



West Wilts Section of the VMCC

Regulations

THE WEST WILTS SCAMPER 2026

A road safety run for girder/rigid or small capacity motorcycles

Date: Sunday 23rd August 2026

Venue: The Bell, High Street, Yatton Keynell, SN14 7BG

Summary: A run over a choice of two circular routes, circa 40 or 75 miles, on quiet mainly C and B class roads in the South Cotswolds, primarily for VMCC-eligible girder forked or rigid framed machines of any age & capacity or VMCC-eligible motorcycles up to a capacity of 250cc. Optional easy green lane sections are available on both routes.

Officials: Event Secretary: Jon Hall jonhall850@gmail.com 07771 820175

Section Treasurer: Martin Hirst: gizmomrsduck@aol.com

Route planner and route book editor: Tony Barnett/Jon Hall

Restricted to current VMCC members and day members, with an entry limit of 75. Day membership is available for this event at nil cost. Entry to be in advance, on the official entry form with payment of £5 (including documentation sent by email only) or £8 (including information by email plus printed copies by post). Participants may identify others they wish to ride with. Confirmation of acceptance of entry will be by email.

Final instructions, the routes in a Tulip format, a list of entrants & their machines and their rider numbers, will be emailed to all participants at least 7 days before the event.

Overnight camping for caravans, tents & camper vans is available locally, including; The Moors, Chippenham, SN14 6HT. <http://www.wiltshirecamping.co.uk>

On the day, parking for vans and trailers will be in the field and/or car park behind the Bell Public House. Signing on collection of event rider number from 08:30 in the Barn next to the pub. Breakfast baguettes available from 08.30 [details with final instructions]

09.30 Machines depart on participant's choice from two routes [75 & 40 miles, with 75 mile riders leaving first], in numbered order, in pairs, at 1 minute intervals. The routes will not be marked and the Tulip route book will be the definitive method of navigation. A number of optional short gentle green lane sections will be available which are integrated with the road route. These are principally on gravel and woodland tracks which are Byways Open to All Traffic. There will be no timing element, save the need to finish before a set time [see below].

In order to meet the criteria for Road Safety Runs, we may have at least one secret point on the joint route manned by Section members where a Highway Code question may be asked of participants. This point will be chosen at a location where participants can park safely. The expectation is that no participant will achieve an average speed over the route of more than 24 mph.

The official Finish will close at 14.30. All finishers must sign off in the Barn next to the Bell. Sunday Lunch will be available at the Bell between the hours of 12 noon to 19.00. Prior booking is advised on 01249 782216. There will be no competitive element to this event and no formal Awards, though the organisers may at their sole discretion choose to make a number of informal awards.



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VMCC PERMITTED
NON COMPETITIVE ENTRY FORM
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Rider details;

Name: VMCC membership no: (if you are not a current VMCC member, please write "Day Membership Req'd." [this is at zero cost].)

Address:

Tel:

Email:

Passenger details:

Name:

Address:

Tel:

Email:

Machine: Solo/Sidecar/Three-wheeler (delete as approp.) Make

Model..... Year..... Registration no.....

Capacity..... Route 40/75 mile..... To ride with (name) [optional]

Please send your completed entry form and £5 [or £8 if you wish to receive printed final instructions and Tulip route sheets by post as well as by email] cheque payable to **VMCC West Wiltshire Section** to:

Jon Hall, Chestnut Cottage, 11 Manor Farm Drive, Sutton Benger, Wiltshire SN15 4RW

Alternatively return completed form by email to jonhall850@gmail.com and pay by bank transfer to: VMCC West Wiltshire Section, Lloyds Bank, 30-91-99, 03156545 giving **SCAMP and your surname as the reference**.

YOU ARE REQUIRED TO SIGN THIS INDEMNIFICATION, THANK YOU

I have read the attached regulations for this event and agree to be bound by them. In order to take part in this Event, I undertake;

- 1] For any motorcycle that I use on this event, I will effect and maintain for the duration of the event, a policy of motor insurance that is valid for this activity. I will ensure that the vehicle conforms to all relevant legislation and has any applicable Road Tax and MOT test certificate. I confirm that I have a current Driving Licence valid for my use of the vehicle in this event.
- 2] To hold harmless and indemnify The West Wilts Section of the Vintage Motor Cycle Club, its officials, servants, and agents from and against any and all claims, costs, or liability for death, injury or property damage suffered by any person, including myself, arising out of my participation in the event, notwithstanding that the same may have been contributed to or occasioned by the negligence of West Wilts VMCC, its officials, servants or agents.

Signed..... Date..... / /