

PINHARD PRIZE, OFFICERS & TRUSTEES

Rules Governing the Annual Award of the Pinhard Prize

- 1) The monies of the Pinhard Memorial Fund, together with a Trophy known as the Pinhard Prize, shall be vested in Trustees, of whom there shall be five, appointed as follows:
 - a) One from the Auto Cycle Union.
 - b) Two from the Motorcycle Press.
 - c) Two from the Sunbeam MCC Ltd.
- 2) The Secretary will be a member of the Sunbeam MCC whose appointment will be favoured by the Sunbeam MCC committee.
- 3) Any Trustee who wishes to resign will write to the Pinhard Memorial Fund Secretary offering resignation. A Trustee will be deemed to have resigned if they do not conform to the principles expected of a Trustee of the fund. The Secretary and two Trustees will agree this. The Secretary will inform such person of this decision. New Trustees will be appointed from the three bodies as referred to in 1). Above appointment shall be made by the Secretary and two Trustees.
- 4) Should the administration of the Pinhard Prize for any reason fail to function, these duties shall revert to the Sunbeam MCC Committee.
- 5) The Trustees will be responsible for administering the Fund and awarding the Pinhard Prize annually in accordance with the following rules, which may be varied from time to time, if thought fit by the majority of the Trustees.
- 6) The Pinhard Prize will be competed for each year commencing 1st November and ending 31st October the following year and will consist of the Trophy to be held for one year by the winner, a suitable 'Replica' which will become the personal property of the recipient, and a cash prize of £50.00p.
- 7) The Prize will be awarded annually to the member of a Club affiliated to the ACU or SACU who shall have been under 21 years of age on 1st November commencing the year of the competition and who, in the opinion of the majority of the Trustees, shall have made the most meritorious achievement in the field of motorcycle sport during the year in question. The Pinhard Prize shall not be awarded to the same person more than once.
- 8) Claims for the prize in respect of the previous year should be put forward by:
 - a) Club Secretaries, who must vouch for the eligibility of those put forward, through their ACU Club Secretaries.
 - b) Or direct to the Secretary of the Pinhard Prize from Club Secretaries of non-territorial Clubs.
 - c) Or proposed direct by an interested party to the Secretary of the Pinhard Prize. That interest to be declared.
- 9) All entries to reach the Secretary of the Pinhard Prize by the closing date which will be 1st November annually.
- 10) The Trustees will consider claims and the result announced as soon as practicable thereafter. The Prize will, where possible be presented personally to the winner at a suitable motorcycle function, usually the ACU Awards dinner in January. If this is not possible an event which the winner is attending will be used.

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- It is the intention that the scope for the Competition shall be as wide as possible.
- It is not necessary for the laurels to have been won only on the competitive side of the sport.
- If a young member has done outstanding work for the sport in other directions, equal credit will be given when making the award.
- Proposers are asked to list competition successes on the entry form in chronological order and to indicate the nature of the ACU permit under which the event was held. (e.g. Restricted, Group, Open to Centre etc)
- A note of the number of entrants would also be helpful if given in brackets against each particular event.