

## NORTH KENT TRIALS COMBINE MEETING HELD 13th August 2009

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**Clubs Present:** Bexleyheath, Double Five, Erith, Kent Youth, Kent & Sussex, Owls, The 96 Trials Club and Sidcup. (8 clubs with 10 delegates present)

**Chair:** Dick Dickenson                      **Secretary:** Steve Westley

**Apologies for absence:** Colin Mote was accepted.

**Minutes of Last Meeting:** Accepted without change.

**Matters arising from those minutes:** None.

**August 9th trial Round 7:** 96TC ran the event at Rotherfield Station and the Stewards report was read out: - the event started on time with 52 starters directed to various sections to compete over 4 laps of 10 sections, with all competitors scrutineered prior to the start. The start to different sections avoided the problem of queuing which can occur at the smaller venues. All sections manned at the start and the trial was set out well to combine standard. All riders spoken to for each class said it was a very good trial, well done 96TC especially Chris and Mark. Comment from those present agreed it was a good trial, 2 riders changed machine during the event and one rider dropped down a class.

**September 13th trial Round 8:** Bexleyheath to be held at Burwash and confirmed all ok 96TC to provide the Steward.

**October 11th trial Round 9:** Kent & Sussex to be held at Hourne Farm and confirmed all ok, SW to help as Secretary, Bexleyheath to provide the Steward.

**Proposals for SE Trials AGM:** one received so far to bring Youth in line with adult as outlined last month, discussion on modifying proposed Youth Novice to accommodate the 125 and 80cc bikes.

**Proposals for NKTC AGM:** as our AGM is coming up in Oct any proposals need to be in soon.

**Any other urgent business:** the Kent Youth letter concerning the funding that may be needed to run the British Championship final round was read out and discussed. AH elaborated during the questions. If the event is a dry one then all should be well but if wet the costs escalate due to the problems with access and hidden costs are unknown. Several clubs have committed to the £100 sponsorship. DD proposed £250 up front if it is needed and to match it with a further £250 if it becomes necessary. SW to ask Centre Management to match this. All agreed and DW confirmed subsequently that funds are in the bank.

Agreed that the NKTC Expert Trophy could be updated, BW to action this

**Date of next meeting is** 17th September 2009 at 8:30pm – The meeting closed 22:22pm

Agenda for the meeting on September 17th 2009

1. Apologies for absence
2. Minutes of Last Meeting
3. Matters Arising from those minutes
4. Sept 13th Bexleyheath trial round 8
5. Oct 11th Kent & Sussex trial round 9
6. Nov 1st Sidcup trial round 10
7. Proposals for SE Trials AGM
8. Proposals for NKTC AGM
9. Any other urgent business
10. Date of next meeting Oct 15th 2009