

# **North Texas Trials Association**

<http://www.ntxtrials.com>

**Observed Trials Motorcycle Club**

**National Work Day Sunday: April 2, 2006**

**At Tishomingo, OK**

April 2<sup>nd</sup> is the Sunday that we would normally have our local club event; however, this is the weekend right before the Nationals in Tishomingo. The NTTA members present at the March meeting voted to use that day to help with final details for the National event at the upcoming weekend, April 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>. So plan on using this Sunday as a work day to help the Texhoma Trials Club prepare for the April Rock Creek National. If you have any question please call Clark Pittman at 214.616.2206.

**Directions:** From the DFW area, get yourself to Whitesboro, TX from either I-35 (through Gainesville), or Hwy 75 (through Sherman). Take Hwy. 377 north, across Lake Texoma, through Madill, OK (Hwy. 377, State 99) and into the southern outskirts of Tishomingo, OK. Watch for state road 22 veering off to the left (west)... the state trooper should be having breakfast at the diner on the left... go west about 1.5 miles and look on the right for a rock wall that says "Lake Estates". Turn north on Lake Estates Rd., left at the dumpsters. Follow the ribbons about 2.3 miles down the gravel road, the parking is on the right at a private residence.

## **WTC USGP WORLD ROUND**

My name is Marc Redman and I am chairman of the promotions and marketing committee for the USMTA and working with Dan Brown, TTC and Others to get the word out about this years World Round and NATC rounds 5-6-7 in TN. I am contacting your club to enlist help to inform those within your club about the 06 WTC US Grand Prix at the TTC. Anything you and the other NTTA leaders can do to encourage the trials community to participate and/or help us get the word out would be appreciated.

The 06 WTC USGP website is [www.trialsusgp.com](http://www.trialsusgp.com) and it has some cool pictures along with videos. Check it out if you haven't seen it. There are nice event flyers available for print out at the following link: <http://www.trialsusgp.com/Resources/resources.cfm> and there are also easy to use and cool e-vites where trials enthusiasts can help us get the word out by email <http://www.trialsusgp.com/eInvites/e-vites.cfm>. Tickets and TTC campsite reservations are available online. The all event pass is \$40 and the TTC campground is 2/3 full so those who want to camp need to get their reservation in quickly. I realize it is a long trip and many within your club will not be able to come. But they can help us get the word out about the website and the event via email etc.

Thanks and if you have any questions or suggestions, please let me know. Marc Redman

## **NTTA STATE SERIES MARCH EVENT**

**2<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL DAVE SEELEY TWO-DAY**

NTTA State Rounds 3-4 at Red River M/C Park

March 4-5, 2006

Ray and Glenn Roblin served as Trialsmasters for Round 3 of the 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Texas State Series. The forecast for good weather was somewhat in jeopardy and if you listened to the weatherman from the DFW area and decided to stay home, well you should have know better! Those forecasts do not pertain to the Red River M/C Park. The weather was very good all weekend although windy on Saturday; Sunday was mostly sunny and 84 degrees for the high. Not bad for early March! Turnout was low for a State Round, but Ray and Glenn did a great job with a well marked loop and sections that were challenging, but mostly just fun to ride.

Bill Kunstmann and Dan Burks were the Trialsmasters for Sunday. The loop was equally well marked but a bit shorter in length. We rode 8 sections on Sunday vs. 9 on Saturday. The Sunday sections were probably more challenging that Bill and Dan had in mind for the afternoon riders, but not scary or dangerous. The morning scores were a bit lower and I don't remember seeing Big Chuck bleeding on Sunday.

**RESULTS:**

**SATURDAY 03/04/2006**

<b>ROOKIE</b>		
1	Becca Duval	8
2	Josh Burks	9
3	Zachary Lewis	21
4	Daniel Burks	22
5	Chandler Anderson	31

<b>WOMEN</b>		
1	Shannon Martinez	61
<b>CADET SR</b>		
1	Thomas Donaldson	25

<b>VINTAGE</b>		
1	Mark Hansen	43

<b>NOVICE</b>		
1	Evan Martinez 15c's	24
2	Robert Watson 12c's	24
3	Tracy Lewis	25
4	Ceyne Wedgeworth	27
5	Anthony Martinez	30
6	David Irlanda	33
7	Bret Lewis	39
8	Paul Donaldson	NC

<b>INTERMEDIATE</b>		
1	Taylor Duval	18
2	Lance Miller	22
3	Pete Myers	42
4	Keith Lewis (11c's)	43
5	Jim Burns (9c's)	43
6	Nick Botha	44
7	Jeff ritchie	DNF
8	Sean Baillie	NC

<b>SR EXPERT</b>		
1	Colin Botha	11
2	Justin Dyess	19
3	Tom Batchelor	36
4	Tony Wedgeworth	44
5	Joe Miller	51
6	Willard Kelley	53

<b>AMATUER</b>		
1	Dan Burks	27
2	Sean Baillie	29
3	Mark Schubert	30
4	Tyler Martinez	39
5	Steve Elms	43
6	Chase Anderson	64
7	Mark Cope	NC

<b>SR AMATUER</b>		
1	Kim McCandless	24
2	Chuck Howard	28
3	Scott Jacobs	48
4	David Klein	61
5	Mike Stewart	NC

<b>VETERAN</b>		
1	Guy Stubbs	14
2	Ron Davis	18
3	Jeff George	20
4	Jay Decker	31
5	Gene Toomey	DNF

<b>EXPERT</b>		
1	Richard Billings	18
2	Bob Duval	20
3	Lane Simmons	23
4	Kyle Wedgeworth	42
5	Nick Allison	43
6	Don Hubbard	53
7	Ray Roblin	AVG

<b>MASTER</b>		
1	Glenn Roblin	50

## SUNDAY 03/05/2006

<b>ROOKIE</b>		
1	Josh Burks	9
2	Zachary Lewis	8
3	Becca Duval	18
4	Daniel Burks	19
5	Chandler Anderson	21

<b>WOMEN</b>		
1	Kelly Elsen	53

<b>VINTAGE</b>		
1	Mark Hansen	48

<b>NOVICE</b>		
	Cheyne	
1	Wedgeworth(17c's)	12
2	Mitchell Ely (13c's)	12
3	Evan Martinez	17
4	Anthony Martinez	19
5	Tracy Lewis	22
6	David Irlanda	23
7	Bret Lewis	26
8	Robert Watson	31
9	Chuck Wedgeworth	32

<b>INTERMEDIATE</b>		
1	Taylor Duval	26
2	Nick Botha	33
3	Lance Miller	36
4	Keith Lewis	45
5	Pete Myers	49
6	Jim Burns	DNF
7	Bill Kunstmann	AVG

<b>SR EXPERT</b>		
1	Colin Botha	26
2	Tom Batchelor	50
3	Joe Miller	54
4	Tony Wedgeworth	64
5	Willard Kelley	66

<b>AMATUER</b>		
1	Sean Baillie	12
2	Mark Schubert	18
3	Tyler Martinez	21
4	Chase Anderson	30
5	Steve Elms	61
6	Dan Burks	AVG

<b>SR AMATUER</b>		
1	Chuck Howard	5
2	Kim McCandless	16
3	David Klein	46
4	Scott Jacobs	DNF
5	Mark Cope	NC

<b>VETERAN</b>		
1	Guy Stubbs	7
2	Ron Davis (15c's)	16
3	Jay Decker (12c's)	16
4	Gene Toomey	DNF

<b>EXPERT</b>		
1	Richard Billings (11c's)	32
2	Bob Duval (10c's)	32
3	Kyle Wedgeworth	33
4	Nick Allison	34
5	Ray Roblin	53
6	Don Hubbard	56

<b>MASTER</b>		
1	Glenn Roblin	22

## TEXAS STATE TRIALS NEWS

### 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary 2006 Texas State Series of Observed Trials

This year's State Series began on February 11-12 with a return to Austin at City Park hosted by CTTA. Please take time to read the following information as there are a number of changes to this year's format.

This year's Series is a best 5 of 9 round Series for Cadet, Rookie, Vintage, and Women's Classes and a best 8 of 9 for Novice through Master. This year, the State Series will award State Championship points to non-Texas Residents. This is a one year probationary decision and will be re-evaluated for the 2007 Series. The "hand off handlebar" ruling has been altered. The rider may now remove a hand from the handlebar from a stationary position, while footing, as long as the rider does not reposition the motorcycle with the "off hand".

These changes are for the duration of the 2006 Texas State Series. Each host club must decide, individually, to adopt these changes for non-Series events.

### 2006 STATE SERIES SCHEDULE

Round 1-2	February 11-12	Austin City Park	CTTA	Don Hubbard	(512) 576-8295	<a href="mailto:don-hubbard@austin-rr.com">don-hubbard@austin-rr.com</a>
Round 3-4	March 4-5	Red River M/C Park	NTTA	Tom Batchelor	(972) 754-9686	<a href="mailto:mototrials@aol.com">mototrials@aol.com</a>
Round 5-6	March 25-26	Rio Bravo M/X Park	STTA	Kim McCandless	(281) 229-1917	<a href="mailto:tesamon@yahoo.com">tesamon@yahoo.com</a>
Round 7-8	April 29-30	Lake MacKenzie	TOTTA	Quint Anderson	(806) 797-5281	<a href="mailto:quinster@cox.net">quinster@cox.net</a>
Round 9	June 3	Red River M/C Park	NTTA	Tom Batchelor	(972) 754-9686	<a href="mailto:mototrials@aol.com">mototrials@aol.com</a>

**Need more Series Information?** Contact Tom Batchelor (972) 754-9686 or email [mototrials@aol.com](mailto:mototrials@aol.com)

### 2006 NATIONAL SERIES

<b>Rounds 1 &amp; 2</b>	April 1 & 2	Holbrook AZ
<b>Rounds 3 &amp; 4</b>	April 8 & 9	Tishomingo, OK
<b>Round 5 Support &amp; ES</b>	May 19	Sequatchie, TN
<b>Round 5 Expert &amp; Pro</b>	May 20	Sequatchie, TN
<b>Round 6 Expert &amp; Pro only</b>	May 21	Sequatchie, TN
<b>Rounds 7 &amp; 8</b>	Aug. 26 & 27	North Kingston, RI

<http://www.natctrials.org/>

**World Round / Wagner Cup**, May 20 & 21, Sequatchie, TN

**Youth Nationals** July 1 - 3, Sequatchie, TN

**Western Youth Nationals** August 2 - 4, Donner Ski Ranch, CA

**El Trial de Espana** August 5 & 6, Donner Ski Ranch, CA

## LOCAL NTTA NEWS

**\*\*MEETING LOCATION\*\*** THE APRIL 2006 MONTHLY MEETING OF THE NTTA IS SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY, APRIL 13<sup>th</sup>, at the **TGIF Friday's** located at 5100 Beltline Rd in Addison, Texas. The meeting starts at 7:00 PM!! Please come to the meeting and bring along a suggestion and your comments.

## PRESIDENTS CORNER

Thank you to everyone who attended the meeting and to those members who could not make it please try to attend next month. We need your input. We try to keep the meetings concise and to the point, to make time for what we really enjoy, The Fellowship of our Trials Family and friends.

The next State Rounds are at Rio Bravo in Houston on March 25-26. See you there!

## MINUTES

### *North Texas Trials Association*

*Treasurer Lynne Duval*

*March 9, 2006*

*7:28 pm – 7:50 pm*

*The meeting of the North Texas Trials Association was held at TGI Fridays Restaurant located at 5100 Beltline Rd in Addison, Texas.*

*Meeting Attendees: Bob and Lynne Duval Tom Batchelor Danny Aguirre  
Chris Denney Clark Pittman Dan and Wendy Burks Chuck Howard*

### Call to Order:

*The meeting was called to order by club president, Tom Batchelor at 7:28 p.m.*

*The Treasury report was read and accepted by the members present.*

### Old Business:

- *April 2<sup>nd</sup> is the Sunday we would normally have our local club event, however, this is the weekend right before the Nationals in Tishmingo. The NTTA members present at this meeting voted to use that day to help with final details for the National event the upcoming weekend, April 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>. The motion was made by Chris Denney and seconded by Chuck Howard.*
- *Sunday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> will be the day the NTTA will host their local event with trials masters Tony Wedgeworth and Atlee Cunningham. They have volunteered to host the event at a new area in Mineral Wells. It is an area open to ATV's and off-road riding. There is no gate fee at this location. Tony will have to talk with the city to get permission to use the property for a motorcycle event before we can officially publicize this event.*
- *Danny Aguirre is still checking around for another meeting location that might better meet our needs as well as be in a central location for everybody. The members voted to meet at TGI Fridays in Addison again for April's club meeting. Please note the meeting date has been changed to Thursday, April 13<sup>th</sup> due to the national event the first weekend in April.*

### New Business:

- *Just a reminder, gate fees will increase to \$10 per bike per day at the Red River Motorcycle Riding Area beginning April 1, 2006.*
- *Danny Aguirre reported that Tommy Ahvala will be performing at Al Lamb's Honda on Saturday, April 1<sup>st</sup> beginning at 10:00 a.m. This store is located in the LBJ/Greenville/Abrams area in Garland.*

*There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.*

## **NTTA CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS**

Contact Chris Denney prior to the 15th of each month to place an advertisement in the next monthly newsletter at (214) 876-2532 or you can e-mail me at [ntta\\_newsletter@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ntta_newsletter@sbcglobal.net).

- **MOTOTRIALSPORT** [www.mototrialsport.net](http://www.mototrialsport.net) (1) 2003 Scorpa, very clean, new rear tire, new chain and sprockets for \$3,300, (1) 2004 Scorpa, excellent condition \$4,000, (1) Montesa 4RT Limited Edition Repsol model for \$7,690. (1) Scorpa 4-Tricks NEW! \$2950.00, (1) 2004 Sherco 2.9 "exceptional" condition, very good tires \$4250.00,. New Novogar Trials Boots in "Carbon Fiber Look" for \$229.00. New Renthal Gold Chain for \$79. (1) Gaerne Dougie Replica Trials Boots, worn once, size 9 \$200.00. YES Trials Helmets, NZI Trivent, and Shoei Trials Helmets, Custom number plates for State Series and National events \$20-\$25.00 Texas LARGEST inventory of Sherco, Scorpa, and Montesa parts. Look for the NEW Raptor fifth wheel trailer at the next event. Call Tom Batchelor (cell) 972-754-9686 or email [mototrials@aol.com](mailto:mototrials@aol.com)
- **MOTOMEX** [WWW.MOTOMEXUSA.COM](http://WWW.MOTOMEXUSA.COM) Due to popular demand we where cut on our first shipment of GAS GAS bikes and they went quickly. Out next order due to arrive in late February. Place your order now. (1) 2001 Gas Gas blue and in good condition for \$2400, one 2000 Gas Gas 50cc in good condition, starts and runs every time. Never had ignition problems like the others. Two Adam Raga Replica helmets in XL for \$159. When they are gone, they are gone. These are collector's items. 2006 bikes are here so order your new bike now. Two Anorak Gas Gas Jackets with hood in red, black, gray. These are good quality jackets as seen by the pro trials riders on the world team. Was \$199 and now they are \$149. In size XXL and when they are gone, they are gone. This is a good bike to start off with and it is a proven champion. CALL Danny: 214-320-3739 days or 214-328-7507 and get the best price in the region. You can also send an email to '[motomex@sbcglobal.net](mailto:motomex@sbcglobal.net)' Dani Adios Amigo.
- **LONGHORN TRIALS SUPPLY**, Sherco/RYP parts and accessories. 06 Sherco 2.9 (Demo), 05 Sherco 3.2, 4 Stroke (Demo) 05 Sherco 1.25 (Demo), 02 Sherco 2.9 low hours, excellent condition. Please call or e-mail for Best Prices! Brett or Derrell Cooper [Ltssherco@yahoo.com](mailto:Ltssherco@yahoo.com) (512) 453-7578 or (512) 626-7107.