

# SILVERSTONE <br> CHAMPIONSHIPS MEETING 

Organised by the British Racing Drivers' Club
Sunday, 22nd October, 1972 (рпf

# Vandervell Award for Novice Drivers. 



## Bearings and bushes by Vandervell. The high performance company.

## COMMENT

Well, here we are at the final meeting of the series of nine organised by the B.R.D.C. during 1972.

There is no doubt at all that these meetings have not only been great fun, but also, and this is important, have been a success.

We have received many letters from competitors saying how much they have enjoyed not only the racing but also the organisation. Now this is most gratifying to the club and the circuit, because it shows that the considerable hard work entailed has all been worthwhile.

However, there is one point I should like to emphasise, particularly to competitors. No race meeting can take place without the keen and enthusiastic support of the marshals and officials who give a great deal of their time to attend, often in adverse weather conditions. For club meetings 150 and for internationals over 300 officials are a vital necessity to the organisation.

I should like to give a personal vote of thanks to all those who have turned out during 1972, and given the club such excellent support. The competitors do appreciate this, I am sure, and certainly the foreign drivers have told me that the standard of flag marshalling and the cooperation of all officials at Silverstone sets a standard that foreign circuits would do well to emulate.

Once again, many thanks, and we look forward to seeing you all again during the forthcoming 1973 season, when we shall have ten meetings organised by the club during Silverstone's Silver Jubilee Year.

Anthony Salmon
Secretary, B.R.D.C.
and Clerk of the Course.

## TODAY'S RACES

For the last race meeting of the year here at Silverstone we have eight races, three of which are Championship finals: These being, the Triplex Special Saloon Car Championship, the Luton Motors Group Clubmans Championship and the Silverstone Formule Libre Championship. Two of the remaining races are also Championship rounds, these being for the Formula 750 and Formula 1200 national titles. Add to hese a Formula Ford race, a Sports GT/Modified Sports Car race and an event for horoughbred sports cars and you have quite meeting to end Altogether over 250 cars!

## 750 FORMULA

Starting off the day's packed programme is the 750 Formula race. These cars are quite something round the grand prix circuit, usually travelling round in one massive slip streaming bunch. One of the front runners is bound to be Robin Smyth's ingenious supercharged Warren. On a circuit where every horsepowe counts, Smyth must come out as clear favourite

## SPORTS GT / MODIFIED SPORTS CARS

A truly massive field has been assembled for this race with some really exotic machinery entered. Pride of place must go to the large Sports GT class where we see a confrontation between the McLarens of Jordan (M6B), Aston (Special), and Clube (M1C), and Neil Corner's ex-Ecurie Francorchamps Ferrari 512M. The overal victor must come from these four with Corner's beautiful sounding Ferrari a marginal favourite. Now that Frank Aston has bought lan Richardson's Mclaren, George his Chil be whill居 will be interesting to see how this car fares against the more nimble but powerful smaller Sports GT's. In the 1151-2000 c.c. class we see lap record holder Carl Ripley (Elva Courier) out to face the rapid Elans of Bob Ecclos and Max Payne. In the smallest class nothing looks as if will be able to stop Joh Absalom (Ginetta G4) on his way to yet another record breaking class win, although you can rest assured that Alison Davis will have a good try in her later modelled Ginetta.

## FORMULA 1200

Four potential victors stand out above the rest in this race and they are Arthur Mallock (Mr. U2 himself), in his U2 Mk11B, Peter Cooke the Championship winne in his U2 Mk8, David Childs the lap record holder in his Centaur Mk14 and Mike Taylor in Tetranychus Telarius. Taylor may have a slight advantage over the rest as his car's sleek aerodynamics will be a great advantage on this fast circuit.

## BOLEY PITTARD MEMORIAL TROPHY FOR FORMULA FORD CARS

All ready for another Silverstone slip streaming epic is a full field of Formula Fords. Vandervell Novice Award leader Douglas Bassett will be out to gain maximum points in the hope of securing the championship. He will meet stiff opposition how ever from Richard Parsons (Royale), Ian Grob (Merlyn) John Sheldon (Lotus (Dun above mention will all depend on who is brav ast woodcote on the last lap! mentioned!)

## LUTON MOTORS GROUP CLUBMANS

A fascinating situation has arisen in this race where any one of seven drivers ntered can win the championship! These are Bob Glass (10 pts.), Mark Sharpley 8 pts.) and David Orbell ( 7 pts.) in the large class and Peter Biggs ( 10 pts.), Mik ( 9 pts.) and Ian Harrower and Charles Tippet on 7 pts. in the small The odds are slightly biased in favour of the smaller cars as there are fewer ou解 Altogether a fascinating situation.

## OORWARD ENTERPRISES THOROUGHBRED SPORTS CARS

A very unusual race is in prospect here and as these cars have never run at Silverstone before it is difficult to predict a winner. The cars are all in road trim so we should see the drivers having to work for their livings!

## TRIPLEX SPECIAL SALOONS

Another capacity grid is lined up for this race. In the over 1300 c.c. class (Martin Kent has already won the class) we should see Teddy Savory (Mick Hill's Capri), Tony Hazlewood (Daf 55) and Brian Cutting (Escort) battling it out. Tony Strawson (Falcon) and Martin Kent (Rapier) should be able to use the power of their big V8's to best advantage on this circuit and so should also be up with the leaders. The 1001-1300 c.c. class is a straight fight between Paddy Chambers and Jim Balmer both in Cooper S's. Either of these two can win the class in the championship. The $851-1000$ c.c. class has already been won by Peter Baldwin (Cooper S) although to win today's round Peter will have to beat the extremely rapid Formula 3 (1 litre) engined Mini of Sedric Bell. The smallest class sees the overall Championship winner, Mike Evans (Mini), face the only man to have beaten him in a Triplex race this year, Neil Dineen (Mini). "It should be an interesting fight between these two
as Silverstone is Mike Evans' "home ground".

## SILVERSTONE FORMULE LIBRE

The final race of the day is the last round of the Silverstone Formule Libre Championship The race will be a battle of agility v . power. That is to say the nimble single seaters against the brute force of the Sports GT's. Overall Championship winner should be either George Silve:wood (Chevron) or Jonny Dimsdale (Lotus 69) but Neil Corner could well add this race to his score thus achieving a

## THE BOLEY PITTARD TROPHY AWARDED FOR TODAY'S FORMULA FORD RACE

Many of you here today will wish to know about the man the Memorial Trophy commemorates.

Back in the early fifties, a keen young enthusiast, Boley Pittard, was avidly watching the E.R.A's and Bugattis and Maseratis racing around the streets of his native Jersey. This fired young 'Bo' Pittard to become a racing driver, and in 1964 he pitched all his savings into producing a race-tuned Anglia engined car. His ability and enthusiasm paid off with 20 wins in 28 starts

At this time he was regarded as one of motor racing's 'natural' drivers and was obviously the man to watch.
He moved to Italy to live in Milan, where he drove a privately owned Lola winning the G.P. Fina Coppa Monza in 1967

A few weeks later tragedy struck. In the final of the 16 th Coppa Autodroma Monza 'Bo' was in pole position. The race started and Boley roared away from the
 eaping from his car he stayed with it until the last car on the grid had passed guided the car in flames to the side of the track, and only then leapt out.

The terrible burns he suffered were too great and six days later, despite all medical treatment, he died

The Italian public and press, at the time, were full of praise for his courageous sacrifice; he lost his life to avoid danger to his fellow drivers. It may truly be said of this young man that he fulfilled the quotation from St. John, Chapter 15
"Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends".
The Memorial Trophy was presented by his father, who is here today. Many of his friends readily supported the idea, initiated by Chris Craft, of a memorial to be known as the Boley Pittard Memorial Trophy


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For our spotlight today we feature the 1972 Triplex Special Saloon Car Champion, Mike Evans. A born and bred Worcestershireman 33 year old Mike now lives in Hagley near Birmingham with his young wife Ann. Mike has spent most of his working life in his father's clothing firm which his father built up over forty years. Mike has travelled the world while in the forces including quite a lengthy stay in the Far East (that could account for that reverse writing on the front of his car!)

Mike Evans' competition career started in an early Austin Healey Sprite which he campaigned actively on the hills and in sprints. Mike soon changed this car for a Mini Cooper 1000 S which he also drove with considerable verve in hillclimbs and sprints. Successes during this period include winning the 1964 BTRDA Sprint Championship. Mike first ventured on to the circuits in 1968 using the same Cooper S. Like the proverbial duck to water Mike settled down to this different kind of competition immediately and in that first season scored 12 wins. For 1969 the car was replaced by a 1300 c.c. fuel injected Cooper $S$ and the run of success continued unabated with 16 wins being scored with the car. In 1970 the ultra successful relationship with the Patrick Motors Group started. A Mini Cooper S 1000 c.c. was run by Mike, with sponsorship from PMG, in both 1970 and 71, and still he kept winning, securing the 1000 c.c. class of the Triplex Championship in 1970. For 1972 yet another Mini appeared (Mike likes a roof over his head!) this time to run in the 850 c.c. class. This car is unique in that it has the only 850 c.c. engine prepared by Arden Conversions, the work actually being carried out by Jim Waterhouse of the above mentioned concern. For Mike Evans 1972 has been a fantastic year; he has carried all before him. In the Triplex Championship he has only been beaten once (due to some rather dubious timekeeping putting him hopelessly far back on the grid) and never at this circuit. Mike has also won the up to 850 c.c. class of the Hepolite Glacier Championship. Quite a year! Plans for next year? Another Mini?

## "Heated rear window? I can't afford luxuries like that!"



## SILVERSTONE

CHAMPIONSHIPS MEETING
Silverstone Sunday, 22nd October, 1972
Organised by the British Racing Drivers' Club

This meeting is held under the General Competition Rules of the Royal Automobile Club, the Standing Supplementary Regulations of the R.A.C. and the Supplementary Regulations and Instructions of the British Racing Drivers' Club Ltd
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## OFFICIALS OF THE MEETING

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## Marshals :

Members of the British Racing Drivers' Club and British Motor Racing Marshals Club
Our grateful thanks go to the Northamptonshire St. John Ambulance Brigade and to all the voluntary officials without whom this meeting would not be possible.

## AWARDS

## timetable

| Saturday, 21st October |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 10.30 to 17.00 Official Practice |  |  |
| Sunday, 22nd October |  |  |
| 11.25 to 11.45 Official Practice |  |  |
| 12.00 | 750 Formula Race | 10 laps |
| 12.40 | Sports GT \& Modified Sports Car Race | 10 laps |
| 13.20 | Formula 1200 Race | 10 laps |
| 14.00 | Boley Pittard Memorial Trophy Race for | 10 laps |
|  | Formula Ford Cars | 10 laps |
| 14.40 | Luton Motors Group Clubmans Formula Race |  |
| 15.20 | Forward Enterprises Limited Thoroughbred | 10 laps |
| 16.00 | Production Sports Car Race | Triplex Special Saloon Car Race |
| 16.40 | Silverstone Formule Libre Race | 10 laps |
|  |  | 10 laps |



## SILVERSTONE CALENDAR 1972 <br> (remaining meetings this year)

Saturday, 28 October. Sprint Meeting SODC Saturday, 4 November. Sprint Meeting HCAAC Saturday, 11 November. Sprint Meeting MGCC Saturday, 18 November. Sprint Meeting CWMC Saturday, 25 November. Sprint Meeting NSCC

## TRIPLEX SALOON CAR CHAMPIONSHIP

This is the third year in which the Triplex Safety Glass Company has sponsored the Triplex Saloon Car Championship. The Championship will again be held for Special Saloon Cars in four classes - over 1300 c.c., $1001-1300$ c.c., $851-1000$ c.c. and up to 850 c.c.

Points are scored in each class on a 4-3-2-1- basis, except for the rounds on June 18th and October 22nd when double points will be scored. All rounds will count.

The overall winner of the Championship will receive $£ 150$ and the Triplex Trophy, the three other class winners $£ 50$, second in each class $£ 30$, third in each class $£ 10$ and fourth in each class $£ 5$. Prize money in each round will be - 1st in class $£ 18,2$ nd in class $£ 12$, 3rd in class £8.
Current points position :
Over 1300 c.c.
Martin Kent
$\begin{array}{lllr}\text { Tom Jeffery } & \cdots & \cdots & 22 \\ & \cdots & 12\end{array}$
1001-1300 c.c.

David Howes. Paddy Chambers Jim Balmer lan Briggs 23

Teddy Savory
Tony Strawson
Norman Abbott
851-1000 c.c.
Peter Baldwin
Peter Truscott
Paul Gaymer ...
Baillie Russell ... 4
Up to 850 c.c.
David Gumn
Mike Evans ... ... 37
Richard Belcher
Andy Cranstone
Neil Dineen

| 20 |
| :--- |
| $\ldots$ |

Gerry Taylor ... ...
Jeff Ward ... ...
Ryan Lee ... ...

LUTON MOTORS GROUP CLUBMANS FORMULA CHAMPIONSHIP This is a six round Championship run exclusively at Silverstone and sponsored by the Luton Motors Group, one of the leading Ford distributors. The Championship will be run in two classes - 10011600 c.c. and up to 1000 c.c.

Points are scored on a 4-3-2-1 basis in each class, except for the round on October 22nd when double points will be scored. All rounds will count.

The overall winner of the Championship will receive $£ 50$ and the Luton Motors Group Trophy, the other class winner £30, second in each class $£ 20$ and third in each class $£ 10$. Prize money in each round will be - 1st in class $£ 10,2 n d$ in class $£ 7,3$ rd in class $£ 5$ and 4th in each class £3.
Current points position :

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Silverstone, Nr. Towcester, Northants. NN12 8TN
Tel.: Silverstone 271/3. (032-734 271/2/3 STD)

## 1001-1600 c.c.

| Robert Glass $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 10 | Peter Biggs | $\ldots$ |  | 10 |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Mark Sharpley | $\ldots$ | 8 | Mike Harmer $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 9 |  |
| David Orbell $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 7 | lan Harrower $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 7 |  |
| John Taylor $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 7 | Charles Tippet | $\ldots$ | 7 |  |
| Vernon Davies | $\ldots$ | 4 | Noel Smith | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4 |
| Peter Evans $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4 | Del Bevans | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4 |

## SILVERSTONE FORMULE LIBRE CHAMPIONSHIP

This is a seven round Championship run exclusively at Silverstone for Formule Libre Cars.

Points are scored on a 9-6-4-3-2-1 basis, except for the round on October 22 when double points will be scored. All rounds will count.

The winner of the Championship will receive $£ 100$ and the Championship Trophy, second $£ 50$, and third $£ 25$. Prize money in each round will be: 1st $£ 18$, 2nd $£ 12$, 3rd $£ 8$, 4th $£ 6,5$ th $£ 4$ and 6 th $£ 2$. Current points position:

| George Silverwood | $\ldots$ | 21 | Del Bennett | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 6 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Jonny Dimsdale | $\ldots$ | 19 |  | Malcolm Smith | $\ldots$ | 6 |
| lan Richardson | $\ldots$ | 18 | Martin Webb | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4 |
| David Prophet | $\ldots$ | 15 | Bobbie Bell | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4 |
| John Jordan $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 13 | Mike Endean | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 3 |
| Phillip Guerola | $\ldots$ | 12 | Arthur Collier | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 3 |
| Steve Thompson | $\ldots$ | 9 | Paul Weldon | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 3 |

## VANDERVELL AWARD FOR NOVICE DRIVERS

A unique award - the Vandervell Award for Novice Drivers - is being sponsored by Vandervell Products Limited. The Vandervell Award is open to all competitors at Silverstone who, on or after 1st January 1972, are holders of an R.A.C. Restricted Racing Licence upon which they have not obtained six up-grading signatures. Additionally they must not have held a racing licence issued by any national body for more than twelve months.
Points are awarded on a 4-3-2-1 basis in each class, or on overall positions in races with no classes, in all car races at Silverstone in 1972. Points are scored for a competitor's position relative to all competitors in the race or class and not just novice competitors. Should a competitor be up-graded during the year he will still be eligible to score points in his races at Silverstone. In calculating the final positions a competitor's 10 best scores will count.
In order to take part in the Vandervell Award, competitors must register with the B.R.D.C. Race Office at Silverstone at least 24 hours before the first race in which they wish to be eligible to score points. The winner of the Award will receive $£ 150$ and the Vandervell Trophy, second $£ 100$, third $£ 75$, fourth $£ 50$ and fifth $£ 25$.
All race meetings at Silverstone between March 19 and October 22 are qualifying meetings for the Vandervell Award.

## RELIANT 750 FORMULA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

This Championship is run at meetings with races for these Reliant powered cars. There are approximately 20 rounds with a competitor's best 8 scores counting towards the Championship.

Points are awarded as follows: 1st 10, 2nd 9, 3rd 8, 4th 7, 5th 6, 6th 5 , 7 th 4,8 th 3 , 9 th and all other finishers 2 . Non finishers 1.

The winner of the Championship receives the Reliant Trophy and replica. Second to sixth place in the Championship each receive an award.

Current points position :

| David Newman | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 79 |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Mike Street $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 76 |  |
| John Giles $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 73 |  |
| John Webb $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 60 |  |
| Peter Ingham | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 60 |  |
| lan Bates $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 58 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |

## FORMULA 1200 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

This Championship is run at meetings with races for this formula. The Championship is run on the same lines as the 750 Formula Championship.

The winner of the Championship receives the Chapman Cup and replica. Second to sixth place in the Championship each receive a trophy.
Current points position :

| Peter Cooke | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 79 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| John Tasker | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 72 |
| Neil Hadden | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 69 |
| Ron Webb $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 49 |
| John Corboy | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 48 |
| Norman Manning | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 47 |

## HAVE YOU GOT A COMPLETE SET

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# BP Man of the Meeting awards continue on higger scale 

The 1971 B.P. Superman was the brilliant young Leicestershire driver Roger Williamson, who won the Lombard North Central Formula 3 championship and was chosen as No. 1 Grovewood Award winner.
he BP Man of the Meeting awards, which proved such a success during 1971, are being continued this season on an increased scale, and are proving just as popular. he number of awards has been increased from 14 to 20 - eight at Brands Hatch, our each at Mallory Park and Oulton Park, and two each at Snetterton and Silver-

Winners of the awards are picked by a judging panel of motor racing journalists, plus Harry Downing, who is in charge of BP's motor sport activities. A BP Man of the Meeting is not necessarily a race winner, but a driver who, in the opinion of the panel, produces an outstanding performance bearing in mind the car he is driving and the strength of the opposition.
Each award winner receives a trophy, a rally jacket and petrol vouchers, and at the end of the season the judges will decide which Man of the Meeting should have the title of BP Superman of the Year, who will receive a special award, an oil painting. Harry Downing comments: "The BP Man of the Meeting awards were initiated to give encouragement to young drivers at an early stage in their careers, by drawing ublic attention to the efris the first we of the Meeting scheme was extended for 1972."

| Mar. 5 | Brands Hatch | Mick Hill |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 12 | Mallory Park | David Morgan |
| 19 | Brands Hatch | Tom Pryce |
| 26 | Snetterton | Geoff Friswell |
| 31 | Oulton Park | Ian Taylor |
| April 29 | Oulton Park | Damien Magee |
| May 7 | Snetterton | Chris Spencer-Phillips |
| ,, 28 | Brands Hatch | Cyd Williams |
| June 18 | Mallory Park | Steve Thompson |
| , 25 | Brands Hatch | Robert Arnott |
| July 8 | Oulton Park | Jon Fletcher |
| , 15 | Brands Hatch | Arturo Merzario |
| Aug. 27 | Mallory Park | Gerry Marshall |
| 28 | Silverstone | Masami Kurashima |
| , 28 | Croft | Graham Cuthbert |
| Sept. 10 | Brands Hatch | Noel Stanbury |
| 24 | Brands Hatch | Alan Rollinson |
| 30 | Oulton Park | John Chappel |
| Oct. 15 | Brands Hatch | Rikky von Opel |

Race 1
Start 12.00 hrs.
RELIANT 750 FORMULA RACE
(A round of the Reliant 750 Formula National Championship)

No. Entrant and Driver
171 Michael Chittenden 172 Dick Harvey Team Castro
(Driver: Rodney Hill)
Peter Ambrose
John Richardson
Bob Simpson
Ian Bates
Dave Roberts
Les Robinson
Alan Elphick
Charles Owen
Richard Owen
Team Castrol
(Driver: Chris Bradford)
Team Castrol
(Driver: John Webb)
Don Maynard
Geoff Smith
John Giles
Civil Service Motoring Assn
Ltd. (Driver: Mike Street)
Robin Smyth
Melvin Whapshare
Mike Bland
Mim Green
T. P. Perry

Peter Ingham
Paul Adams
Colin Jones
Ernie Felix
David Newman
Richard Gray

Car
Jeffrey Mk.IIIB Reliant Jeffrey Mk.IIIB Reliant Jeffrey Mk.III Reliant

Jeffrey Mk.III Reliant Jeffrey Mk.III Reliant Reliant Special Reliant Special Reliant Special Scorpion Reliant Reliant Special Arcos Reliant Arcos Reliant Arcos Reliant

Centaur Reliant
Maytaur Reliant JGS Mk.III Reliant JGS Mk.II Reliant DC Plus Reliant

Marlin Relian Warren Reliant Ausrel Reliant Reon Reliant Genie Reliantian Ingham 3GT Ingham 3GT Reliant Palad Rk Reliant Vitesse Mk III Relia DNC Mk III Reliant Potentia Reliant

| c.c. | Colour |
| :--- | :--- |
| 642 | Blue |
| 642 | Blue/Yello |
| 642 | Red/White |

Red
Aluminium/White Mauve Blue/White Blue/Black Aluminium/Blue Blue Green/Orange Silver Red

Green Silver/Yellow Silver/Yellow Blue/White

## Red

 Red Aluminium/Blue Orange Silver/Yellow Blue Blue/White Blue/Yellow Yellow Red R Blue/AluminiumRace 2 SPORTS GT \& MODIFIED SPORTS CAR RACE 10 laps Start 12.40 hrs .
29.27 miles

## No. Entrant and Driver

Car
c.c. Colour

## Class A - Sports GT Cars over 2500 c.c

| 101 | John Jordan | McLaren M6B Chevrolet | 6991 | Blue |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 102 | Frank Aston | McLaren Special Ford | 6400 | Blue |
| 104 | Neil Corner | Ferrari 512M | 5000 | Yellow |
| 106 | Peter Walker | Jaguar E | 4235 | Yellow |
| Class B - Sports GT Cars 1651-2500 c.c. |  |  |  |  |
| 111 | Central Garage (Mirfield) Ltd. (Driver: George Silverwo | Chevron B19/21 Ford od) | 1900 | Blue/White |
| 112 | Lorina Boughton | Chevron B8 BMW | 2000 | Blue/White |
| 114 | Malcolm Smith | Mallock U2 BMW | 1997 | Blue |
| 115 | Malcolm Clube | Gropa | 1750 | Orange |
| Class C - Sports GT Cars 1301-1650 c.c. |  |  |  |  |
| 83 | Dave Bettinson | Mickey Mouse Special | 1500 | Orange/White |
| 118 | Richard Simms | Chevron B8 Spyder | 1594 | Blue |
| Class D - Sports GT Cars up to $\mathbf{1 3 0 0}$ c.c. |  |  |  |  |
| 121 | Nick Luke | Lotus 23B Ford | 1300 | Yellow |
| 122 | Christopher Metcalfe | Lotus 23B Ford | 1149 | Black |
| 123 | Hot Car Magazine (Driver: Mark Cole) | Sturdgess SL3 Ford | 1300 | Red |
| 124 | Dempster Developments Ltd. (Driver: Michael Andrew) | Alexis Mk. 19 Ford | 1298 | Blue/Yellow |
| 125 | Lynden Thorne (7th Res) | Aldon BRM | 1296 | Blue/Orange |
| 126 | Len Gibbs | Daren GT | 1150 | Blue |
| 127 | Christopher Phillips (4th Res) | Lotus 7 | 1000 | Green/Yellow |
| Class E- Modified Sports Cars over 2000 c.c. |  |  |  |  |
| 131 | Rhoddy Harvey Bailey | Chevrolet Corvette | 6995 | Red |
| 132 | Tom Leake | Aston Martin DB4 | 3670 | Grey |
| 133 | Bob Fowler (2nd Res) | Aston Martin DB4 GT | 3670 | Black |
| 134 | John Pearson | Jaguar E | 3781 | Green |
| 135 | Reginald Woodcock | Triumph TR3 | 2188 | White |
| Class F - Modified Sports Cars 1151-2000 c.c. |  |  |  |  |
| 141 | John Cotton (1st Res) | MGB | 1850 | Blue/Orange |
| 142 | Ian Polley (1st Res) | MGB | 1800 | Yellow |
| 143 | Barry Sidery-Smith | MGB | 1798 | Red |
| 144 | Terry Hathaway | MGB | 1798 | Blue/White |
| 145 | John Targett | MGB | 1798 | Green |
| 146 | Bill Nicholson (6th Res) | MGB | 1798 | Red/White |
| 147 | Bob Eccles | Lotus Elan | 1910 | Green |
| 148 | Max Payne | Lotus Elan | 1800 | Red |
| 149 | Jerry Collins | Elva Courier | 1840 | Red/Orange |
| 150 | Carl Ripley | Elva Courier | 1900 | Blue/Yellow |
| 151 | Mary Wheeler | TVR 1800S | 1912 | Red |
| 152 | Edward Reeve | Austin Healey Sprite | 1340 | Blue |
| Class G - Modified Sports Cars up to 1150 |  |  |  |  |
| 161 | Andy Bailey | Austin Healey Sprite | 1144 | Blue |
| 162 | David Willson (5th Res) | Austin Healey Sprite | 1144 | Red |
| 163 | Team Castrol (Driver: Glenys Atkins) | Austin Healey Sprite | 1140 | Blue/White |
| 164 | Peter Fontes | Austin Healey Sprite | 1098 | White/Orange |
| 165 | James Thacker (3rd Res) | Austin Healey Sprite | 1095 | Green |
| 166 | Chris Westell | MG Midget | 1148 | Red |
| 167 | Peter Richings | MG Midget | 1098 | Green |
| 168 | Femfresh (Driver: Alison Davis) | Ginetta G15 | 1000 | White |
| 169 | Chris Shutt | Ginetta G4 | 1150 | Yellow/Blue |

Race 3
FORMULA 1200 RACE
10 laps
Start 13.20 hrs
29.27 miles
(A round of the Formula 1200 National Championship)

| No. | Entrant and Driver | Car | c.c. | Colour |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 211 | Arthur Mallock | Mallock U2 Mk.11B Ford | 1222 | Green/Yellow |
| 212 | Leo Maydom | Mallock U2 Mk.11 Ford | 1200 | Yellow |
| 214 | Peter Cooke | Mallock U2 Mk.8B Ford | 1200 | Blue/Silver |
| 215 | Henry May | Mallock U2 Mk.8B Ford | 1198 | Blue/Red |
| 216 | Vic Waterhouse | Mallock U2 Mk.8 Ford | 1200 | Red |
| 217 | John Corboy | Mallock U2 Mk.8 Ford | 1200 | Blue/Orange |
| 218 | David Walton | Mallock U2 Mk.5 Ford | 1220 |  |
| 219 | David Childs | Centaur Mk.14 Ford | 1200 | Black |
| 220 | John Tasker | Centaur Mk.12 Ford | 1200 | Black/Silver |
| 222 | Mike Taylor | Tetranychus Telarius Ford | 1222 | Red |
| 223 | Angelo Farina | Farina Dison Ford | 1198 | Red |
| 224 | John Saunders | Tri-One Ford | 1200 | Yellow |
| 225 | John Sutton | Mistron Ford | 1200 | Green |
| 226 | Neil Padden | Toucan Ford | 1222 | Green |
| 228 | Alan McBeath | Gopher Ford | 1222 | Black |
| 229 | Bill Cowling | Navajo Ford | 1200 | Silver/Blue |
| 230 | Fred Burbury | F.T.B. Ford | 1200 | Green |
| 231 | Timothy Green | Artford Mk.Il Ford | 1200 | Black |
| 232 | John Ravenscroft | My Own Ford CltiFETAl\$1100 | Blue |  |
| 233 | P. Grist | Mallock U2 Mk.6 Ford | 1200 | Red |
|  | (Driver: John Haynes) |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |

## RESULTS



Race 4 BOLEY PITTARD MEMORIAL TROPHY RACE 10 laps Start 14.00 hrs. for FORMULA FORD CARS 29.27 miles


Race 5 LUTON MOTORS GROUP CLUBMANS FORMULA 10 laps

## Start 14.40 hrs .

(This is the final round of the 1972 Luton Motors Group Clubmans Formula
No. Entrant and Driver
Class A - 1001-1600 c.c.
65 John Hancock
66 Mike Dixon
Mike Dixon
67 David Orbell
Brian Husbands
John Smart
Julian Judd
Brian Green
David Huddlesto
Lynn Lacey
Mark Sharpley
Phil Latham
Sid Marler
Bob Cuthbertson
Cyril Lyford
Ian Phillips
(Driver to be nominated)
$\begin{array}{ll}81 & \text { Robert Glass } \\ 82 & \text { Richard de la Rue }\end{array}$
83 Rave Bettinson
John McLean
Aerofan Racing (Driver: Adam Bennett)
Class B-Up to 1000 c.c.
David Rudkin
Ian Harrower
Noel Smith
Mike Harmer
Peter Biggs
Roger Franks
Star Plant Hire (Banbury) Mallock U2 Mk.11B Lucas (Driver: Steve Russell)

RESULTS

1st............8 8..1............. 7.7 . $7 . . . . . . . .$. Time. 3rd.
$\qquad$ Speed......3.3.5.4..m.p.h.
$\qquad$
Class A - 1001-1600 c.c.

|  | Time | Speed.................m.p.h. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2nd............................. | 3rd............................. | 4th. |
| Fastest Lap: Car No. | Time.. | Speed................m.p.h. |
| Class B - Up to 1000 c.c. |  |  |
|  | Time | Speed................m.p.h. |
| 2nd. | 3 rd . | 4th............................ |
| Fastest Lap: Car No. .9.4.t | ... Time......l...4.8.. | Speed.....9.9\%.4.6m.p.h. |

Race ô FORWARD ENTERPRISES LTD. THOROUGHBRED 10 laps Start 15.20 hrs. PRODUCTION SPORTS CAR RACE 29.27 miles

Car
c.c. Colour

Class A A Aston Martin Cars
241 Ian Mason
1 241 Ian Mason
243 David Holland
Brand X Racing
(Driver: John Norman
Colin Campbell
ass B AC
Class B- AC Cars
252 Sandy Gibb
253 David Beales
254 Richard Bostock
261 Roger Daniell
262 Robert Davis
$\begin{array}{ll}263 & \text { Robin Gunn } \\ 264 & \text { R. W. Canby }\end{array}$
265 R. W. Canby
266 Robert McElroy (1st Res)
267 Peter Boorman
269 Roy McCarthy
Class D - Triumph Cars
1 135 Reginald Woodcock
$\begin{array}{ll}271 & \text { Brian West } \\ 272 \text { Michael Gush }\end{array}$
Michael Gus
Peter Trent
Bill Tognarelli
Allen Eden
76 T. O. L. Hindle
Class E - Austin Healey Cars
281 Kirk Rylands
282 Derek Middlewick

- 284 Paul Lorne

Class F - Jaguar Cars
291 Richard Poppe (2nd Res) Sylvia Rouse
Frank Eaton
Forward Enterprises Limited
Forward Enterprises Limited
(Driver: Anthony Hutton) (3rd (Driver: Antho
Paul Skilleter Michael Rouse David Cottingham John Pearson


Race 7
TRIPLEX SPECIAL SALOON CAR

## Start 16.00 hrs . CHAMPIONSHIP RACE

No. Entrant and Driver
301 Bill Cox Ford Boss Capr
$\begin{array}{lll}303 & \text { Tony Strawson } & \text { Ford Falcon Spring } \\ 304 & \text { Sheltune Autospares Racing } & \text { Ford Cortina V8 }\end{array}$ (Driver: Peter Shelton)
F English of Bournemouth
(Driver: Brian Cutting)
306 Anglo Swiss Motor Center
308 (Driver: Gillia
308 Bob Torrie
309 Sheltune Autospares Racing (Driver: Tom Jeffrey)
$37^{\circ}$ Geoffrey Nicklen.
(Driver: Baillie Russell)
Tony Ward
311 Martin Kent
314 Tony Hazlewood
$\begin{array}{ll}315 & \text { Tony Faherty } \\ 316 & \text { Simon Kirkby }\end{array}$
Class B - 1001-1300 c.c.
321 Automatic Pressings Ltd. (Driver: John Robinson)
322 John Neale (4th Res)
323 Jim Hunt
324 Jim Balmer
Impact Racing Developments
(Driver: Derek Lawford)
(Driver: Derek Lawford)
326 Peter Truscott
327 Paddy Chambers
32 Richard Longman
29 Bob Fox
Class C - 851-1000 c.c.
31 "Swish" Curtain Tracks
Ford Anglia Racing Team (Driver: Gerfy Tayter) D oque
Norman Lackford (2nd Res) Ford Anglia Trevor Cook
Malcolm Johnstone (5th Res) Austin Cooper S
Malcolm Johnstone (5th Res) Austin Cooper
Austin Mini S
Team Castrol
(Driver: Martin Sellicks)
(Driver: Martin Sellicks)
Paul Southorn (3rd Res)
David Close
(Driver: David Gumn)
Cosmo Entertainments Club
Carlisle Ltd. (Driver: Sedric Bell)
Mini Cooper S
Austin Mini ARP Mini

Austin Mini Hillman Imp
Class D - Up to 850 c.c.
345 Pete Northover (6th Res)
346 Neil Dineen
347 Team Castrol
(Driver: Rod Brown)
348 Patrick Motors Group $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Priver: Rod Brown) } & \text { Brit. Leyland Mini Mk. } 2 \\ \text { Patrick Motors Group } & \\ \text { Westover Motors Ltd. (Driver: Mike Evans) }\end{array}$ lan Andrews Lawrence Renshell (1st Res) Automania Accessories (Driver: Mike Kirby) Andrew Cranstone

BLMC Mini
Austin Mini Morris Clubman BMC Mini Austin Mini Hillman Imp
Hillman Imp
c.c. Colour
e
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4700 & \text { Blu }
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4700 \text { Blue }
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3552 \text { White/Silver }
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White/996 Black
Blue/Red

Race 8
SILVERSTONE FORMULE LIBRE
10 laps
Start 16.40 hrs. CHAMPIONSHIP RACE
(This is the final round of the 1972 Silverstone Formule Libre Championship)

| No. | Entrant and Driver | Car | c.c. | Colour |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Bobbie Bell | BR | 5700 | Green |
| 2 | Charles Ractliffe | Chevron B18 BDA | 1600 | Orange |
| 3 | Jonny Dimsdale | Lotus 69 BDA | 1600 | Orange |
| $\begin{aligned} & 4 \\ & 5 \end{aligned}$ | Philip Guerola John Somers | Brabham BT21B Ford Brabham BT21A | 1600 1600 | Black/White |
| 6 | Christopher Choat | Brabham BT23C Fird | 1600 | Green |
| 7 | E.D.L. (Farnborough) <br> (Driver: Anthony Binnington) | March 713M Vegantune | 1600 | Green |
| \% | Master Blenders Ltd. <br> (Driver: John Sabourin) | Brabham BT29 BDA | 1598 | Bronze/White |
| 10 | Paul Hull | Brabham BT6 | 1594 | Green/Gold |
| 10 | Tony Huggett | Brabham BT28 Lucas | 1000 | Yellow |
| 11 | Michael Gregory <br> (Driver: Doug Griffiths) | Merlyn F3 | 997 | Orange |
| 12 | Hesketh Racing (Driver: Charles Lucas) | Maserati Tipo 61 | 3000 | Red |
| 14 | Lord Cross | AC Cobra | 4727 | Green |
| 15 | Chris Venning | March 713M | $1600$ | Orange/Silver |
|  | M.E.M. Consultants Ltd. (Driver: Mike Oates) | Martin BM9C Ford | $1600$ | Maroon/Silver |
| 17 | Roger Bain | Merlyn Mk.20A Scholar | 1600 | Blue |
|  | John Gray <br> (Driver: John Lepp) | Chevron B19 | 1800 | Red/White |
| 19 | Harry Rose | Brabham BT29 | 1600 |  |
| 22 | Jim Russell Racing Drivers School (Driver: Sheila Islip-Un | Merlyn Mk.20A Scholar nderwood) | 1600 | Green |
| 36 | Cliff Smithurst <br> (Driver: Entrant or Bob Francis) | Dulon Ford is) | 1600 | Yellow |
| 43 | John Glide | March 708 Lacey | 1600 | Blue/White |
|  | (Driver: Entrant or Tim Cheat |  |  |  |
| 4948 | (Driver to be nominated) ${ }^{M / I}$ In | Elden Mk. 8 Elden Whicis | 1600 | Maroon/Yellow |
| $\begin{aligned} & 55 \\ & 101 \end{aligned}$ | Doug Bassett John Jordan | Nike Mk. 6 Ford | 1600 | Blue/Yellow |
|  | Frank Aston | McLaren M6B Chevrolet | 6991 |  |
| 109 | Malcolm Clube | McLaren M1C Ford | 4700 | Black/Green |
| 104 | Neil Corner | Ferrari 512M | 5000 | Yellow |
| 111 | Central Garage (Mirfield) <br> Ltd. (Driver: George Silverwo | Chevron B19/21 Ford | 1900 | Blue/White Clamp |
| - 112 | Jeromy Sumner | Chevron B8BMW |  |  |
| 114 | Malcolm Smith | Mailock U2 BMW | 1997 | Blue |
|  | Dempster Developments Ltd. (Driver: Michael Andrew) | Alexis Mk. 19 Ford | 1298 | Blue/Yellow |

## RESULTS



SPORTS GT \& MODIFIED SPORTS CAR RACE


## TRIPLEX SPECIAL SALOON CAR CHAMPIONSHIP RACE

| 1st | Time................................... | Speed...........................m.p.h |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2nd. | 3rd. | 4th. |
| CLASS A - OVER 1300 c.c. |  |  |
| 1st. | Time. | Speed...........................m.p.h |
| 2nd..................................... | 3rd. | 4th.. |
| Fastest Lap : Car No. .............. | Time | Speed...........................m.p.h |
| CLASS B - 1001-1300 c.c. |  |  |
| 1st..................................... | Time | Speed...........................m.p.h |
| 2nd..................................... | 3rd | 4th |
| Fastest Lap: Car No. $\qquad$ <br> CLASS C - 851-1000 c.c. | Time................................ | Speed...........................m.p.h |
| 1st...................................... | Time.................................. | Speed...........................m.p.h |
| 2nd..................................... | 3rd | 4th. |
| Fastest Lap: Car No. $\qquad$ <br> CLASS D - UP TO 850 c.c. | Time. | Speed...........................m.p.h |
| 1st.................................... | Time.................................. | Speed...........................m.p.h |
| 2nd..................................... | 3rd.................................. | 4th. |
| Fastest Lap : Car No. .............. | Time. | Speed...........................m.p.h |



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## LAP RECORDS as at 22.10 .72

OUTRIGHT: Mike Hailwood (Surtees TS9B Ford) 1 min .18 .8 secs. $\quad 133.72 \mathrm{~m} . \mathrm{p}$.
23.4.72

FORMULE LIBRE: David Prophet (McLaren M10B Chevrolet)

1 min. 28.8 secs. 118.66 m. p.h.
FORMULA FORD: Derek Lawrence (Titan Mk6), lan Taylor (Dulon LD9) \& Doug Bassett (Nike Mk6) 1 min .39 .8 secs. $\quad 105.58 \mathrm{~m} . \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{h}$.
24.9.72

SPECIAL SALOONS:
Over 1300 c.c.: David Howes (Ford Falcon Sprint)
1 min. 42.6 secs. 102.70 m.p.h. 15.8 .70
1001-1300 c.c. : Harry Ratcliffe (Cooper S) \&
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Richard Longman (Cooper S) } \\ 1 \text { min. } 47.8 \text { secs. } & 97.75 \text { m.p.h. } \\ 15.6 .69\end{array}$
$851-1000$ c.c. : Harry Ratcliffe (Mini Cooper S) 1 min .50 .8 secs. $\quad 95.10 \mathrm{~m} . \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{h} . \quad 27.7 .68$
Up to 850 c.c. : $\begin{array}{r}\text { Ivor Goodwin (Mini) } \\ 2 \text { min. } 00.4 \text { secs. }\end{array} \quad 87.52$ m.p.h. 15.8 .70
SPORTS GT:
Over 2500 c.c. : Alain De Cadenet (Porsche 908) 1 min. 29.8 secs. 117.34 m.p.h. 19.10 .69
1651-2500 c.c.: Roger Nathan (Astra Cosworth RNR2) $\begin{aligned} & 1 \text { min. } 34.6 \text { secs. } 111.39 \mathrm{~m} . \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{h} . \quad 15.8 .70\end{aligned}$
1301-1650 c.c.: Trevor Taylor (Lotus Europa)
1 min. 38.6 secs. $\quad 106.87$ m.p.h. $\quad 19.10 .68$
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Up to } 1300 \text { c.c. : Martin Raymond (Daren Lucas Mk2) } \\ 1 \text { min. } 40.6 \text { secs. } & 104.74 \text { m.p.h. } \\ \end{array}$
MODIFIED SPORTS :
Over 3000 c.c.: Richard Taft (TVR Tuscan)
1 min .42 .0 secs. $\quad 103.31 \mathrm{~m} . \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{h}$. 9.10 .71
2001-3000 c.c. : John Chatham (Austin Healey 3000) $\begin{aligned} & 1 \text { min. } 50.0 \text { secs. } 95.78 \text { m.p.h. } 19.10 .68 ~\end{aligned}$
1151-2000 c.c.: Carl Ripley (Elva Sebring Courier)
1 min . 48.6 secs. $97.03 \mathrm{~m} . \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{h}$
9.10.71

Up to 1150 c.c. : John Gould (Ginetta G4)
95.27 m.p.h
18.10.69

THOROUGHBRED PRODUCTION SPORTS CARS:
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CLUBMANS :

|  | Ray Mallock (Mallock U2 <br> 1 min .35 .6 secs. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Mk11) } \\ & 110.22 \text { m.p.h. } \end{aligned}$ | 9.10.7. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Up to 1000 c.c | Sid Marler (Ellova Mk2) 1 min . 41.8 secs. | 103.51 m.p.h. | 9.10.7 |
| 750 FORMULA : | David Coombs (Reliant 2 min .05 .4 secs. | Special) $84.08 \text { m.p.h. }$ | 18.10.6 |
| FORMULA 1200 | Dave Childs (Spook) 1 min . 50.6 secs. | 95.27 m.p. | 9.10 |

SILVERSTONE LAP SPEED TABLE
of any individual car, time it for one complete lap and read off the speed from this table.




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## SILVERSTONE GRAND PRIX CIRCUIT



## FOCUS No. 20

on

## PETER SCOTT RUSSELL

Chief Commentator of the British Racing Drivers' Club


Peter Scott Russell, Chief Commentator of the B.R.D.C., whose clipped phrases and voice are well known to all attending Silverstone Meetings, has acquired his knowledge of the sport the hard way over the years.

He started racing a $4 \frac{1}{2}$ litre Bentley in 1946, followed by a Frazer Nash and then a Lotus 10 on the old Club Circuit at Silverstone.

His racing days covered a great variety of events: Mille Miglia (twice), Goodwood Nine Hours (three times), Tourist Trophy at Dunrod (three times) and the Rheims Twelve Hours in Bob Gerard's Frazer Nash.

In 1955 he won the 2 litre class at the last Goodwood Nine Hours with a Lister Bristol and the same class in the Oulton Park Gold Cup with the Lotus Bristol which is still racing in the JCB Championship. When Peter last drive it in 1956, the car blew up on Hangar Straight projecting him in a neat parabola with his feet on fire. He ended up in Northampton Hospital in a bed beside Roy Salvadori.

He has other hobbies such as Guinness, but in his spare time has raised a family of six children with the help of his lovely wife Jacqueline, who is not so interested in the drinking side of Peter's career!!

He is a committee member of the B.R.D.C., one of the few English members of the Mille Miglia Club, a founder member of the Steering Wheel Club, on the committee of the Silverstone Club and a recently elected member of the G.P.D.A. One of his present interests, apart from running a publishing business and a quarry in the Forest of Dean, is to record all the Grandes Epreuves on tape for Racetape Ltd. He lives at Standlake near Witney, Oxon.

## THE BRITISH RACING DRIVERS' CLUB

Many drivers have recently expressed interest in the B.R.D.C., and have asked, How can I become a member?

The answer to this query is best covered by a brief account of the Club and the qualifications required for membership.

The B.R.D.C. has been in existence for over 40 years, and was founded by the late Dr. D. J. Benjafield. Among its early members were many of the famous Bentley team that dominated Le Mans in those days, and it has remained one of the mos exclusive in the world, certainly in the world of motor sport.

The reason for this is that the Club is not open for membership in the norma way for clubs, there are very strict rules of qualification for membership which have to be complied with before applications are considered. This may sound terribly pompous, but it is not so really.

Now getting back to this qualification business, these are the rules
Membership is confined to gentlemen of British Nationality whom the Committee conside to . They must compete in at least two seasons racing to the satisfaction of the Committee, with participation in not less than six races of any type in each season
. In the second season, or subsequently, they must have been classified as a finisher in not less than SIX RACES OF INTERNATIONAL OR NATIONAL OPEN STATUS, and in TWO of these six events candidates must have been placed.
(a) 1st, 2nd, or 3rd IN GENERAL CLASSIFICATION in races of up to 100 miles in length.
(b) Finished IN THE FIRST SIX in a race over 100 miles in length
c) Won his class (there being not less than six starters) in a major race of not less than 300 miles or three hours duration.
Formula Vee and Formula Ford races do not automatically qualify.
Where two drivers handle the same car in a race, both drivers could count the event, if they can each, in the course of the race, have complied with the conditions laid down in (2) above.
The Committee reserves the right also to elect, in exceptional circumstances, gentlemen whom they consider desirable as members, whether or not they have complied with the aforementioned conditions.
As you can see from the paragraph above it is no easy qualification, but, as for the past 40 years, drivers regard acceptance for the B.R.D.C. as being proof, to themselves and others, that they have earned the B.R.D.C. badge by their own efforts That is.
That is really the sales patter over! The Club in addition to owning the circuit at Silverstone, and running it through its subsidiary company Silverstone Circuits composed of active and retired racing drivers, eneasonable cost. The Committee, motor racing scene, and through its representation on very close watch on the concerned with the administration of the sport is ready to safeguard the interests of all drivers whether members or not.

The Club is running nine meetings of International and Restricted status at the circuit this year. At the Club meetings several Championships are being contested as may be seen from the fixture list
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If you wish to find out any further information, please contact the Secretary,

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## THE BRITISH RACING DRIVERS' ASSOCIATION LTD.

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## Further details from

B.R.D.A. Ltd.,

9 Down Street, London, W. 1.
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Silverstone Circuit.

## THE SILVERSTONE CLUB

The Silverstone Club was formed in 1966 by a group of enthusiasts anxious to help "their" circuit, the idea being that any profits earned by the Club as a result of serving its members would be applied for the improvement of circuit amenities. Examples of this plan in action have been the presentation of an Ambulance to the circuit, and the construction of premises for those stalwart enthusiasts the British Motor Racing Marshals Club.

Silverstone Circuits Ltd. reciprocate by offering a discount off grandstand prices at all meetings on the Grand Prix Circuit, and opportunities for Silverstone Club members to drive their road cars on the Club Circuit. The Silverstone Club itself provides exclusive use of the Clubhouse overlooking Woodcote Corner at all meetings, plus driving tests, film shows and other social activities throughout the year.

Annual Membership costs $£ 3.15$ per annum including one guest or $£ 5 \cdot 25$ per annum including two guests. Car badges cost $£ 2 \cdot 10$, lapel badges cost 25 p, and Club Ties in maroon or navy blue cost $£ 1 \cdot 05$.

Applications for membership should be made to the Silverstone Club Ltd., Silverstone Circuit, Nr. Towcester, Northants, NN12 8TN.

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You are present at this Meeting entirely at your own risk and it is a condition of admission that all persons having any connection with the promotion and/or organIsation and/or conduct of the Meeting, including the owners of the land and the drivers and owners of the vehicles and passengers in the vehicles, are absolved from all liability in respect of personal injury (whether fatal or otherwise) to you or damage to your property howsoever caused.

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## PADDOCK TRANSFERS

Paddock Transfers, costing 50p for adults and 20 p for children under 14, are on at the Paddock Ticket Office by the pedestrian bridge at the end of the Pits Grandstands. These tickets admit to the Paddock, Pits Balcony and Stewards' Enclosure where you get a "behind-the-scenes" view of the day's racing. They also admit to the Paddock Restaurant where you can buy hot meals and salads as well as snacks and drinks.

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