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New members information sheet

TBEC was founded and affiliated to the Auto Cycle Union (ACU) in 1986 when we organised six fun enduros; we now run between eight and twelve events a year. The aim of TBEC is to provide newcomers with a gentle introduction to off-road motorcycle sport some of our events (graded 1-5) which are easy on riders and machines, inexpensive to enter and, above all, fun.

Membership is currently £30 a year or half yearly 1st July – 31st Dec for £20; this covers the costs of the administration involved such as issuing membership cards, producing regs and entry forms and maintaining the website. As the club is non-profit making, any surplus funds go towards replacing and maintaining equipment. When you join the club you will be issued with a membership number which also serves as your rider number at all our events. At your first event you will also be provided with a lap scoring wristlet; this is programmed with your membership/rider number and you will need this at each event (you may ride without it but you won't get a result). Replacement wristlets are available on the day of an event if pre-booked. If you lose your wristlet a charge will be made for a replacement.

We are a non-territorial club, organised and run by volunteer members who are committed to the continuation of the club and to the promotion and enjoyment of off-road motorcycle sport. We expect **all** members to help with the running of events – without this help the club would not exist. **Please do your bit to help ensure the club's survival.**

All club/non members are bound by the club rules and all our events are run with the permission of the ACU. As such, they are run in accordance with the ACU's 'National Sporting Code and Standing Regulations' with insurance to cover third party and landowner public liability.

Before entering your first event please make sure you have read and understood the ACU National Sporting Code and the appropriate Standing Regulations. All events are run on private land so there is no requirement for riders to produce driving licences, vehicle MOTs. etc. However, all riders **must** have an ACU National Enduro competition licence; annual licences are available from the ACU (01788 566400). One-day licences will be available **for first time riders only**. Every meeting will have supplementary regulations (regs) which apply to that particular event.

The regs and entry form for each event, can be downloadable from the club's website www.tbec.co.uk approximately 4 weeks in advance. If it is impossible for you to access the internet a paper copy of the regs and entry form are available by sending us a SAE –for further details Tel 07749 499314.

It may seem that there are a lot of rules and regulations but they are there to make your enjoyment as safe as possible and to allow the club to run trouble-free events. Originally the club was intended primarily for riders of trail bikes but production endure bikes are now equally popular in the club.

On the event day riders must take their machine and crash helmet to the scrutineers for inspection **first**. You will be issued with a ticket to hand over when you sign on. At all our events you must have a helmet which is in good condition and which complies with the current ACU regulations. Since 1st January 2001, helmets with shells of moulded thermoplastic construction (polycarbonate, ABS etc.) and carrying an old style stamp with a single line border have been unacceptable for competition use. (The new style stamp has a double line border). Again, if you are in any doubt about your helmet, check with a club official first - you will not be allowed to ride without an approved helmet. Riders must also wear suitable gloves and strong clothing which covers the arms and body. Trousers of a suitable material must be worn, along with

motocross type boots(wellingtons, Derri boots, etc. are not allowed). Body armour is strongly recommended. Most of the venues currently used by the club are in the south and east Midlands but we occasionally travel further afield and venues in other parts of the country are assessed for each coming year. Before joining you're welcome to come along to an event and see us in action.

OVERALL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Calculated over 7 best scored rounds

ELITE	if you are regularly in the top 10 overall this class is for you (open to enduro, motocross & trail bikes) riders over age 15 yrs
E1	100-150cc two stroke/175-250cc four stroke (open to enduro, motocross & trail bikes) riders over age 15 yrs
E2	175-250cc two stroke/ 290-450cc four stroke (open to enduro, motocross & trail bikes) riders over age 15 yrs
E3	290-500cc two stroke/475-650cc four stroke (open to enduro, motocross & trail bikes) riders over age 15 yrs
VETS	Riders over age 50 (open to enduro, motocross & trail bikes)
U21	Riders over age 15 and under age 21 (open to enduro, motocross & trail bikes)
LEGENDS	You must have ridden 50 plus events as a TBEC member in the past. Riders must be aged 15 and over. (open to enduro, motocross & trail bikes)
TRAIL/VINTAGE	Open to trail bikes & Pre '89 twin/mono shock etc. Riders aged 15 years and over.
LADIES	Any lady rider that is a TBEC member aged 15 years and over. (open to enduro, trail bikes and motocross)

To qualify for the Championships you must marshal at least ONE round, You can compete in more than one Championship.

1st, 2nd and 3rd place will be awarded in each class for each event (this does not apply to non members/sprint) and points will be added together throughout each event to form Championship points for the season, the overall Championship will be your best 7 rides and Individual class Championships.

NON CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES

X DAY	Non members aged 15 years & over, riding enduro, trail or motocross bikes to ride full event. Bikes must comply to max noise 94db.
H&H half day	Open to non members and tbec members – First 2 hours to be ridden only. riding enduro, trail or motocross bikes. Bikes must comply to max noise 94db. Riders aged 15 years and over.

Non Members/H&H half day

Non/Day Member - You will not be able to compete in any Championships unless you are a TBEC Member. NB. TBEC Membership is £30 for full year (1st Jan-31st Dec), or £20 for half year (available from 1st July-31st Dec).

H&H half day Class – Open to tbec members and non members, these classes are non championship. Same tbec rules apply. You will be able to view your result online but will not score any points.

NB. 15 year old's can only ride max 250cc bikes.

WARNING: MOTORSPORT IS DANGEROUS AND YOU TAKE PART IN ANY TBEC EVENT ENTIRELY AT YOUR OWN RISK.

Yours in Sport
Tbec Committee

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