

The WRAG May 2015



Western Region MAG

Motorcycle Action Group AGC

A brief AGC 2015 update, you'll be able to read about the AGC in more detail in the next issue of The ROAD, in the meantime here is a very quick review:



AGC 2015 was very well attended and had a positive vibe throughout. The South West did a great job hosting the event, including providing homemade food and raising funds to not only cover their costs but also boost the fighting fund. Lembit

and Leon have been and continue to be very busy; their presentation included some 'guess the bike' slides. A new Chair was elected, so all correspondence to the Chair will now be directed to Selina Lavender.



A number of individuals were recognised for their efforts in promoting MAG as were Salford MAG as a group (a full list will appear in The ROAD as we're not certain notification has reached everyone yet). There was cheque presentations from all over the country in recognition of monies donated to the fighting fund over the past 12 months totaling over £140,000.00 an absolutely amazing total. We extend a big 'WELL DONE' to everyone who has worked hard supporting the organisation over the past 12 months whether you were able to make it to AGC or not.

There were two Western Region Members who received awards at this year's AGC.



Bristol MAG's Claire received an Honorary Life membership for all the hard work she has done organising stuff behind the scenes at various Bristol MAG events.



Andrew Meredith received a well deserved Fred Hill Freedom Award for all his work over the years on MAG's IT. It was great to see so many Western Region MAG members attending the AGC, and well done to SW MAG and especially the Taunton MAG crew who put on such an excellent event.

Bristol Bike Show & Party

The annual Bristol Bike Show will be taking place on Saturday 15th August, at St Nicholas Markets of Bristol, just off the city centre.



Marshals will be needed, so if you can spare an hour or more to help please contact Claire.

As usual the After Show Party will be at the Saracens RFC in the evening again helpers will be needed so please let Claire know if you can help.

Tickets for the party are £6 or £5 if you are a MAG member, and are available on the day or from Claire.

GWR Rally

This year the GWR Rally is at a new venue approximately 1½ miles from junction 21 of the M5.



The new site is just off the A370 at Hewish opposite Hewish Village Hall. Tickets are available from May 1st at: <http://north-somerset-mag-uk.org/gwr.html> or from The Troll.

Salisbury Bike Show

Five members of Mid-Wilts MAG rode down to the Salisbury MAG Bike Show, as did several members of Weston & North Somerset MAG.

If your group does a ride out don't forget to send a write up and some photos to the editor of The Wrag.

Events:

May 1 – 3. Into the Valley: Yorkshire MAG:

<http://www.farmyardparty.co.uk/into-the-valley>

May 9. MAG awareness day @ Fowlers: Bristol MAG.

May 21 – 25. FH-DCE Super Rally: West London Harley Riders:

<http://www.superrally2015england.com>

May 22 – 24. Taunton MAG 3rd Tone Vale Tea Rally: <http://taunton.mag-uk.org/tonevaletea.htm>

June 7. Southampton Bike show: Southampton MAG.

June 12 – 14. Lion Rally: Reading MAG:

<http://www.lionrally.com>

June 19 – 21. The Farmyard Party: Yorkshire MAG:

<http://www.farmyardparty.co.uk/farmyard-party>

June 26 – 28. Blackpool MAG Rally:

blackpool-rep@mag-uk.org

June 26 – 28. Moon Rally 2015: Rusty Sprocket

MCC: <http://www.rustysprocketmcc.co.uk>

July 9 – 12. Caveman Bash:

<http://www.facebook.com/millennium2000bc>

July 10 -12. The 4th Dead End Rally: Furness MAG:

<https://www.facebook.com/DeadEndRally2013>

July 18 – 19. Aberystwyth and District MAG Rally

July 19. Annual Pet Food: East Dorset MAG

July 31 -Aug 2. The Yorkshire Pudding Rally: Yorkshire MAG:

<http://www.farmyardparty.co.uk/yorkshire-pudding>

July 31 - Aug 1. White Tigers MCC's 7th All Night Pussy Rally: White Tigers MCC:

<http://www.whitetigersmccbristol.co.uk/>

July 31 - Aug 2. Burning Budgie Rally: West London Harley Riders:

<http://www.westlondonharleyriders.co.uk>

Aug 7 – 9. End of the Road Rally: Cornwall MAG:

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Cornwall-MAG/111280468942007?ref=hl>

Aug 15. Bristol Bike Show & Party: Bristol MAG

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