

Norfolk Gala Day 2010

A bright summers day welcomed us to the Royal Norfolk Showground for our annual visit to the Norfolk Gala Day.

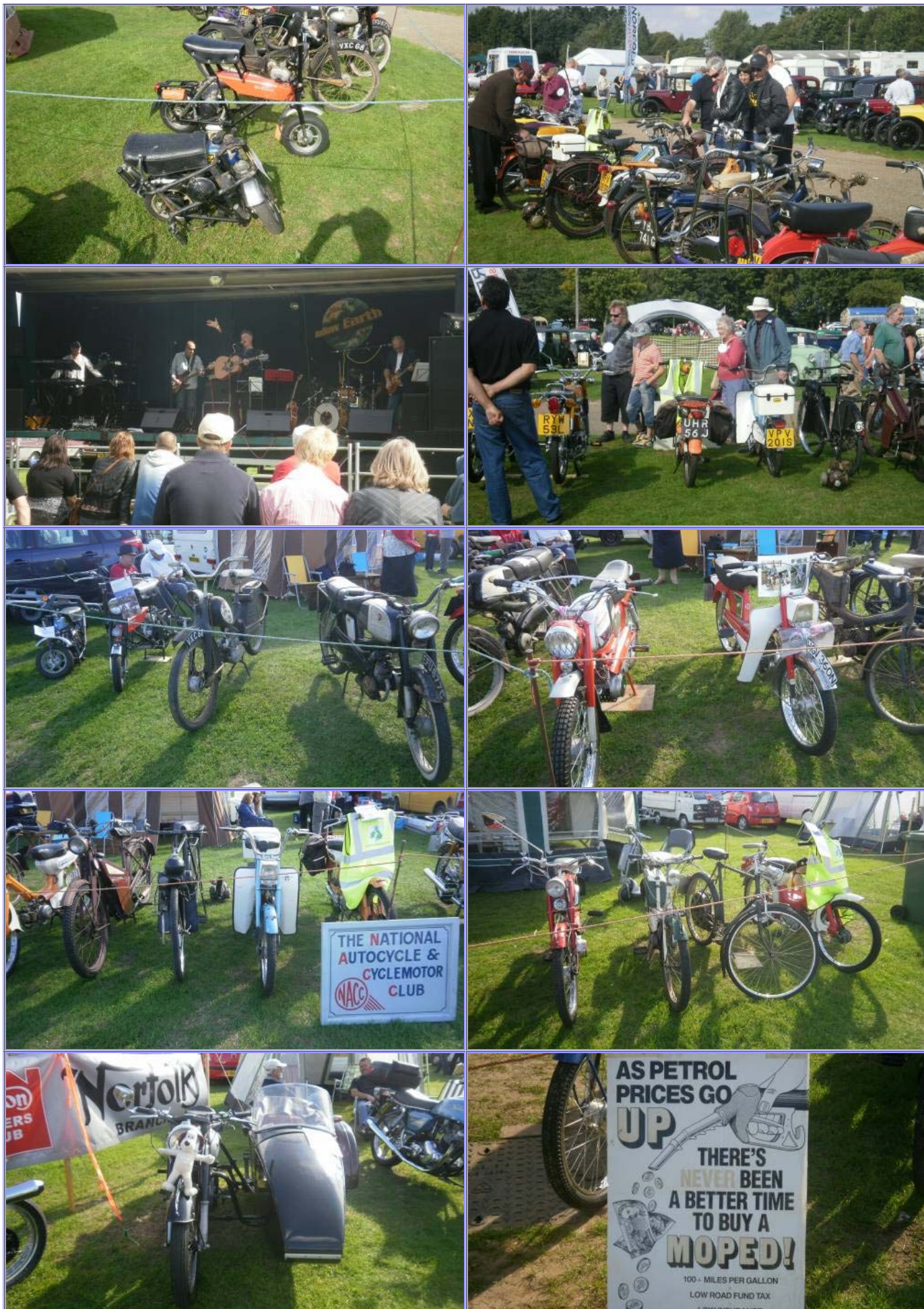
Barrie Brasted had kindly taken over the organisation of the East Coast Pedalers stand at this prestigious event and he did a grand job including negotiating for a much larger display area; the pitch originally allocated would have been far too small - we had 26 machines on display ! Barrie had also marked out the display area and also organised the parking for our vehicles. With this being a purely static event there were a great many previously unseen machines owned by NACC members; including Trevor Seymour's Gericke SP50S - a make unheard of by the rest of the Pedalers. Barry Lewis brought along two unrestored Raleighs which will no doubt be fully refurbished to the same standard as his Mobylette V50 - a machine previously owned by his late father - which was also on display. Raleighs were even more popular than Honda PC50s with other examples being exhibited by Janet Brasted, Barry Brasted & Harvey Spencer.

To add a more modern theme we had four 1970s Sports Mopeds on show, Tony Chapman had brought along his immaculate Yamahas SS50 and FS1EDX all the way up from Essex, Debs had her FS1-E and Carl had his Puch Grand Prix on show which were interesting the 40 somethings amongst the public. Further variety was provided by Barrie's three wheeled Honda Stream and Cyclmaster, Rod Fryatt's folding Di Blasis - one complete and one without an engine ! - , Peter Barwell's off road Motobecane SP44TT, Dave Watson's New Hudson Autocycle and Berini. As well as our bikes there were many others on display and loads of other attractions including a Moto X Display Team, Classic Cars, Trucks and Buses, Autojumble, Craft Stalls, Live Music so there was plenty for the Pedaler members to see and do when it wasn't there turn to man the NACC stand.

Another resounding success for the Pedalers section, special thanks to Barrie and Janet for all their efforts in organising the day for us and to Tony for spending so much time speaking to the public on our behalf whilst the rest of us went "walkabout" !

Exhibitors: Debbie Doy - Yamaha FS1-E, Tony Chapman - Yamaha SS50 & FS1EDX, Dave Watson - New Hudson, Honda PC50 & Berini, Harvey Spencer - Raleigh Runabout, Gill Spencer - Honda PC50, Barrie Brasted - Cyclmaster, Honda Stream, Raleigh RM6, Janet Brasted - Raleigh RM11, Gary & Tracy Garrett - Honda PC50, Peter Barwell - Motobecane SP4TT, Trevor Seymour - Gericke SP50S & Mobylette, Rod Fryatt - 2 x Di Blasis's, Barry Lewis - Mobylette V50 & 2 x Raleigh Runabouts, Carl Squirrell - Puch Grand Prix, Honda PC50 + Sidecar, "Le Mobchop"





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