



Minehead Motor Club Ltd

Derek Merson

26th

EXMOOR CLOUDS
CLASSIC TRIAL

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A Round of

The ACTC Championship

The ASWMC Championship

26th MINEHEAD MOTOR CLUB DEREK MERSON EXMOOR CLOUDS TRIAL -
19th OCTOBER 1997

ROUTE CARD: R = RIGHT TURN, L = LEFT TURN, T = T JUNCTION, SO = STRAIGHT ON, XRDS = CROSS ROADS, FR = FORK RIGHT, FL = FORK LEFT, DP = DIRECTION POST

ALL MAP REFERENCES FOR O.S. 181 TIMES SHOW OPENING TIMES FOR SECTIONS
 STARTS AND RESTARTS WILL BE DEFINED BY COLOURED DISCS

START	MINEHEAD RUGBY CLUB	983449	0745
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PLEASE CLOSE ALL GATES ON ROUTE

LEAVE RUGBY CLUB. L @ ROUNDABOUT DP MINEHEAD. R @ MINI ROUNDABOUT FOLLOW TOWN CENTRE SIGNS. **PETROL AT ESSO STATION**, L @ SQUARE DP PORLOCK, FOLLOW A39 OUT OF MINEHEAD. R @ T DP PORLOCK, 100 YARDS R DP BRATTON, R @ T THROUGH FORD. L @ T DP HINDON

(1)	3.5	HINDON	<i>GRASS GRIPPY</i>	933466/932464	0754
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FOLLOW ROAD TO

RESTARTS CLASS 6, 7 8 and Solo's

CONTINUE UP TRACK THROUGH GATE L. R @ XRDS A39 AND CONTINUE TO PORLOCK. THROUGH VILLAGE FR DP PORLOCK WEIR HARBOUR B3225. THROUGH WEST PORLOCK AND L OPPOSITE PORLOCK VALE HOUSE. FOLLOW MARKERS THROUGH WOODS, L @ ROAD. R @ HAIRPIN, L @ T. R @ T (CULBONE INN) DP A39 LYNMOUTH. 0.5 MILE AFTER COUNTY BORDER BY POST BOX R TO GLENTHORNE ESTATE. FOLLOW TRACK TO (ALWAYS ALLOW FOR TWO WAY TRAFFIC ON TRACKS)

(2)	15	11.5	GLENTHORNE	<i>SLIPPER SMOOR</i>	788490/794487	0833
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RESTART TO BE ADVISED

FAILS: RETURN BACK UP TRACK TO ROAD WHERE L AND CONTINUE PAST TOP OF SECTION
 CLEARS: L @ TOP OF SECTION
 COMMON ROUTE - R @ T DP OARE & MALMSMEAD. L @ T DP OARFORD & ROBBERS BRIDGE.
 JUST AFTER OLD SCHOOL HOUSE R DOWN TRACK TO

(3)	18	3	OARFORD	<i>STEEP - GO FAST AT START!</i>	816464	0842
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RESTART CLASS 8

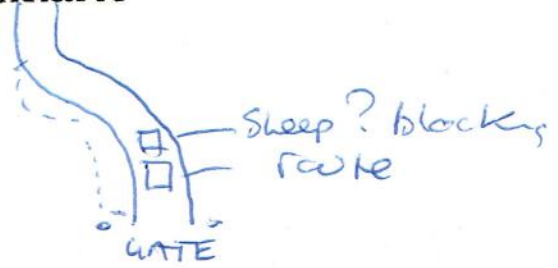
RETURN TO ROAD. R OVER BRIDGE UP STEEP WINDING HILL (CAUTION), R @ T (A39), DOWN PORLOCK HILL THROUGH VILLAGE AND ON TOWARDS MINEHEAD. R @ T DP FILTER STATION. R @ T NO DP (UNSUITABLE FOR MOTORS). L @ T NO DP, UP HILL. AT BROW CARE COMPETITORS FROM RIGHT. SO THROUGH VALLEY. JUST BEFORE JUNCTION R AND FOLLOW MARKERS CAUTION TO

(4)	26	8	LUCOTT	<i>Rocky</i>	866448/870451	0906
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RESTART CLASS 6, 7, 8 and Solo's

TOP OF SECTION R. SLOW TO ROAD - **EXCESSIVE SPEED WILL BE EXCLUSION**. R (COMPETITORS FROM L) SO PAST ENTRANCE TO SECTION. SO AT JUNCTION ACROSS MOOR. R @ T DP EXFORD 2.5. **BIKES ONLY** L @ XRDS ONTO ROUGH TRACK (WOODEN POST EXFORD) THROUGH TWO GATES DOWN ROCKY TRACK PAST POND TO ROAD. **EXTREME CAUTION**. SO ACROSS ROAD DP WINSFORD. **CARS OR BIKES NEEDING FUEL** SO @ XRDS. L @ T OVER CATTLE GRID. SO INTO EXFORD (PETROL). L @ CROWN INN. R @ XRDS DP WINSFORD
 COMMON ROUTE IN 1 MILE L (OBSCURE ENTRANCE) DOWN TRACK TO

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(5) ST 1	33	7	PIN QUARRY	892382/892383	09.46
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RESTART CLASS 8

SPECIAL TEST 1

CLEAR: AFTER SECTION, ACROSS FIELD THROUGH TWO GATES AND T @ ROAD NO DP. IN 1 MILE OPPOSITE TRACK R NO DP, PAST FARM. L AFTER GATE. L @ T.
 FAILS: RETURN TO ROAD. L IN 1.5 MILES, SO @ JUNCTION (COMPETITORS FROM LEFT).
 COMMON ROUTE: SO THROUGH WINSFORD PETROL ON LEFT. AT DIP IN ROAD R ON BEND, UP TRACK TO

ST 2	38	5	EDBROOKE	911342/906332	10.01
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SPECIAL TEST 2

END OF SECTION @ ROAD R. FOLLOW ROAD TO R, ALONG TRACK. AFTER SECOND GATE R TO ROAD. **EXTREME CAUTION**. CROSS ROAD DOWN SLOPE R @ T. L OVER IRON BRIDGE AND UP HILL. L @ T DP BATTLETON. L @ T. SO DOWN HILL. L @ T DP DULVERTON. OVER BRIDGE THROUGH VILLAGE DP MINEHEAD B3222. R @ T A396 DP EXETER. L @ T DP BROMPTON REGIS THEN IMMEDIATELY RIGHT NO DP (UNSUITABLE HEAVY VEHICLES) QUIET R THROUGH FORD TO JUNCTION AND AWAIT MARSHALS INSTRUCTIONS TO

(6)	47	9	PORT LANE	945272/951258	10.29
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FAILS: RETURN DOWN TRACK TO ROAD L TO A396 WHERE R DP MINEHEAD.
 CLEAR: FOLLOW TRACK TO R @ XRDS (HAYNES CROSS). SO TO R @ XRDS (SNAPBOX X) DP MINEHEAD. **SO COMPETITORS FROM R**
 COMMON ROUTE: R DP BROMPTON REGIS. SO UP HILL TO FR BROMPTON REGIS AND WIMBLEBALL RESERVOIR. R @ T NO DP, PAST RED CROSS FARM. R @ XRDS DP HARTFORD 1.5, L THROUGH FORD AND L ALONG TRACK TO

R

(7)	55	8	KEENS WOOD	960295	10.49
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RESTART TO BE ADVISED

R @ TOP OF SECTION. L JUST BEFORE FORD AND UP TRACK BY RIVER TO

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(8)	56	1	STEEP LANE	965292/965300	11.05
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RESTART CLASS 7, 8 and Solo's

FAILS: UP ACROSS FIELD TO TOP OF SECTION.
 COMMON ROUTE: UP CONCRETE ROAD TO L @ FARM ENTRANCE. SO TO R @ T NO DP. L @ T DP BLAGDON FORD & GUPWORTHY ONLY. R @ T JUST AFTER FARM NO DP. L @ GRASS TRIANGLE BY HOUSE. L @ T THEN SO. SO @ XRDS DP LUXBOROUGH & ROADWATER. L @ T, DOWN HILL, R OVER BRIDGE. SO DP ROADWATER. AT DOUBLE BEND JUST AFTER FARM R ONTO FORESTRY COMMISSION TRACK, L UP HILL TO

(9)	65	9	DRUIDS	005378/997370	11.30
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RESTART CLASS 8

AT END FOLLOW MARKERS THROUGH FARM, L @ ROAD, UP HILL. SO, L @ XRDS. L @ T (GRASS TRIANGLE) DP ROADWATER, DOWN HILL, R @ T DP LEIGHLAND CHAPEL. R @ T DP STAMFORD & LEIGH BARTON. FOLLOW ROAD THROUGH FARM, KEEPING FARM ON RIGHT, THROUGH GATE AND UP TRACK TO

(10)	70	5	LEIGH BARTON	017360/014360	11.50
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RESTART TO BE ADVISED

END OF SECTION QUIET PAST STABLES AND HOUSE THEN R @ ROAD.
 R @ T (COMPETITORS FROM L) DP ROADWATER. SO THEN L @ T DP LUXBOROUGH (GLASSES FARM).
 SO FOR APPROXIMATELY 1 MILE. R DOWN TRACK, CONTINUE PAST HOUSES AT END OF
 TRACK. QUIET. L AT XRDS. SO AT END OF TARMAAC ONTO TRACK. L @ T.
 JUST AFTER SLOWLEY FARM, R A@ GATE AND FOLLOW MARKERS TO FOREST. THROUGH GATE. *Fullay*
 SO KEEPING FOREST ON LEFT. R @ T. FR TO ROAD. SO @ XRDS THROUGH GATE. *arr.*
 TOP OF SLOPE BY LOGS L THROUGH GATE THEN FL. L @ T FOLLOW TRACK TO ROAD. R @ T.
 R @ T DP DUNSTER. JUST BEFORE MAIN ROAD R TO

(11)	83	13	VINEGAR HILL	982430	12.31
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RESTART CLASS 8

RETURN TO ROAD WHERE R. L @ T A396. SO THROUGH TIMBERSCOMBE. IN 0.5 MILE AFTER BENDS
 CAUTION L INTO

(12)	86	3	EWARTS PICKLE	943412/952396	12.41
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RESTART TO BE ADVISED

MOTORCYCLES: SO @ END OF SECTION, PAST HOUSE, THROUGH GATES TO ROAD WHERE L DOWN
 HILL TO TIMBERSCOMBE. PAST RED LION PUB TO MAIN ROAD. R.
 CARS: RETURN DOWN SECTION TO ROAD WHERE R. SO TO TIMBERSCOMBE
 COMMON ROUTE: AFTER VILLAGE L @ T DP WOOTTON COURTENAY. R @ T AND L UP TRACK, FOLLOW
 MARKERS TO ROAD WHERE SO. L @ T NO DP. SO OUT OF TOWN TO LAYBY ON THREE LANE STRAIGHT.
 L INTO WOODS AND FOLLOW MARKERS TO

(13)	93	7	MIDDLECOMBE 1	941458	14.11
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RESTART TO BE ADVISED

(14)	93		MIDDLECOMBE 2	941458	14.21
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RESTART TO BE ADVISED

FOLLOW MARKERS BACK TO ROAD WHERE R AND FOLLOW DP BRIDGWATER. SO A39 TO LARGE
 ROUNDABOUT DP ELLICOMBE AND INTO RUGBY CLUB.

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SIGN OFF AND REFRESHMENTS IN CLUB HOUSE.