

East Berks Jampot Notes for September 2019 Jampot Magazine

There was a good turnout for our Annual Charity Run with 18 participants. This year the run started by the river in Henley. Chosen because of availability of toilets and a snack bar. The run left at 10:00am, led by Roger Ashby, for a scenic tour of Oxfordshire countryside, taking in Goring, Aldworth and on to Bishopstone. Lunch stop was then taken in Wantage before returning to Henley. Just over £180 was raised for Prostate Cancer Charity.

On Thursday 18th July Roger Ashby, Dave Gregory and wives visited Gary and Helen Jones in Mid Wales. Gary had arranged 3 bike tours of the area where he lives. Thursday afternoon to the Brecon Beacons where we traversed some scenic military roads and countryside.

Friday morning was wet, so, due to very poor riding conditions, it was decided to tour the Elan Valley, Devil's Bridge and Aberystwyth by car. Fish & Chip stop in Aberystwyth was excellent. The group was joined by Dave Younger and Rex Morrey, who had ridden in on modern bikes.

Saturday and the weather was still a bit gloomy with low cloud over the mountains. So, on bikes again for a tour of the Cambrian Mountains, Machynlleth, Aberdovey, Tywyn, Dolgellau and Llynnau Cregennen. Then a more direct return run with a stop for refreshments at a small cafe. A great weekend was had by all any many thanks to Gary and his friend Gareth and their wives for their hospitality.

A thoroughly recommended part of the country for classic motorcycling.

Dave Gregory