

Name: Bernard Shute

Date of Profile: July 27, 2016

Born:

Voted in to the WCMC 1983

First Bike : My first Motorcycle was a Honda 80cc dirt bike and my first street bike was a 1980 Honda CB360T.

Current Bike: 1981 Honda GL1100 Goldwing Interstate

Bikes owned: 1980 Honda CB360, 198? Honda 400 Custom, 1981 Honda CB650 Custom, 1981 Honda GL1100 Interstate, 1982 Honda 750 Nighthawk 1981 Honda GL1100 Interstate, Honda CR 125 Flat Tracker, 250 Can-a-bull Flat Tracker



1980 Honda CB360

I became interested in motorcycles when I was in elementary school and would provide medical coverage at the race track with St. John Ambulance.

I began riding as a teenager on the farm, after volunteering at the track with St. John Ambulance for some time I met and became friends with some of the racers both Canadian and American which got me into racing.

When I first started racing I would transport my 125 to the track hanging out the back hatch of my Datsun 210 station wagon as I did not have a truck or trailer.



Learning the ropes on my Honda CR 125 Flat Tracker



Turning some hot laps on my 250 Can-a-bull Flat Tracker



The reason I joined the club was for the camaraderie with others who enjoy motorcycles. The group rides and the use of the track on Wednesday nights for practice, although very seldom did I practice on a Wednesday.



Honda CB400



Honda CB650 Custom

As for club awards, I have been a 2 time recipient of the Blue Balls Award. I was also voted into the club as a Life Member in 1999.

When racing the club/track awarded me once with the rider of the week trophy even though I did not finish the race. This was the nice way of saying “most spectacular crash in front of the grandstand”.



My Honda 1100 Goldwing Interstates