



Sefton Advanced Motorists

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Welcome to the February edition of the flyer. Your committee has been busy again this month with the meeting held over the GoTo my meeting App on the 17th of February.

Following on from our announcement last month through the flyer and various other outlets Face Book etc. We have had a few enquiries from both car drivers and motorcyclists. These are being logged until we return to our training. As a reminder I have left the details below to pass on.

Sefton Advanced Motorists offers to all drivers and riders - **50:20:10 for 2021**

For 35's and under, 50% (£75*) of your course fee is paid back from the group on completion of training. If 36 and over, 20% (£30*) will be paid back. All drivers and riders are eligible for a free taster drive or ride before joining and this qualifies for a 10% discount (£15*), applied by the IAM when signing up. For more information, contact us at enquires@samadvanced.co.uk

As mentioned last month we are suspending the membership fees for 2021. One thing we did discuss is that some people may have standing orders set up for automatically paying the fees. Rather than cancel them and have to reset them up next year let them be paid and then contact us to let us know and we can refund your payment.

We had some great responses from members offering suggestions regarding our hunt for a new location for our social meetings. One was for the Southport & Birkdale Club another for the Fire station community room. Another suggestion was to choose a location near a bus route or train station to allow people to relax after the meeting and have a transport link to home. As the lock down starts to lift, we will look at any suggestions put forward.

The 4-stage announcement made this month we May see the lock down being lifted sufficiently to allow training to begin, at least on the bikes. We shall await the directions from the IAM as to when this will be allowed.

Motorcycle section

Following on from Last month's announcement the Chief Observer at Sefton Advanced Motorcyclists. Brian Dring (left) has passed the Chief 's Hi Viz to Paul Acres (right). Social distancing for the ceremony was provided by one of Anthony Gormley's Iron Men on Crosby beach (centre). Paul will be assisted by new Deputy Chief Observer Phil Lang. Best of luck to both chaps in their new roles. Paul noted the iron man said his riding was "a bit rusty."



Car Section

The car section is still awaiting a start date but the good news around the vaccination programme means that we may see the team out later this year.

If anyone has any group associated news or anything group related they believe should be in the Flyer, please let me know at: alan567@sky.com

Please stay safe everybody. Alan

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