

## Poachers Pre65 Classic Trials Club.

Round 5 Club Championship 31<sup>st</sup> May 2026.

58 riders signed on for our 5<sup>th</sup> round Club Championship at Flintwood Farm, Belchford Errol, Mark and me set out on Friday 10 sections to be ridden over four laps, section 1 to 7 set along the top of the valley with sections 8, 9 and 10 on the lower grassland.

Again, Ian Wilkinson had organized a full complement of observers that in some cases depending on which route you rode had quite a busy day, Section 9 on the Expert Route, with section 1 for the Intermediate route, and both sections 6 and 9 being the most troublesome for the Clubman riders.

But on completion of the results, we still had an excellent number of single figure rides, with 6 riders returning clean sheets, 2 Inter and 4 Clubman recording zero marks lost. It's also good to see some of our newer riders especially on the Clubman route progressing up the results. Sunday's sections were set with the possibility of rain which fortunately we avoided, nevertheless Sunday's Trial needed 100% concentration in finding the right line.

Our next event is the last Championship Trial before our Summer break and it in the Wooded Plantation at South Elkington, its one of our most popular venues and Wilko is organizing the observers so that again we can have 4 laps of 10 sections.

Thanks to all for the postings on the Poachers WhatsApp Group, it sounds like you all enjoyed the day. Thanks again for your support of the Club and we should Have the entries for our next Trial later this week, please try to enter as soon as possible. Hope to see you all at the end of June. MG