

# **36<sup>th</sup> VMCC MANX RALLY 2008**

On behalf of the 2008 VMCC Manx Rally Team welcome to the VMCC Manx Rally website and the information you will need to enjoy our **36<sup>th</sup> VMCC Manx Rally** from the **23<sup>rd</sup> to the 30<sup>th</sup> August 2008**.

A VMCC Rally Programme listing the riders and their motorcycles will be on sale at each of our events throughout the week. Spectators are very welcome, there are no admission charges and your support is much appreciated by our entrants.

## **Saturday 23rd August - Ride the First TT Course with Footman James.**

A timed event starting on the seafront at Port Erin at 10-30 am and including a lap of the original "1907 TT Course" from St Johns, via Kirk Michael, Peel and back to St Johns. The route will continue on to visit The A.R.E. Classic Motorcycle Collection at Kirk Michael.

## **Sunday 24th August - Road Safety Run.**

Starting at 10-30 am from the Sea Terminal in Douglas following a scenic route to enjoy the wonderful roads on the Island and will end at Castletown. This event will not be timed but Special Tests will be included in the route.

## **Sunday 24th August - Castletown Gathering.**

A fantastic event held in the wonderful setting of Castletown where the historic castle adds to the sense of occasion.

From 2 pm in the main square where spectators can get a view the machines and talk to the riders.

## **Monday 25th August - Closed Roads Demonstration Parade**

From Quarter Bridge to Ramsey under the control of the Manx Motor Cycle Club.

## **Tuesday 26th August - The Main Event**

This will be a regularity run starting from the Grandstand at 10-30 am and following the TT Course for one lap.

## **Wednesday 27th August – Closed Roads Demonstration Parade.**

From Ramsey to the TT Grandstand under the control of the Manx Motor Cycle Club.

## **Thursday 28th August - Ramsey Road Run**

A Regularity run starting from Old Laxey Harbour at 10-30 am, the run will finish near Ramsey where the machines will be placed on display in Mooragh Park for the Concours competition.

## **Thursday 28th August - Presentation of Prizes and Awards**

This will take place in the **Royal Hall** of the **Villa Marina at 8-30 pm**. This prestigious venue provided for us by The Isle of Man Department of Tourism and Leisure is also used for the Awards Ceremony of the Manx Grand Prix Races. Doors open from 7-30 pm, a light meal will be served followed by an audio visual extravaganza of the **VMCC Manx Rally** and **Video Entertainment** with the compliments of Duke Marketing.

**Friday 29th August – Social Run from Port St Mary to Peel.**

Starting in Port St Mary at 10-00 am and finishing on Peel seafront with tea and biscuits at The Bowling Green café. The afternoon will be free to watch the “Parade of Classic MGP Winners” and the Senior MGP.

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> August - Social Run**

Starting at 10 am from the TT Grandstand.

We hope you enjoy our Rally and our eight days of fabulous riding with fun and fellowship on some of the most famous roads in the world.

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