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The Newsletter of the Dagworth & District Gentlemen's Cycling Society



Incorporating news from the Chickering Cycling Circle

Carnival

Our winning form returned for this year's Stowmarket Carnival, and we strolled off with the first prize in the Small Vehicle category.

Our theme for the Carnival procession was Thunderbirds and we'll be celebrating our victory with this year's...

...Cracotte Challenge...

...in which your mission, should you choose to accept it, is to model a character or machine from Thunderbirds entirely from cracottes. Oh, all right, not entirely, you can use glue and sticky tape too; but you can only use them to hold

the cracottes together: there'll be none of this casting a model of Thunderbird 2 in Araldite with a single cracotte in he middle of it.

Bring your completed model along to the Christmas Dinner, where we'll judge whose is the best.

Christmas

If we're going to judge the Cracotte Challenge at the Christmas Dinner, that sort of implies that we will be having a Christmas Dinner. There's no date or venue fixed yet, so we'll just all look pointedly in Jon's direction until his will crumbles and he agrees to organise it.

Monthly meetings

I'm not quite sure how it happened, but the monthly meetings are still wandering around the county, even though Summer is over. In September we're going to Forward Green *Shepherd & Dog* on 18th. Woolpit *Bull* is the destination for 16th

October, Buxhall *Crown* (and probably on to Finborough *White Horse* later) on 20th November and Combs *Gardener's Arms* on 15th December. We usually manage to get to the pub by 8:30pm...

Officers

President Keith Farrow

Vice-President Jacky Ives

Foreman Ken Bond

Treasurer Richard Hall

Social Secretary Andrew Pattle

Recorder Jonathan Walker

More Monthly Meetings

The Veteran-Cycle

Club 'Flat Section' meets at the *Scole Inn* on the last Monday of each month. Make a 'phone call to Cally on 01986 784664 or send an e-mail to Matthew at holder.family@tesco.net if you want to know more.

Another Meeting

The next quarterly meeting will be at Haughley Railway Tavern on 4th December. Half past eight is the time to arrive.

Show off

We put on a splendid display at the Museum of East Anglian Life's History Fair with half a dozen

trade bikes and $10\frac{1}{2}$ tricycles. As a result, we have been asked to do something similar at next year's Mendlesham Street Fair. I expect we'll have a similar theme to the display but on a smaller scale - because of the bother of dragging everything all the

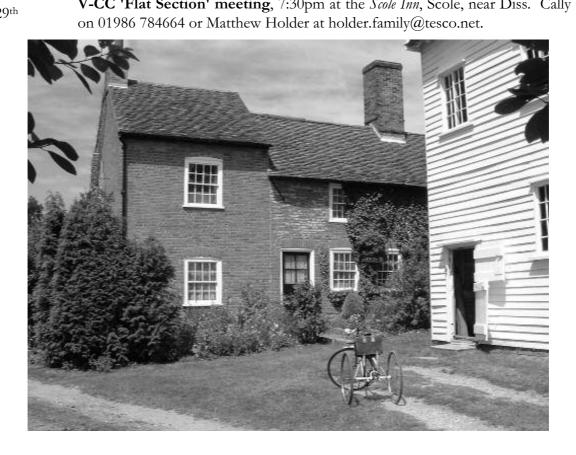
way to Mendlesham. The Street Fair is on the May Day Bank Holiday.



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Programme Summary

September	
Thursday 18 th	Monthly meeting: 8:30pm, Forward Green Shepherd & Dog.
Sunday 21st	V-CC North Essex Section Dedham to Lavenham Ride. John Malseed, 01206 323334.
Sunday 28th	V-CC Suffolk Trudge from Marlinspike Hall, Walpole. Cally Calloman on 01986 784664
Monday 29th	V-CC 'Flat Section' meeting , 7:30pm at the <i>Scole Inn</i> , Scole, near Diss. Cally Calloman on 01986 784664 or Matthew Holder at holder.family@tesco.net
October	
Thursday 16th	Monthly meeting and conkers match: 8:30pm, Woolpit Bull.
Monday 27 th	V-CC 'Flat Section' meeting , 7:30pm at the <i>Scole Inn</i> , Scole, near Diss. Cally Calloman on 01986 784664 or Matthew Holder at holder.family@tesco.net.
Friday 31st	All Hallow's Eve Ride, 8:00pm from Unity Road, Stowmarket.
November	
Thursday 20 th	Monthly meeting: 8:30pm, Buxhall Crown.
Monday 24 th	V-CC 'Flat Section' meeting , 7:30pm at the <i>Scole Inn</i> , Scole, near Diss. Cally Calloman on 01986 784664 or Matthew Holder at holder.family@tesco.net.
December	
Thursday 4 th	Quarterly meeting at Haughley Railway Tavern from 8:30.
Thursday 18 th	Monthly meeting: 8:30pm, Combs Gardener's Arms.
Monday 29th	V-CC 'Flat Section' meeting , 7:30pm at the <i>Scole Inn</i> , Scole, near Diss. Cally Calloman on 01986 784664 or Matthew Holder at holder.family@tesco.net.



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