

## YOUR COMMITTEE

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## NEXT BRANCH MEETING 20<sup>th</sup> January 2009



[www.thamesvalley.nortonownersclub.org](http://www.thamesvalley.nortonownersclub.org)

Apologies for the basic newsletter, Rob was otherwise engaged so you have my humble efforts. Tony

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### Thames Valley Annual Dinner

The Thames Valley Branch Annual Dinner will be held on the January Club Night, January 20<sup>th</sup>, at the usual venue, The Cricketers, Hayley Green. Let Tony know if you wish to attend and how many in your party.

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### Upcoming events

20<sup>th</sup> January Thames Valley Branch Dinner at the Cricketers, Hayley Green.

5<sup>th</sup> April Norton Owners Club A.G.M. at the Heritage Motor Centre, Gaydon, Warwickshire

22<sup>nd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> May Solent Branch camping weekend, Flower Pots at Cheriton.

18<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> June Norton Festival at Donington Park including NOC Golden Jubilee on the 19<sup>th</sup> and Norton Day on the 21<sup>st</sup>.

3<sup>rd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> July NOC National Rally at Keynsham, Bristol

18<sup>th</sup> - 26<sup>th</sup> July NOC International Rally (Austria)

30<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> August Swallowfield Show.

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### Swallowfield Show

As you will know this is the Golden Jubilee year for the NOC and all the branches have been asked to make a special effort to put on an event of some sort that all members can use as a

venue for a run and as part of a competition for maximum mileage travelled to events (details to follow in the next Roadholder). At the AGM it was decided that we would have a stand at the Swallowfield show over the August bank holiday. More details will be circulated later and I will be asking for members to bring their bikes along for one or both of the days. Flyer attached.

### NOC Calenders

Don't forget to obtain your copy of the 2009 Calendar from Tony, only £7.00 (Normally £9.50)

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### Membership Fees

As agreed at the AGM, membership fees for those having the newsletter by POST (Not email) have had to increase to £5.00 per year. You will need to pay me (Tony Ripley) either in cash or 2<sup>nd</sup> class stamps, about 19 will do it. This will be the last newsletter sent out to those who have not paid.

Renewal date for this branch membership fee will now be 1<sup>st</sup> January. Anyone who paid any time in 2008 will only need to pay me £3.00

## 2008/ 2009 Events

### Thames Valley Branch NOC - Events Calendar

Date	Event	Contact	Status
<b>January 2009</b>			
20 <sup>th</sup>	Thames Valley Club Night and Annual Dinner at The Cricketers, Hayley Green	Tony Ripley	Confirmed
<b>February</b>			
17 <sup>th</sup>	Thames Valley Club Night at The Cricketers, Hayley Green	Tony Ripley	Confirmed
<b>March</b>			
17 <sup>th</sup>	Thames Valley Club Night at The Cricketers, Hayley Green	Tony Ripley	Confirmed
<b>August</b>			
30 <sup>th</sup> – 31 <sup>st</sup>	Swallowfield Show	Tony Ripley	Confirmed

# Thames Valley NOC Invite you to the Swallowfield Show

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> / Monday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2009

**Just a Short Drive From Reading - M4 Junction11**

## Directions to the Show Ground

- From junction 11 M4
- A33 towards Basingstoke
- 500yds Roundabout - take first exit
- 500yds mini roundabout - straight over
- Approximately 1 mile - garage/petrol station
- Turn right at petrol station
- Show ground quarter of a mile on right
- Route fully AA signposted from M4
- Free Car Parking

**Postcode - RG7 1HS**

## Admission: -

- Adults £5.00
- Concessions £3.00
- Children £1.00

Gates Open at 09:00 am

For full details see <http://www.swallowfieldshow.co.uk>

Bring your bike along for the day and enter the show for free for yourself and hangers on / helpers / family. (Requires pre registering).

Show bikes must be in place from 10:30 to 16:00

See web site for details or contact Tony Ripley.

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