



# Annual General Meeting

Benwell Hill Cricket Club

Saturday January 25<sup>th</sup> 2025

## AGENDA

- **Welcome and introductions**
- **Review of 2024**
- **Committee member statements**
- **Members survey summary**
- **2025 Calendar**
- **Election of Committee and organising group**
- **Any other business**
- **Closing comments**





# January 2024

Memberships continuing to rise.  
Change of branch meeting venue due to unreliability  
of Jubilee, now held at Benwell Hill Cricket Club  
New bikes for some  
Triumph tank protector?

Aftermarket parts made from Chinese cheese?  
trades on Whatsapp group



# Brass Monkeys in January 28<sup>th</sup> – Mad cows in Northumberland, 18 bikes

Thanks Dave for organising a great day out. Brilliant roads, had a smashing day out. Apart from one minor indecent (falling off). Geoff.

“It was a Bultaco” – class comment from Clive





# February 2024

Triumph Newcastle  
Reduced Price Service and MOT for  
members of our branch

- .More new bikes
- Beer and curry night
- .DH finds that Traction control actually works
- Branch meeting looking at merchandise
- Dave Myers RIP
- Some folks did Biker Down training





# March 2024

Plenty of banter

Jims 60<sup>th</sup> – love the choice of photo on cake

Stu preparing for Europe trip, Tiger or Speed Twin?

Bernie organised impromptu ride to Winters Gibbet

Just around the corner from me. Stolen and stripped Harley. Can't tell what model, probably Wideglide. Please check your shed and see if it's yours. Panels and engine gone but rest looks ok. Police aware.





# March 2024

Dave Harding continues to organise Brass Monkeys – 24 riders !

Please find below a list of today's riders, I've managed 24 please let me know if I have missed anyone out, and I will update

1. Geoff Mayne
2. Ian Inglis
3. Philip Hunt
4. James Lynch
5. Sharon Anderson
6. Graeme Henderson
7. Graeme Haswell
8. Billy Hunter
9. Brian Clay
10. Simon (Bobber)
11. Neil Elders
12. Dave Harding
13. Brian Thompson
14. Chris Brooks
15. Geoff Conner
16. Ian Anderson
17. Bernie McLaughlin
18. Stu McCarthy
19. Gary Barnes
20. Steve Ibbetson
21. Glen Maddock
22. Clive Bell
23. David Webb
24. John Knott



# April 2024

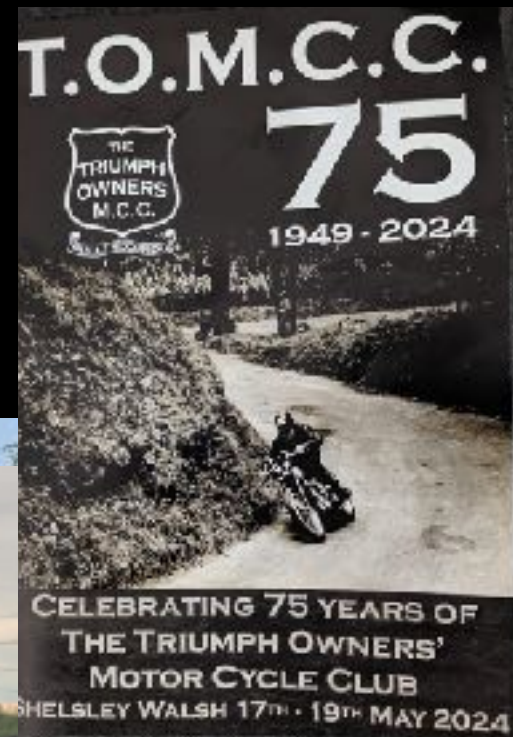
- Restart of Café Amblers
- Reminder issued to riders on branch runs to have their emergency contact details easily available. Lead rider and tail ender to know who is on the ride. Over 30 on April Amblers – Discussion point







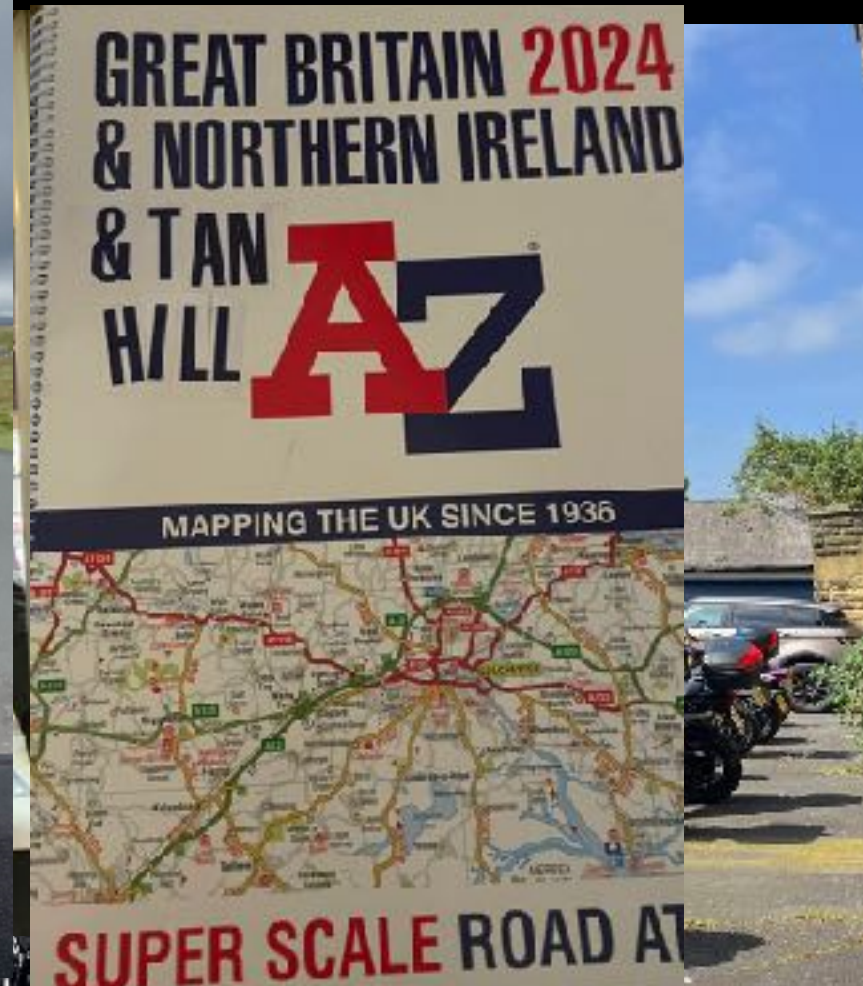
May 2024  
Shelsley Walsh Hillclimb track  
TOMCC 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary





## May 2024

- 20 on Café Amblers ride
- Lots of chat about insurance.
- Funny WhatsApp trail about Triumph branded clothing and accessories.
- The DGR and Dapper Social
- Retired and Workshy, on a train?
- Iain eventually receives the navigation award and finds Tan Hill



# More



# Merch



Neil -Steady on there Vic.

You'll be wearing Triumph underpants and budgie smugglers next 😂😂

Vic- Well Triumph underwear is very fetching and stylish as we know, but I find the lace a frills itch a bit 😊👉

June 2024

Tour of Ireland  
Daves Day

<https://youtu.be/NcGsk7R2N-4?si=yQC0iAwmvlxYNzdy>



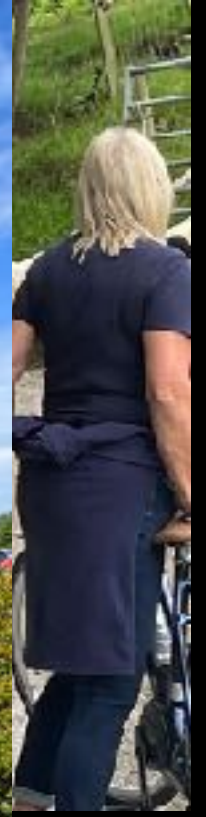
Meanwhile back at home!!!! Veteran  
Tattoos and the appearance of Big Lidl  
man !



TRIUMPH



End of month ride Sunday 30th June Lakes and Passes. Taking in Hartside, Kirkstone, Winlatter, Newlands and Honister Passes. 196 miles. Meet at Heddon from 9:00am fueled and ready for a 9:30am departure. First stop, coffee at Nook Cafe at Alston. Second stop, Lunch at the Wheatsheaf inn Low Lorton. Third Stop and end of ride, Langley castle. Fuel at Ambleside and Alston.



Cheers Ged for another excellent Peculier Amblers weekend. Thank you James for being the tail. 16 attendees. Ged Tellwright Cat Tellwright Vic Stevenson Carol Stevenson James Lynch Stuart McCarthy Kevin Alderson Sharon Anderson Ian Anderson Bernie McLaughlin Rob Ayre Tracy Tordai



- July 2024
- Masham Trip, 16 Old Peculiers
- Macas gets Stealth
- Rod gets Trident Tribute
- Elders gets T shirt, oh, and a 955 RS
- Loftus's Bonny America stolen and recovered
- Few members at Dent incl Ray Birch Tribute ride
- Last Sunday ride to Maryport – D Tate



Stolen recovered



Bike recovered





July 2024





August 2024  
Stamfordham bike show  
Trades, projects and offloads



Runs, new bikes,  
familiar problems





## TRIUMPH WINS BIG TRIUMPH SCOOPS 6 MCN AWARDS

At this year's MCN Awards, Triumph walked away with 6 awards including the coveted Manufacturer of the Year and Overall Bike of the Year.

Triumph has won Overall Bike of the Year for 3 years consecutively with the Speed 400 securing the accolade for 2024. The previous winners in the model line-up were: Tiger Sport 660 (2022) and the Street Triple RS (2023).



# Clennell Hall Northumberland

Near Alwinton, Northumberland  
NE65 7BJ  
01669 650377

**Branch Summer camp**  
**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> to**  
**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> (Bank hol England)**  
**August 2024**

**TOMCC members welcome –**  
**pre booking essential – first**  
**50, see below**

- NORTH EAST ENGLAND -



TRIUMPH OWNERS' MOTOR CYCLE CLUB



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**Friday eve**, meet up, set up and have a bit of crack. Jims Pizza £5, but pre orders advised

**Saturday** – main arrivals and check in. Afternoon ride – evening meal and live music

**Sunday** – Rideout north Northumberland, Awards, evening meal – and something in

*The Crypt*

**Serious and dubious awards**

**Accommodation options:** – Indoors, 10 rooms (1 remaining) and 2 dormitories, or cheap camping immediately outside the Hall, book and pay direct with Clennell Hall. Rooms discounted for people attending the event.

**Plenty of grass pitches, some hard standing for campervans. Nearest B&B alternatives at Alwinton or Harbottle. A fuel station and shop is now open a few miles away in Thropton.**

Payment must be in advance, no later than Friday 9<sup>th</sup> August:  
Please put **CAMP 24** and your **SURNAME** on the payment reference.

### **Bank details:**

- TOMCC NEE
- Account number; 15730668
- Sort code: 30-98-90



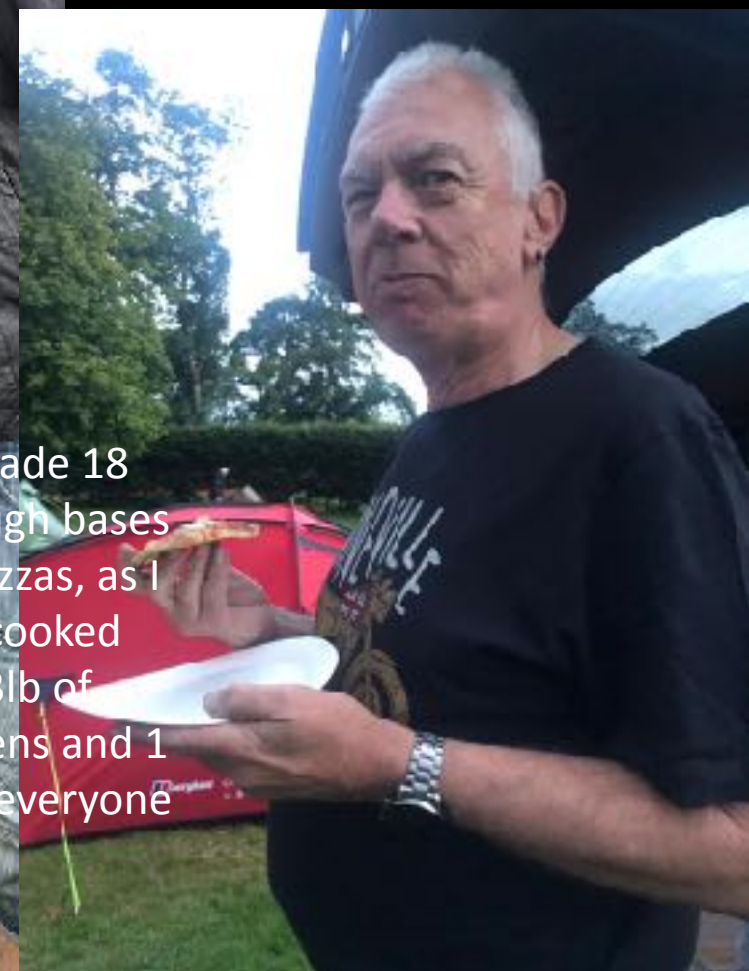
**For updates go to:**

**[tomcc-ne.uk](http://tomcc-ne.uk)**



<https://youtu.be/tlYuLLB5pm4>

Just for those interested in what we ate Friday night. I made 18 fresh pizzas dough's I used 22 out of 30 pre made dough bases and 5 chicken and herb pizzas, 5 garlic breads. not 53 pizzas, as I first thought. 15 bags of rice and 2 bags of quadrupled cooked chips. Umpteen packets of various meat topping's and 3lb of home made chicken tikka. 1 jar of chillies 1 jar of gherkens and 1 tub of cottage cheese. Thanks for the challenge, I hope everyone got fed and didn't wait too long.





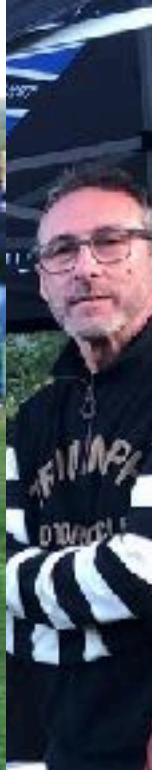
rides







awards





W&R

Seahouses not Holy island – festival on





September 2024

Sunset RS courtesy of Natalie

More talk of insurance

Northumbria, Durham, Cleveland Police joint training in Northumberland

Wet Northumberland, hot Falkirk

Rectifier replaced

Biker Down



mounties



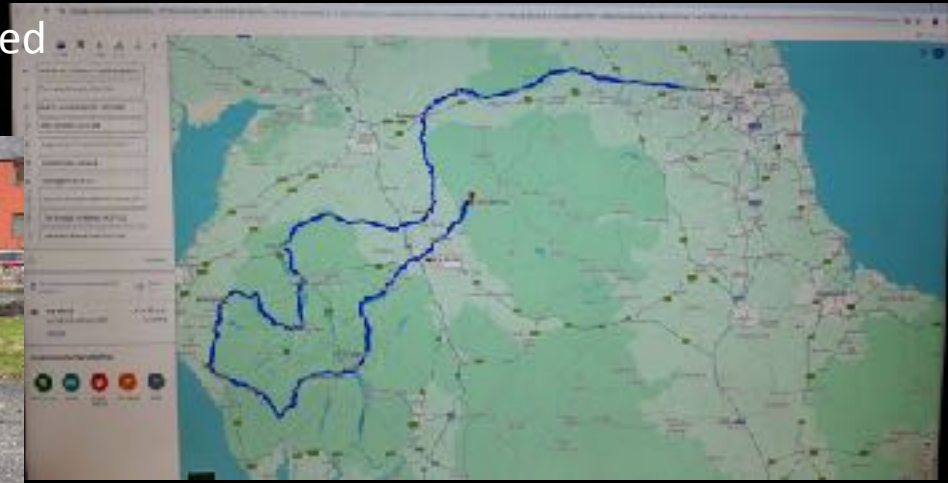


Sept 2024

ride to lakes and Twist and Chips to Seahouses

Experts called in to fix Clives bike

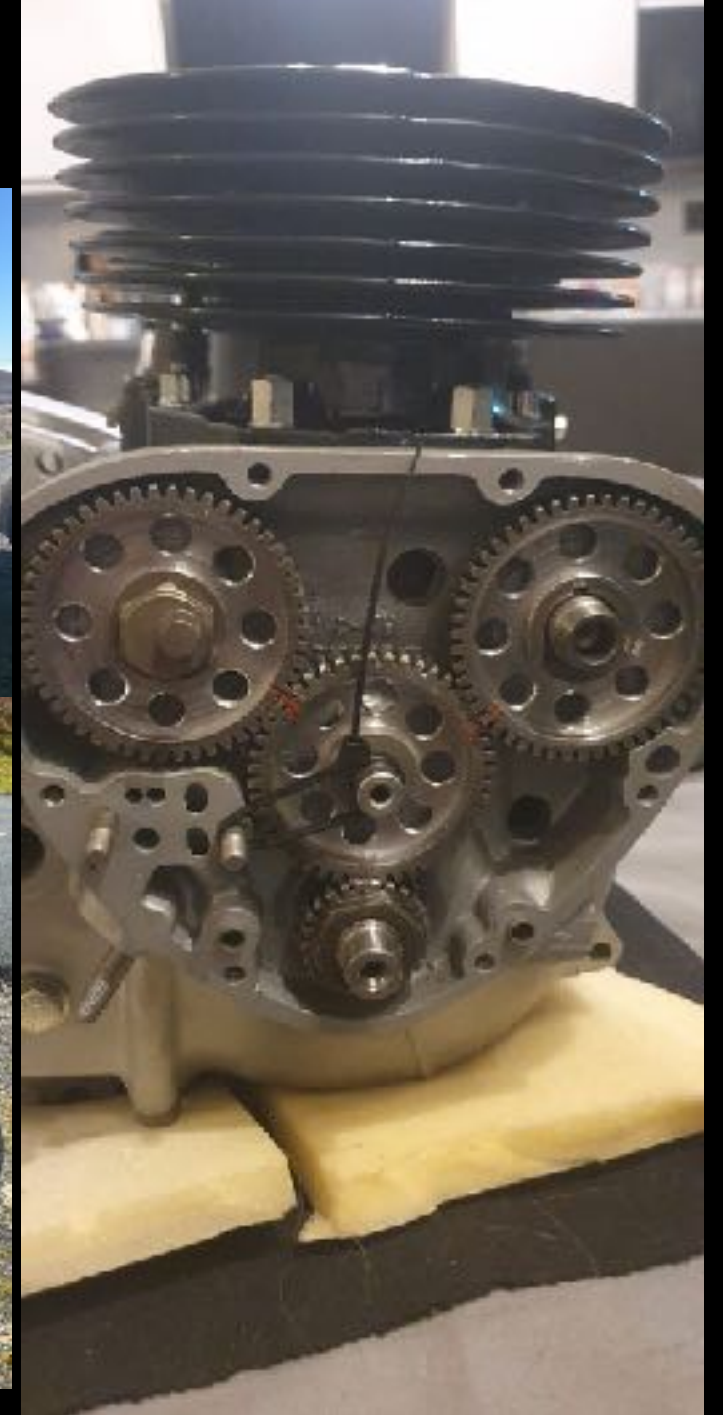
Some unusual mechanical issues spotted



experts



October 2024







Collected £270 from the TOMCC NEE Poppy pin. Handed the money over to one of the representatives, Jim Hugh West (aka Elivs in his part time) at the Monument, at the Poppy collection event this morning. Many thanks to all who bought and supported the cause, cheers

November  
2024



Triumph Newcastle are offering 50% off an annual service to branch members during December. You must produce proof of membership as this offer is not available to others



December 2024  
Projects  
Insurance  
Batteries  
Christmas do



Bross Monkey Ride

Our monthly Branch meeting discussed some important issues, next years summer tour, camp and options for rides. Phil Main presented a detailed proposal for an early in the year trip to Shetland and distributed handouts. Race the waves in Bridlington, it was thought there could be a Spring tour, Summer camp and Autumn tour. A different Summer Camp venue near Ship was discussed.



Out and about on a Thursday

Importantly, members need to register for the Christmas Party and at £10 a head its



xmas





## Committee member statements

- Memberships
- Events / Ride coordinators
- Treasurer
- Webmaster
- General Secretary

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## Treasurer's Report 2024 - 2025

### Income

### Expenditure

Membership	£394.00
Badges	£51.00
Rally Raffle	£136
TOMCC	£540.48
Clothing	£23.34
Xmas Party	£250
Branch Rally	£1510.00
Total	£2904.82
Total for year	£520.71

Xmas Party	£465
Clennel Rally	£1280.00
Website	£100.68
Webhost	£12.59
DGR	£300
Fuel	£80
Refund	£70
Prizes	£75.84
Total	£2384.11

Total Cash at Bank as at 24/01/2025 **£3560.97**

In conclusion the incoming Treasurer will need to look at changing the Bank Account as Lloyds are now charging to operate the account. This will have to be done with the cooperation of Committee Members to add signatories to the account.

G haswell

Graeme Haswell

Branch Treasurer



# Members Survey 2024/5

## feedback summary

(Word Doc)



2025

## 2025 proposed calendar



New Committee to agree timing  
of their quarterly meetings



Triumph Owners' Motor Cycle Club  
Club Rules  
April 2023

## Making it happen National and Branch requirements



Triumph Owners' Motor Cycle Club  
Members' Handbook  
April 2023

The Triumph Owners' Motor Cycle Club" shall be the official name of the organisation: hereinafter called the Club.

2. The aims and objects of the Club are to provide facilities for members to meet in a spirit of friendship and to promote all aspects of motorcycling.

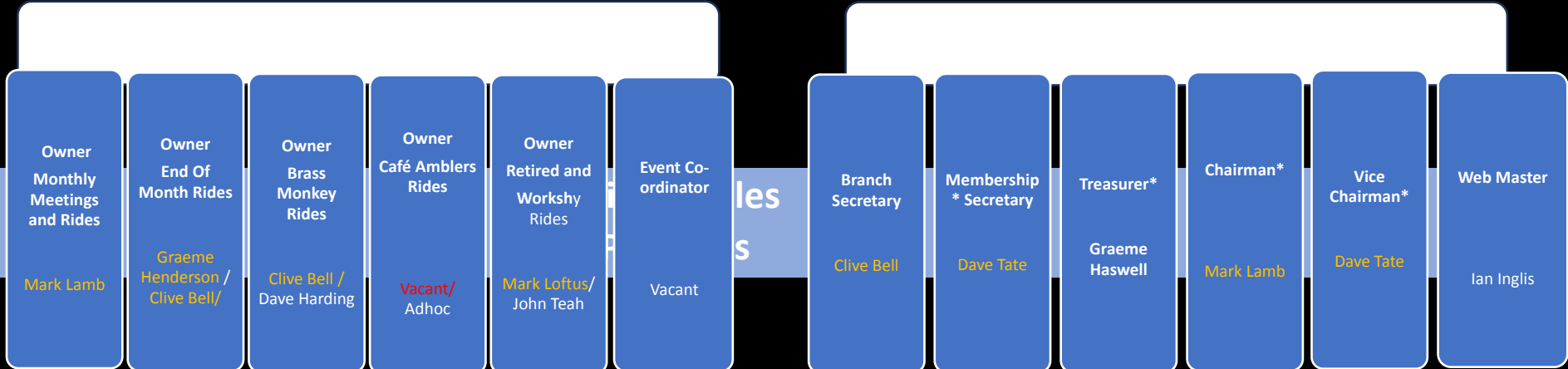
3. The Club shall consist of Regions and Branches which together form the whole. **Regions and Branches shall be self-organising subject to their responsibility to the Club and Club Rules. (2020)**

**Each Branch has a managing Committee, elected annually by members.** Branches provide a focus for members to meet, ride together, attend shows and other events, and to help each other with information about Triumph motorcycles and riding in general.

**Branch members are encouraged to participate both in other Branch's events and at the National level.**



**TOMCC NE**  
**Branch Chairman**  
Mark Lamb



**Ride-Coordiators**  
Monthly Meeting, End of Month, Brass Monkeys Café Amblers, Retired and Workshy:  
Graeme Henderson, Dave Harding, Graeme Henderson, Bernie McLoughlin, Dave Harding, Neil Elders , Geoff Mayne, Mark Loftus, John Teah, Iain Inglis

**Annual and Ad-hoc Events,**  
Xmas Party, Beer and Curry, Summer Camp, Annual Ride Tour,DGR, **Dapper Social**  
Ali Lamb, Dave Tate, Mark Lamb

**\* Denotes Mandated Role**

**Membership**



Committee and supporting members –  
election to positions

- Chairman
- Memberships
- Treasurer
- Events / Ride coordinator and leaders  
(Café Riders, Last Sundays, Retired and Workshy, Brass Monkeys, camp, tours)
- Webmaster
- General Secretary/Communications
- One of above – Vice Chair
- Others – Merchandise? Sub Sections



- Any other business
- Closing comments
- End of AGM

