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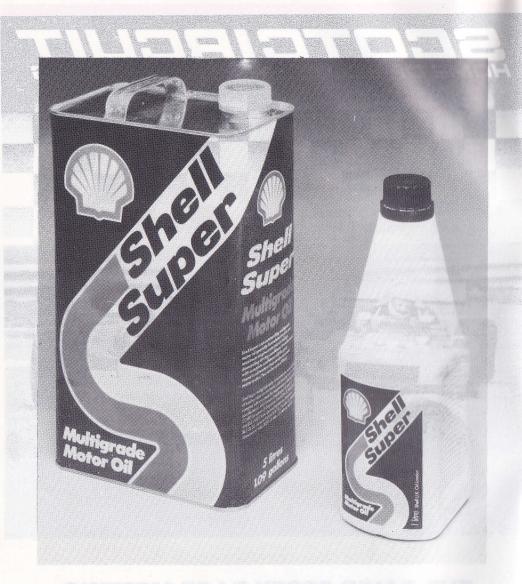
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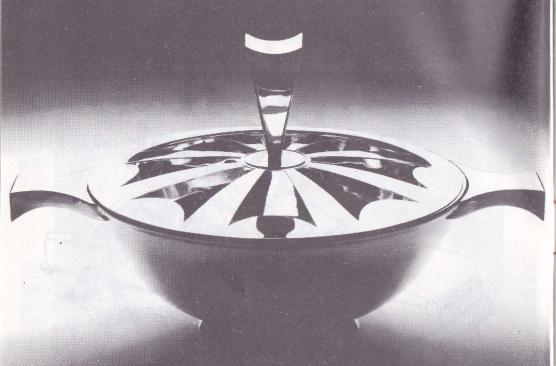


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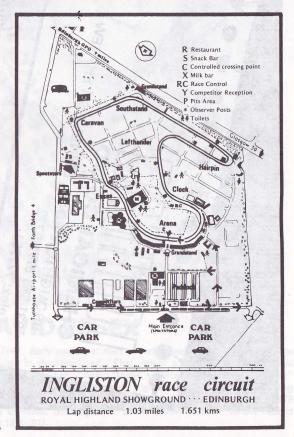
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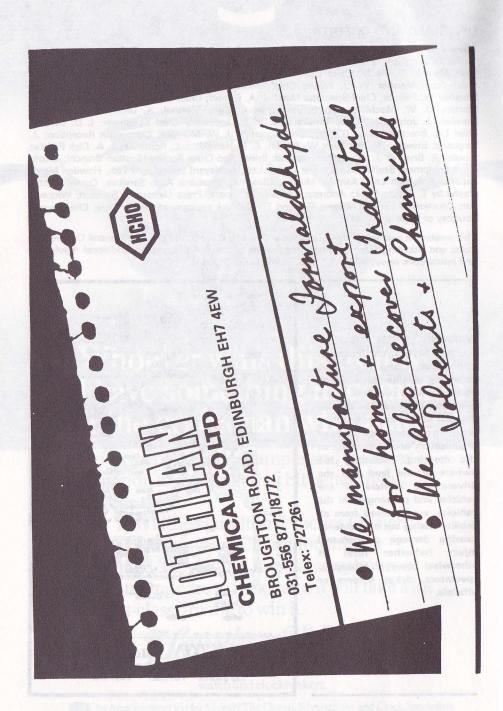
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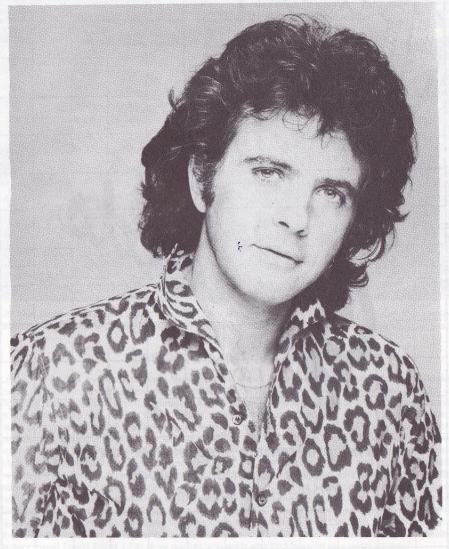
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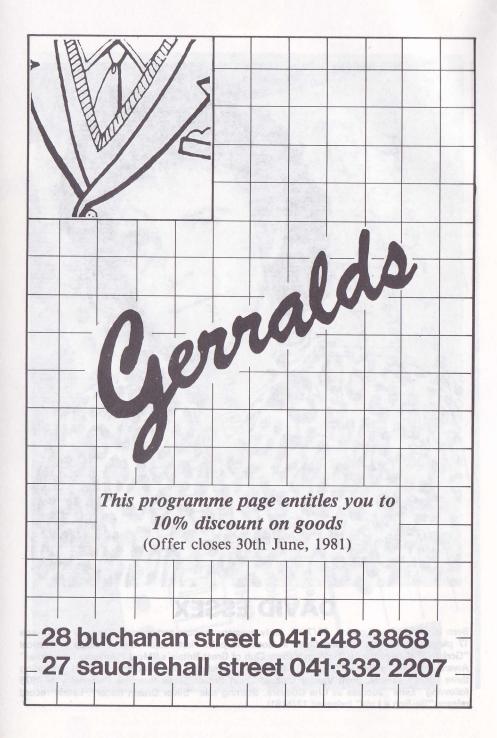


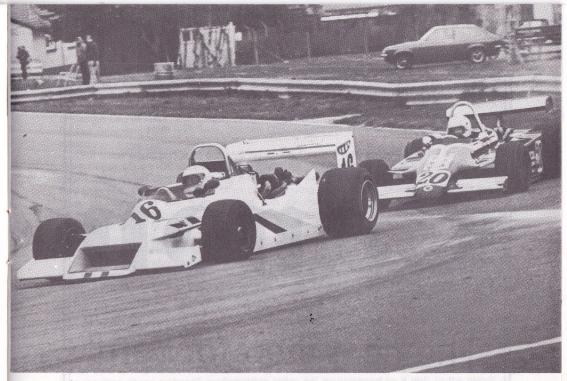




DAVID ESSEX

Born Plaistow, East London, 23/7/47. Early passions: soccer and music. "Discovered" at age 17 playing drums and singing blues in dockland pub. First major role as Jesus in musical "Godspell" (November 1971). Won Variety Club of Great Britain's "Most Promising Newcomer" Award for starring role in "That'll be the Day". Consistent pop success 1972-1981, including three "gold" albums. Joint Variety Club of Great Britain Show Business Personality of 1978 following "Evita" success as Che Guevara. Starring role "Silver Dream Racer". Latest record release "Be-Bop a Lula" (released 12/5/81).





At our second April Meeting it was Bob Leckie and David Duffield who provided the single-seater tension: just add Andy Barton and Jim Evans today and hold on to the edge of your seat!

PROGRAMME NOTES

Undoubtedly the event of today's **David Essex Race Meeting** is the appearance of David Essex, star of screen, stage and popular music. While to some, a special guest appearance by a pop star may seem somewhat unusual at a motor racing meeting, those of you who saw David in the remarkable film, "Silver Dream Racer" may find his appearance at a race track somewhat more appropriate! Indeed, during the course of this afternoon, David will be "on the track" two-wheeling it around the circuit to see as many of you as possible. In addition, |David|will be interviewed by Ingliston's very own answer to Mike Parkinson (yes, we are referring to Jimmy McInnes!) and he will undoubtedly be presenting the odd trophy or two, and making himself available from time to sign autographs and the like. Keep your ears tuned to the public address system for further details, and also for details of today's lucky programme draw. You will notice that each Programme is numbered — during the course of the afternoon, David Essex will be drawing several lucky programme numbers. Those drawn, on answering a simple question, will be eligible for prizes ranging from Gift Vouchers (for £25, £15 and £10 respectively, redeemable at Glasgow's leading Menswear Fashion Store, Gerralds) to personally autographed David Essex LPs. Now we bet you wish you had bought two programmes!

At our last meeting we mentioned that there were plans afoot to adjust the Modified Sports Car Championship class division lines, to enable us to revert to our traditional "heats and a final" GT format. Happily, all of the registered Modsport competitors, and the BARC, have approved those plans, so that today we are able to return to the traditional system of Grand Touring Car Racing, commencing with the LMS Promotions (Wishbone Lotteries) Trophy Race for 1-litre GT cars at 2.15 p.m. On past form we should be treated to an electric confrontation between lan Forrest's GT Drambuie Davrian (190) and Dave Ogilvy's Stiletto (130), the proverbial saloon v. Modsport battle. On 26th April, lan Forrest took the honours, smashing his existing 1-litre class lap record in the process, but Dave Ogilvy (although a non-finisher in the GT race then) was a mere 0.2 seconds slower. Then again there's the redoubtable

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Davrian of Corstorphine's Harry Simpson (194) which has impressed so tremendously over the last two race meetings in Scotland. Harry, who has been about in sprint, etc., circles for some time now, only really moved into racing towards the end of last season, and already this year he has made something of an impression on his fellow competitors. Watch out too for the Davrians of George Coghill (180), Ken Murray (181) and Kenny Coleman (187), while amongst the Imps, Harvey Gillanders (128) and Ewan Buchan (126) have both been showing excellent form this

For today's two Formula Ford 1600 races, the Canon Photocopiers Trophy Race and the Shell Super Motor Oil Championship Race, we should expect to see a resumption of the 1981 needle match between last year's Shell Champion Tom Brown (48) and Linlithgow driver Roy Low (69). Both drivers have been nose-to-tailing it all season, knocking spots off the FF class lap record in the process. And just to make them even keener, is the recent announcement that Spax Shock Absorbers are donating a full set of "shockers" to the winner of the Shell Super Motor Oil Championship in 1981. If anyone can vouch for the efficiency of Spax shockers it is Scotcircuits, the Opel Race Winners Car used by the promoters at the circuit being fitted with these, greatly impressing Scotcircuits Chairman (and F1 driver?) Graham Hamilton. And if Graham reckons he can get two shots at each corner with his Spax on, so too can the Formula Ford competitors have "two bites at the cherry" if they fail to qualify for the Shell Championship Race grid today as one of the 12 fastest from practice - those not so qualifying have a second chance to join the back of the grid of the Shell Race simply by coming home in the first four in today's Canon Photocopiers Trophy Race.

As everyone who is anyone knows, the next major event at Ingliston (other than our next Race Meeting on 26th July, that is) is the Royal Highland Show, and who better, therefore, to sponsor today's Sports Car race than the Royal Highland and Agricultural Society. And what a race it should be! On 5th April, John Fyda (25) proved to be the Mallock to beat, but the tables were turned on him on the 26th of April by Kenny Allan (31) with his lower capacity car. The resulting "head to head" confrontation today will be enlivened by a visit to the circuit of Burnley's Nick Bridge (26), while another Ingliston regular John Barr (28) will be in there stirring

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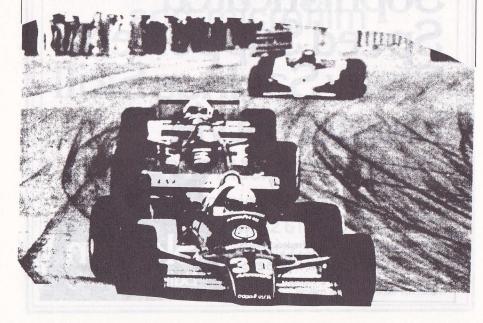
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1	8.45	The LMS Promotions (Wishbone Lotteries) Trophy Race for GT Cars — Heat 1 for GT Cars up to 1000 c.c.	10	9.45	2.15
2	9.10(A) 9.35(B)	The Canon Photocopiers Trophy Race for Formula Ford 1600 Cars	10	(A)10.10 (B)10.35	2.40
3	10.00	The Royal Highland & Agricul- tural Society Trophy Race for Sports Cars	12	11.00	3.05
-	-	Bike-about by David Essex	1	_	3.25
4	10.25	The 'Gerralds' Trophy Race for GT Cars — Heat 2 for GT Cars over 1000 c.c.	10	11.25	3.35
5	_	The Shell Super Motor Oil Championship Race for Formula Ford 1600 Cars	12	_	4.00
6	10.50	The Lothian Chemical Company Challenge for Libre Cars	15	11.50	4.25
7	š _1 0	The David Essex Race for GT Cars — Final	15	, F. <u>-</u>	4.55
	12.30	Drivers' Briefing in Scrutineering E	Bay		
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THE DAVID ESSEX RACE for Grand Touring Cars — Final.

For the fastest 5 from each class in Events 1 and 4 plus the next fastest car (irrespective of class).

A round in the Ingliston Grand Touring Car Championship.

Class lap records: Over 1500 c.c. — Doug Niven (VW Beetle), and Nicky Ellis (Elan), 48.5 secs., 76.45 mph (20/7/80); 1001-1500 c.c. — Ricky Gauld (Davrian), 52.4 secs., 70.76 mph (26/4/81); Up to 1000 c.c. — lan Forrest (Davrian), 52.4 secs., 70.76 mph (26/4/81).

4.55 p.m. 15 laps

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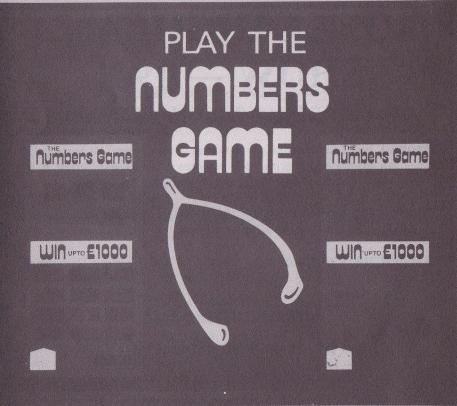
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things up. Also mixing it regularly with the "big boys", is John Mackie (46) whose B Class Mallock has proved itself to be so far ahead of its similar rivals this season, that it can more closely be equated with the A class cars. Trying to outgun the Bs today, however, is a concerted Sports 2000 challenge, with regular driver Richard Mitchell (36) fielding his Link, against the works Chevron fielded this afternoon by an old friend (you can take that pretty well every way it's written) Laurence Jacobsen (35). The third Sports Car comes from the B52 of Edinburgh's Steve Buxton (34) who will then be doing an unbelievable quick change act, diving out of his Chevron at the end of the race, and straight into his Porsche 934 Turbo (104) for the Gerralds Trophy Race, immediately afterwards.

The re-introduction of the GT "heats and a final" format again works its magic on the over 1-litre class entry, this afternoon seeing a splendid array of miscellaneous machinery, headed by Walter Robertson (105) in the ex-Jim Price Skoda Hart. Walter, who comprehensively stuffed this car at Donington about a month ago, and who was thus unable to race it at our last Ingliston, now has everything bolted back together again, and, so impressive has this carlbeen on its earlier outings this year down south, that Jim McGaughay (110) will be forced to pedal his Renault just that little bit harder than he has had to do to date. With big Walt back, sub-50 second times are going to have to be the order of the day, although Jim assures us that he did break the 50-second barrier during a Saturday afternoon testing session in April. Now's the time to clock them up in the heat of battle, Jim! Also hoping to give them a try, are two competitors who sadly missed getting onto the track last time out — Colin Christie (103) has been eager to field his Chevette all season, but so far without any luck, while Ron Cumming (102) had one of these days last time out that everyone would rather just forget, so that he still has to christen his 2-litre Fiat Coupe by leading it to the font at Ingliston (pardon the pun).

Down among the sub-1500 cc cars, Jim Pinkerton (114) continues to mystify the Mini opposition by leading everyone else home in his "standard head" 'S' (surely it isn't that standard, Jim) while the Davrians of Ricky Gauld (170) and Hugh Chalmers (176) will be seeking to renew their April dice. (and, just as an appetiser for today's **David Essex Race** — the GT Final — one interesting point to note is that the under and over 1-litre GT class lap record now

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stands at an identical time of 52.4 seconds, in names of lan Forrest and Ricky Gauld respectively — on 26th April, a handkerchief could have covered both of them as they crossed the finishing line, and this afternoon could see a repeat performance).

It is singularly appropriate that the Lothian Chemical Company should sponsor today's Libre race, the Managing Director of Lothian Chemicals being former Scotcircuits Chairman John Romanes, while current Scotciruits Chairman Graham Hamilton fields a F1 Surtees (2) in the race! From past experience, however, Graham has found this car more than a handful at Ingliston, and the race that he is looking forward to (you will note that we tactfully do not say whether he will be watching from behind, or in his mirrors, or indeed, the Grandstand!) is a titanic struggle between Jim Evans' March Hart (5), Andy Barton's March 782 (3), Bob Leckie's March 792 (16) and the Formula Atlantics of David Duffield (20, Ralt TR4) and Belfast's Gary Gibson (6, Chevron Atlantic). Between these 5 drivers we are virtually guaranteed an excellent single-seater thrash, very much of the type greatly enjoyed by John Romanes when he too was to be numbered amongst the Libre competitors. Nor can we look to past form to help greatly on this occasion. On 5th April, Jim Evans and Andy Barton had the most stupendous dice, Jim Evans only just making it to the flag by the skin of his teeth. However, Jim was unable to race last time out (the car had suffered damage at a race meeting the weekend before) and he is uncertain as yet whether he will be racing the 2-litre Hart engine, or the smaller capacitised Formula Atlantic engine. Andy Barton, on the other hand, had what might tactfully be described as "a happening" a week before the last Ingliston, totalling the March that he had raced on 5th April. A lot of midnight work (and the closure of his garage to outside business for, it is said, three days!) saw Andy at the circuit on 26th April with his other "tub" built up in time, but no one was surprised that Andy just did not get into the fray on that occasion, so soon after his previous shunt. On 26th April it was left to Bob leckie to dominate the race, although latterly he was strongly chased by David Duffield's Ralt. (Those of you here at our last meeting will perhaps also recall, with a twinkle in your eye, the fright that John Fyda gave to the single-seaters, hammering his Mallock around in 3rd place, and very nearly taking second place, for the early part of the race). All in all, all the ingredients for a memorable single-seater spectacular.

The observant amongst you will have noticed, despite the advance publicity in our last Programme, that there is no mention of a Production Saloon Car Race today. Sadly, due to lack of entries, the scheduled British Production Saloon Car Championship round has had to be cancelled. Notwithstanding that Ingliston is the only circuit to offer travelling expenses to all of the Championship competitors (a possible travel fund of very nearly £1000!) and that for once we did have a round of a National Championship (so that championship points were at stake), the end result of three months of negotiation and circularising 66 competitors (twice) was the earth-shattering total of 1 entry at the closing date! Just what does one have to do to tempt competitors to the North! One answer is to provide a circuit ideally suited for the type of car in question, to make it a National-status Championship round (and to make sure they have to come to maintain their position in the Championship) and put up a National-status prize fund all steps taken to ensure that the British Formula Atlantic Championship round scheduled for Ingliston on 26th July will not only not be cancelled, but will be the resounding success that last year's Atlantic race was. And with the usual influx of Opel Dealers to sponsor our July meeting, that has to be a meeting not to be missed (not that we recommend that you miss any of our race meetings). Haste ye back, then,



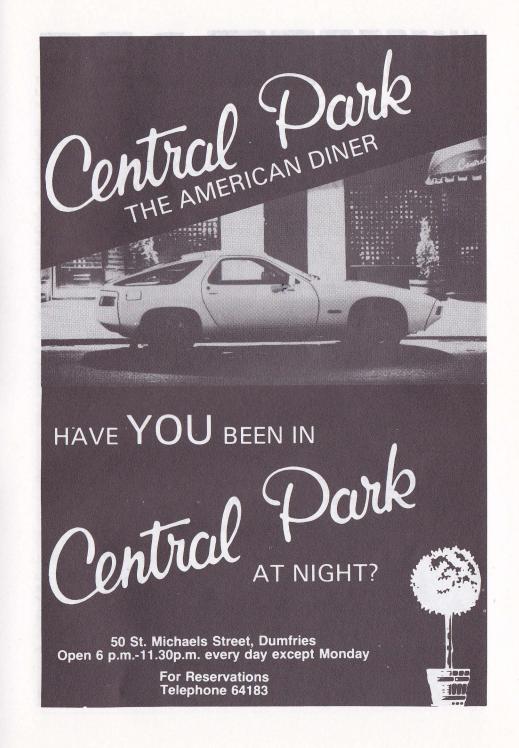


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16	BOB LECKIE, March 792 (4, 10*)	14 pts
3	ANDY BARTON, March (6, 6)	12 pts
5	JIM EVANS, March 792 (11, -)	11 pts
20	DAVID DUFFIELD, Ralt RT4 (-, 10)	10 pts
7	STUART LAWSON, March 80A (6, -)	6 pts
17	GEORGE McMILLAN, March 772P (3, 3)	6 pts
15	STEWART ROBB, March 75/782 (1, 4)	5 pts
10	COLIN RICHARDSON, March 77B (4, -)	4 pts
25	JOHN FYDA, Agra Mallock (2, 2)	4 pts

Prize Fund: 4 Svrs. 3 Svrs. 2 Svrs. 1 Svr.

THE LOWLAND TYRES SPORTS CAR CHAMPIONSHIP

46	JOHN MACKIE, Mallock 21B (11, 10)	21 pt
29	JIM STEVENSON, Mallock 20B (6, 6)	12 pt
25	JOHN FYDA, Agra Mallock (10, -)	10 pt
31	KENNY ALLEN, Mallock Mk20 (-, 10)	10 pt
38	CLIVE REEVES, Magnum 79B (3, 6)	
36	RICHARD MITCHELL, Link (4, 4)	8 pt
38	GRAHAM SWORD, Mallock 16B (6)	6 pt
28	JOHN BARR, Mallock Mk19 (4, -)	
43	SANDY McEWEN, Mallock Mk16 (1, 3)	
37	TONY WALKER, Chevron B52 (2, -)	
47	WM. DRUMMOND, Centaur 17B (-, 2)	2 pt
Priz	e Fund: f250_f125_f75_f50	

THE SCOTCIRCUIT GT CHAMPIONSHIP

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110	JIM McGAUGHAY, Renault 5T (7, 10)	17 p
170	RICKY GAULD, Davrian (8, 9)	17 pt
180	GEORGE COGHILL, Davrian (6, 7)	13 pt
190	IAN FORREST, Davrian (11, -)	11 pt
172	COLIN SIMPSON, Davrian (4, 7)	11 pt
176	HUGH CHALMERS, Davrian (10, -)	10 pt
194	HARRY SIMPSON, Davrian (-, 9)	9 pt
108	EDDIE BEERMANN, Escort (3, 6)	9 pt
128	HARVEY GILLANDERS, Imp (4, 3)	7 pt
130	DAVID OGILVY, Stiletto (-, 4)	4 p
175	ALAN RITCHIE, Davrian (-, 4)	4 pt
129	WM. DONALD, Imp (3, -)	3 pt
114	JIM PINKERTON, Mini (-, 3)	3 pt
112	GRAHAM STUPPLE, Mini (-, 2)	2 pt
187	KENNY COLEMAN, Davrian (2, -)	2 pt
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20	DAVID DUFFIELD, Ralt TR4 (7, -, 10)	17 pts
16	BOB LECKIE, March 792 (-, 6, 10)	16 pts
3	ANDY BARTON, March (-, 9, 6)	15 pts
11	DAVE MUTER, Barton JTB3 (3, -, 6)	9 pts
15	STEWART ROBB, March 782 (-, 3, 4)	7 pts
17	GEORGE McMILLAN, March 772P (-, 4, 3)	7 pts

Prize Fund: £500, £200, £100,

THE NORTHERN CLUBMANS CHAMPIONSHIP

31	KENNY, ALLEN, Mallock 20 (6, -, 7)	13 pts
43	SANDY McEWEN, Mallock 16 (-, 6, 3)	9 pts
24	ANDY SMITH, Mallock (7, -, -)	7 pts
25	JOHN FYDA, Mallock 18B (-, 7, -)	7 pts
46	JOHN MACKIE, Mallock 21 (-, -, 7)	7 pts
26	NICK BRIDGE, Mallock 20B (4, -, -)	4 pts

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89	CHIC STENHOUSE, Van Diemen (4, -)	4 pts
56	KEITH WHICKHAM, Van Diemen (-, 4)	4 pts
95	GORDON STEPHENSON, PRS (2, 2)	4 pts
91	COLIN BIRBECK, Royale (1, 1)	2 pts

Prize Fund: £300, £150, £100, £75, £50.

THE HAMILTON & INCHES NORTHERN **MODIFIED SPORTS CAR** CHAMPIONSHIP

170	RICKY GAULD, Davrian (10, 11)	21 pts
194	HARRY SIMPSON, Davrian (9, 11)	20 pts
172	COLIN SIMPSON, Davrian (6, 7)	13 pts
180	GEORGE COGHILL, Davrian (7, 5)	12 pts
171	STAN SHARE, Crusader (4, 4)	8 pts
187	KENNY COLEMAN, Davrian (4, 4)	8 pts
161	BOB DICKENS, Elan Coupe (7, -)	7 pts
181	KEN MURRAY, Davrian (-, 6)	6 pts
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Prize Fund: £100

THE INGLISTON SPECIAL SALOON CAR CHAMPIONSHIP

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130	DAVIDIOGILVY, Stiletto (10, 7)	17 pts
114	JIM PINKERTON, N Mini Cooper (7, 10)	17 pts
128	HARVEY GILLANDERS, Imp (7, 9)	16 pts
112	GRAHAM STUPPLE, BL Mini (9, 6)	15 pts
126	EWEN BUCHAN, Imp (4, 4)	8 pts
107	MURRAY BURGESS, Escort (7, -)	7 pts
111	IAN TULLOCH, BL Mini (-, 4)	4 pts
129	WILLIAM DONALD, Imp (1, 3)	4 pts
134	BRIAN FLETCHER, Imp (2, 2)	4 pts
131	COLIN PHILIP, Imp (3, -)	3 pts

Prize Fund: To be announced.

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