## Garage bookings at BMCRC



## Update on Covid-19

We will introduce a new system from the Brands Test weekend going forward...the booking process will remain the same – you will apply by email for a slot (or slots on behalf of a group) as before. The key change is that individual riders will need to pay for the slots online, once you receive the email confirmation that you have a garage space allocated. People booking for a group can also pay for the whole group, in advance.

## **The Details**

We operate an email only booking system, bookings for garages will only be taken by email, not by phone. That will cover meetings at Brands & Donington for the rest of 2020.

Please send your email requests from 2pm on the previous Friday\* (that's a week out from the meeting). Allocations will be dealt with, in the order received - Email to mikedommett@hotmail.com only.

\*See below regarding Brands Test in July Enquiries prior to that time on the Friday may not receive attention.

Confirmation will be emailed back before Monday morning to advise the garage booking for the following weekend. The booking list for each day will be attached and will also publish in the Meeting File on bemsee.net

## The Brands Test Weekend

We will open applications for garages a couple of days earlier from 2pm Wednesday July 8th, as this will take some sorting out.

Riders booking on behalf of others are requested to advise all the riders' names they are booking a garage for – **for the Brands Test we also need to know which days each rider is booking for** – one, two or three days.

The confirmation email will give the rider/booker links to enable payment for the allocated garage to be taken online before we get to the meeting – this avoids cash-handling.

For the Brands Test weekend this will be either;  $\pm 10$  (the cost of a single day, any day, in a garage) Or  $\pm 20$  (the cost of 2 or 3 days)

If you wish to pay for a group – select the link in your confirmation for £20 and then change the quantity from 1 to 3 in the basket =  $\pounds 60$  for the garage for the group.

Requests will be checked against the entry list and garage spaces cannot be allocated if we have not received a rider's entry.

Payments must all be complete online by close Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July – otherwise reserved slots will then be released to any riders waiting.

**As of 4 July 2020** – On the Bemsee Testdays, we plan to house 3 riders per single garage. 1m Social Distancing should be maintained inside the garages at all times. If your mechanic is working on the bike and others are in there, don't congregate – wait outside, try and maintain the numbers at max 6 per garage at all times, this should ensure the 1m guide can be maintained.

At Brands, riders are reminded that a condition of booking for all occupants is no vehicle movements or queuing to leave before the finish of operations on Saturday & Sunday afternoon. We have seen problems in the past with the paddock fire lane clogged, making access to the Collecting Area difficult for Classes towards the end of the timetable and potentially restricting movement of Emergency Vehicles. Be aware this can be as late as 6.30pm.

There were still just a few that chose to ignore this request in 2019 – going forward that type of action will simply result in your party not being able to rent garage space in the future. Please observe this restriction, it is important.

Hire fees will be as advised above. Garages must remain fully open at all times to the front and rear for the duration of testing and whilst people are in there working on bikes.

Keys will be available if you arrive early on Thursday 16th from the main gate security, only to riders who are on the Garage List. Otherwise, keys will be available from the Race Office from Friday morning. One key holder will need to take responsibility for collecting and returning the key from each garage. Keys must be returned during Sunday morning back to the Race Office.

Prices for later 2020 meetings will be held at  $\pm$ 60 for the weekend (including testday if you are doing it) shared amongst the occupants, payments will be made in the same way online.