

## Triumph Owners M.C.C. Northants Branch



## A message from the Branch Chairman...

At this present time things are out of our control and all Triumph Owners events are cancelled. When everything gets back to normal, we will have our postponed Branch AGM as soon as possible – with the required 28-days' notice to members.

In the meantime, we hope that members are happy for the current committee to continue in office. A couple of the committee were hoping to step back from their duties at the AGM in March – it is hoped that they are prepared to carry on for the time being. If not we may look to co-opt someone to fill in.

The main thing is that everyone keeps safe. We want to see you all back on our first club night when we restart.

Regards,

Phil Barton.

Non-club members are welcome at all events unless specifically marked otherwise. Listen out for details at club nights, or check with committee members beforehand in case of short-notice alterations or cancellations. Except where indicated, club nights start at 8pm.

	Events List
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup> April	Virtual Club Night on Facebook at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/northantstomcc/">https://www.facebook.com/groups/northantstomcc/</a> .
	Create a new post on the Facebook group by uploading one of your old photos. Don't forget to tell the story behind it.
	For examples see the uploads done on 1 <sup>st</sup> April.

All events shown for May onwards are provisional and depend on how the COVID-19 situation develops. As and when Triumph Owners events recommence, notice will be sent to branch members via e-mail, via the branch website and via Facebook.

If we are still in lockdown at the time, the 6th and 20th May will be virtual club nights on Facebook.

Fri-Mon 1st-4th May	Trifest Somerset – postponed until 2021
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup> May	Club Night at The Crown, High Street, Hardingstone from 8pm.
	Theme night: Bonnevilles (Meriden & Hinckley).
Sun 10 <sup>th</sup> May	Branch Run to Norton Owners Club Open Day. At Welford.
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup> May	First of the Wrinklies Runs – see last page
Sat-Sun 16 <sup>th</sup> -17th	MCN Show, Peterborough – postponed until September
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Club Night at The Crown, High Street, Hardingstone from 8pm.
Sun 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Branch Run to BSA Owners Club Open Day. Market Harborough Rugby Club.
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Rushden Station Motorcycle Day
Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Club Night at The Crown, High Street, Hardingstone from 8pm.
	Theme night: Tridents & Rocket IIIs

Sat-Sun 6 <sup>th</sup> -7 <sup>th</sup> June	Coventry Moto-Fest	
Sun 14 <sup>th</sup> June	Branch Run to Ace Café Triumph Day	
Wed 17 <sup>th</sup> June	Concours d'Elegance at The Crown, High Street, Hardingstone from 8pm. Trophies for pre & post 1990 machines	
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup> June	Club Run to Wellesbourne Mountford Airfield. Includes taxy runs by the Vulcan.	
Sun 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Branch Display at Ton-Up Day, Jack's Hill Café, Towcester. 10am-5pm. Get there early to set up	
Wed 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Club Night at The Crown, High Street, Hardingstone from 8pm.	
	Theme night: All Meriden machines	
Sun 5 <sup>th</sup> July	World Superbikes at Donington	
Sun 5 <sup>th</sup> July	Rideout to Blaze Inn Saddles, Burdrop, Banbury, OX15 5RJ	
Sun 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Triumph Day at Jack's Hill Café. 10am-2pm. Early arrival to set up.	
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup> July	Branch Open Night & Barbecue at The Crown, Hardingstone. All welcome.	
Sun 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Branch Display at Founders Day Rally. Stanford Hall.	
Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup> August	Run to the Sand (Hunstanton)	
Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup> August	Run to Bedford Triumph Owners at Wilstead on A6 south of Bedford	
Wed 5 <sup>th</sup> August	Club Night at The Crown, High Street, Hardingstone from 8pm.	
	Theme night: Thruxton and Triton	
Sat 15 <sup>th</sup> August	Northants Bike Show (provisional date)	
Sun 16 <sup>th</sup> August	Brackley Festival of Motorcycling (branch display)	
Wed 19 <sup>th</sup> August	Club Night at The Crown, High Street, Hardingstone from 8pm.	
Sun 30 <sup>th</sup> August	Moto GP at Silverstone	
Wed 2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Club Night at The Crown, High Street, Hardingstone from 8pm.	
	Theme night: Custom and Bobber	
5 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> September	Trifest France (TOGA) at Vercors	
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup> September	Club Night at The Crown, High Street, Hardingstone from 8pm.	
Sun 27 <sup>th</sup> September	Distinguished Gentlemens' Ride	
Sat 3 <sup>rd</sup> October	Ride To The Wall	
Wed 7 <sup>th</sup> October	Club Night at The Crown, High Street, Hardingstone from 8pm.	
	Theme night: All Meriden machines	
Fri-Sun 9 <sup>th</sup> -11 <sup>th</sup> October	Skegfest	
Wed 27 <sup>th</sup> October	Club Night at The Crown, High Street, Hardingstone from 8pm.	

Events in bold are branch events, others are for information only.

## The Wrinklies Runs 2020

The Wrinklies Runs for this year are under new management; being shared between Barry Gambrill and Chris Dickens. Thanks to Norm who has done a fantastic job running them the last 3 years.

The runs this year will start in May and finish in September, if anyone wants to lead a run before or after these dates you are welcome to do so, just let me know so it can be put in the program.

Meet at the selected WEDNESDAYS at Pure Triumph Wellingborough at 10.45, with full tanks to depart at 11.00, for runs of up to 50 miles and taking about 90 minutes. The destination will be a pub or café for a lunchtime drink and chat. Can't guarantee that food will be available in all the pubs. If you cannot make the run you are welcome to go straight to the venue and meet us there.

All food and drink must be paid for by the individual members – we won't be running a bar tab.

We will be using the DROP OFF system for all the runs so please ensure that you stop where the leader indicates and DO NOT leave until the back marker arrives.

Barry Gambrill

Date	Venue
13 May	All Seasons café, Northampton, NN3 9EX
27 May	The Pheasant, Keyston, PE28 0RE
10 June	The Spread Eagle, Piddington, NN7 2DA
24 June	The Crown Inn, Tur Langdon, LE8 0PJ
8 July	The Greyhound, Milton Malsor, NN7 3AP
22 July	The Cross keys, Kings Cliff, PE8 6XA
12 Aug	The Bull Inn, Clifton upon Dunsmore, CV23 0BH
26 Aug	The Bell Inn, Gumley, LE16 7RU
9 Sept	The Royal Oak, Walgrave, NN6 9PN
23 Sept	The Kings Arms, Polebrook, PE8 5LW

The five members who made it to the last club night. When will we all meet again?

