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www.witneyautocross.co.uk
www.witneykarting.co.uk

Please, when writing to Brian Pegram with a membership (whether it be new or renewal), please **make the cheque payable to *Witney Motor Club*, & not to Brian.**
Many thanks – avoids the hassle!

Chairman's Chat – December 2012

Hello all,

There were some changes at the AGM: Simon stood down as chairman and after a vote I took over again.

I would like to thank Simon for all the hard work he put in over the last year, it was not an easy year, the weather was not very good and a lot of events were cancelled. The club still managed to put on the British Championship Autocross round and ran a very successful event.

Let's hope this next year brings better luck with the weather and we get more events to run.

The new committee was formed at the AGM with Mark Tredwell and Roger returning, welcome to both of them. Welcome also to Andrew Marlow. At the first committee meeting we all agreed to go away and think of new and interesting events we can do. You too can join in the debate using the Facebook group page if you are online – over the next few weeks we will be posting suggestions and value your feedback.

I am in Korea at the moment Training GM Korea in the use of my company's RT-Range system for Advanced Driver Assistance Systems. The equipment is used by GM worldwide and now it is GM Korea's turn to have it and learn how to use it. They are developing the Lane departure Warning system and Forward collision warning system which warns of a potential crash ahead. The Korean cars are really coming on, the new Kia K5 or Optima, as it is known in the UK, looks very nice. I think it looks better than the Hyundai version of that platform the I 40.

I was on Korean television last week talking about Robot driving; there is a link on my FB book page if anyone is interested.

Well that is enough rambling I have work to do and Kimchi to eat ...

Steve

Coming up we have:

December: Natter and Noggin is on the **20th December** – all welcome, especially Jimmy who will be another year older that day.

The **Morning After Autotest** will be at **BMH** on **30th Dec**. Derrick Jephcott is organising so please give your entries to him. As soon as possible please – let's make it worth everyone's while, getting extremely cold!!

Speed events being run by the Brighton & Hove Motor Club in 2013

If your club would like one or all of these to be part of your championships then please let me know.

Further details and Supplementary Regulations will be sent out nearer the event date.

The Brighton & Hove Motor Club Spring Sprint at Goodwood - May 18th 2013

The Eagle Sprint at Goodwood - August 3rd 2013

The Frosts Brighton National Speed Trials - Sept 14th 2013

These are all very relaxed and fun events and enjoyed by all who attend so it would be great to see you at one or all of these events.

Len

Brighton & Hove Motor Club - Vice Chairman

For information:

Hello everyone

Please find attached information from **Bath MC** on their **Elkins Ford Festival Rally** which will be held on the **19/20th January 2013** to celebrate their Club's 50th anniversary.

If you require any further details please contact Martin Moore

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Kind regards

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Forthcoming Events

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| 30th Nov | Charity Karting Event for Sobel House at Formula Fast Banbury
£250 per team, 11 Driver Changes. |
| 13th Dec | Table Top Rally West Witney Sports & Social Club 8 Pm - Map 164 |
| 14th Dec | Madges 12 Car Navigational Rally |
| 20th Dec | Natter & Nogging West Witney Sports & Social Club 8 Pm |

Other Events

Taking place over the weekend of **8/9th December**, the **Rockingham Stages**, organised by Thame MSC and Middlesex County AC, offers around 95 miles of competitive motoring over the 2 days. Following the successful format of previous years, we are again planning 12 stages of around 7 – 10 miles each. Scrutineering and Documentation will take place on the Friday evening and Saturday morning, followed by 6 stages in the afternoon, including the now infamous 2 in the dark – so get out those spot lights and lamp pods – with a further 6 stages on the Sunday.

Cotswold Motor Sports Group Competitors Club will organise a **Clubsport status 12 Car Rally on 14th December 2012.**

Magazine Editor's 'Bit'

Recently we had the AGM - sorry if you missed it - it was quite lively and we have a new committee. Please see the list at the front of the magazine. I hope you have a good year with the club - oh boy, we seem to be rolling on.

Sorry if the magazine is a bit "light" this month - everybody seems to be away doing other things! Also, I am sorry Jimmy that it didn't go out soon enough for the Karting event on 30 November - hey ho, such is my life! Hope you all enjoyed it anyhow.

Here is what you might win this month (the Morning After Trophy):



Good luck in your efforts and I look forward to seeing you, at the Natter & Noggin' on 20 December. I do hope you have put that date in your diary.

Pam

WITNEY MOTOR CLUB

Membership Application Form

When complete, please return this form with the correct remittance to: **Brian Pegram**
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To apply for a FULL membership, a FULL driving licence must be held. Make out cheques to **WMC**.

Family membership covers Husband & Wife (one of whom need not hold a full driving licence) plus children who do not hold a driving licence.

Membership type	Cost	Qty	Total
ADVANCED FAMILY MEMBERSHIP*	£23.00		
ADVANCED SINGLE MEMBERSHIP*	£20.00		
FAMILY MEMBERSHIP	£15.00		
FULL SINGLE MEMBERSHIP	£12.00		
SOCIAL MEMBERSHIP	£ 5.00		
WMC Windscreen sticker	£ 4.00		
WMC car sticker	£ 2.00		
WMC sweat shirt	£15.00		
WMC tee shirt	£10.00		
	TOTAL		
Your details			
Your full name (please state if new)			
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Occupation			
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Work			
Mobile			
Email address			
Date			
Signature			
Are you a new member?			

Your details will be held on a database to enable distribution of club information only.

Please tick whichever aspects of the club you are interested in.

***THIS OPTION IS FOR NEW MEMBERS ONLY - INCLUDES FREE ENTRY TO A TREASURE HUNT, AUTOTEST & 12-CAR RALLY.**

Stage rallying	Yes / No
Autotests	Yes / No
Autocross	Yes / No
12-car rallies	Yes / No
Treasure Hunts	Yes / No
Social	Yes / No
Karting	Yes / No

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