

Dear Member

Summer is not quite over but as the days shorten, thoughts turn to preparations for next season, and – thanks to Martin Davis – we have devised a Cuning Plan which will enable you to combine a chance to polish your running starts, check your shooting skills AND have a jolly social day with Cresta friends. Perfect. These are the details:

BBSA Track Day & Pentathlon Shooting Range–Saturday 5th November 2016.

The British Bobsleigh & Skeleton Association (BBSA) is offering SMTC Members (men and women) a unique opportunity to hone their starting skills with a morning's training on their [Push Start Track](#) at the University of Bath's Sports Training Village and the opportunity to sample the electronic Pentathlon Shooting Range. BBSA coaches and athletes would be the controllers of the Track and provide the introduction and instruction. In order to add more spice to the day, it will be competitive and the overall winner will be awarded *The Teakman Challenge* in honour of the late Jonnie Woodall, who was both a great Cresta and Bob rider. Attendees would depart with a smart certificate for having ridden the track and automatic membership of the BBSA for one year. If this initial event is successful, we hope to make it a regular event in the Club Calendar.

Date: Saturday 5th November 2016

Venue: University of Bath (<http://www.bath.ac.uk/travel-advice/location-maps/index.html>)

Time: 1000 – 1300

Numbers: Minimum 20

Cost: £80 pp.

- Coffee on arrival
- Tour of Sports Training Village
- Move to Push Start Track (introduction followed by practice in groups)
- Pentathlon Shooting range (introduction followed by competition in groups)
- Lunch nearby (not included in the price above) (venue to be confirmed)

We need a minimum of 20 people to go ahead with the organisation. If you are interested, please email me to register. Our President and Secretary already have their names down! Once we have the feedback, we can finalise the details accordingly and confirm all the arrangements.

Annual Report – Addresses

My kitchen table is groaning with the proofs for the Annual Report. If you have moved in the last year, please do send me a quick email with your up-to-date contact details so that the address section is as accurate as possible.

Best wishes
Harriet Brabazon