

Alex racing Harley-Davidsons!

Alex Gault whose early racing career was sponsored by MAG has now signed for Stratstone Racing to contest this year's Harley Davidson XR1200 championship which will run alongside five of the BSB Rounds this season.

Pre-season testing went well with Alex attending Brands, Oulton and Cadwell to get used to the bike which is a bit different to what he is used too. It weighs in at around 230 kilos for starters although if this photo over the mountain is anything to go by you wouldn't know.

The 1st round took place at Oulton, where Alex competed against much older and more experienced fellahs and did not bad as it happens.

Free practice was going great with Alex doing a 1.53.3 second lap to sit 4th fastest over all after six laps. Disaster wasn't far away however as on the 7th lap he hit a massive tank slapper at the top of the avenue which threw him off in spectacular fashion, completely wrecking the bike in the process. A big thanks go to Alex' Team mate Dave Wood for allowing Alex to use his bike after he had to sit this



one out with a damaged shoulder. Alex fought back from the huge crash and then got clipped by another bike which sent him on to the grass, knocking him back to 14th place. From there he raced his way back to 6th place overall.

A spirited attempt to push up into 4th

place saw him on the grass again as he was trying a bit too hard. He stayed on this time however and in taking that 6th place he also earned himself The 'Man of the meeting' accolade by Harley Davidson. This young fellah does not give up without a fight. Good luck from all at MAG Alex.

Custom cake as ACE Cafe Battistinis tie up

Ace Cafe London, working closely with Battistinis UK at their new Bournemouth premises, are opening the first UK Ace Corner destination!

Battistinis Ace Corner Bournemouth, with its integral Rockers Cafe, offering hot food and beverages from a carefully and specially chosen menu, showcases the new Stonebridge Motor Company's (StoMoCo) Ace 904 Thruxton Special cafe racer, built by the Triumph experts T3 Racing. It's available alongside an array of customs and specials for which Battistinis, who are this year celebrating their 20th anniversary, are internationally renowned.

Featuring open-plan state-of-the-art motorcycle workshops and fabrication

centre, that can be viewed as easily as the extensive inventory of accessories and apparel, all combine to ensure that visitors to Battistinis Ace Corner, Bournemouth will always want to come back!

Grand Opening Party Weekend -
Saturday 26th & Sunday 27th June 2010

Opening Times: Monday to Friday
8.30am to 5.30pm - Saturdays 9am - 5pm

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June 26 National Youthbike fundraiser. Starts from White Heart Pub in Tetford Village 1030 from where it goes to the main car park at Mortons Publishing in Horncastle. £2 entry per bike info: www.youthbike.com

To Hull and back for the disabled

Sharon Hannington, who lost both legs in a car accident as a child is planning to ride her trike from Hull via Lands End and John O'groats and back to Hull in seven days. Sharon hopes to raise money for NABD who helped her modify her Yamaha Fazar, she will also be raising money for a disabled children's charity/ More information here: <http://hull-and-back.com/>

Ace Cafe London Streetfighter & Stunt Festival

Ace Cafe London in association with Stunt UK and the international Stunt Bike Freestyle (SBF) competition, and supported by Streetfighters magazine, have teamed up to present the new Ace Cafe London Streetfighter & Stunt Festival on Sunday 25th July.

Now relocated to Wembley, in addition to trade and industry stands and displays, this inaugural event combines the cafe's legendary Streetfighter Sunday, with showcasing the live action finals of the SBF competition, with riders from France, Germany, USA and Ireland as well as from across the UK.

The Ace Cafe London-sponsored Harris Performance modified HD XR1200 race bike will be on display and rider Gary Byrne has promised to 'guest stunt' on a Harley!

The Ace stage will also be the focus for the 'Ace Hostess of the Year' competition, the winner of which will have the opportunity of a fully paid photo shoot with Crossbow Calendars.

Advance tickets for this adrenalin fuelled event are available from: Ticket Hotline: +44 (0)20 8782 5629

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