



The Vintage Motor Cycle Club Herefordshire and Mid-Wales Section 'The Mid-Wales Cwmpas Ride'

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The 2024 Mid-Wales Cwmpas Ride is a navigational challenge for individual riders and small groups.

Visit some of the most beautiful parts of our region and travel some of Britain's finest roads

- The challenge is open from Friday March 29th until Friday Oct 4th 2024. It is to be completed over as many days as you like, on a machine over 25 years old.
- It is the rider's responsibility to ensure that they, their equipment and their machine comply with current laws and that their machines be maintained in roadworthy condition for the duration of the event.
- There is no entry fee but entrants may wish to seek sponsorship donations from friends etc. to St. Michael's Hospice via <https://www.justgiving.com/smhospice>
- Locations will be indicated on a **Waypoints** sheet issued subsequent to these regulations and downloadable from the Section's website after March 15th. Previous entrants of Cwmpas, Compass and Herefordshire on the Edge will receive the waypoints by email, on that date.
- 32 Locations will be identified using six figure OS map references (1:50,000 series, sheets 124, 125, 135, 136, 137, 146, 147, 148, 149, 160 and 161), GPS coordinates and the "What3words" system (<https://what3words.com>). The clues to be gathered will be easily readable, from permanent written information to be found at each site. Completed forms to be returned by email to jcmunday@btinternet.com by Wednesday 11th October 2023. If you have any queries or concerns, use this email address also.
- **Standards for awards** – 24 locations must be visited (with correct answers) for 'gold', 20 locations for 'silver', or 16 locations for 'bronze'. At the conclusion of the event, button badge and an event sticker will be sent to all participants submitting answers, as well as "Certificates of Achievement" to all medallists. It is highly unlikely that a medal can be achieved with a single day's ride
- **Proof of passage** – This will be the answers you submit.
- Entrants are encouraged to send their **photographs and stories** to herefordvmcc@outlook.com for publication in the Section Newsletter.
- **Please be polite and courteous to other road users and to those you meet on your journey**

Terry Pickering – Chairman, Herefordshire & Mid-Wales section – VMCC