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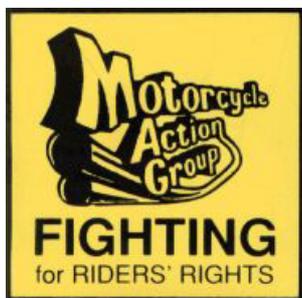


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"What did you have to wave for,  
I told you BMW riders are a set of unfriendly bastards..."



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## *Armadillos and Orcas*

We are putting together a table with all known installations / plans to install / trials of hard engineered cycle lane segregation i.e. kerbs or 'light segregation' e.g. 'Armadillos' or 'Orcas' across the UK.

Regardless of whether you have sent in details before can you all please email Leon: [leon.drm@gmail.com](mailto:leon.drm@gmail.com) and cc the Chair: [chair@mag-uk.org](mailto:chair@mag-uk.org) Use the subject title: Cycle lane segregation - next step We are looking for ALL known cases, we would rather be informed twice than not at all. We need exact details so area, road name, contact (council and MAG rep/liasion), dates, actions to date, anything that is relevant. Once we have a table we will then draw up an email/letter action plan based around the Cycle Lane Segregation document (which will be included at that stage).

If you are passing this on to someone who does not have access to email they should pass the details to their MAG Rep or send to Central Office.

MAG, P.O. Box 750, Warwick, CV34 9FU

Many thanks, Selina Lavender, National Chair



## *Bristol Bike Show & Party*

The annual Bristol Bike Show took place in August and as usual there were bikes of all shapes and sizes lining the streets around St Nicholas Markets. Claire and her many volunteers worked hard all day, making this a very good event, if you have not been before then make sure you do next year! The

Bristol MAG stand was there, and took eight memberships on the day.

Several MAG members popped by and had a chat, all in all a very good day. See you there next year!

After the Bike Show, Bristol MAG organises an After Show Party, to raise funds for MAG. Tim was AWOL from burger flipping this year so other MAG members took up the spatula.



At one point Eddie could be seen wearing a welders mask, so it would seem that some of those burgers were well cooked!

But well done to everyone who helped out on the BBQ.

## *Regional Rally*

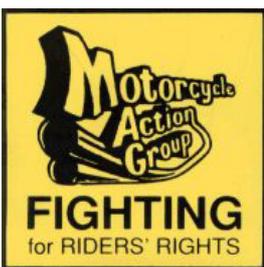
What are you doing over the Easter weekend of March 25th –27th 2016?

Well you'd better pencil in that date as Western Region's first annual MAG Hatters Rally.

More details will be released as and when details are firmed up, so watch the regional website at: <http://western-region.mag-uk.org/mag-hatters-rally.html>

A site in Gloucestershire just off the M5 is currently being negotiated for, and details will be announced soon.

And why The MAG Hatters Rally you may ask? Well there will be a prize for the Maddest hats at the Rally



## *Group AGMs*

November is not far away now and that means Local MAG Group AGM's.

If your group is having an AGM, get along there and have your say in how your local group is run!

MAG is a grass roots organisation and relies on you the members to keep fighting anti biking legislation both from our own Government and from Europe.

## *Events*

Sept 11 – 13. GWR 2015: Weston & North Somerset MAG

: <http://north-somerset.mag-uk.org/gwr.html>

Sept 12. Ilfracombe Bike Show: North Devon MAG

: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/325841247594897/?fref=ts>

Sept 18. Sunday, Sept 20, 2015 - Spat at the Tsunami

: East Yorkshire MAG: <http://east-yorks.mag-uk.org/>

Oct 4. Mods and Rockers Charity Run to Littledean Jail

: Cardiff MAG: <https://www.facebook.com/events/799413563512247/>

Oct 11. Julian Trust Run: Bristol MAG: <http://bristol.mag-uk.org/>

Oct 18. Hoggin the Bridge: <http://hogginthebridge.co.uk/>

Nov 3. Not-Avon MAG AGM

Nov 11. Weston & North Somerset MAG AGM

Nov 19. Bristol MAG AGM

Nov 26. Mid-Wilts MAG AGM

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