

# TT Riders



# Association

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Please take notice regarding the **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**. 11am prior to the Luncheon. Every effort will be made to keep this meeting short. Enclosed in this newsletter. The Agenda and abridged version of the Accounts. If any further details relating to the Accounts are required please contact the Treasurer or Secretary by email or by post. The Accountants Messrs Browne Crane & Co have approved the accounts and are happy to continue as our Auditors.

### TT RIDERS ASSOCIATION

#### Agenda.

1. Presidents opening welcome
2. Minutes of the 2017 Annual General Meeting
3. Matters arising
4. Hon Secretary's report
5. Hon Treasurer's report
6. Election of President for 2018-2019. Miss Maria Costello **MBE**
7. Election of Committee. A Jessopp. N Tuxworth. M.Chatterton and David Madsen-Mygdal have offered to stand for re-election.
8. Election of Hon.Treasurer. Offered to stand for re-election.
9. Election of Hon.Secretary . Offered to stand for re-election
10. Honoraria
11. Any other Business. Please notify the Secretary in writing 2 weeks prior to AGM meeting.

### THE FRIENDS OF THE TTRA (FoTTRA)

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The Fundraising day is of great importance to the TTRA, the amount of funds required to support Riders either accident related, hardship caused by injuries in their early racing days which in later years can be life changing, and many various situations that we are asked if we can assist with.

We are always keen to advertise the amount paid out during the year (excluding the names of the recipient) It is often suggested in conversation that it will be a quiet time now the racing weeks are over Frances. No, after the races that is when my work starts and when the Committee come into play, decisions and reasons for them have to be sorted out with compassion and diplomacy, in some cases decisions are not as easy as we would wish them to be. We have a good committee and would like them to know I appreciate their support to me.

The TTRA has grown so much and expanded out to include many sections, such as the Regalia. The tremendous benefit the counter money boxes have become and also the fantastic fundraising events carried out by members and their friends. Malc and Julie with their Louth day at the Wheatsheaf Pub. This was very well supported and they will be presenting a cheque at the Luncheon to our TTRA Benevolent Fund.

The Friends of the TTRA has grown in numbers exceptionally well which of course brings in financial assistance for our cause.

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Many items which have become cupboard bound in the 38<sup>th</sup> have had a little sorting out and changed into cash.

I would like Paul and Sue to take the thanks and credit for this, they are very keen supporters who have joined us on Fundraising both with Ebay sales and Motorcycle events with sales table and collection boxes. Famous riders have been snapped with the donation buckets on these occasions.

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**LUNCHEON SALES – CASH ONLY.**

New edition to our Sales Department....

TTRA Logo on 4 piece Car Mats. These mats are very good quality and fit Universal cars. They have proved very popular and sold very well. I will be bringing some to the Luncheon. £20 per set of 4 with the TTRA Logo on which looks very nice.

**Both Associations. Regalia Navy and Grey**

TTRA & FoTTRA Fleeces.	£30.
TTRA & FoTTRA Button neck Polo shirts	£15.
TTRA & FoTTRA "V" Neck Woollen Jumper	£20.
CAPS	£12.
TIES	£12.

CAR MATS - UNIVERSAL FITTING	£20 set of 4 mats.
MIKE HAILWOOD - CHRISTMAS CARDS	£5 pack of 5

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All the above are available by Mail order. Contact Secretary. No card payment sorry.

This year has been dreadful for loss of members, young and older. Our sympathy goes out to all the families who have suffered such losses. We also do have some members who are really struggling with poor health and we send them all our best wishes for recovery and to let you know you are in our thoughts. More to the point we are here if we can assist you but we need to be contacted, please do remember that. All information is confidential, no names of who you are or who has contacted us is discussed. We are here to help our members.

### Sadly Under the Chequered flag

Dan Kneen tragically in the IoM TT Practice week May.

William Dunlop tragically in the Skerries 100 in Ireland in July.

James Cowton at the IoM Southern 100 in July.

Alan (Bud) Jackson tragically in the IoM Practice for the Classic TT in August.

Newcomer Adam Lyons in the IoM Supersport TT Race.

Don Williams a true gentleman at the age of 90yrs. With quite a racing history.

Ron H Lilley died in Holbeach at the age of 85. He rode the Jnr and Snr TT in 1957.

And the Jnr and Snr MGP in 1956

Tony Liptrott was a long standing member who always took an interest in the TTRA.

Apologies if any members have not been mentioned. Please inform me and they will be mentioned in the Spring edition. It is always helpful if we can be given some information regarding these great sportsmen.

Can I take this opportunity to thank Mick Chatterton and other members who travel many miles to be at the funeral of our great sportsmen and others related to the Sport. We are all very grateful and like to know the TTRA are represented at these sad events.

### The Rose Bowl Presentation at the last TTRA Luncheon for 2017-2018

I have been requested by Helen Smith the wife of the late Robin to enclose these few words.

“ The Motorsport community both on and off the Island was shocked and saddened by Robin’s death on 4<sup>th</sup> December last year, just over a month after receiving this award, of which he was very proud. Robin’s wife, family and friends continue to take every opportunity to support FoTTRA, including donations from the funeral service and collection TT and MGP”

On a personal note and from our two Associations I would like to thank Helen for her continued generosity and support in many ways and so pleased Robin was chosen as the recipient of the Rose Bowl and came to the Annual Luncheon for his very first time not knowing he was going to have a surprise.

### The story behind the Silver Rose Bowl

The Rose Bowl was presented to the TTRA in 2007 by the late Mr Joe Wood from Dublin in memory of the late Win and Allan Robinson. Engraved with the following words “ To be awarded in recognition of outstanding efforts to a member of the TT Riders Association or the Friends of the TT Riders ”

It was deemed that Joe Wood had to be the first recipient, he was recognised for enrolling more FoTTRA members in Ireland than anyone else in the UK.

The names to follow were Tony and Pat East, Tom Thorp, Malcolm Wheeler, Andy Jessopp, Michael Sutton, Bonhams Auctioneers, Wendy Mason, Stan Dibben.

Of course there will be a surprise awaiting someone at the Luncheon on the 7<sup>th</sup>.

**7<sup>th</sup> November 2018.**  
**TTRA Registered Charity.546**

All Members please will you try to arrange to come to the Annual General Meeting at 11am. It is only 30-35 mins. The time and venue was changed for your benefit and we are very happy to say that it has actually raised the numbers attending. Being a Registered Charity there are strong guidelines we have to adhere to, this meeting is important to you all and your votes are appreciated.

You will find Agenda and Finance sheets enclosed.

Thank you.

Frances

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The Annual Luncheon is here again and the plans are well on the way for the Fundraising Day.

Please remember that is what the day is about and every little helps to allow us to be able to assist those who we care for and who have given so much pleasure in the sporting world and also helped riders along the way.

Our Auction is the main source of help and again we would remind members and guests if they have no interest in the Auction we arrange for the bar to be open for you to go outside until the bidding is over. This enables everyone taking an interest to be able to hear our very respected Auctioneers from Bonhams to be able to raise the great prices for the TTRA Benevolent Fund. And also show appreciation to them for offering their own time to carry out the Auction for us.

If any of you have anything interesting for the Auction would you please let us know prior to the day so it can be listed, if it is not quite suitable we also have our great Sales Table where there are always bargains.

Look forward to hearing from you.

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*Committee*  
ANDY JESSOPP  
GEOFF KELLY

Hello Friends,

Another year and hope you have enjoyed whatever you were involved in and you are in good health.

The Fotra Lunch was a nice event and enjoyed by all who attended, there were a few moments of uncertainty for some members who actually were working at the Grandstand and with all the cancellations and changes of timetables made it impossible for them to attend but we still had a good number. The Mount Murray Golf Club made every one welcome and as usual served up a nice lunch and made sure we were all comfortable, thank you to Angie and all the staff.

Charlie Williams gave us some interesting stories and shared with myself with a few off the cuff thanks. For the guests who were new I explained what the Friends were about, also some of the reasons we fundraise and for what purpose.

I did make a mention of members and guests who are absolutely devoted to fundraising for us from raising nearly £4000 from a day event they put on in Louth and the work that involves, another member who every year opens her garden for spectators, raising this year alone well into the £1200+ many others present who collect at their own preferred spot and religiously return with their boxes and all these collections make up to a substantial amount. The hard working friends behind the scene who for 12 months of the year continue to deliver the red money boxes to many various outlets and also collect when full, followed by another couple who collect, count and bank regularly, these are members who are priceless and a tremendous help to the TTRA a big round of applause was given to them all. If there are any of you would like to become involved, collecting or counting it would be much appreciated, no pressure on any help given, do in your own time.

The Tombola was a success too, we raised almost £500 thank you everyone again who supported us in the table envelopes.

The prizes were a Steam Packet Return ticket to the UK, a delighted winner said, he was shocked as he had never won anything in his life. Shoprite Stores made a beautiful hamper for a 2<sup>nd</sup> prize and that was gratefully received, all items were non perishable so that was very much appreciated. A third prize was a New Fotra Fleece, which will be nice and cozy for the chilly start we are entering into now and finally a set of New Car mats with the TTRA Logo.

Any of you who are attending the TTRA Luncheon on November 7<sup>th</sup> 2018, look forward to seeing you there but for those of you who cannot attend may I wish you all a nice Peaceful Christmas with good Health for the New Year 2019 and look forward to meeting up again soon.

Kind thoughts,

Frances.