



Evan Cook at the Blakesley Show ploughing for the first time on trailed class with his Same 45 and doing a good job too!

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Club Events

Basil Wood Ploughing Match ~ Aug 31st - Sept 1st Gt Addington N'ptonshire practice on Sat. match on Sun. contact Eric Curtis 07967 312398
 NPYFC Ploughing Match ~ Sept 7th including Harvest Show venue TBC contact Tom Charge on 07715 589854 or email: tomwlcharge@msn.com
 Cook's Ploughing Match ~ Sept 20th Tudor Fm. Edgecott contact Richard on 07702 340687
 NBVTC Ploughing Match ~ Sept 21st Moulsoe Fm. Moulsoe (entries included)
 NBVTC Ploughing Challenge Cup ~ Oct 5th at Moulsoe
 New Holland Visit ~ Oct 22nd to the Ford factory in Basildon ****FULLY BOOKED****
 Llama Farm Ploughing Match ~ to be held in the Autumn
 Wavendon Ploughing Match ~ to be held in the Autumn
 Xmas Roadrun ~ December 7th at Forest Farm

Club Nights

We meet at 7:30 pm on the 3rd Wednesday of every month at Newport Pagnell FC.
 Willen Rd. Newport Pagnell MK16 0DF

Sept. 17th	Joan Harrington on Medical Detection Dogs
Oct. 15th	AGM ~ Kingsley Riding-Felce DVD Night
Nov. 19th	Tony Edwards on Spitfires
Dec. 17th	Ernie Thomas' Quiz Night

Local Rallies and Shows

Sept 6th & 7th	Haddenham Steam Rally in Ely Cambs
Sept 12th - 14th	Bedfordshire Steam & Country Fayre in Biggleswade Beds
Sept 20th & 21st	Haynes Working Rally in Haynes Beds
Nov 8th & 9th	Newark Tractor Show at Newark Showground in Notts

The club website (www.nbvtc.org.uk) is the best place to check for updates on all events

Notes from the Editor

It seems, at the moment, we only come back from the States to write yet another newsletter!

On our recent trip we stayed in Mukilteo only 10-minute drive to our working offices in Everett, and an hours drive from Seattle. On a weekend off we managed to visit the Historic Flight museum (do not know how we missed it last time) and very interesting too! A couple of weeks later we did the Mukilteo Car Show held on the same museum premises and that was truly awesome, we got a full dose of the best V8 hot rod renovations and some great restored classic cars. The visit also included seeing the B25, B29 and some vintage biplanes flying. All in all a very good day out!



In this edition Alleexx has sent in a report on the Bucks YFC event at Bledlow where club had a stand. What an interesting and fun day out so be sure to pencil it in your next year's calendar. It is great to see the Singer's family's competitive spirit putting Newport Pagnell YFC's name in the Trophy for best YFC in the Bucks area this year. Well done you all!!

Another event where the club was well represented was the Blakesley Show last weekend and Nuts has kindly rounded it up for us. It was a real shame that the thunder, lighting and rain caused so much havoc on the ploughing fields that the organisers called off the match just when some of our club members were doing their best bit of ploughing.

Although this year's summer road run was not as well supported as previous years, I was glad to see that the Saturday night BBQ was very well attended. It was great to observe families of all age's present truly making it a social family event. Unfortunately Roger and I were unable to make it on the Sunday but fear not a report from George and Ted Singer and photos from Steve and Dan have been included.

Make sure you check out our events coming up in the next few months, there are a few ploughing matches in the calendar and our winter meetings start in September. For a current update make sure visit our website on www.nbvtc.org.

See you around!!!! *Sandix*

Next newsletter is out in December, any material to be included please send by the end of November.

NBVTC MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS

**Within the newsletter you will
find a renewal form for your
2014-2015 subscription**

**Completed forms with your
remittance can be handed in
at our September meeting for
Roger Tyerman to update**

**If unable to attend please
send the completed form and
your remittance to Roger as
addressed on the form**

NBVTC Interclub Challenge Moulsoe October 5th 2014

Clubs to taking part: NBVTC,
Banbury, Bicester, Boddington,
Princes Risborough, Sod Busters,
Warwick & Ouse Valley

Classes: VTrailed ~ VMounted ~
Classic

10:00 am start

Entry fee £5 per team member

The match will use the society of
ploughman's regulations, more
info on: www.ploughmen.co.uk

**Contact: Peter Godwin on
01869 346831**

A Note from the Chairman

It's unbelievable that we are more
than half way through the year and
not long now until we start our
winter meetings. At least we have
had some nice weather this year
and no shows have been rained off
YET.

At the moment I am in the process
of organising speakers for the year
– I have already booked some that
I think you will find interesting –
details are in this newsletter. The
trip to Basildon has created great
interest and is already full with a
waiting list. Thank you Richard for
organising the trip and all of you for
your support for this event, I'm sure
it will be an interesting day.



It was nice to see some of you at
the Young Farmers rally at Bledlow. It was a really good show with about thirty tractors
in attendance from Bicester, Milton Keynes and Risborough clubs. A special well done to
Newport Pagnell Young Farmers for winning the trophy for being the best Young Farmers
club in Bucks.

The Bloxham rally was bigger this year with an extra field for exhibitors but unfortunately
less room for caravans which were parked further away from the main exhibits - but overall
a good show.

The annual summer BBQ at Chris Singer's was quite well attended again this year.
Fortunately the weather was good and everybody seemed to have a good time particularly
the children who spent most of the evening on the bouncy castle – along with a few adults
of course. The road run on the Sunday was not so well attended as in previous years but
was non the less very enjoyable – with an excellent well planned route – thank you to
Michael Brandon for that. Due to other commitments, illness or injury we were a little
down on helpers on Sunday so a very special thank you goes to those who had to work
extra hard – Peggy Warner, Barbara Bird and her grandson Sean who did a fantastic job
with the cooking – not forgetting Ellie for selling the raffle tickets.

We could not hold these events without venues so once again thank you to Chris and Karen
Singer for letting us use their land.

I hope to see as many of you as possible at our September meeting
and look forward to your continued support.

Regards

Malcolm



NBVTC Autumn Event Basildon Plant October 22nd 2014

**This event is now closed as is fully booked*
*Reminder to all who have reserved a place, money
must be in to Richard by Aug. 31st after this date
your name will be crossed off and your place passed
on to someone on the reserved list**

The club is visiting the New Holland tractor assembly plant in Basildon

It is the 50th anniversary of the Basildon plant so this is bound to be a
must for any Ford tractor enthusiast

22nd October, 8:00am for 8:30am depart from Newport Pagnell football
club (Willen Rd Newport Pagnell MK16 0DF)

£20 per person including return coach journey and lunch

Sorry club members only, no under 15's, limited to only 45 spaces

Call Richard: 07921461542 or 01908 516102



The NBVTC Summer Road Run

Report by George & Ted Singer

Photos by Dan Casanova & Steve Anguish

On the 19th and 20th of July the NBVTC came to stay at our farm.

Malcolm and Margaret and Pete and Barbara started early and stayed in their caravans from Thursday night. We all helped put the tent up on Friday so we could have a BBQ on Saturday night.

On Saturday morning Dad was combining but people started to bring their tractors over ready for the road run on Sunday.

In the afternoon we were treated to a display of horse transformation by Sophie and Mum, from dirty off farm condition to lovely grey for an event on the following day. It is definitely harder work than pressure washing a tractor



or motorcycle.

The rain showers passed round the campsite so we had a great BBQ in the evening and lots of people came. It was Sophie's 18th Birthday the week before so Mum and Dad surprised her with a cake and we all sang happy birthday to her.

On Sunday morning we all got ready to go on the road run. Margaret and Barbara





cooked us all bacon rolls, then Ted went in the Willys Jeep with Jackie and her dad and George went in the truck to help dad marshal.

Ted also drove Malcolm's 135 Massey down the track. The Willys Jeep broke down quite a lot but we still had loads of fun. We had a raffle when we got back and Ted won some cans of Guinness!!

Haydon Morris on his much travelled Massey Ferguson 65 won the award for the best renovated tractor on the road run.



All the money that we raised over this weekend went to Macmillan in memory of our Godmother Mandy thank you very much for helping us raise money. We had a great weekend and we hope that you all did as well.

From George and Ted Singer.





Blakesley Show

Dawn broke bright and clear on Saturday 2nd August for the Blakesley show. I always find this show really enjoyable, there is a large working area and the show still retains the air of a country fair.

The atmosphere in the working area is as always relaxed; on arrival we find that Steve has already erected the club Gazebo. We arrange the display boards, tables and chairs and most important get the kettles on before the club members start to arrive.

The club static display this year comprises Rob's Massey Ferguson 35 with front-end loader and trailer the whole outfit absolutely splendid with the patina of unrestored age. Richard's Fordson N in similar state, Steve's Fordson Dexta again unrestored but this tractor has led a pampered life as an aircraft tow truck so is in better state than most agricultural tools and finally to change the unrestored theme Sandi's fully restored Bolens Versamatic 2 wheel tractor and plough.

This month's quiz question is: Which club member did not bring his tractor because it might rain?

Many other club members turned up to work their tractors and some came for the ploughing competition. The ploughing area



had something of interest for all tastes from the two Fowler ploughing engines with 6 furrow rocking plough and discs through every size of tractor down to the horticultural tractors and a pair of horses. There was a good selection of crawler tractors this year ranging from an ex military Cat D8 to a Ransomes horticultural crawler.

The ground was hard and this seemed to make no difference to the Fowlers but at the Horticultural end it made life difficult. Paul and Robin were the club representatives in this class with the Winget and Colt tractors and Ransomes ploughs. In the larger tractor sizes the Cook tribe was present father having purchased a new toy, a small Lamborghini crawler tractor that week (they like the unusual) it left the siblings to all change tractors and ploughs.

Haydon was using his MF 65 and plough, which he had driven to the show until he broke the plough and had to stop before doing any more damage. Robert was competing with his Ferguson and Andy and grandson were exhibiting a fine Simplicity with mid mounted sickle bar mower. Unfortunately there was a thunderstorm and heavy rain around 1300 hours and the judges of the ploughing competition called it off which was a disappointment.

The weather cleared up and work in the field continued. The Fowlers continued



throughout the storm with the exception of 5 minutes of lightning, they are a tough breed these steam ploughmen.

One is always struck by how much logistics support these engines needed in their prime, at these working shows a large 4 wheel drive tractor with a water bowser and pump regularly appears and fills both engines then coal deliveries appear on flatbed trailers. In their heyday it must have taken an enormous amount of work to supply these beasts in the fields by horse.

Between the working area and the show there was a shuttle service run by a JCB Fastrack and a big New Holland tractor with covered trailers. Walking into the show ground the first stall were the Bison burgers, far too good to miss. As usual there was a good variety including modern machinery, craft tents, antiques, auctioneers and estate agents.

The animal section of the show is always well attended and this year must have been a record. I did not realise there were so many varieties of sheep raised in this country. The show had from small varieties of continental sheep to very large varieties and from fine looking animals to downright ugly ones, to my eye at least. The cattle section was less populated but never the less interesting. I saw a breed the smallest cattle I have ever seen and as they had two very young calves with



them, they were attracting a lot of interest.

As the heavens were about to open we made for the tent and so missed the horse arena that was in yet another field. There were also ducks, chickens, llamas and raptors to be seen. One could also participate in numerous country sports if one so desired.

In the afternoon the club members helped the chairman eat the birthday cakes that had been bought along for him. This club knows how to live well. In all everybody had a good day and late afternoon we just got cleared away and packed up before another thunderstorm hit.

As we were all packing up the JCB driver from the Jade tyres stand treated us to an exhibition of what you can do with a JCB when you are having fun, they are an impressive machine.

Nuts





Bucks YFC at Bledlow

On May 31st the Bucks Young Farmers held their annual get together of all the young farmer clubs in the Bucks area. This year the show was held at Lord Carrington's residence at Bledlow manor near Chinnor. Several tractor clubs were invited to bring classic & vintage tractors, present were the NBVTC, Bicester and a few others.

NBVTC chairman Malcolm Foster brought along his MF135 and club members Steve Anguish brought his Fordson Dexta, George Singer brought his DB Cropmaster and younger brother Teddy Singer his Fordson Standard N. Another club brother duo was Evan Cook with his Same 45 and young Robin Cook with his Martin-Markham Colt.

The club gazebo was erected (no not that one, maybe one day), together with the club photo display boards, which proved popular and interesting to the visiting public.



Several local dealers exhibiting new machinery attended the show. There was a farmer's market with local farmers bringing their own produce. Also present were the proverbial fairground rides (if I ever here that song again...GRRRRR).

Various events looked quite energetic and sometimes dangerous, serious health and safety issues? The highlight was the bath race where YF club members had to make their own bath vehicle take part on the race. Teddy Singer was nominated to steer for the Newport Pagnell YF club. Other competitions included the girls making something fashionable for an animal to wear and the boys making a garden related tool. Megan Singer took 1st place for her dog coat and George Singer was Highly Commended for his hand garden tool.

It was a good day out for all.

alex F.



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