## Sunday, 30th March, 1980

## Vandervell British F3 Car Races

Organised by the BARC for Brands Hatch Circuit Limited


Roberto Guerrero - winner of the last round of the Vandervell British Championship - leads Kenny Acheson and Nigel Mansell during the opening round on March 2.

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The start of the 1980 Vandervell British Formula 3 series: Stefan Johansson leads the field into Copse Corner at Silverstone.
hotograoh: Keith Sutton
May we ask spectators, officials and competitors to approach and leave the circuit by way of the A20, M25 and not to drive through Fawkham village whenever possible. Thank you for your co-operation.

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Qualification $10.30-10.50$
$11.00-11.15$ 11.20-11.35 $11.40-11.55$
12.50 12.00-12.15 $12.20-12.35$
$12.40-13.00$ 13.10-13.25 $13.30-13.45$
$13.50-14.05$ 13.50-14.05

## All Systems Argo!

## by Jeremy Shaw

THE THIRD ROUND of the 1980 Vandervell British Formula 3 Championship heads today's exciting ninerace programme organised by the BARC. In the two rounds held so far this year, Formula 3 has provided some quite excellent motor sport and there are several very talented young drivers on view today. Of one thin at least two or three of the drivers in today be competing in Grands Prix,
Featured on the front cover of today's programme is the Argo JM6 of young Columbian Roberto Guerrero. The South American won the most recent round of the F3 championship, at Thruxton on March 9 , and this was not only his maiden F3 victory but also the first win on British soil for the hard-working eam lead by designer Jo Marquart and fellow-directors Nicky Jordan and John Petersen.
The Anglia Cars team were, of course, delighted by their success but they know full weil that they have a long, hard season ahead of them and, far from sitting back on their laurels, they returned immediately to their Norwich workshops, refettled the cars and prepared for yet another test session to try to improve the car still further.
That win took a long time in coming but it surely will not be their last and Guerrero will be striving hard oday not only against the similar cars of 1979 double-Formula Ford champion David Sears and fellow F1600 graduate Thierry Tassin - a very talented, if at the moment rather ragged, Belgian - but also gainstar March 803s and the lone Lola T770/2.
What a blanchet so well up the field with his good deal of work has been carried out over the winter months in mid-field with an ill-handling car but viously a very good one indeed.
Heading the March challenge today will be the series-leading Project 4/Marlboro 803 of Sweden's Stefan Johansson. Project 4, of course, were responsible for looking after Chico Serra's series-winning 793 last year and their immaculate preparation is there for all to see. Stefan has a pair of brand new 803
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Mallock U2s such as this will be plentiful in today's Clubmans Register event.
Photograph: Chris Davies


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## BRANDS HATCH



Sunday, 6th April: Aurora AFX F1 qualifying plus Duniop 'Star of Tomorrow' Formula Ford 1600 Championship and Staw Renault 5 Elf Challenge races

Reserved enclosures: Adults - $£ 2.00$; Children - $£ 1.00$; Paddock $-£ 1.00$ extra; Stands FREE
Monday, 7 th April: Reserved enclosures: Adults - $£ 4.00$; Children - $£ 1.50$; Paddock - $£ 2.00$ extra; Covered stands $£ 2.00$ extra; Open Seating - $£ 1.50$ extra
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chassis from which to choose and his press-on style of driving should be well-suited to the Brands Hatch
"Indy" circuit.
Other fully competitive Marches will be handled by Ulsterman Kenny Acheson and Birmingham's Nigel Mansell - two very promising young British drivers, both of whom are widely tipped as future Grand Prix stars - South African Mike White, Irish birthday-boy Eddie Jordan and the National Girobank/Lutonsponsored Mike O'Brien.
The latter, in fact, is due to race his car with the new Titan-tuned Chevrolet Vega engine having carried out a good deal of testing recently and its progress will be very interesting to monitor.
Out in older 793s will be Irishman Bernard Devaney and Brett Riley - his first race of the year while fellow New Zealander Rob Terry Gray - local man from Wye Kent - and Jandervell series with in Formula Ford 1600 last year and have graduated into Formula 3 with elderly Ralt RT1 cars but severely restricted finances will probably blunt their challenge on the leaders, although they are fast gaining in experience and both have driven well so far this year
In all, the Formula 3 race should be a very close-fought affair and I certainly will not be drawn into predicting a winner!

## Fine Supporting Programme

The BARC and their Competitions Departments, which is headed by former single-seater racing driver Rick Gorne, have worked hard at attracting a full entry for today's races and they certainly seem to have succeeded - nine events and a total of just over 200 competitors! The paddock must certainly be worth a special visit.
A Formula Ford Qualification race opens the proceedings, followed by what should be a very entertaining Mini 850 Challenge race. These cars put on a fine display at Thruxton the other week, Russell Grady俗 battle today.
A feature of the first prodsports race of the year was the intensity of the class B battle between Chris Meek (TVR) and Alison Davis (Ginetta). They should be able to renew their rivalry today and watch also for Chris Hart's very well driven little MG Midget in the small class.
The BRSCC Challenge Special Saloon Car race will probably turn out to be yet another Skoda benefit, although the contrasting Production Saloon race - the first round of the new Wilcomatic 3000 Championship - should be a good deal closer with an expected battle amongst the Opels, Fords and BMWs for overall supremacy. There will also be a further tussle for the second class amongst the several Triumph Dolomite Sprints and a couple of Alfetta GTVs, one of which is due to be driven by former prodsaloon champion Ivan Dutton, who is making a Th after a lengthy absence
The Esso Formula Ford 1600 Championship race will be another very competitive affair with are surprise first round winner, 19-year-old Californian Jon Beekhuis, the greatly experienced Jim Walsh, Swiss Philippe Lambert, joint lap record holder Don Macleod and FF man-of-the-moment Tommy Byrne.
The Pre-57 Classic Saloon Challenge event will bring back a certain amount of nostalgia with a gridful of such delightful machines as Austin A35s, MG Magnettes, Standard Vanguards and Jaguars, while the full programme will be concluded by a Clubmans Register Champis. Welcome back in this race to seater sports cars. Wecome back in who has concentrated on managing Formula 2 team in recent seasons, and also to Chris Greville-Smith, who intends to undertake a full season with his latest Phantom P80 design, while Richard Groombridge and Sid Marler - entered in an Ellova-Gryphon - are two names that have been synonymous with Clubmans racing almost since its inception in 1965
On paper, the meeting has all the ingredients of a really superlative day's racing.


## DRIVER FILE <br> Eddie Jordan

## Aged 30, lives Brackley.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY EDDIE! Born this day thirty years ago, this enthusiastic and dedicated Irishman will surely be trying doubly hard today to win his first Formula 3 race.

Jordan's motor racing career began, like so many others, in karting, lifting the Irish national championship in 1973 before moving on into Formula Ford 1600 with Lotus 61 M . In those days, Eddie worked as a bank manager in his native Dublin and, if scurrilous rumour is to be believed, spent the evenings and whatever spare time he had, selling carpets in order to believed, spent the even
finance his motor racing!

Whatever, Eddie found the money to undertake a few trips over to Aintree in the following season with his Lotus - the same car, incidentally, which later found its way into the hands of fellow-Dubliner Derek Daly at the start of his illustrious career - prior to embarking on a full British season of FF1600 in 1975.

Jordan contested many races with a brand new Crossle 30 F and was always a frontrunner. Unhappily, however, his season was dramatically brought to a half with a very severe accident at Mallory Park, which saw him hospitalised for many months with two badly broken legs. This ill-timed accident also prevented him from making his projected Formula 3 debut at the British Grand Prix for which he had arranged to hire a GRD entered by Hair Extensions Racing.

Eddie returned to the cockpit as swiftly as he possibly could, still sure that he had the ability to match the speed of anyone else, but took, not surprisingly, a little while to regain his competitiveness as well as to persuade a suitable sponsor to finance his racing activities. After two bleak seasons in Formula Atlantic at home with both a Lotus and a March, Jordan became involved with the impressive Marlboro Team Ireland team and, armed with an elderly but wellprepared Chevron B29, he proved virtually invincible during the 1978 Irish Formula Atlantic season, winning eleven races. Towards the end of the year, he also hired Derek Daly's allconquering Chevron B38 Formula 3 car for a couple of races.

Jordan saw 1979 as his "make-or-break" season. Many people thought that he had had an easy time in Irish Atlantic and would not be able to stay the pace against top drivers in England. Eddie set out to prove them all wrong. Armed with a new Chevron B47 and with some backing from Marlboro Ireland, he teamed up with Stefan Johansson and Bernard some backing from Marlboro Ireland, he teamed up with Stefan Johansson and Bernard
Devaney in the Derek McMahon equipe. The uncompetitiveness of his Chevron soon became Devaney in the Derek McMahon equipe. The uncompetitiveness of his Chevron soon became
apparent so he equipped himself with a new March 793 and his results immediately started to apparent so he equipped himself with a new March 793 and his results immediately started to
improve. Towards the end of the year, the name of Eddie Jordan was regularly at the front of improve.
His confidence boosted, Jordan has stayed in Formula 3 again for 1980, now running his own Marlboro-backed team, and, after a slow start to the season, is now running where he believes he belongs - at the front of the field.




## Esso The cat's whiskers

## Formula Ford 1600 Qualification Race

This is a race for single seater racing cars using near standard 1600cc Ford Cortina engines. Racing tyres used by these cars are identical. Practice will be divided into two sessions, one for odd numbers and one for even numbers. If track conditions remain the same for the two sesfastest 20 cars will start in this event. The first four finishers from this event will form the rear of the grid for the Championship Race. If track conditions vary considerably for the two sesof the grid for the Championship Race. If track conditions vary considerably for the two ses-
sions then the fastest eight cars from each session will start in Event 7 , and the next fastest 10 cars from each session will start in this event. The first four finishers in this event will form the rear of the grid for Event 7, the Championship Race. Cars qualifying for this event are listed under Event 7.



## Esso Formula Ford 1600 Championship

HE BRDC/SILVERSTONE FORMULA FORD 1600 Championship will once again be backed by the Esso Petroleum Company Limited in 1980

The series will be contested over fifteen rounds taking in races at five British circuits. gether with an extra two points to the competitor(s) setting fastest lap(s). A driver's best thirteen scores will be totalled towards his end-of-season tally.
Future rounds: April 7, Silverstone; April 19/20, Silverstone; April 27, Thruxton; May 5, Silverstone; May 10/11, Silverstone; May 26, Silverstone; June 7/8, Silverstone; July 19, Oulton Park; August 25, Silverstone; September 6/7, Silverstone; September $13 / 14$, Silverstone; September 28, Mallory Park October 4/5; Silverstone.
Points position after first round at Silverstone
on March 2:



## Austin Morris Mini 850 Challenge Race

This is a round of the 1980 Austin Morris Mini $\mathbf{8 5 0}$ Challenge


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## DB Motors of Leicester Production Sportscar Championship Race

This is a round of the 1980 DB Motors of Leicester Production Sportscar Championship for unmodified production sports cars on road tyres.

| No. | Entrant and Driver | Town | Car | cc |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Class A: |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | Bob Stuart | Woodford Green | Morgan +8 Rover | 3528 |
| 3 | Steve Cole | Liverpool | Morgan +8 Chinook | 3500 |
| 4 | P\&D Plant Hire Limited (Dvr: Malcolm Page) | Camberley | Morgan +8 Rover | 3528 |
| 6 | Mike Freeman | Huntley | Lotus Elan | 1558 |
| 8 | Dodge City Superstores (Dvr: Tony Hill) | Birmingham | Triumph TR7V8 | 3521 |
| 15 | John Kent | Preston | TVR 3000S Ford | 3000 |
| 20 | Reg Price | Charlwood | Caterham Super 7 | 1600 |
| 14 | CoLIN BLOWER |  |  |  |
| Class B: |  |  |  |  |
| 21 | Chris Meek | Leeds | TVR 1600M Ford Mexico | 1598 |
| 24 | David Stott | Hinckley | Triumph TR7 | 1998 |
| 27 | Richard Dunham | Berkhamsted | Triumph TR7 | 1998 |
| 31 | Malcolm Brownsett | Mold | Ginetta G15 Chrysler | 998 |
| 33 | Alison Davis | Sherfield on Loddon | Ginetta G15 Chrysler | 998 |
| 38 | Mark Smith | Tonbridge | Ginetta G15S Talbot | 998 |
| Class C: |  |  |  |  |
| 41 | lan Jacobs | Ilford | MG Midget | 1275 |
| 42 | Dave Newman | Perivale | MG Midget | 1275 |
| 43 | Chris Hart | Winterbourne Gunner | MG Midget | 1275 |
| 45 | John Wilson | Witney | Austin Healey Sprite MkIV | 1275 |
| 46 | DB Motors American Automobiles (Dvr: Bruce Peers) | Leicester | MG Midget | 1500 |
| 49 | Nick Emmony | Bedford | Austin Healey | 1275 |
| 52 | J. A. Mayne | Cranley Down | Lotus 7 Sports | 1600 |
| 61 | Andrew Hiley | Huddersfield | Austin Healey Sprite | 1275 |
| OVERALL RESULTS: |  |  |  |  |
|  | 14..... 2nd ...15..... 3rd | 4th | 5th ...........6 6th |  |
| Winner's Time ..................................... Speed |  |  |  |  |
| Fastest Lap: Car No......................... Time..................... Speed |  |  |  |  |
| CLASS A: |  |  |  |  |
| 1st | ... 2nd .............. 3rd | 4th | 5th ............. 6th |  |
| Winne | 's Time | Speed |  | m.p.h. |
| Faste | Lap: Car No. | Time. | Speed. | m.p.h. |
| CLASS B: |  |  |  |  |
|  | ....... 2nd ............. 3rd | 4th | 5th .............. 6th |  |
| Winn | r's Time | Speed |  | m.p.h. |
| Faste | Lap: Car No. | Time. | Speed. | m.p.h. |
| CLASS C: |  |  |  |  |
|  | ........ 2nd .............. 3rd | 4th | 5th .............. 6th |  |
| Winne | 's Time | .. Speed |  | m.p.h. |
| Faste | Lap: Car No. | Time. | Speed. | m.p.h. |


| LAPRECORDS: | secs | mph | date |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Production Sports Cars Class A: |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Chris Moek (1558cc Lotus Europa Special) | 55.6 | 77.93 | 24.7.77 |
| Race record: Charles Morgan (3528cc Morgan +8 Rover) |  | 75.94 | 12.8.79 |
| Class B: |  |  |  |
| Chris Moek (1599cc TVR 1600M) | 58.6 | 73.94 | 12.8 .79 |
| Race record: Chris Meek (1599cc TVR 1600M) |  | 72.42 | 12.8 .79 |
| Class C: |  |  |  |
| Terry Stone (1275cc MG Midgot) | 58.7 | 73.82 |  |
| Race record: Bruce Peers (1491 cc MG Midget) |  | 68.19 | 12.8.79 |

## DB Motors of Leicester Production Sports Car Championship

THIS WILL BE the third year that DB Motors of Leicester have sponsored the BRDC's Production Sports Car Cham-
pionship.
DB Motors of Leicester are specialists in American car components and accessories
This ten-race series is contested by road-going sports cars available in the UK. Modifications are strictly limited and the cars are divided into three classes by performance. Points are scored in each round by the first four finisher
other classified finisher. There are no points for fastest lap.
Points position after first round at Silverstone
on March 2:


## Austin Morris Mini Challenge

1980 SEES THE RUNNING of the fifth Mini Challenge with a nationwide series of sixteen races being run for each class
BL Motorsport are again administering the Challenge and are offering a brand new Mini 1275 GT , worth well over $£ 3,000$ to the overall winner together with trophies and cash awards or retail part vouchers to the first four finishers in each race.
Points
points and scored on a 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3 basis to the first eight finishers with all other classified finishers gaining two


|  | ts position for M |  |  | Nigel Gaymer |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 5 | Roy Finlay Gary Coles | 7 p |
| 2 | Jim McDougall | 9 pts | 6 | Gerald Da | 5 p |

## Brands Hatch 1980 Fixture List

| Date | Event | Organiser | Main Races | Charges (inc VAT) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ${ }^{*} 3 \mathrm{Apr}$ | Heats \& Practice for 4 April | BRC | Superbikes, etc | $\begin{aligned} & £ 1.00-A, 60 p-C, £ 1.00-P \text {. } \\ & S F \end{aligned}$ |
| ${ }^{4} 4 \mathrm{APR}$ | MARLBORO TRANSATLANTIC TROPHY INTERNATIONAL MOTOR CYCLE RACES <br> In Association with The Sun | BRC | SUPERBIKES, etc | £4.00-A, £1.50-C, <br> £2.00-P, £2.50-S, <br> £2.00-0 S |
| ${ }^{\circ} 6$ Apr | Qualifying for 7 April \& FF1600 Races | BRSCC | F1, FF1600, S2000, R5 | $\begin{aligned} & £ 2.00-A, £ 1.00-\mathrm{C} \\ & £ 1.00-\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{SF} \end{aligned}$ |
| -7 APR | AURORA AFX BRITISH NATIONAL F1 CHAMPIONSHIP in Association with the EVENING NEWS | BRSCC | F1, S2000, BMW PS, CEL | $\begin{aligned} & £ 4.00-\mathrm{A}, £ 1.50-\mathrm{C}, \\ & £ 2.00-\mathrm{P}, £ 2.00-\mathrm{S}, \\ & \mathrm{£1.50-os} \end{aligned}$ |
| 12 Apr | Clubmans Motor Cycle Races | BMCRC | All Classes | £1.60-A $60 \mathrm{p-C}$, , Rovers |
| $\begin{array}{r} 19 \mathrm{Apr} \\ { }^{26} \mathbf{~ A p r} \end{array}$ | Clubmans Motor Cycle Races Qualifying for 26 April \& FF1600 |  | All Classes | f1.60-A, 60p-C, Rovers |
|  | Races | BRSCC | T2, FA, FF1600 | $\begin{aligned} & £ 2.00-\mathbf{A}, £ 1.00-\mathbf{c}, \\ & \mathbf{£ 1 . 0 0 - \mathbf { P } , \mathbf { S F }} \end{aligned}$ |
| -27 APR | EUROPEAN SALOON CAR CHAMPIONSHIP in Association with the DAILY MAIL | BRSCC | T2, FA, CEL | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{£ 5 . 0 0 - \mathbf { A } , £ 2 . 0 0 - \mathbf { C } ,} \\ & £ 1.00-\mathrm{P}, £ 3.00-\mathrm{s}, \\ & \mathbf{£ 2 . 0 0 - \mathbf { 0 s }} \end{aligned}$ |

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## BRSCC Special Saloon Car

## Challenge Race

This is the first round of the 1980 BRSCC Special Saloon Car Challenge. This is a race for saloon cars, many of which are highly modified using non-standard engines and racing tyres. The silhouette of the body must remain unchanged.


| LAP RECORDS: | socs | mph | te |
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| LAP RECORDS:Special Saloon Cars |  |  |  |
| Class A: Ovor 2500cc | 47.4 | 91.41 | 23.10 .77 |
|  |  | 89.43 | 23.10 .77 |
| Class B: 1301-2500cc | 47.4 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Class C: 1001-1300cc ${ }_{\text {c }}$ Alan Humberatone ( 1298 cc Sunboam Stiletto-Ford BDA) | 50.3 | 86.14 | 22.10 .78 |
|  |  | 84.15 | 22.10.78 |



## BRSCC Special Saloon Car Challenge

THE BRSCC ARE ONCE AGAIN running a three-class Special Saloon Car series which will take place over fourteen rounds at eight different circuits.
each class) will be scored on the basis 4-3-2-1 to the first four finishers in each class (subject to there
Prize mogether with an additional point to the competitors setting fastest lap in each class.
Pize money will be distributed $£ 40, £ 25$ and $£ 15$ to the top three finishers in each class at every round, while there
will also be end-of-season awards of $£ 200$ to the overall champion and class awards of $£ 50, £ 30$ and $£ 20$.
Today's race is the first round in the series.

## Vandervell British Formula 3 Championship

VANDERVELL PRODUCTS LIMITED, a member of the GKN Group of companies, are continuing their interest in motor racing by sponsoring the British Formula 3 Championship tor a second year in 1980.
 Organised jointly ony Formula 3 series to be run in Great Britain.
Organised jointly by the British Racing Drivers' Club and the British Automobile Racing Club, the Championship will comprise twenty rounds at seven different circuits.
Points are scored at each round on a 9-6-4-3-2-1 basis with an additional point for the competitor(s) setting fastest

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Oints position after second round at Thruxton
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## on March 9:



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## Vandervell British Formula 3

## Championship Race

This is a round of the 1980 Vandervell British Formula Three Championship for 2-litre single seater racing cars complying with International Formula Three regulations.


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## Wilcomatic 3000 Production Saloon

## Championship Race

This is a round of the 1980 Wilcomatic $\mathbf{3 0 0 0}$ Production Saloon Championship. This is a race for unmodified cars running on road tyres.

| $3 \quad 20 \mathrm{No}$ | No. | Entrant and Driver | Town | Car | cc |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1725 Class A: 2300-3000cc |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3315 |  | Carrolls Transport <br> (Dvr: Tony Lanfranchi) | Southall | Opel Commodore GSE | 2800 |
| 6304 | 2 | Carrolls Transport <br> (Dvr: Martin Carroll) | Hounslow | Ford Capri | 2994 |
| 2622 |  | Industrial Control Services Limited (Dvr: Pete Hall) | Maldon | Opel Commodore GSE | 2800 |
| 28. 23 | 4 | Nickerson Turfmaster Limited (Dvr: Chuck Nicholson) | Lincoln | Ford Capri | 3000 |
|  | 5 | Valley Tools (Oxford) (Dvr: Norris Miles) | Oxford | Opel Commodore GSE | 2800 |
|  | 6 | Leicht Motor Racing (Dvr: Sid Harrison) | Edinburgh | Opel Commodore GSE | 2800 |
|  | 7 | Sports Car Breakers/Fife Motor Spares (Dvr: Hamish Irvine) | Newbridge | Opel Commodore GSE | 2800 |
|  | 8 | DJ Electrical Wholesale (Dvr: David Jackson) | Dunstable | Ford Capri | 3000 |
|  | 11 | David Cunningham | London | Ford Capri | 2994 |
|  | 15 | Gerry Marshall | London | Ford Capri | 3000 |
|  | 17 | JJS Veneers <br> (Dvr: Graham Scarborough) | Hatfield | Ford Capri | 3000 |
|  | 19 | Steve Nairn | Rushden | BMW 3.0 si | 2985 |
|  | 20 | MacMillan Racing (Dvr: Colin Davids) | London | BMW 3.0 si | 2985 |
|  | 21. | Malcolm Bessent Ltd-London Motor Caravans (Dvr: Malcolm Prior) | London | Ford Capri | 3000 |
|  | Class | B: 1601-2300cc |  |  |  |
|  | 22 | Napolina Alfa Romeo Dealer Team (Dvr: Rob Kirby) | Cambridge | Alfetta GTV | 1962 |
|  | 23 | Ivan Dutton | Greenford | Alfetta GTV | 1962 |
|  | 26 | Ivan | London | Triumph Dolomite Sprint | 1996 |
|  | 28 | Robert Allender | Newport | Triumph Dolomite Sprint | 2000 |
|  | 30 | Himark Elastogran (Dvr: David Yates) | Malpas | Triumph Dolomite Sprint | 2000 |
|  | 33 | Motor Racing Stables-Skid Control | London | Triumph Dolomite Sprint | 2000 |


| OVERALL RESULTS: |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Winner's Time |  | Speed |  |  |
| Fastest Lap: Car No. |  |  |  |  |
| CLASS A: |  |  |  |  |
| 1st............. 2nd | 3rd | 4th | 5th | 6th |
| Winner's Time |  | Speed |  |  |
| Fastest Lap: Car No. |  |  |  |  |
| CLASS B: |  |  |  |  |
| 1st.............. 2nd | 3rd | 4th | 5th | 6th |
| Winner's Time .. |  | Speed |  |  |
| Fastest Lap: Car No. |  |  |  |  |


| LAP RECORDS: | secs | mph | date |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Production Saloon CarsClass A: $2301-3000 \mathrm{cc}$ |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Tony Lanfranchi (2784cc Opol Commodore GS/E) | 57.1 | 75.88 | 7.10.79 |
| Race record: Tony Lantranchi ( 2784 cc Opel Commodore GS/E) |  | 73.40 | 1.7.79 |
| Class B: 1601-2300cc |  |  |  |
| Gerry Marshall (1998cc Triumph Dolomite Sprint) | 58.9 | 73.56 |  |
| Race record: Gerry Marshall ( 1998 cc Triumph Dolomite Sprint) |  | 72.13 | 11.6.78 |

The Wilcomatic $\mathbf{3 0 0 0}$ Production Saloon Championship
WILCOMATIC, THE LEADING manufacturers of automatic car wash machinery and all vehicle cleaning apparatus, are to sponsor the new MCD/BRSCC 3 -litre Production Saloon Car Championship for 1980. Rounds at six different circuits will provide a series, of eleven races split into two classes, 1601-2300cc and 2301-3000cc.
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Wilcomatic is rapidly expanding its service to the motorist and we felt we should show our support for the sport in ". most positive way", commented Peter Morley, Director of Wilcomatic. Peter has a long association with motor sport himself as a competitor, race control organiser, over a period of 14 years and latterly as a Senior Club Steward for the British Racing and Sports Car Club.
Wilcomatic are providing a generous prize fund which will be $£ 50, £ 30$ and $£ 20$ respectively to the first three finishers neach class at every round. The end of season awards will be $£ 200$ for the overall champion and further awards of
xtra point to the competitor(s) setting fastest lapis of 4-3-2-1 to the first four finishers in each class and there will be an Future rounds: 5 April, Mallory Park: 25 May (s) of the race.
. Brands Hatch.


## Esso Formula Ford 1600 Championship Race

This is a round of the 1980 Esso Formula Ford 1600 Championship.

| No. | Entrant and Driver | Town | Car |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Jim Russell International Racing Drivers School/UCI <br> (Dvr: Jon Beekhuis) | Silverstone | Royale RP26 |
| 2 | Henry Garner Datsun's-Birmingham (Dvr: Tom Wood) | Solihull | Van Diemen RF80 Scholar |
| 3 | Harlequin Racing (Dvr: John Davis) | Chelmsford | Sark 2 Scholar |
| 4 | Roy Pagliacci | London | Royale RP24 Minister |
| 5 | Chris Reynalds | Hitchin | PRS RH01 Titan |
| 6 | Crompton Lighting (Dvr: Jim Walsh) | Northampton | Royale RP26 Minister |
| 7 | Target Saws (UK) Limited (Dvr: Donald Hardman) | Leicester | Royale RP26 Minister |
| 8 | Walter Schoch Racing/PRS (Dvr: Phillippe Lambert) | St Albans | PRS 80F Minister |
| 9 | Rushen Green Racing (Dvr: Julian Bailey) | Wymondham | Royale RP26 Minister |
| 10 | Rushen Green Racing (Dvr: Fernando Ribeiro) | Wymondham | Royale RP26 Minister |
| 11 | TL Clowes/Taywood Santa-Fe Racing (Dvr: Guy Dormehl) | London | Van Diemen RF80 Minister |
| 12 | Harlequin Racing (Dvr: Don Macleod) | Chelmsford | Sark 2 Scholar |
| 13 | Van Diemen International Racing Limited (Dvr: Lou Schollum) | Norwich | Van Diemen RF80 Auriga |
| 15 | Aalco Luton Limited (Dvr: Tommy Byrne) | Hitchin | Van Diemen RF80 Rowland |
| 16 | Steer Racing (Dvr: Simon Sabel) | East Molesey | Royale RP26 Auriga |
| 17 | Nashua Carbonless Paper (Dvr: Michael Baker) | Northfleet | Van Diemen RF80 Auriga |
| 19 | Ropely Motors/Oakley Coachbuilders (Dvr: Rick Morris) | Hertford | Royale RP26 |
| 20 | SDC Builders Limited—Bedford (Dvr: David Wheeler) | Peterborough | Royale RP26 Auriga |
| 21 | Wiltshire Bacon Company Limited (Dvr: Charles Tilley) | Calne | Royale RP26 |
| 22 | Chris Creswell | Faygate | Ray FF79 |
| 23 | Mark Lambert Energy Audits (Dvr: lan Stirling) | Redhill | PRS RHO1 Minister |
| 24 | Red Star Garage \& Tyre Service (Dvr: Robert Coates) | Saffron Walden | Royale RP26 Auriga |
| 25 | John Booth | Sheffield | Van Diemen RF80 Scholar |
| 26 | LBJ Sheet Metal Limited (Dvr: Richard Booton) | Nuneaton | Van Diemen RF70 Auriga |
| 28 | Miki Dee Racehire (Dvr: Albert Yue) | Kingston | Royale RP26 Minister |
| 29 | Ashley Ward | London | Ray 80F Auriga |
| 30 | Philip Shaw | Chorleywood | Royale RF21 Minister |
| 31 | Howard Drake | Sevenoaks | Elden 80F Minister |
| 32 | Freight Clearance Limited (Dvr: Robert Lewis) | Peacehaven | TBA |
| 33 | "Whitehouse" VW \& Audi in Bexley 01-304 0233 (Dvr: Ian Chappell) | London | PRS RHO1 Minister |
| 35 | Pine City Racing (Dvr: Clive Wood) | Bournemouth | Van Diemen RF80 Scholar |
| 36 | Robert Meaton | London | Royale RP26 Auriga |
| 37 | John Kirby | Basingstoke | Van Diemen RF79 Auriga |
| 38 | Tommy Docherty | Silverstone | Crossle 40F Minister |
| 39 | David Jones | Borough Green | ASD FF78 Auriga |

No
Glydeaway/Rostron Racing Cars Limited (Dvr: Mike Thompson)
Tim Jones
Derek Trotman
New Ideal Homes Limited
(Dvr: Len Bull)
Glydeaway/Rostron Racing Cars Limited (Dvr: Alan Goldsmith)
Keith Sayer
Rushen Green Racing
(Dvr: Mario Hytten
JP Racing with Rifle Jeans (Dvr: Johan Adams)
50 Fire Safety Equipment Limited (Dvr: Grahame Tilley)
Air Europe (Dvr: Jeremy Fish)
Mick Lord
Team Royale
(Dvr: Jonathan Palmer)
(Dvr: Jonathan Palmer)
Team Royale
(Dvr: Jonathan Palmer)
Paul Gerrish Swift Caravans-M
(Dvr: Dave Scott)

Car
Maidstone Quest FF80 Minister
East Grinstead Royale RP24 Auriga Basildon Bromley Wonersh

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## Pre '57 Classic Saloon Challenge Race

This is a round of the $\mathbf{1 9 8 0}$ Classic Saloon Road Challenge for production cars marketed prior to 1957, running in four classes.

| No. Entrant and Driver | Town | Car |  | cc |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Class A: Over 2700cc 1 Peter Deffee | Luton | Jaguar Mk93442 |  | 3442 |
| Class B: 1901-2700cc |  |  |  |  |
| 14 Stuart Gross | Hatch End | Lancia Aurelia B20 |  | 2480 |
| 16 David Conod | Hinckley | Jaguar Mk1 |  | 2400 |
| 20 L\&B Motors (Dvr: Steve Postles) | London | Standard Vanguard |  | 2088 |
| 21 L\& B Motors (Dvr: Tony Scotchmer) | London | Standard Vanguard |  | 2088 |
| 27 Terry Heley | Southall | Ford Zodiac |  | 2553 |
| 32 Geoffrey Williams | Eastcote | Jaguar Mk1 |  | 2400 |
| Class C: 1252-1901cc |  |  |  |  |
| 42 Dave Burrows | Enfield | MG Magnette |  | 1500 |
| 45 Barry Clark | Dunstable | MG Magnette ZA |  | 1489 |
| 48 Andreason Racing \& Tuning: Eastleigh 612445 (Dvr: Tim Colman) | Winchester | MG Magnette ZB |  | 1489 |
| 49 Ian Sutherland | Farnborough | MG Magnette |  | 1500 |
| 52 Paul Harrison | Chalfont St Giles | Borgward Isabella |  | 1493 |
| 54 Dennis Carter | Farnham | MG Magnette |  | 1489 |
| 57 Jan Pearce | Chessington | MG Magnette ZB |  | 1489 |
| 58 Hugh Hutton | Newent | Wolseley $15 / 50$ |  | 1550 |
| Class D: Up to 1251cc |  |  |  |  |
| 60 Tony Kelly | Winslow | Austin A35 |  | 948 |
| 62 Stuart Rose | Harefield | Morris Minor |  | 948 |
| 64 Charles Mired | Hatfield | Austin M35 |  | 948 |
| 74 Mike Cox | Bromley | Austin A35 |  | 980 |
| 75 Peter Hanaway | Sidcup | Morris Minor |  | 1000 |
| 79 L\&B Motors (Dvr: Brian Pollard) | London | Standard 10 |  | 948 |
| 95 Edward Davis | Aylesbury | Austin A35 |  | 948 |
| LAP RECORDS: |  | secs | mph | date |
|  |  | 64.8 | 66.87 | 13.11.77 |
| Race record: Chuck Nicholson (3442cc Jaguar Mk8)Class B-1902-2700cc |  |  | 65.27 | 13.11.77 |
| Bill Pinckney (2843cc Jaguar Mk1)Race record: Bill Pinckney (2483cc Jaguar Mk1) |  | 61.0 | 71.03 |  |
|  |  |  | 69.06 | 7.5.79 |
| Class C-1252-1901cc |  |  |  |  |
| Steven McHale (1500cc Borgward Isabella TS)Race record: Miles Marshall ( 1500 cc Borgward Isabella TS) |  | 63.2 | 68.56 66.38 | 13.11.77 |
| Class D-Up to 1251ccAndy McLennan (948cc Austin A35) |  |  |  |  |
| Andy McLennan (948cc Austin A35)Race record: Andy Mclennan (948cc Austin A35) |  | 63.6 | 68.13 66.80 | 13.11 .77 |

## Pre '57 Classic Saloon Car Challenge

CLASSIC SALOON CAR RACING was conceived in 1975 as a low cost formula for the enthusiast who wished to race Pre-57 Saloon Car. The Club now organises two series of races. Whilst many modifications are allowed in both, the mai difference is that cars in the "road-going" series must use the carburettor catalogued in the manufacturer's origin specification. To retain originality, no body modifications may be made and no advertising is allowed on the cars.
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## The United Computing International Clubmans Register Championship Race

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## Clubmans Register Championship

THE 1980 CLUBMANS REGISTER Championship is being held over twelve rounds during the season and visits an impressive total of nine different circuits. With no overall sponsor, the Clubmans Register have invited companies to support individual rounds. At this stage, there are still a few rounds unsponsored and the Register's Secretary, Chris Hart will be glad to hear from anyone interested in taking advantage of this opportunity on Sheffield (0742) 746291. Points for the series will be scored on a 9-6-4-3-2-1 basis, together with an extra point for the competitor(s) setting
fastest lap(s). The full lisl of dates is as follows 22 March Oulton Park: 30 March Brands Hatch. 4 April Snetter 27 April, Thruxton; 5 May, Castle Combe; 25 May, Donington Park; 8 June, Brands Hatch; 29 June, Croft: 27 July, Snetterton; 10 August, Mallory Park; 14 September, Ingliston: 12 October, Mallory Park.
Current points position:

David Orbell 5 Duncan Bain
6
Geoff Friswell

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| OUTRIGHT LAP RECORD FOR BRANDS HATCH GRAND PRIX CIRCUIT: <br> Nelson Piquet (2991 cc Brabham Alfa Romeo BT48) <br> Race Record: Gilles Villeneuve (2991cc Ferrari 312 T3) | $\begin{array}{r} \min \text { secs } \\ 117.46 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { mph } \\ 121.47 \\ 117.72 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { date } \\ 15.4 .79 \\ 15.4 .79 \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| INDY CIRCUIT RECORD: <br> Danny Ongais (Interscope Parnelli-Cosworth VP J6B) | $\begin{array}{r} \text { secs } \\ 41.40 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \mathrm{mph} \\ 104.66 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { date } \\ 7.10 .78 \end{array}$ |


[^0]:    -Grand Prix Circuit

