

SOUTHERN NEWS

ISSUE 9 – NOVEMBER - 2024



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Editorial

Now then. The last issue of the “All new look” Southern News you will get before Christmas. We have 1 event weekend left! The 2024 Christmas Cup over the weekend of 7th and 8th December @ Cowfarm. Always a brilliant event! So, make sure you don’t miss out.

Provisional plans for the 2025 calendar have been released both via the September newsletter and on the website. Some items of feedback were received and alterations are under consideration. A “Noncompetitive” events calendar will be drawn up to compliment the events calendar also. Let’s hope that 2025 gets up and going a bit quicker than 2024 did.

A new Facebook group specific for ALRC members has been setup and might be worth joining, Search for “ALRC Trials Vehicles, Parts and Discussion” and submit your request to join. Within the first week of the group, it had nearly 200 members.

Motorsport UK have released 3 videos on their Youtube channel as guides for the various disciplines within the Offroad and Cross-Country events category. They were all filmed at the 2024 ALRC rally and feature various SROC members. They are well put together with professional editing and voice over. Worth a look!!



Introduction to Cross Country Vehicle Trials | Part 2: CCV & Modified Trials



Introduction to Cross Country Vehicle Trials | Part 1: Road Taxed Vehicle Trials



A Guide to Beginning Your Off-Road Adventure | Welcome to Tyro Trial!

Have a great Christmas everyone.

Your New Years well wish will be in the December newsletter.

Cheers

John Jennings (JJ)

November Committee Summary

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Our last meeting took place over zoom on Tuesday 19th November, the committee had an extensive demonstration of various ALRC clubs' websites, including the ALRC website. These have all been constructed by the ALRC webmaster.

The websites are set up in such a way that every committee member (and possibly club member) can have different levels of access.

Many of the functions that currently require a good knowledge of website construction to carry out can be made much simpler. This will mean that any committee member can update items as needed and so spread the load. Individual members will be able to have a login and be able to save any details they are comfortable with, such as vehicle details and emergency contact details. This will make event entry much easier with most details already filled in. There may also be the possibility of marshals and other officials to sign on in advance.

Over the coming months we will be working with the webmaster to build and test the website to make it serve our need better.

There was a quick round up of the rest of the group reports. With only 1 event left now for this year. Next year's calendar as per the draft previously circulated is being progressed.

Mark Baitup

Next meeting will be Monday 16th December.



2024 Day into Night Trial (Photo's)



2024 Day into Night Trial Scores & Report

Southern Rover Owners Club

Day into Night Trial Cowfarm 16th November



Driver Name:	Vehicle Class:	Section								Points Total:	Class Position	Overall Position
		Day time				Night time						
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8			
Freya Luxford	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1		1st (Jnt)
Harry Powell	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1		1st (Jnt)
Dave Green	5	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	3		3rd
Jake Farrington	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	7		
Barney Harvery	9	0	0	0	3	0	0	7	0	10		
Dan Lillywhite	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	7	3	12		
Alan Taylor	5	0	0	8	0	0	0	7	0	15		
Oliver Sheath	4	9	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	16		
Shaun Lillywhite	5	0	0	7	3	1	0	7	0	18		
Shaun Stocking	4	0	6	7	1	1	0	7	0	22		

This year was our first trip to the SROC Day into Night trial. I must admit, having a lay in and getting a few jobs done before heading out to Cowfarm seemed a bit odd. The trial started at 2pm, and fashionably late as usual we arrived to see Shaun Lillywhite clear the 2nd section before the group headed over to section 3.

Keith Luxford had laid out the evening with his team of helpers, and unlike all other trials for the year, had to cater for both RTV and CCV motors with the same sections. Which, despite sounding impossible, he achieved perfectly. A point that echoed around the various drivers all day/evening.

The 10 competitors, 7 RTV and 3 CCV approached the evening with their normal levels of enthusiasm and comradery. Joining them were several spectators (Us included) and a few Marshals.

Following the 4 "Day time" sections, came the Lunch/Dinner/Tea break. Not only to allow the darkness to consume Cowfarm, but for the Powel/Stocking consortium to feed and water those in attendance. Loaded jacket spuds and warm drinks were welcomed by all, and well and truly hit the spot. Thanks to Nikki and Rosey for their hospitality and generosity.

The 4 sections were rerun as "Nighttime" sections. With the obvious differences being the darkness aspect. Almost impossible to take video or pictures as you could either see nothing due to the standard halogen lights on some of the trailers or being blinded by the latest LED light bars (Especially Harry's).

At the end of the event, Freya and Harry came in joint 1st beating Dave Greens 110 by just 2 points. Another great event in the history books.

Cheers

The Jennings Family (Bev, Jack, Joshua and John)

CLUB SHOP



OUR PRODUCTS

- Hoodies
- T-Shirts
- Polo
- Shirts
- Fleeces
- Bobble
- Hats
- Stickers
- Mugs
- Travel
- Mugs
- Water
- Bottles

If there is anything you would like to see in the club shop please get in touch with Tom or Lauren to see what we can do.

2025 SROC DRAFT EVENTS CALENDAR

(2nd Publication)

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DATE	EVENT	VENUE
15-Feb	GHF ELHAM	RTV1?
16-Feb	GHF ELHAM	CCV1
15-Mar	NEW SITE TBC	RTV 2?
16-Mar		CCV 2
21-Mar	CLUB AGM	AWARDS
		R&C TONBRIDGE?
18-Apr	GOOD FRIDAY	
19-Apr	EASTER SATURDAY	RTV 3
20-Apr	EASTER SUNDAY	CCV3
21-Apr	EASTER MONDAY	TYRO 1
02-May	Fri	EARLY MAY BANK HOLIDAY
03-May	Sat	EARLY MAY BANK HOLIDAY
04-May	Sunday	EARLY MAY BANK HOLIDAY
05-May	Monday	EARLY MAY BANK HOLIDAY
		NEW SITE
		TBC
		MAYFIELD
23-May	FRI	SPRING BANK HOLIDAY
24-May	Sat	ALRC NATIONAL RALLY
25-May	Sun	STAINBY
26-May	Mon	
15/16 JUNE	CORWALL AND DEVON CHARITY RTV DATE TBC	
21/24 June	SERIES 1 CLUB NATIONAL RALLY DATE AND VENUE TBC	
29-Jun	Sun	BINES FARM
		TYRO 3
6/7 JULY	MENDIP CHALLENGE	
	DATE TBC	
14-Jul		CCV 5
		EARLYE FARM?
19-Jul	RENHURST FARM	TYRO 4
20-Jul	RENHURST FARM	RTV 5
		RENHURST FARM
		MARK CROSS
03-Aug	2 DAY CCV	CCV
04-Aug	TEAM TRIAL	CCV
		NON LEAGUE
		BILSINGTON
		PRIORY
22-Aug	AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY	
23-Aug	AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY	RTV 6
24-Aug	AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY	CCV 7??
25-Aug	AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY	TYRO 5
		COPFORD FARM
		HORAM
		Camping Thursday
		to Tuesday 12
13-Sep	Majors Trial	
14-Sep	Majors Trial	
		DATES TBC
21-Sep	Sat	CCV 8
22-Sep	Sun	RTV 7
		DEUDNEYS FARM
		MAGHAM DOWN
12-Oct	DAY/NIGHT EVENT	Sat
13-Oct		Sun
		NON LEAGUE
		TIME TRIAL?
		COW FARM
08-Nov	Sat	RTV 8
09-Nov	Sun	CCV 8
		GHF
		ELHAM
07-Dec	XMAS CUP	Sat
08-Dec	XMAS CUP	Sun
		RTV 8
		CCV 8
		COW FARM
		COWBEECH

This list of "proposed" events is NOT definitive and is subject to consultation with our Landowners.

The list is also viewable/downloadable as a PDF document from the members area of www.sroc.co.uk

The purpose of publishing the draft calendar is to allow SROC members to volunteer their feedback to the committee. Should you have any suggestions or questions please send them to

competitionsec@sroc.co.uk



OCTOBER SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

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Here are the differences

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If you managed to spot all 8.

WELL, DONE!!

Previous 2024 Southern news publications

Available to download and view on www.sroc.co.uk members area.



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ISSUE 6 – AUGUST - 2024

Including:

- August Committee Update
- 2-Day CCV Team Trial Website update & Scores
- 2-Day CCV Editors Photos (Sunday)
- Still to come 2024 events
- Committee Vacancy for 2025 (Awards Role)
- New Club members
- August-BH CCV report
- Something a bit different (MacMillan)
- August BH event scores
- Leagues update

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SOUTHERN NEWS
ISSUE 7 – SEPTEMBER - 2024

Including:

- Editorial
- September Committee update
- SROC Members @ 2024 LRO Show
- Steering product review
- 2024 Majors Memorial Photo's
- Majors "Bystanders" Report
- Photo Caption Contest
- Awards role Committee Vacancy
- New Member welcome
- SROC 2024 events still to come
- 2025 Provisional events planner

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- Editorial
- October Committee update
- Welsh Majors report
- Deudneys CCV Photo's
- Deudneys Scores and Reports
- Spot the Difference Contest
- Meet the committee Part 1
- SROC Shop

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Aerodynamics are for people who can't build engines.

---Enzo Ferrari

