

MOTO TRIALS REPORT

Our final Menai event in November was well accepted with the riders enjoying some new sections in the creek area. All of our club trials in 2006 averaged 30 riders and were run at a profit. The Open Trial in July was a great event with many thanks to all the club members and friends who gave up their day to act as officials. As reported, the Menai future is not clear but if we gain use I hope to have trials dates in April, July, September and November, similar to the last few years.

Bob Tindall and myself recently attended the Junior Club Coach and Assessors seminar. Once we have our licences we can issue new licences and do some junior coaching. We cannot grant junior licence renewals as a level 1 coach does this.

The 2006 B.W.P. Club Championship was decided after our third round at Menai. Congratulations to all club riders. The results were:

Best expert	Michael Byrne	
Best B Grade	Jason Byrne	
C Grade	Enzo Pettenon	50
	Gary Smith	45
	Michael Pettenon	42
	Mark Turnbull	22
Clubman	Bill Guthrie	75
	Len Turnbull	58
	Martyn Kieselbach	48
	Bob Dickerson	44
	John Morris	34
	Alan Woodford	30
	Scott Eggins	27
	Paul Long	22
	Bob Tindall	20
	Gary Smith	20

Club expert Michael Byrne has again had a great year. He finished second in the N.S.W. Open Solo Championships, second place team in the Trials des Nations in the second division Trophies des Nations class and a fourth place in the hotly contested Open Solo division at the Nationals held in Western Australia. Michael is currently in Indonesia doing some Trials related commercials for an Indonesian manufacturer. His younger brother Jason was unable to contest all rounds of the NSW Junior championship but hit top form at the Nationals with a thrilling second place in the Junior class. The event had to be decided by a three way ride off and by all accounts Jason displayed ice cold nerves to beat off the two West Australian riders in front of their home crowd. The club is very proud of both these young riders efforts this year and hope they enjoy even greater success in 2007.

Hoping to see you all again next year,

Rockhopper Bob.