. Unlike most monthly periodicals it has the dates, venues and contact point for events for the full year not just the next month or so which allows planning early in the year.

Additionally any changes during the year are updated on our website and are also e-mailed to all subscribers. The 2011 yearbook will be 80 pages and contain 985 events and is £ 4.00 per copy including postage. Bulk orders for 15 copies or more for one delivery is £ 3.00 per copy including postage.

Tony Raylor www.morgansyearbook.co.uk

Compiling Editor Morgan's
Historic Classic Vehicle Events Yearbook.
Rotary Club of York Vikings
Telephone 01347 878198



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This offer applies to the entire RPM Archive including our latest titles 'Tarmac Titan-Kenny McKinstry' and 'Tarmac Review 2010 - Gareth's Glory'.

All DVDs are £21.99 (€26) inc. VAT & P&P. So until 31st. January 2011 you can get 2 for this price!

Purchase at: www.rpm-motorsport.com

Note this offer does not apply to the RPM Tarmac Titan Box Set. Maximum purchase per customer - 5 DVD's

Limited Edition 'Welsh Rally Book':

The much awaited 'Welsh Rally' book is about to fly off the printing presses and will soon be available. To guarantee your copy of this epic book which is limited to 1,500 copies, return an order form as soon as possible.

The new book will be bigger and better than the 'Epynt' book, there is a foreword by former multiple winner Hannu Mikkola, hundreds of previously unseen photographs, unheard stories from competitors and organisers and full entry lists and results. It looks certain to be another collectors item so get one while you can!

An **Order Form** for the Welsh Rally book can be downloaded from their website:

www.griffinrally.com/welshrally.html



Tour of Cheshire 5th March 2011

Marshals needed:

"I understand that your club would like to help with marshalling on our event - many thanks for that. We could offer perhaps roadside controls am and manning a test pm. We would also like to support your rally (Vale of Clwyd Classic) later in the year - probably 5 or 6 entries plus some marshals."

"We also have a training evening in Knutsford in February for marshals if they wish to come, where we talk about the event and have Liege Timers to play with. If you could confirm your interest I will send details in due course."

Regards, Peter Boyce

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MSA issues Environmental Spill Kits

As part of its environmental responsibilities the MSA is issuing an 'Environmental Spill Kit' free of charge to every event-organising club. The kits are being dispatched from the supplier this month, ready for the 2011 motor sport season.



The kit is designed to deal with automotive fluid spills of up to 14 litres, although most spillages involve a lesser quantity; in 2009 the MSA provided each Rescue and Recovery unit with a similar kit, which was able to handle a 7-litre spillage.

Each kit is supplied in a sealed container and comprises a number of absorbent pads, a quantity of absorbent granules and a sealable heavy-duty bag into which used materials are to be placed for disposal.

On 1 January 2011 Regulations come into force that require organisers of some events to provide 'environmental spill kits' in paddock areas.

Competitors in certain disciplines will be required by new regulations in the Blue Book to carry a smaller kit capable of dealing with a 1.25-litre spill from the start of next year.

Spill Kit 2011

The MSA definition covering "Environmental Spill Kits" is as follows:

Environmental Spill Kits - For use in managing spills of automotive fluids, lubricating oils and fluids, gasoline, coolant additives, hydraulic oil etc. All kits to include adequate number of disposal bags for collection of used materials. Used spill kit materials to be disposed of in accordance with National and/or Local Authority Guidelines.

- i) Large Spill Kit - Absorbent pads and granular absorbent material capable of dealing with spillages up to 14 litres capacity;
- ii) Medium Spill Kit - Absorbent pads and granular absorbent material capable of dealing with spillages up to 7 litres capacity;
- iii) Small Spill Kit - Absorbent pads and granular absorbent material capable of dealing with spillages up to 1.24 litres capacity.

There are a number of MSA regulatory requirements regarding the provision of environmental spill kits, viz:

Circuits and Venues (E)

7.5 A Large Spill Kit is to be provided in all paddock areas [N.B. There is an error in the 2011 Yearbook, it states "Small". This is incorrect; the requirement is for a Large Spill Kit]

Autotests (M)

2.1 A medium sized spill kit must be available at each test site.

Cross Country Events (P)

1.7.1 At each section Organisers must provide at least one medium spill kit.

1.7.2 This spill kit can be carried by a Section Marshal escorting competitors around the various sections.

1.7.3 Where sections are closely grouped, one Spill Kit located at a clearly visible central point is permitted.

1.7.4 For all Hill Rallies, Competitive Safaris, Point to Point, Challenge Events and Orienteering a Medium Spill Kit must be located at the start of the course, each Special Stage or section.

Rallying (R)

10.1.4 At the start of any Section or Special Test held in whole or in part on private property the organisers must provide a Medium Spill Kit.

19.8.1 Where an event includes any Section or Special Test held wholly or in part on private property all vehicles must carry a Small Spill Kit complying with J5.20.13. Recommended for events held wholly on the public highway.

20.1.5 All vehicles must carry a Small Spill Kit complying with J5.20.13.

Trials (T)

9.8.3 All vehicles should carry a Small Spill Kit complying with J5.20.13. Mandatory for Classic Reliability Trials from 1 January 2012.

The MSA is providing all Organising Clubs with a Large Spill Kit on a free of charge basis, this being enclosed herewith. When contents are used it is the responsibility of individual clubs to provide these. Suitable kits are available from many suppliers, some use solely absorbent pads, some solely granular materials, some a mixture of such materials. All are equally acceptable within the Regulations.

Contaminated materials are to be collected up, securely bagged and disposed of as detailed in the Regulations. All Local Authorities have facilities to accept such materials which are not to simply be disposed of as landfill material. An alternative may be to use facilities a club member working in the motor trade may have available to them'

Club Championships 2010 - 2011

Please remember that this Club Championship year runs from:
1st November 2010 to midnight on 31st October 2011

Recent Results

1. Entries must be made stating Clwyd Vale Motor Club on your entry form for each event.
2. Contact Gareth Williams with your results, Tel: 01824 790263, text 07786 237754
3. e-mail to compsc@cvmc.org.uk or write to Talardy, Llandyrnog, Denbigh, Denbighshire LL16 4HH

ALL RESULTS MUST BE REGISTERED WITHIN ONE CALENDAR MONTH OF THE EVENT.

Rule Clarification: "Class points will be awarded in the position you finish on the road regardless of how the overall trophies are awarded, i.e. If you finish 3rd Expert overall and the 1st two crews received 1st & 2nd overall awards you will be awarded points for 3rd in class."

Drivers - Road Rally	Overall Result	Class Result	Overall Points	Class Points	Event Total
<u>No Recent Results</u>					

Navigators - Road Rally	Overall Result	Class Result	Overall Points	Class Points	Event Total
<u>No Recent Results</u>					

Drivers - Stage Rally	Class Result	Class Points	Social Points	Event Total
<u>No Recent Results</u>				

Co-Drivers - Stage Rally	Class Result	Class Points	Social Points	Event Total
<u>No Recent Results</u>				

Drivers - Sporting	Class Result	Class Points	Social Points	Event Total
<u>No Recent Results</u>				

Marshalling / Social etc	Position	Social Points
<u>No Recent Results</u>		

Night Navigational Exercise	Position	Social Points
<u>Night Nav</u>		
<u>No Recent Results</u>		
<u>Night Navigational Drivers (Expert)</u>		
<u>Night Navigational Drivers (Novice)</u>		
<u>Night Navigational Navigator (Expert)</u>		
<u>Night Navigational Navigator (Novice)</u>		

For Sale:

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Pete White 07801 591302

MSA North Wales Rally Training Day

Coleg Llandrillo - 22nd January

Ever wanted to get involved in organising Rallying? The **MSA** training day will cover Timekeeping, Stage Commanders, Marshaling, Radio Operators. The Training is **FREE** and places will be limited.

Chairman Neil writes ... "I hope a lot of you will take advantage of being able to attend a local Marshal Training day for the first time in a number of years". We are hosting a training day in Coleg Llandrillo Technical College in Rhos-on-sea on 22nd January 2011.

We have secured Derek Machin (ANWCC Training Co-Ordinator) and his team to come and teach us marshalling skills, which we can go and use to help host safe events for ourselves and clubs needing extra marshals. Derek and his team are renowned for their excellent training methods so let's take advantage of this opportunity. We will be limited to the first 50 registered participants and, with a lot of interest already shown, I strongly advise you register sooner rather than later.

I hope that this will become an annual event and Derek has indicated he will support us in this quest.

Register Online @ www.northwalesclub.co.uk/events/11/01/msa_north_wales_rally_training_day

2011 Club Championships

Drivers Championships	
Road Rally	
Howard Price	100
Dave Jones	75
Paul Jones	70
Gareth Roberts	46
Stephen Jones	44
David Mittell	41
Kev Hamilton	1
Mike Jones	1
Kate Shone	1
Keith A.J. Cross	1
Stage Rally	
Jonathan Whalley	25
Sporting	
No Results	
Junior Championship	
Lee Whittaker	20
Gareth Reynolds-Jones	10
Night Nav: Drivers	
Night Nav Driver (Novice)	
Night Nav Driver (Expert)	

Navigators Championships	
Road Rally	
Gareth Price	75
Robert David Evans	70
Ian Roberts	46
Shaun Holt	44
Richard Bestwick	1
Steven Clark	1
Dafydd Gwynedd	1
Neil Jones	1
David Barnes	1
Alun Hayward	1
Ian Jones	1
Stage Rally Co-driver	
Peter Dennis	25
Newcomers Ch'ship	
Gwennan Roberts	31
Night Nav: Navigators	
Night Nav Navigator (Novice)	
Night Nav Navigator (Expert)	

Gareth W Jones Ch'ship	
Stuart Jones	30
Pat Jones	30
Graham Thomas	30
Stephen Jones	26
Eddie Blackwell	20
Gareth Williams	20
Gwennan Roberts	20
Peter King	20
Phill Harrison	20
Nia Wyn Jones	20
Mark Thomas	20
Pete White	20
Liam Thomas	20
John Broadhurst	20
John G Jones	20
Andrew Darlington	20
Stuart Thomas	20
Martin Jones	20
Ian Roberts	16
Howard Price	16
Peter Dennis	16
Jonathan Whalley	16
Gareth Roberts	16
Gareth Price	16
David Mittell	16
Robert David Evans	16
Shaun Holt	16
Dave Jones	16
Paul Jones	16
Kate Shone	11
Alun Hayward	11
Steven Clark	11
Kev Hamilton	11
Noel Dutton	10
Brian Howatson	10
Brynmor Pierce	10
Darryl Moss	10
Sheila Reynolds-Jones	10
David Griffiths	10
Rob John Jones	10
Denise Jones	10
Derek Jones	10
Ricky Denman	10
Richard Marshall	10
Gareth Reynolds-Jones	10
Tina Cross	10
Neil Lloyd	10
Kenneth Jones	10
Kevin Roberts	10
Gwyn Reynolds-Jones	10
Gwynfor Roberts	10
Haydn Parry	10
Gary Williams	10
Janet Thomas	10
Ian Marshall	10
Lee Whittaker	10
Mike Jones	1
Dafydd Gwynedd	1
Richard Bestwick	1
Ian Jones	1
Neil Jones	1
Keith A.J. Cross	1
David Barnes	1

Social Club Championship	
Stuart Jones	55
Alun Hayward	35
Pat Jones	34
Gwennan Roberts	31
Graham Thomas	30
Andrew Darlington	27
Darryl Moss	25
Kate Shone	23
John G Jones	20
Lee Whittaker	20
Liam Thomas	20
Mark Thomas	20
Martin Jones	20
John Broadhurst	20
Nia Wyn Jones	20
Peter King	20
Phill Harrison	20
Gareth Williams	20
Eddie Blackwell	20
Stuart Thomas	20
Pete White	20
Steven Clark	19
Kev Hamilton	18
Neil Lloyd	16
Stephen Jones	15
Richard Marshall	10
Brian Howatson	10
Brynmor Pierce	10
Sheila Reynolds-Jones	10
David Griffiths	10
Denise Jones	10
Derek Jones	10
Rob John Jones	10
Gareth Reynolds-Jones	10
Kenneth Jones	10
Gary Williams	10
Noel Dutton	10
Gwyn Reynolds-Jones	10
Gwynfor Roberts	10
Haydn Parry	10
Ian Marshall	10
Janet Thomas	10
Kevin Roberts	10
Tina Cross	10
Ricky Denman	10

NB: please contact Gareth on
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with any errors or disputes etc. on
these results or points tables.

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FINAL THOUGHTS...
Whenever you're wrong, admit it,
Whenever you're right, shut up.