

OLD BIKE MART

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Road Racing Legends charity bash

THE THIRD RRL CHARITY EVENT at the Wynnstay Hotel, Oswestry, on 15 February was a resounding success in raising £9217 toward the welfare of injured riders and local charities.

Theme of the evening was works Triumphs and present to do their speaking bit were Percy Tait, John McGuinness, Tony Jefferies, Tom Dickie and Bill Smith, who acted as MC.

Percy rode into the room on Mick Hemmings' 500cc Triumph, upon which Percy finished runner-up to Ago at the Belgian GP in the late 60s. Tom came in on Jason Griffiths' TT600. John made his entrance on the late David Jefferies' V&M Yamaha.

Other famous names there included Tony Rutter, Stuart Graham, Frank and Rita Perris, Maria Costello, John Kidson, the Bladen brothers and more. The event was well sponsored and was organised by Colin, Sue, Gwen and Phil Morris.



Percy arrives on the Hemmings' Triumph. Photograph by Jane Weaving.