

# TVAM CALENDAR

## SOCIAL & TRAINING RUNS, TRACK DAYS, TRIPS & EVENTS 2023

If you have a run for the calendar please send details to [socialruns@tvam.org](mailto:socialruns@tvam.org). Keep an eye on the [groups.io](https://groups.io) calendar for the latest news. Also check local teams.

### JOINING LOCAL TEAM SOCIAL OR TRAINING RUNS

Many of the local teams now post their runs here. Many rides use either a database or an RSVP on the [groups.io](https://groups.io) calendar to allow you to sign up for a ride, and it's now much easier to subscribe to a local team to participate. From the **allmembers** area click in the menu on **Subgroups** and look down the list at **Subgroups You Can Join**. Click to join, then you can access their calendar and run database to sign onto the run.

You can adjust subscriptions from that group afterwards to receive fewer or more notifications or unsubscribe from it. Easy peasy!

### MAY 2023

WEDNESDAY 17	<b>GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)</b> Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on <a href="https://groups.io">groups.io</a> .
THURSDAY 18	<b>BRANSCOMBE FOR LUNCH (B)</b> Run to the coast for lunch at Sea Shanty beach café. 240 miles finishing at former Little Nellie's Diner around 6pm. Meet at former Little Nellie's Diner, Newbury Road, Kingsclere, RG20 4TA at 8am for 8.15am departure. Run Leader Mark Spittles 07753 931570. Limited to 10 riders. See <a href="https://groups.io">groups.io</a> calendar.
SATURDAY 20	<b>SAMs T-Run (T)</b> Join the SAMs Training Run. All Observers, TObs, Associates and Full Members welcome. See entry on <a href="https://groups.io">groups.io</a> all members calendar and SAMs calendar on <a href="https://groups.io">groups.io</a>
SUNDAY 21	<b>ST CRISPIN'S SUNDAY - 8.45am</b> Members' monthly meet at St Crispin's School, Wokingham. Observed rides for Associates and Social Runs for Full Members.
TUESDAY 23	<b>CASTLE COMBE SKILLS DAY (T)</b> TVAM circuit skills days at Castle Combe. Ideal for all levels of experience from cautious riders and circuit novices through to more experienced riders. For more information and to book go to <a href="http://www.tvam.org">www.tvam.org</a> and head for the shop – Track and Training Days.
WEDNESDAY 24	<b>GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)</b> Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on <a href="https://groups.io">groups.io</a> .
SATURDAY 27	<b>CLAMs FOURTH SATURDAY RUN (B)</b> Details to be posted on <a href="https://groups.io">groups.io</a> . See CLAMs calendar for latest.

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SUNDAY

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**RAMs T-Run (T)**

Join the RAMS Training Run. All Observers, TObs, Associates and Full Members welcome. Two informal observed runs in the morning for Associates/Tobs, also available to Full Members. After lunch there will be a marked social run back to Calcot. Total run mileage 160 miles. Meet at McDonald's Calcot, RG31 7SA, at 9am for a 9.30am departure. To attend please sign up via RAMs calendar entry on groups.io. Any questions email Mel or Ness – mel@melsmotors.co.uk; vanessaboudier@outlook.com

SUNDAY

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**WOBMOB FOURTH SUNDAY SOCIAL RUN (B)**

Join the WOBMOB on their monthly ride out, sampling some great roads and coffee stops along the way. 4th Sunday of each month. Check out the WOBMOB calendar for further details.

WEDNESDAY

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**GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)**

Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.

**JUNE 2023**

SATURDAY

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**SAMs FIRST SATURDAY RUN (B)**

Meet at Jenner's Cafe, Ray Mead Road, Maidenhead, SL6 8NP at 9am to join SAMs run. See SAMs calendar for latest.

SUNDAY

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**GNATs FIRST SUNDAY RUN (B)**

Join the GNATs for their first Sunday of the month run. Go to GNATs on groups.io for run details and to sign up.

SUNDAY

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**SEAN'S FIRST SUNDAY SOCIAL RUN (B)**

All day ride with WAGs, starting at a different place each month. Check WAGs calendar on groups.io as you may need to RSVP.

MONDAY

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**GNATs MONDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDE (B)**

Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop – this week on a Monday. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.

SATURDAY

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**GREEN TEAM RUN - Hosted by GNATs (B)**

Details to be posted on groups.io in both the allmembers and the hosting team's calendars. A monthly run for Full Members.

SUNDAY

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**LOOK LEAN ROLL (T)**

One course that is a must. Look out for the latest courses in the web shop on tvam.org/Shop/Courses.

SUNDAY

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**WAGs SECOND SUNDAY SHORTY RIDE (B)**

For those who don't want to be out too long – half day ride. Check WAGs calendar on groups.io as you may need to RSVP.

WEDNESDAY

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**GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)**

Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.



Social Run



Trip



Event



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Course

SATURDAY 17	<b>COTSWOLD MOTORING MUSEUM &amp; TOY COLLECTION (B)</b> Join Steve for a great ride-out to this fascinating museum of motoring, toy & general memorabilia located in Bourton-on-the-Water. £7.50 entrance fee reduced to £6.30 for groups of 10 or more. Free, private on-site parking arranged for a maximum of 12 motorcycles (bring a side stand support). Approx. 160 mile 6.5hr round trip including 1.5 hrs for museum/lunch. Meet 9am for a 9.30am departure at Jenners Café, Maidenhead, SL6 8NP with full tanks. Run Leader Steve Selby 07785 522 913 <a href="mailto:steve.selby@hotmail.com">steve.selby@hotmail.com</a> – see calendar groups.io to book your place (pillion passengers welcome).
SATURDAY 17	<b>RUN LEADER &amp; BACK MARKER COURSE (T)</b> You want to lead a run or back mark and want to know how to do a good job with planning and guidance, then this is the course for you. Register your interest on <a href="http://tvam.org/Shop/Courses">tvam.org/Shop/Courses</a> .
SUNDAY 18	<b>ST CRISPIN'S SUNDAY - 8.45am</b> Members' monthly meet at St Crispin's School, Wokingham. Observed rides for Associates and Social Runs for Full Members.
WEDNESDAY 21	<b>GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)</b> Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.
THURSDAY 22	<b>THE LONGEST DAY - VALLEY OF THE ROCKS - EXMOOR (A/B+)</b> A long day's ride to and across Exmoor (400+ miles), the ride will be limited to 10 riders, will be a marked ride and is only open to full members. A SatNav route will be available. The distance is long and the pace A/B+ to TVAM standards. Return by 8pm. Meet at Andover Services, A303 Westbound at 7.30 am for 8am departure. Run Leader Mark Spittles 07753 931570. See groups.io calendar.
SATURDAY 24	<b>CLAMs FOURTH SATURDAY RUN (B)</b> Details to be posted on groups.io. See CLAMs calendar for latest.
SUNDAY 25	<b>WAGs T-Run (T)</b> Join the WAGs Training Run. All Observers, TObs, Associates and Full Members welcome. See entry on groups.io all members calendar and WAGs calendar on groups.io
SUNDAY 25	<b>WOBMOB FOURTH SUNDAY SOCIAL RUN (B)</b> Join the WOBMOB on their monthly ride out, sampling some great roads and coffee stops along the way. 4th Sunday of each month. Check out the WOBMOB calendar for further details.
WEDNESDAY 28	<b>GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)</b> Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.

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## JULY 2023

SATURDAY	<b>SAMs FIRST SATURDAY RUN (B)</b>
1	Meet at Jenner's Cafe, Ray Mead Road, Maidenhead, SL6 8NP at 9am to join SAMs run. See SAMs calendar for latest.
SUNDAY	<b>GNATs FIRST SUNDAY RUN (B)</b>
2	Join the GNATs for their first Sunday of the month run. Go to GNATs on groups.io for run details and to sign up.
SUNDAY	<b>SEAN'S FIRST SUNDAY SOCIAL RUN (B)</b>
2	All day ride with WAGs, starting at a different place each month. Check WAGs calendar on groups.io as you may need to RSVP.
WEDNESDAY	<b>GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)</b>
5	Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.
SATURDAY	<b>LEPE COUNTRY PARK FOR BREAKFAST (B)</b>
8	Details to be confirmed on day. Meet at former Little Nellie's Diner, Newbury Road, Kingsclere, RG20 4TA at 8am for 8.15am departure. Leader Mark Spittles 07753 931570. Limited to 15 riders.
SATURDAY	<b>GREEN TEAM RUN - Hosted by SAM (B)</b>
8	Details to be posted on groups.io in both the allmembers and the hosting team's calendars. A monthly run for Full Members.
SUNDAY	<b>LOOK LEAN ROLL (T)</b>
9	One course that is a must. Look out for the latest courses in the web shop on tvam.org/Shop/Courses.
SUNDAY	<b>WAGs SECOND SUNDAY SHORTY RIDE (B)</b>
9	For those who don't want to be out too long – half day ride. Check WAGs calendar on groups.io as you may need to RSVP.
WEDNESDAY	<b>GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)</b>
12	Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.
SATURDAY	<b>ABC COURSE - ODIHAM (T)</b>
15	Attend our Advanced Braking Course at Odiham. Book via the TVAM shop at tvam.org – Track and Training Days.
SUNDAY	<b>ST CRISPIN'S SUNDAY - 8.45am</b>
16	Members' monthly meet at St Crispin's School, Wokingham. Observed rides for Associates and Social Runs for Full Members.
WEDNESDAY	<b>GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)</b>
19	Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.

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SATURDAY 22	<b>CLAMs T-Run (T)</b> Join the CLAMs Training Run. All Observers, TObs, Associates and Full Members welcome. See entry on groups.io all members calendar and CLAMs calendar on groups.io
SUNDAY 23	<b>KEITH'S ANNUAL ISLE OF WIGHT RUN (B+)</b> The now infamous annual run to and around the Isle of Wight is back for its third year. So join Keith and Allie Gane (back marker) for a great day out, but please ensure that you read the information for this event on the groups.io calendar entry before emailing Keith Miller to bag your place.
SUNDAY 23	<b>WOBMOB FOURTH SUNDAY SOCIAL RUN (B)</b> Join the WOBMOB on their monthly ride out, sampling some great roads and coffee stops along the way. 4th Sunday of each month. Check out the WOBMOB calendar for further details.
WEDNESDAY 26	<b>GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)</b> Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.
SUNDAY 30	<b>ROBBIE'S FIFTH SUNDAY RUN (B)</b> Grab a fifth Sunday run with WAGs starting in Wantage. Details to be posted on groups.io. See WAGs calendar for latest.
<b>AUGUST 2023</b>	
WEDNESDAY 2	<b>GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)</b> Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.
SATURDAY 5	<b>SAMs FIRST SATURDAY RUN (B)</b> Meet at Jenner's Cafe, Ray Mead Road, Maidenhead, SL6 8NP at 9am to join SAMs run. See SAMs calendar for latest.
SUNDAY 6	<b>GNATs FIRST SUNDAY RUN (B)</b> Join the GNATs for their first Sunday of the month run. Go to GNATs on groups.io for run details and to sign up.
SUNDAY 6	<b>SEAN'S FIRST SUNDAY SOCIAL RUN (B)</b> All day ride with WAGs, starting at a different place each month. Check WAGs calendar on groups.io as you may need to RSVP.
WEDNESDAY 9	<b>GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)</b> Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.
SATURDAY 12	<b>LUNCH IN WILTSHIRE (B)</b> With some great roads in between. Approx. 130 miles round trip finishing at Sutton Scotney around 3pm. Meet at former Little Nellie's Diner, Newbury Road, Kingsclere, RG20 4TA at 8.30am for 9am departure. Run leader Mark Spittles 07753 931570. Limited to 10 riders

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SUNDAY	<b>13</b>	<b>LOOK LEAN ROLL (T)</b> One course that is a must. Look out for the latest courses in the web shop on <a href="http://tvam.org/Shop/Courses">tvam.org/Shop/Courses</a> .
SUNDAY	<b>13</b>	<b>GREEN TEAM RUN - Hosted by WAGs (B)</b> Details to be posted on groups.io in both the allmembers and the hosting team's calendars. A monthly run for Full Members.
SUNDAY	<b>13</b>	<b>WAGs SECOND SUNDAY SHORTY RIDE (B)</b> For those who don't want to be out too long – half day ride. Check WAGs calendar on groups.io as you may need to RSVP.
WEDNESDAY	<b>16</b>	<b>GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)</b> Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.
SUNDAY	<b>20</b>	<b>ST CRISPIN'S SUNDAY - 8.45am</b> Members' monthly meet at St Crispin's School, Wokingham. Observed rides for Associates and Social Runs for Full Members.
WEDNESDAY	<b>23</b>	<b>GNATs WEDNESDAY EVENING SOCIAL RIDES (B)</b> Join GNATs for an evening ride with usually a finish including a supper stop. See GNATs calendar on groups.io.
SATURDAY	<b>26</b>	<b>CLAMs FOURTH SATURDAY RUN (B)</b> Details to be posted on groups.io. See CLAMs calendar for latest.
SUNDAY	<b>27</b>	<b>GNATs T-Run (T)</b> Join the GNATs Training Run. All Observers, TOBs, Associates and Full Members welcome. See entry on groups.io all members calendar and GNATs calendar on groups.io
SUNDAY	<b>27</b>	<b>WOBMOB FOURTH SUNDAY SOCIAL RUN (B)</b> Join the WOBMOB on their monthly ride out, sampling some great roads and coffee stops along the way. 4th Sunday of each month. Check out the WOBMOB calendar for further details.
<b>SEPTEMBER 2023</b>		
SATURDAY	<b>2</b>	<b>SAMs FIRST SATURDAY RUN (B)</b> Meet at Jenner's Cafe, Ray Mead Road, Maidenhead, SL6 8NP at 9am to join SAMs run. See SAMs calendar for latest.
SATURDAY	<b>2</b>	<b>POET'S CORNER (A)</b> Run across North Hampshire, Wiltshire and Dorset on some fantastic roads, 165 miles further details to follow in groups.io calendar. Meet at McDonalds, Basingstoke Leisure Park, Worting Road, Basingstoke, RG22 6PG at 8.15am for 8.30am departure. Run Leader Mark Spittles 07753 931570. Limited to 10 riders.
SUNDAY	<b>3</b>	<b>GNATs FIRST SUNDAY RUN (B)</b> Join the GNATs for their first Sunday of the month run. Go to GNATs on groups.io for run details and to sign up.

SUNDAY 3	<b>SEAN'S FIRST SUNDAY SOCIAL RUN (B)</b> All day ride with WAGs, starting at a different place each month. Check WAGs calendar on groups.io as you may need to RSVP.
SUNDAY 10	<b>WOBBMOB T-Run (T)</b> Join the WOBBMOB Training Run. All Observers, TObs, Associates and Full Members welcome. See entry on groups.io all members calendar and WOBBMOB calendar on groups.io
SUNDAY 10	<b>WAGs SECOND SUNDAY SHORTY RIDE (B)</b> For those who don't want to be out too long – half day ride. Check WAGs calendar on groups.io as you may need to RSVP.
SUNDAY 10	<b>LOOK LEAN ROLL (T)</b> One course that is a must. Look out for the latest courses in the web shop on tvam.org/Shop/Courses.
SATURDAY 16	<b>ABC COURSE - ODIHAM (T)</b> Attend our Advanced Braking Course at Odiham. Book via the TVAM shop at tvam.org – Track and Training Days.
SUNDAY 17	<b>ST CRISPIN'S SUNDAY - 8.45am</b> Members' monthly meet at St Crispin's School, Wokingham. Observed rides for Associates and Social Runs for Full Members.
FRI-SUN 22-24	<b>WELSH WANDERS (B)</b> Spend a weekend riding around in beautiful Wales. Louise, Ness, Andy and Ian would be delighted to show you some of the roads they know and love. This social riding weekend combines great roads with a friendly and relaxed atmosphere. Based at the Hotel Commodore in Llandrindod Wells, the format is a full day riding on Friday; a full day ride out on Saturday and then a more direct ride back to England on the Sunday. Price for the weekend is £110 per person sharing a twin or double room and £120 for a single. Price includes two nights three-course dinner with coffee/tea, and full breakfasts both days. All welcome, register interest now – <a href="https://forms.gle/N996VxmDmfiXfKSd8">https://forms.gle/N996VxmDmfiXfKSd8</a> .



#### TVAM Run Ratings

- A: Skilled/progressive for confident riders on all types of road.
- B+: Progressive pace for the confident, focused rider.
- B: Medium paced, relaxed ride.
- C: Suitable for first timers or those looking for a MORE leisurely pace. No overtaking within the group.
- T: More formal training run – observed/social ride with an element of coaching.

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