# The LaNARKshire MotorCycle Club Newsletter

## **MARCH 2006**

Welcome to the first NARK of 2006. Inside are details of what's new in the Lanarkshire Motorcycle Club.

#### What's New ??

Breaking News: The Oban weekend has had to be cancelled due to the landowner not being able to let us have the venue. To replace this, Bobby Lafferty has been able to get a new venue at Killin for an event on 28<sup>th</sup> May

## Web Site

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Ian Buckner: Adult B Champion



Stuart Corry: Adult A Champion

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If you have not renewed your membership for 2006, this will be the last Nark to be sent.

## **Web Site**

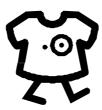


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Many of you will have noticed that the web site has a new look. Web master Martin Giblin, with help from secretary Alan Scott, has redesigned the site to make it a bit more user friendly and easier to navigate.

Some features people may be interested in are the links to the photo gallery and to the pictures of the new club leisure wear proudly modelled by club members.

## **Club Leisure Wear**





The club has produced a range of leisure wear bearing the club's logo. Garments available are as follows:

1. Reversible Jacket	£35
2. Padded Fleece	£30
3. Fleece	£20
4. Sweat Shirt	£13
5. Polo Shirt	£11
6. T-Shirt	£7
7. Hat	£6



Most of the above will be seen on various members at club and other trials. Anyone interested in purchasing any of above should contact Jim Tennant at any club event.

## Presentation of Awards and Fun Day Trial

The club held a very successful awards presentation and fun day trial at Fintry recently. Awards from the previous two seasons were presented followed by a short fun trial. A great time was had by all. Results are posted further on in the newsletter

#### Fun Trial

A beautiful winter's day greeted the 52 competitors to the Fun Trial held after the Presentation of Awards at Fintry on 6<sup>th</sup> February. Jim Tennant and John Garrioch had set out a testing 10 sections, each tackled 3 times.

In the Adult As, Alan Adamson took a convincing win with a loss of only 4, the best score of the day, despite being on the A route. Second was Stuart Corry on 13 with Scott Alexander third on 21.

George Cusack took the win in the Adult B class dropping 39 from Calum Stewart on 50 and Ross Hendrie close behind on 54

The Over 40 class was taken by Colin Rose on 36 with Steve Corry second on 47 from Kenny Drummond on 53.

Russell Whiteford took the Over 50 class with a loss of 28 well clear of Robert Paterson on 61 and Hamish Donald on 71.

In the Youth classes, Ian MacPhail took the Youth A class over the A route with a loss of 13 closely followed by Lee Shankie on 17. Ross Corry took the Youth A class over the B route, loosing 34. Rikki Shankie took the youth Bs on 52 and Robert Paterson the Youth Cs, loosing 90.

#### Cochno Trial

A crisp and sunny day greeted the competitors at the Cochno Trial at Clydebank on 19<sup>th</sup> February, the first round of the 2006 club championship. The course, set by Steve Corry and his team, consisted of 10 sections tackled 3 times. The slippy nature and the large rocks contributed to some higher than normal scores.

Stuart Corry took a very closely fought win in the Adult A class from Jim Tennant. With both riders tied on 41 marks lost, the verdict went to Stuart with 16 cleans to Jim's 12. Third was Scott Alexander on 50.

The Adult B class was won by Gordon Petrie with a loss of 39 from Graham Law on 59 and Robert Kinghorn on 81.

In the Over 40 Class Victory went to Kenny Drummond with a loss of 30. Second was Colin Rose on 44, 5 clear of Steve Corry on 49.

Alan Scott took the win in the Over 50 Class with a loss of 78 from Keith Reid on 123.

In the Youth classes victory in the Youth A (A Route) went to Andrew Rose with a loss of 120, Ross Corry took the win in the Youth B with an excellent score of 36 and Duncan McDonald took the Youth C with an impressive score of 76 on his 80cc Sherco over the same B route.

### SCOTTISH SIX DAYS TRIAL

This years SSDT will run from Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May until Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> in and around Fort William, Lochaber. The club has three members taking part this year. They are:

153 Scott Alexander161 John Garrioch

Jim Tennant

Good luck to all our riders.

## **Forthcoming Club Events**

Next event organised by the club is a club trial on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> April at The Knock, Bathgate at 11 am. Enter on the day.

Following The Knock event, the next event is the Scottish Youth, Over 40 and Pre-65 Championship trial at Buckholm Farm at Galashiels on May 14<sup>th</sup>.

This is a national event so entries must be in one week beforehand. Entry forms will be sent out. If you are not riding why not help out by observing.



## Other Club Trials

19 <sup>th</sup> Mar	SACU Adult Championship	Stevenston	Kilbirnie
2 <sup>nd</sup> Apr	SACU Youth, Over 40 & Pre 65 Championship	Bon Accord	Stonehaven
2 <sup>nd</sup> Apr	Trial	SCRMC	Balfron
9 <sup>th</sup> Apr	SACU Adult Championship	Lochaber	Kinlochleven
16 <sup>th</sup> Apr	National Trial	Dalmellington	Muirkirk

## Just a reminder for all members about the Observers Rule that the club operates

#### Rule 9

All adult riding and Youth A members MUST observe at one Club Trial within the calendar year. (Rule 9). Failure to do so will result in membership being refused for the following year until the person has observed at a trial. Members that did not specify the event they would observe at on their membership application form will be notified when it is their turn to observe, the onus is on you to turn up, on the allocated date, unless you contact Gordon Petrie, Tel: 07885 680357. Members missing their turn of observing will remain on the list.

#### The system is as follows:

- Members that did not specify the event they would observe at on their membership application form will be notified in advance of the allocated trial for which they are to observe.
- If the member wishes to ride the trial, he or she must supply a substitute to take their place and notify Gordon Petrie of the change, by the Thursday prior to the trial.
- Back Markers will be sent out at a pre determined time to allow all observers and Officials adequate time for lifting of flags and the clearing of the ground. This rule applies to all members. Please help us improve the running of our events.

# For Sale

#### The following items are on sale from club members

2 x Sherco 50cc 2003 £800 ono each. Mint condition

Telephone: Tony Tolhurst on 01436 831396

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Sherco 290 2005 9 months old £2295

Contact Iain Shankie on 0141 881 3333 work or 07831 681728 mobile

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Gas Gas Pro 250cc 2005

Good Condition, well maintained, ready to Trial

£2100 o.n.o

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Contact Mike on 01875 820350 Daytime or 01875 822215 Evening

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#### Publication dates for 2006

Issue 1	1 <sup>st</sup> March
Issue 2	1 <sup>st</sup> May
Issue 3	1 <sup>st</sup> July
Issue 4	1 <sup>st</sup> September
Issue 5	1 <sup>st</sup> November

Any articles, items for sale etc for insertion in any newsletter please send by Email (preferably) at least one week before above publication dates.

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