

Callow's King of Corfe Castle!

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Norden was the venue for round 4 of Track n Trail's summer series, set on the edge of the Purbeck hills, next to Corfe Castle, this has to be one of the most scenic settings in the South for an enduro. The course consisted of sandy terrain with big climbs and descents, some nice flowing tracks through ferns and gorse leading into woodlands and then on to open fields with some natural jumps. The biggest climb on the track takes riders to some of the highest ground in the area, where the views along the coast are breathtaking as is the winding decent back down.



Phil Studley 99 takes the holeshot from Craig Callow 91

Championship class were away first with Phil Studley taking the holeshot but within two corners Craig Callow took the lead, which is where he stayed for the duration. Although I don't think he would say it was an easy win, as he was sick

before the start of the race, went straight through a hedge during the race and finished with a back wheel on the verge of collapse. Jack Twentyman had a strong ride and after a big get-off on the last lap "fourth gear flat out up the hill and it kicked sideways end over end", Jack was certainly well pleased to see the finish flag in 2nd place, all be it bruised and battered. David Biles spent most of the race moving up the order after a poor start to finish a good 3rd.



Jack Twentyman Championship class 69 head down and charging no time to take in the scenery

Gary Wright, always a solid performer finished with a fine 4th, but Phil Studley certainly didn't have his normal day and after an argument with barbed wire that ended up getting wrapped right round his rear wheel and across his forearm, he finished an uncharacteristic 5th, and took home some nasty cuts.

Over 40s Expert class saw a fine ride from Mark Kirby who took the win and was the only over 40s expert to get 14 laps. Followed home by the ever solid, Gary McCoy and Stuart Keedwell.

Experts had a dominate ride from Josh Gotts who took the lead on the 2nd lap and never looked back. 2nd place went to the hard charging Dan Price who was on a borrowed KTM 2 stroke. 3rd was Matt Pemble who lead early on but must have had problems. 4th place was Andrew Gorse who had a well measured ride.

Clubman 4t, Giles Richards took a start to finish win and looked in full control of the class. Will Ansell had a great ride and seemed to be up and down the leader board during the 3 hours. Olly Ford had a fine 3rd from 5th on the first lap. I must also mention Scott Clifford, who hasn't ridden for a few years but showed he hasn't lost much of his old speed producing fastest laps before going out with problems.



Drew Slevin won Clubman out right after a fine battle with Chris Marsh 162

Clubman 2t, this was the closest battle of the day with Drew Slevin and Chris Marsh swapping places for the best part of 2 hours. It was Drew who took the win having pushed through from 3rd on the first lap. A good 2nd place from Chris Marsh, the early leader. 3rd went to Geoff Brigden.

Over 40s Novice saw a great win for Steve Davey who had to ride through the pack from 11th on the first lap. 2nd went to Darren Laughton. 3rd was Carl Swateridge, all with 12 laps.

Over 50s had another start to finish win for Mark Pemble with 3 minutes in hand over Neil Fripp and Colin Paddy. These old boys certainly show that age makes no difference when you're having fun.

Sportsman 2t, 1st place went to Callum Collins with 12 laps with Casey Holloway in 2nd and Martin Bone 3rd on 11 laps.

Sportsman 4t had another class ride from the big man Jack Liddard, who has won every round so far. A trip through the bushes didn't stop Jack from taking the win by nearly 5 minutes. 2nd went to Kevin Park with Matt Ansell.

Trail was the biggest class of the day and was won by David Brown having a great ride. 2nd went to Callum Platts and Jake Futchers taking 3rd.



In the Youth 125 Dylan Baynton was something else! With a 8 and a half minute lead at the end on his 85. Although the others rode damn hard to keep with him, 2nd place went to Jake Penhaligan and a 3rd for Callum Reynolds.

Dylan on his own again!

Big Wheel 85, a great win for Nathan Baggott, 2nd went to a stylish Jake Meaker a minute down, followed by Ashley Cogdell who took his first podium. Well done!

Small Wheel class had Jordan Ridgeway with a win with Bradley Rowland in 2nd. Both with 7 laps, just to upset the big wheels. 3rd went Isacc Atherley.

The 65 class had solid rides from Brett Rowland winning, 2nd going to Matthew Martin and Ben Harvey in 3rd. These three are real mini warriors always fighting it out for top spot.

Results

Championship class: 1st Craig Callow, 2nd Jack Twentyman, 3rd David Biles, 4th Gary Wright, 5th Phill Studley, 6th Adam Kerr.

Over 40s Expert: 1st Mark Kirby, 2nd Gary McCoy, 3rd Stuart Keedwell, 4th Andrew Slocombe, 5th James Browning, 6th Graham Reid.

Experts: 1st Josh Gotts, 2nd Dan Price, 3rd Matt Pemble, 4th Andrew Gorse, 5th Richard Benham, 6th Danny Andrews.

Clubman 4t: 1st Giles Richards, 2nd Will Ansell, 3rd Olly Ford, 4th Tony Pimmer, 5th Callan Marshall, 6th Tim Hewlett.

Clubman 2t: 1st Drew Slevin, 2nd Chris Marsh, 3rd Geoff Brigden, 4th Neil Deakin, 5th Chris Brown, 6th Jason Duggan.

Over 40s Novice: 1st Steve Davey, 2nd Darren Laughton, 3rd Carl Swateridge, 4th Russel Harris, 5th Gudmundur Gudmundson, 6th James King.

Over 50s: 1st Mark Pemble, 2nd Neil Fripp, 3rd Colin Paddy, 4th Pete Nash, 5th Kevin Sealey, 6th Steve Quincey.

Sportsman 2t: 1st Callum Collins, 2nd Casey Holloway, 3rd Martin Bone, 4th Kody Richards, 5th Ed Andrews, 6th Steve Paterson.

Sportsman 4t: 1st Jack Liddard, 2nd Kevin Park, 3rd Matt Ansell, 4th David Sawtell, 5th Chris Hillier, 6th Tom Milverton.

Trail: 1st Davis Brown, 2nd Callum Platts, 3rd Jake Futcher, 4th Brett Moulding, 5th Nick Heath, 6th Leigh Platts.

Youth 125: 1st Dylan Baynton, 2nd Jake Penhaligan, 3rd Callum Reynolds, 4th Jack Nixey, 5th Todd Farr, 6th Luke Gustar.

Big Wheel 85: 1st Nathan Baggott, 2nd Jake Meaker, 3rd Ashley Cogdell, 4th Joshua Kirby, 5th Niles Reid, 6th Archie Box.

Small Wheel 85: 1st Jordan Ridgeway, 2nd Bradley Rowland, 3rd Isacc Atherley, 4th Jamie Randall, 5th Jordan Brigden, 6th Freddie Box.

65CC: 1st Brett Rowland, 2nd Matthew Martin, 3rd Ben Harvey, 4th Max Gregory, 5th Carl Benham, 6th Sam Dowson.



Jake Meaker 2nd place in B W 85 Youth with some very stylish riding



Ashley Cobdell on his way to a great 3rd place, B W 85 Youth