

NORTH KENT TRIALS COMBINE MEETING HELD 17th July 2008

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Clubs Present: Bexleyheath, Double Five, Erith, Kent Youth, Kent & Sussex, Owls, Sidcup and The 96 Trials Club. (8 clubs with 11 members present)

Chair: Colin Mote **Secretary:** Steve Westley

Apologies for absence: None

Minutes of Last Meeting: Ok

Matters arising from those minutes: None

June 8th Trial Erith round 5: Stewards report not available at the previous meeting, was read out stating that it was a very good event and enjoyed by all spoken to

July 13th Trial Double Five round 6: This took place at Chads Farm, Ridley, and the Stewards report was read out. Event started on time with 15 sections to be ridden 3 times by the 52 competitors. This was a very good trial and all those spoken to stated that they had a good days sport. Comment from those present and from the riders' survey confirmed this.

Aug 10th Trial Extra NKTC trial non-championship: Bexleyheath have proposed the NKTC use Knowle Farm and this has been put into action. NKTC provide the officials and get the permit and open it to any rider who has no group trial to go to.

Sept 14th Trial Bexleyheath round 7: All ok at Knowle Farm, Heathfield, and Double Five to provide the Steward.

Oct 12th Trial Kent & Sussex round 8: All ok at Hourne Farm, Crowborough, and Bexleyheath to provide the Steward.

AOB: The Kent Youth Arena trial at Detling was excellent publicity for the sport and was well received by 100's of the viewing public there. There were 14 sponsors and a lot of work and planning to put this on.

At a recent AMCA trial all the riders started on-bloc to the section corresponding with the last figure of their riding number – we should try this at our events as no-one is hanging around and most observers get a rider in their section within 5 minutes of the start.

Date of next meeting is 18th Sept 2008 8.30pm start

There being no further business the meeting closed 22.00pm

The meeting concluded with a slide show and video of the Kent Youth Arena Trial at Detling

Agenda for the meeting on Sept 18th 2008

1. Apologies for absence
2. Minutes of Last Meeting
3. Matters Arising from those minutes
4. Aug 10th Extra NKTC Team/Solo Trial
5. Sept 14th Trial Bexleyheath round 7
6. Oct 12th Trial Kent & Sussex round 8
7. Nov 2nd Trial Sidcup round 9
8. NKTC AGM Oct 16th reminder
9. Any other urgent business