

Washgate – Motorcycle Events

Event	Date & Duration	Frequency	Last held as a trial section
Bemrose Trial Commenced 1921	March – 1 day	Annually	2016
Reliance Cup Trail For motorcycles manufactured pre 1965 Commenced 1916	June – 1 day	Annually	2016
Dave Rowland Trial Renamed 1979; commenced 1930's	July – 1 day	Occasionally	15 years ago
Northern Experts Commenced 1950's	March or November – 1 day	Occasionally	2016

Timing - months vary to suit the weather conditions and any requests from landowners

Use – Washgate is either used as a means of access or as a section of the trial. Events are non-speed related and are designed to test the individual rider's skill. Solo riders pass through each section only once. No practicing of the sections is allowed. Events usually limited to a maximum entry of 125 riders.

Conduct - The trials are self-regulated. All riders are required to conform to all of the appropriate road regulations and insurances. Riders must observe a code of conduct during the trial. Each motorcycle uses less aggressive trials tyres. Marshals/observers are stationed to observe riders in the sections.