



# East Anglian Newsletter

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## Just a minute !

**B**REXIT, Ed Balls, Donald Trump, Peter Horsnell, the wave of democratic insurrection for which 2016 was so notable even infected the VTTA East Anglian Group AGM on November 27th, which saw the deposition of revered, long-serving Chairman Peter Horsnell. Actually, "reposition" would be more accurate than "deposition", since he was promptly elected President, to popular acclaim, and canonisation must surely follow in due course. Meanwhile, Andy Grant was ceremonially invested with the Chairman's Great Gavel of Authority.

The Group owes Peter a debt of gratitude for his 17 years of service as Chairman, as it does Mick Pepper, who stood down as Honorary Archivist after a similarly long stint. Mick, indeed, was deemed irreplaceable and the archives are headed in the direction of the Essex Records Office where they will be microfiched or digitalised or whatever the current fashion is in the world of espionage, and will be available for public inspection.

Peter had the additional consolation of his usual barrow-load of awards at the Prize Presentation which followed, but on this occasion conceded the lion's share of the loot to Dave Green.

Now, if you haven't been paying much attention up to this point PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING CLOSELY, BECAUSE IT CONCERNS YOU. Mindful of organisers' ongoing difficulty in securing sufficient marshals and other helpers for our ambitious programme of promotions, the AGM passed the proposal that, with effect from 2018: *Any member who has not helped with the running of East Anglian VTTA events during the preceding three years may be rejected from entry in VTTA East Anglian events on E2 courses.*

New members of the Group have an exemption to the end of their first calendar year, but will clearly need to get their volunteering in early in their second year.

Below you will find a list of next year's events, with a box to be ticked to volunteer to help. This should be returned to Merv, preferably by e-mail. Please note that Eric Angell's circuit 25 on the E33 is now fully-staffed! Many have already responded, so don't delay, or you may risk not having an "LTS" qualification.

Thoroughly imbued with the insurgent political spirit of the times, the AGM also voted to close our borders to

immigrants, that being anyone who doesn't live within a xenophobically narrow definition of East Anglia (rough luck Royston; no chance St. Neots; sorry Spalding). High level consultation confirmed, however, that this was in conflict with the VTTA constitution so it will not be implemented.

The Group will, however, be proposing a motion at the National VTTA AGM to reinstate club team awards at National Championships. These were dropped last year in favour of exclusively Group team awards since when team awards for National championships have been inconsistent with those for the Season Long competitions and the attractions of travelling to any championship other than a local one has been greatly reduced, as it's difficult to know in advance whether you will have any team mates, still less who they might be.

The Group will certainly be opposing a motion from London and Home Counties that seeks to prevent Groups offering preference to entries from their own Group members in their own events (and yes, this is directly targeted at East Anglia and the E2.)

I'm sure I can't be the only one to see parallels between creeping federalism in the VTTA and the arrogant centralism of the EU that ultimately resulted in Brexit.

Ah well. Your membership ran out on 31st December. If you haven't yet re-joined, but intend to, please complete the form to be found later in this newsletter; if you haven't yet re-joined because you don't intend to, or you've died, please let Merv know, and help save a phone call and postage around March! In the latter instance notification by proxy will be accepted.

This being the January newsletter, it's full of data and other factual information. I've tried not to repeat material that's just appeared in the December 2016 edition of *The Veteran*, which has just been published, and which included an obituary for Frank Edwards, who sadly passed away in July.

I have a couple of articles I'm holding over to a later edition, so if you've sent them in, please don't be offended that they haven't appeared and please do send material.

Meanwhile, a belated Happy New Year and best wishes for a 2017 in which the Thursday evening and Saturday afternoon Monsoon moves from the Six Mile Bottom area to, for the sake of argument, Hull, and the wind blows gently and steadily from the North down a sunny, warm A14.

Andy

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## General Secretary's Report

27th November 2016

There has been a steady flow of new members joining the Group this year, a similar number, 76, to last year's 71.

Unfortunately there has been an increase in members not continuing their membership. 24 have not renewed, 27 have lapsed and sadly two members have died, John Wilson and Clifford Brocklesby, a total of 53.

In 2015, 40 resigned, lapsed or died.

Membership now stands at 407 with 383 Individual members and 24 partners. Membership at the end of 2014 was 378.

During the year two members were granted Honorary Life Membership, these being Peter Baumber and Brian Foster. A further three members will qualify as Honorary Life Members next year. They are Bob Bush, Brian swallow and Patrick Sheppard.

The total HLM's in the Group now stands at 38.

Merv Player

# Meet the first East Anglian to cycle 25 miles in an hour – and down the A47 from Norwich to Yarmouth

ARCHANT NORFOLK

For motorists, it is a journey which - at the wrong time of the day – can still take the best part of an hour. But for Terry Grint, the 20-odd miles from Norwich to Great Yarmouth could be tackled in around 50 minutes. Terry, from Hethersett, held the record for the route for two decades, one of a series of titles he claimed in a glittering career in the saddle.

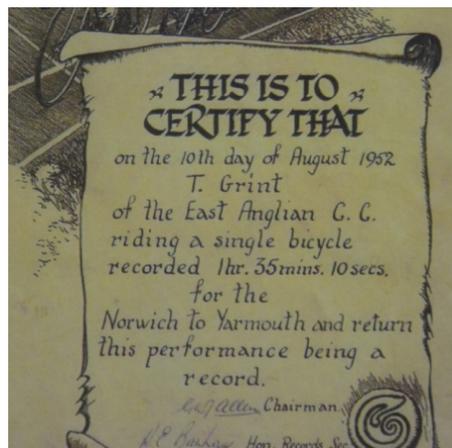
Now 83, he has recalled his cycling feats to the Evening News after it was announced that the first leg of the 2016 Aviva Women's Tour, in June, is to finish in the city centre. Mr Grint, who ran city firm Fitt Signs and Graphics before his retirement, first jumped on his bike at the age of nine, in the midst of a Second World War blackout.

With a candle inside a jam jar hanging from his handlebars guiding the way, he delivered dirty washing from a local restaurant in Costessey to a laundry in Norwich. It may have been a unique introduction to cycling, but it certainly proved effective. Taking up cycling seriously at the age of 18, he went on to become one of the top amateurs in the east of England.

"I was the first East Anglian to break the hour for 25 miles, which in the cycling world



Terry Grint, who set the Norwich-Yarmouth and back cycle time trial record in the 1950's.  
"After" PHOTO BY SIMON FINLAY



is the equivalent of the four-minute mile," he recalled. "I was also the first East Anglian rider to do 50 miles inside two hours and I was the Eastern Counties 25-mile road

champion two years in a row."

For two decades, he held the record for riding from Norwich to Yarmouth and back, completing the round journey of around 40 miles in one hour and 38 minutes.

So impressive were his performances that he was dubbed the "revelation of the year from East Anglia" by *Cycling* magazine. But, just as his career moved towards its peak in the early 1950s, it was brought crashing to the ground.

"I had an appendix operation which went a little bit wrong and I just never regained what I had before," he said.

"The story finished up quite nicely actually; my wife Janet used to come visit me in hospital after the operation and then we ended up getting married."

Joshua Hanrahan,  
*Norwich Evening News*

## PROVISIONAL 2017 EVENTS LIST

Date	Event	Course	Organiser
Sat 8th April	Group circuit 25	E33/25	Eric Angell
Sun 23rd April	Group 10 *	B10/35	Ron Back
Sat 27th May	Victoria 10 (inc Group 10)	E1/10a	Christine Yareham
Thur 8th June	Group 10 *	E2/10	Mark Arnold
Sat 10th June	Group 50 *	E2/50c	Paul Hirst
Thurs 15th June	Group 10 *	E2/10	Mark Arnold
Sat 17th June	Victoria 10 (inc Group 10)	E1/10a	Christine Yareham
Thurs 22nd June	Group 10 *	E2/10	Mark Arnold
Thurs 29th June	Group 10 *	E2/10	Mark Arnold
Sat 8th July	Open Ladies BBAR 25	E2/25	John Golder
Sat 8th July	National VTTA 25	E2/25	John Golder
Sun 16th July	EDCA 100 (inc Group 100)	B100/4	Richard Reade
Sat 29th July	Victoria 10 (inc Group 10)	E1/10a	Christine Yareham
Sun 30th July	Group 25 *	E2/25	Paul Hirst
Sat 12th August	Group 10	B10/43	Barry Freeman
Sun 13th August	National CTT & VTTA 12hr	E2/12hr	Dave Nock
Sat 26th August	Victoria 10 (inc Group 10)	E1/10a	Christine Yareham
Sat 9th Sept	Group 10 *	E2/10	Dominic Whitehead
Sun 24th Sept	Lea Valley 30 (inc Group 30)	E1/30	Mark Freeman
Sat 7th Oct	Leo 30	E2/30c	John Golder

\* Preference to East Anglian VTTA members

7 of the 10 mile TT's shown above go towards the 10 points league, riders need 4 to qualify, the evening 10's run by Mark Arnold will not count for the league.

The Victoria events also include 2 & 3up TTT's & tandem events

## Llewelyn Ranson

Those who know Llewelyn might like to know that he celebrated his 99th birthday on 28th November 2016. He has recently moved from East Hanningfield to live his daughter Ann and family at Toux Farm, Mentlaw, Peterhead, Aberdeenshire AB42 4LX and would no doubt be delighted to hear from old friends.



Mary setting a good example by delegating a pushing-off duty to the Chairman Emeritus



VTTA National Chairman Jim Burgin presents Dave Green with a small fraction of his season's loot.

## VTTA East Anglian Group Age Records 2016

There have been 27 solo men's East Anglian group records broken this year, 3 of which are National records and also 4 men's tandem records, 3 of which are National records. Unfortunately there have not been any claims from women this year.

### Solo men 10 miles

Gavin Hinxman	48	18.38
Andrew Grant	63	21.09
Andrew Grant	63	20.26
Ken Platts	64	20.33
Chris Roberts	71	21.44
Len Benton	77	23.27
Peter Horsnell	86	27.57

### Solo men 15 miles

Gavin Hinxman	48	30.09
Andrew Grant	63	32.02 (National)
Ken Platts	64	32.19
Ron Back	77	37.45

### Solo men 25 miles

Gavin Hinxman	48	49.28
Ken Platts	64	53.01
Ken Platts	64	53.00
Chris Roberts	71	55.47
Len Benton	78	58.57
Peter Horsnell	86	1.07.24

### Solo men 50 miles

Andrew Grant	63	1.48.29
Ken Platts	64	1.50.08
Chris Dyason	68	1.57.43
Peter Horsnell	86	2.26.09

### Solo men 100 miles

Gavin Hinxman	48	3.38.02
Dave Green	52	3.37.01 (National)
Ken Platts	64	3.53.24
Peter Horsnell	86	5.12.31 (National)

### Solo men 12 hour

Dave Green	52	289.50m
John Golder	63	262.93m

### Tandem men 10 miles

Glenn Taylor/Mark Arnold	48/41	17.42 (National)
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### Tandem men 15 miles

Glenn Taylor/Mark Arnold	45	26.53 (National)
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### Tandem men 25 mile

Glenn Taylor/Mark Arnold	45	45.50 (National)
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### Tandem men 50 miles

Vic Haines/Craig Chappell	54	1.48.13
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Dave Green in full flight

## CAN YOU HELP?

Tony and Lorna Hanlon are looking for a new "home" for their Lifetime Collection of memorabilia, most of which are cycle racing awards from 1958-2003. They have contacted the National Cycle Museum in Wales (not sufficient space) and the National Trust in Bristol (only interested in domestic articles) and so far have been unsuccessful in their search.

The collection contains five special display boxes of medals (total of + 500) some of which are National BBAR, Team, Competition Records and individual awards. There are some trophies, many VTTA plaques and many action photos. There are also two Life Scrap Books, a folder with BBAR, VTTA, WRRRA and many more Performance Certificates.

As we have no families to pass these items to, we are offering to donate these to any suitably interested parties who have the space to accommodate them. At present the collection is sited in Alicante, Spain where we live, but either we will bring the collection to the UK personally or arrange for delivery to the U.K. free of charge. If you know of any possible "new home" for the collection, please contact Tony or Lorna Hanlon by email [two.hanlons@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:two.hanlons@yahoo.co.uk) and we will be pleased to discuss the matter in detail. A free video is also available showing how the collection is displayed at present.

## In Praise of Sat-Navs

I have a little Sat-Nav  
 It sits there in my car  
 A Sat-Nav is a driver's friend  
 It tells you where you are  
 I have a little Sat-Nav  
 I've had it all my life  
 It's better than the normal ones  
 My Sat-Nav is my wife  
 It gives me full instructions  
 Especially how to drive  
 "It's thirty miles an hour", it says  
 "You're doing thirty five"  
 It tells me when to stop and start  
 And when to use the brake  
 And tells me that it's never ever  
 Safe to overtake  
 It tells me when a light is red  
 And when it goes to green  
 It seems to know instinctively  
 Just when to intervene  
 It lists the vehicles just in front  
 And all those to the rear  
 And taking this into account  
 It specifies my gear.  
 I'm sure no other driver  
 Has so helpful a device  
 For when we leave and lock the car  
 It still gives its advice  
 It fills me up with counselling  
 Each journey's pretty fraught  
 So why don't I exchange it  
 And get a quieter sort?  
 Ah well, you see, it cleans the  
 house,  
 Makes sure I'm properly fed,  
 It washes all my shirts and things  
 And - keeps me warm in bed!  
 Despite all these advantages  
 And my tendency to scoff,  
 I do wish that once in a while  
 I could turn the damned thing off.

## AWARD WINNERS 2016

### Ron Back – West Suffolk Wheelers & Tri club

Age group fastest in 1st Victoria 10  
Group age record at 15 miles

### Len Benton – Colchester Rovers

Age group fastest in 2nd group 25  
BOS & age group fastest in 2nd group 10  
Group age records at 10 & 25 miles

### Bob Bush – CC Sudbury

Age group fastest in 1st Victoria 10  
Age group fastest in 2nd Victoria 10  
Age group fastest in 4th Victoria 10

### Jim Caplin – Godric CC

Age group fastest in 2nd group 10

### Keith Dorling – Team Bottrill

Standards at 10, 25, 50 and 100 miles  
Age group fastest in 1st Victoria 10  
Age group fastest in group 100  
Age group fastest in 1st group 25  
Age group fastest in 3rd group 10  
7th in group & 18th in National 3 distance competition  
8th in group & 44th in National short distance competition  
7th in group 4 distance championship

### Len Finch – CC Sudbury

Standard at 10 miles  
Age group fastest in 3rd group 10

### John Golder – Chelmer CC

Standards at 10, 15, 25 and 100 miles and 12 hours  
Team in group 100  
Age group fastest in group 12 hour  
3rd in group & 7th in National BAR  
8th in group & 27th in National 3 distance competition  
12th in group & 80th in National short distance competition  
9th & team in group 4 distance championship  
Group age record at 12 hours

### Denise Hurren – Sole Bay Cycle Sport

Group 10 mile points competition shield (ladies)

### Bob Quarton – Wolsey RC

Standards at 10, 15, 25 and 100 miles  
Age group fastest in 2nd group 10  
15th in group & 72nd in National 3 distance competition  
18th in group & 175th in National short distance competition  
14th in group 4 distance championship

### Chris Roberts – Anglia Velo

Age group fastest in first group 10  
Age group fastest in 1st group 25  
Age group fastest in 2nd group 25  
Age group fastest in 2nd group 10  
Group age records at 10 & 25 miles

*Note: All positions in National competitions are provisional*

### Group Best All Rounder

(BOS 25, 50, 100 miles and 12 hours)  
1st Dave Green, Team Velovelocity +78.56 minutes  
2nd Gray Turnock, Finsbury Park CC +71.21 minutes  
3rd John Golder, Chelmer CC +67.31 minutes

### Group Championship

(BOS 10, 25, 50 and 100 miles)  
1st Peter Horsnell, Chelmer CC +83.13 minutes  
2nd Ken Platts, Cambridge CC +76.51 minutes  
3rd Gavin Hinxman, Kettering CC +75.17 minutes  
Team: Chelmer CC,  
Peter Horsnell, John Golder, Ann Shuttleworth +199.54 minutes

### Group 3 Distance Championship

(25, 50 and 100 miles)  
1st Peter Horsnell, Chelmer CC +67.15 minutes  
2nd Ken Platts, Cambridge CC +58.00 minutes  
3rd Dave Green, Team Velovelocity +56.48 minutes

## TROPHY WINNERS 2016

### Darren Bigmore – Glendene CC

Group 10 mile points competition shield  
Age group fastest in 1st Victoria 10  
Age group fastest in 2nd Victoria 10

### Andrew Grant – Cambridge CC

Charlie Cliff shield (BOS in first group 10)  
Standards plaque at 10, 15, 25 and 50 miles  
BOS & age group fastest in first group 10  
Team BOS in group 50  
Team BOS & age group fastest in 1st group 25  
Team BOS & age group fastest in 2nd group 25  
3rd in group & 24th in National short distance competition  
Group age records at 10, 15 & 50 miles  
National age record at 15 miles

### Peter Horsnell – Chelmer CC

Harry Haynes shield  
(Group Champion BOS over 10, 25, 50 and 100 miles)  
Ron Fisher/Jack King memorial shield (BOS in last group 10)  
Syd Parkinson cup (BOS in nominated 50)  
Bob Haworth Memorial cup (BOS in nominated 100)  
BOS in group 50  
Age group fastest in group 50  
BOS, age group fastest and team in group 100  
Age group fastest in 1st group 25  
Age group fastest in 2nd group 25  
Age group fastest in 4th Victoria 10  
Age group fastest in 3rd group 10  
1st in group & 1st in National 3 distance competition  
4th & team in group & 29th in National short distance competition  
Group age records at 10, 25, 50 & 100 miles  
National age record at 100 miles

### Susan Triplow – Essex Roads CC

Group Ladies Championship Syd Parkinson cup  
(Lady BOS over two 10s, two 25s and 50 miles)  
Standards plaque at 10, 25, 50 and 100 miles  
Fastest lady BOS in 1st Victoria 10  
10th in group & 34th in National 3 distance competition  
10th in group & 61st in National short distance competition  
8th in group 4 distance championship

### Dave Green – Team Velovelocity

Lionel Lincoln Memorial shield  
(Group BAR over 25, 50 and 100 miles and 12 hours)  
H. Nevill 25 cup (BOS in first group 25)  
Geri Lang Memorial cup (BOS in second group 25)  
Freddie Frost Memorial 12 hour cup  
(Greatest mileage in any 12 hour)  
H Nevill 12 hour cup (BOS in London East or East District 12 hour)  
Standards at 100 miles and 12 hours  
Age group fastest in group 50  
Age group fastest in group 100  
BOS in 2nd group 25  
2nd in National BAR  
3rd in group & 8th in National 3 distance competition  
4th in group 4 distance championship  
Group age records at 100 miles and 12 hours  
National age record at 100 miles

### Dave Nock

Gordon Irons Memorial cup (Outstanding services to the group)

### Group Ladies Championship

(BOS two 10s, two 25s and 50 miles)  
1st Susan Triplow, Essex Roads CC +77.56 minutes  
2nd Anna Dearing, Colchester Rovers CC +70.51 minutes  
3rd Ann Shuttleworth, Chelmer CC +64.07 minutes

### Short Distance Competition

(two 10s and two 25s)  
1st Gavin Hinxman, Kettering CC +75.06 minutes  
2nd Ken Platts, Cambridge CC +74.46 minutes  
3rd Andrew Grant, Cambridge CC +71.36 minutes

### Group 10 miles points Competition

1st Man Darren Bigmore, Glendene CC  
1st Lady Denise Hurren, Sole Bay Cycle Sport

# East Anglian Success in National Competitions

## National BAR 2016

Richard Bideau	Pendle Forest CC	North Lancs and Lakes	1:26:51	1
Dave Green	Velo Velocity	East Anglian	1:18:56	2
Ian Holbrook	Stone Wh CC	Manchester & NW	1:11:53	3
Gray Turnock	Finsbury Park CC	East Anglian	1:11:21	4
Steve Williamson	a3crg	Wessex	1:09:52	5
Neil Skellern	Team Swift	Manchester & NW	1:08:45	6
John Golder	Chelmer CC	East Anglian	1:07:31	7
David Shepherd	GS Stella	Surrey/Sussex	1:07:07	8
Katja Rietdorf	Born to Bike	London & Home Counties	1:06:25	9

### Group Team 1st East Anglia 6:20:47

Dave Green	Velo Velocity	East Anglian	1:18:56	1
Gray Turnock	Finsbury Park CC	East Anglian	1:11:21	2
John Golder	Chelmer CC	East Anglian	1:07:31	3
Julian Pegg	Hitchin Nomads CC	East Anglian	1:03:21	4
Rob Dulson	Hainault RC	East Anglian	51:53	5
Graham Painter	Chelmer CC	East Anglian	47:45	6

## 3 Distance BAR 2016

Peter Horsnell	Chelmer CC	East Anglian	1:07:15	1
Richard Bideau	Pendle Forest CC	North Lancs and Lakes	1:02:52	2
Stephen Irwin	North Lancs RC	North Lancs and Lakes	1:02:08	3
Peter Greenwood	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	1:00:45	4
Liam Maybank	Twickenham CC	London & Home Counties	1:00:26	5
Jon Wynn	TI Diabetes.info	West	58:15	6
Ken Platts	Cambridge CC	East Anglian	58:00	7
Dave Green	Velo Velocity	East Anglian	56:48	8
Rob Pears	Bath CC	West	56:16	9
David Hargeaves	North Lancs RC	North Lancs and Lakes	55:25	10

### 3 Distance Group Team

#### 1st North Lancs and Lakes 5:48:00

Richard Bideau	Pendle Forest CC	North Lancs and Lakes	1:02:52	1
Stephen Irwin	North Lancs RC	North Lancs and Lakes	1:02:08	2
Peter Greenwood	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	1:00:45	3
David Hargeaves	North Lancs RC	North Lancs and Lakes	55:25	4
Mick Black	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	54:58	5
Paul D Fleming	Preston Wheelers	North Lancs and Lakes	51:53	6

#### 2nd East Anglia 5:43:43

Peter Horsnell	Chelmer CC	East Anglian	1:07:15	1
Ken Platts	Cambridge CC	East Anglian	58:00	2
Dave Green	Velo Velocity	East Anglian	56:48	3
Gavin Hinxman	Kettering CC	East Anglian	55:22	4
Gray Turnock	Finsbury Park CC	East Anglian	53:135	
Julian Elliott	Finsbury Park CC	East Anglian	53:066	

### Club Team

#### 1st North Lancs and Lakes 2:46:13

Peter Greenwood	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	1:00:45	1
Mick Black	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	54:58	2
Neil Skellern	Team Swift	Manchester & NW	50:31	3

#### 2nd Chelmer CC 2:35:38

Peter Horsnell	Chelmer CC	East Anglian	1:07:15	1
John Golder	Chelmer CC	East Anglian	47:54	2
Ann Shuttleworth	Chelmer CC	East Anglian	40:28	3

## Short Distance BAR 2016

Ron Hallam	South Pennine RC	Nots and East Mids	1:34:45	1
Brian Sunter	Condor RC	Yorkshire	1:22:52	2
Terry Icke	Newport CC	Wessex	1:22:21	3
Stephen Irwin	North Lancs RC	North Lancs and Lakes	1:21:59	4
Peter Greenwood	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	1:19:40	5
Michael Ellerton	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	1:19:12	6
Mick Black	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	1:18:02	7
Rob Pears	Bath CC	West	1:17:45	8
Gavin Hinxman	Kettering CC	East Anglian	1:15:06	9
Keith Murray	Drag2Zero.com	North	1:14:53	10

### Group Team

#### 1st North Lancs and Lakes 7:43:12

Stephen Irwin	North Lancs RC	North Lancs and Lakes	1:21:59	1
Peter Greenwood	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	1:19:40	2
Michael Ellerton	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	1:19:12	3
Mick Black	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	1:18:02	4
Paul DFleming	Preston Wheelers	North Lancs and Lakes	1:12:16	5
David Hargeaves	North Lancs RC	North Lancs and Lakes	1:12:04	6

### 2nd Nottingham and East Midlands 7:25:04

Ron Hallam	South Pennine RC	Nots and East Mids	1:34:45	1
Ian Guilor	Mapperley CC	Nots and East Mids	1:14:43	2
Dan Barnett	Team Bottrill	Nots and East Mids	1:11:32	3
Geoff Platts	Team Bottrill	Nots and East Mids	1:11:19	4
Sean Vincent	Team Bottrill	Nots and East Mids	1:06:27	5
Graham Green	Team Bottrill	Nots and East Mids	1:06:19	6

### 3rd East Anglia 7:07:59

Gavin Hinxman	Kettering CC	East Anglian	1:15:06	1
Ken Platts	Cambridge CC	East Anglian	1:14:46	2
Andrew Grant	Cambridge CC	East Anglian	1:11:36	3
Peter Horsnell	Chelmer CC	East Anglian	1:10:00	4
Chris Dyason	Cambridge CC	East Anglian	1:08:20	5
Julian Elliott	Finsbury Park CC	East Anglian	1:08:12	6

### Club Team

#### 1st Team Swift 3:56:54

Peter Greenwood	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	1:19:40	1
Michael Ellerton	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	1:19:12	2
Mick Black	Team Swift	North Lancs and Lakes	1:18:02	3

#### 2nd Cambridge CC 3:34:42

Ken Platts	Cambridge CC	East Anglian	1:14:46	1
Andrew Grant	Cambridge CC	East Anglian	1:11:36	2
Chris Dyason	Cambridge CC	East Anglian	1:08:20	3

# EAST ANGLIAN GROUP — RENEWAL OF MEMBERSHIP

Keith Dorling the Group treasurer, has set up internet banking, which will result in bills being paid more quickly as you will no longer have to send cheques, merely transfer directly from your bank. You may also set up a standing order to pay your yearly subscription - again saving a cheque, postage, and the shoe leather of our membership secretary trudging down the post office to pay them all in.

To pay by direct bank transfer, please email Keith: [krd51@icloud.com](mailto:krd51@icloud.com) and Merv Player [bikies@pat-merv.freeserve.co.uk](mailto:bikies@pat-merv.freeserve.co.uk) telling them that you have done so and including any updates of contact details (address, phone numbers or email).

**VTTA EA BANK DETAILS: Sort code 09-01-55 Account 32258703**

You may, of course, still pay by cheque if you so wish, in which case please send this form, with your remittance to:

General/Membership Secretary - Merv Player, 18 New Close, Knebworth, Herts SG3 6NU,  
**NOT TO THE TREASURER**

*Subscriptions for 2017 are unchanged at:*

Single membership £12, Couple membership £14, Standard season ticket £11.

**Please make cheques payable to VTТА East Anglian.**

Name.....  
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Please fill in your latest email if you have received this by post, this will be kept only by Merv. and John Golder, it will not be shared with anyone else, it will save the Group time/money on printing and postage. Thank you.

## Marshalling List 2017

Here is the list of all the events for the Group. Please specify at least one Group event of your choice at which you are able to help in 2017 by ticking the adjacent box - more than one if you possible can. Send this back to Merv Player and he will pass the information to the relevant organiser who will contact you prior to the event. Please note that this is an obligation which may be delegated if you know anyone that gullible, besotted devoted to you so feel free to nominate spouses, sons, daughters, nephews, nieces significant others (but preferably ask them first how they feel about standing next to a dual carriageway for two and a half hours - sorry, I'm not selling this very well am I?)

There are other events with which we are associated (e.g. the Victoria CC 10 series) so if you really cannot find a date on which you could assist at a Group event, perhaps you could nominate one of those.

We have an ambitious Group event schedule for 2017, but to sustain this and the supply of organisers for the future, everyone needs to pull their weight. If everyone did so, with a membership of 380+ it ought not to be onerous. If everybody did one duty, each individual would be called on once every five years.

Date	Event	Course	Organiser	Event choice
Sat 8th April	Group Circuit 25	E33/25	Eric Angell	No Vacancies
Sun 23rd April	Group 10	B10/35	Ron Back	<input type="checkbox"/>
Thur 8th June	Group 10	E2/10	Mark Arnold	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sat 10th June	Group 50	E2/50c	Paul Hirst	<input type="checkbox"/>
Thur 15th June	Group 10	E2/10	Mark Arnold	<input type="checkbox"/>
Thur 22nd June	Group 10	E2/10	Mark Arnold	<input type="checkbox"/>
Thur 29th June	Group 10	E2/10	Mark Arnold	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sat 8th July	National VTТА 25	E2/25	John Golder	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sun 30th July	Group 25	E2/25	Paul Hirst	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sat 12th Aug	Group 10	B10/43	Barry Freeman	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sat 9th Sept	Group 10	E2/10	Dominic Whitehead	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sat 7th Oct	Leo 30	E2/30	John Golder	<input type="checkbox"/>

I am willing and able to help/I nominate the following to help in the event(s) that I have nominated above.

Name .....

Address .....

.....Post Code.....

Telephone .....E-mail.....

Club .....Signed.....

*Please return to:*

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