

# SIDCUP AND DISTRICT MOTOR CYCLE CLUB

## The TENTH SIMMONS CUP TRIAL

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April 1938

Starting from the Hare and Hounds, Flimwell at 11 a.m.

Finish at the Rother Valley Hotel, Northiam

Report in the May 1938 issue of the Sidcup Club monthly magazine, "The Compass"

The Simmons Trial was run off under quiet conditions – most of the spectators having gone to the Pioneer Run.

Dicky Dykes, Pearce Oliver and N.C.S. [*Club Secretary, Norman Smith*] had a night out marking the course and sections, and many a tale will be told for some weeks of their experiences.

Suffice it to say that the course allowed 3 clean sheets out of 76 competitors. Our members rallied round very well and did a lot of the observing and donkey work.

### RESULTS

<b>SIMMONS CHALLENGE CUP</b>	S.T. Elliott	498 A.J.S.	Bexleyheath	
<b>NOVICE AWARD</b>	E.B. Wilson	500 Ariel	Tunbridge Wells	
<b>FIRST CLASS AWARDS</b>	R.D. Reid	346 A.J.S.	Sidcup	
	Jack Colver	500 A.J.S.	Bexleyheath	
	Max Pring	350 Triumph	Sidcup	
	W.G. Hayes	? Norton	Eltham	
	P.H. Holding	350 Triumph	Sidcup	
	F.R. Philpot	497 Ariel	Tunbridge Wells	
	Alex Brett	493 Triumph	Sidcup	
<b>SECOND CLASS AWARDS</b>	George Wheeler	[ <i>not in programme</i> ]		
	Ted Usher	347 A.J.S.	Sidcup	
	F.N. Doggett	498 Triumph	O.W.L.S.	
	A.E. Jeffery	350 A.J.S.	R.O.F.	
	S.W. Page	350 Velocette	Eltham	
	B. Bashford	350 Ariel	O.W.L.S.	
	T.G. Griffiths	343 Triumph	Sidcup	
	T.A. Levett	350 B.S.A.	Bromley	
	W.E. Waters	488 Royal Enfield	Gravesend	
<b>TEAM AWARD</b>	Sidcup No. 1	R.D. Reid	236 marks	
		Max Pring	236 marks	
		George Wheeler	<u>230 marks</u>	
			702	
<b>CLUB AWARDS</b>	W. Hawke	350 Matchless	Sidcup	212 marks
	E.G. Phillips	348 B.S.A.	Sidcup	210 marks

### **Present day notes:**

Marks were awarded 10 for a clean and 6 for footing.

There are no results sheet in the Club archives. Has anyone out there got it?

**All riders in the programme** (all riders had initials in the programme - first names added when known)

**SOLOS**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Bike</b>	<b>Club</b>		
1	L.A. Davis	350 Royal Enfield	Sidcup	
2	Jim Walby	350 Matchless	Eltham	
3	J.E. Gibson	500 Ariel	Eltham	
4	G. Easton	498 Matchless	Bexleyheath	
5	C.G. Waters	346 Levis	Tunbridge Wells	
6	T.G. Griffiths	343 Triumph	Sidcup	
7	A.J. Longman	347 A.J.S.	Greenwich	Novice
8	J. Burchell	350 B.S.A.	Greenwich	Novice
9	B.F. Burford	500 Matchless	Greenwich	
10	F.J. Pearce	350 Triumph	Sidcup	Novice
11	W.A. Hazel	250 A.J.S.	Eltham	Novice
12	E.M. Marshall	249 Ariel	Bexleyheath	
13	M.S. Mephram	347 A.J.S.	Bromley	Novice
14	Ted Usher	347 A.J.S.	Sidcup	Novice
15	A. West	497 Ariel	Bermondsey	
16	J. Lindridge	598 P & M	Sidcup	Novice
17	W.G. Hayes	? Norton	Eltham	
18	J.D. Perham	350 A.J.S.	O.W.L.S.	Novice
19	P.H. Holding	350 Triumph	Sidcup	
20	A.E. Jeffery	350 A.J.S.	R.O.F.	
21	W. Jeffery	350 Matchless	R.O.F.	Novice
22	R.D. Reid	346 A.J.S.	Sidcup	
23	J.A. Simcocks	347 Matchless	Bromley	Novice
24	D. Bellingham	346 A.J.S.	O.W.L.S.	
25	R.W. Smith	246 Ariel	Sidcup	
26	J. Marston	350 A.J.S.	Bexleyheath	
27	T.W. Barber	498 A.J.S.	Bermondsey	Novice
28	C.V. Hughes	348 B.S.A.	Eltham	Novice
29	E. Williams	499 Royal Enfield	Bromley	
30	D.T. Slate	500 Cotton	Bromley	Novice
31	Bill Hawke	350 Matchless	Sidcup	
32	B. Bashford	350 Ariel	O.W.L.S.	
33	F.N. Doggett	498 Triumph	O.W.L.S.	Novice
34	A.G.A. Cunningham	349 Triumph	Sidcup	
35	C.S. Hackshaw	350 A.J.S.	Bermondsey	Novice
36	G.H. Baker	? Ariel	Bexleyheath	
37	E.G. Phillips	348 B.S.A.	Sidcup	Novice
38	E.R. Winter	350 Levis	Tunbridge Wells	Novice
39	J. Manister	500 Ariel	Eltham	Novice
40	J. Wright	348 B.S.A.	Gravesend	
41	C.C. Job	350 Triumph	R.O.F.	
42	Jack Colver	500 A.J.S.	Bexleyheath	
43	J. Usher	500 Ariel	Sidcup	
44	G.D. Walkey	350 A.J.S.	Gravesend	
45	Max Pring	350 Triumph	Sidcup	
46	A. Hazeltine	348 B.S.A.	Bermondsey	Novice
47	S.G.M. Fitzgerald	498 A.J.S.	Eltham	
48	S.W. Page	350 Velocette	Eltham	Novice
49	J.C. Ding	500 Ariel	Eltham	Novice
50	H. Clemson	? Ariel	Sidcup	Novice
51	A. Howitt	350 A.J.S.	Bexleyheath	Novice

**SOLOS continued**

<b>No.</b>		<b>Bike</b>	<b>Club</b>	
<b>52</b>	B.W. Garbett	350 A.J.S.	Greenwich	Novice
<b>53</b>	M.H. Botten	350 Norton	Gravesend	Novice
<b>54</b>	H. Offen	350 Norton	Bermondsey	
<b>55</b>	T.A. Levett	350 B.S.A.	Bromley	
<b>56</b>	L.G. Burford	? A.J.S.	Greenwich	
<b>57</b>	H.H. Davis	? Ariel	Eltham	
<b>58</b>	I.H. McLean	348 A.J.S.	Eltham	Novice
<b>59</b>	J.J. Herbert	500 Rudge	Bermondsey	Novice

**SISECARS**

<b>No.</b>		<b>Bike</b>	<b>Club</b>	
<b>66</b>	F.R. Philpot	497 Ariel	Tunbridge Wells	
<b>67</b>	H.E. Vines	500 A.J.S.	Bermondsey	
<b>68</b>	J. Pocock	499 Royal Enfield	Bermondsey	Novice
<b>69</b>	S.T. Elliott	498 A.J.S.	Bexleyheath	
<b>70</b>	Alex Brett	493 Triumph	Sidcup	
<b>71</b>	G.A. Churcher	600 H.R.D.	Bromley	Novice
<b>72</b>	Bill Peacock	500 Ariel	Bromley	
<b>73</b>	W.E. Waters	488 Royal Enfield	Gravesend	
<b>74</b>	E.B. Wilson	500 Ariel	Tunbridge Wells	Novice
<b>75</b>	A.T. Skillen	500 Norton	Bromley	
<b>76</b>	C. Colyer	500 Matchless	Gravesend	Novice