

THORL

The HO Racing League

Welcome to the latest THORL newsletter.

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THORL Round 3 – December 10th @ HONK/Coulsdon, Surrey



The 3rd Round, and the last of 2017 took us to Surrey and the Coulsdon MCRC. HONK were the hosts, held at Coulsdon whilst they are settling into a new home (Great news that they now have found a venue to host their club meetings).

Joining the regular 'THORL' racers was returnee Mike Ransley, and racing for the first time this season, Trevor Crout who brought along some fantastic early versions of his Nissan GT-LM car.

With Mince pies keeping everyone energised on a very cold, and in parts snowy, weekend, it was Ash who took opening honours in the Formula HO class.

In the afternoon, everyone was in awe of Tonys new bodys from Roger Porcelli and RPMs.

Much attention was also being show to Trevors new body, the Nissan GT-R LM.

Now warmed up, it was Tony who would take honours in the remaining 3 classes in the afternoon.

Concours was won by Tonys RPM body, and Nicks Pink! AFX LMP.

Many thanks to Coulson MCRC for letting us use the venue and for all those from HONK who setup the track.

The Winners for the day were:

Formula HO: Ash Melville

AFX Le Mans: Tony Baldock

Sports Prototype: Tony Baldock

GT Jet: Tony Baldock

Concours Winners: Tony Baldock, Jim Saunders.

Full Results can be found on the Results page of the THORL.co.uk Website. [HERE](#)

SWINDON SWAPMEET

Sunday 7th January is Swindon Swapmeet day.

Possibly one of the largest slot car swapmeets in the UK.

Amongst the 'regular' 1/32 cars and tracks, will be the AFX Raceway layout and Tony Staceys HO stall.

A great day out with plenty of bargains and the chance of finding that hidden slot car gem.

Held at the Oasis Leisure Centre, Swindon, FLBT will be there with the HO track, 1/32 track and Drag strip.



THORL Round 4 – February 4th @ FLBT, Marlborough, Wilts.

FLBT will be Hosts for the first THORL round in 2018.

Held at their club venue, St Marys Church Hall, Silverless Street, Marlborough, Wiltshire.

The track will be laid atop FLBTs modular 1/32 track.

Parking can be found on the high street, a short walk from the hall.

Doors will open at 08:45 with racing starting at 10am.

Full directions to the venue can be found on the THORL website.



We hope that you have had a Very Merry Christmas and wish you all a Happy New Year.
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More details of our events are available on the website and on our [Facebook Page](#).

News, information, and the latest results can be found on the [THORL](#) website.

Links to other HO Clubs and Organisations can be found in the LINKS page of the website.

If you would like to be involved with THORL or would like more information or advice on HO Scale Slot cars, please get in touch.

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