

### September 2015 Newsletter (ramblings from the saddle).

There I go once again I blinked and August was gone and we are a week into September... It's like being on a rollercoaster being part of CBB.

So far this year we have completed 1248 jobs, which is pretty good going considering we have changed some of our tasking priorities. That said though well done to everyone in the charity for putting yourselves out to cover Cornwall as part of Cornwall's 'silent emergency service' helping the NHS continue its work.

Bike nights are continuing to feature on many peoples weekly ride outs and the guided rides on the night have proved successful.

We have continued to receive donations from organisations that have not previously contacted us before so our message seems to be getting out to the community and hopefully many more events will be organised on our behalf. Even so we can't as a charity sit on our behinds we all must continue to promote CBB at every opportunity because without the funds coming in we can't afford fuel for the bikes.

Unfortunately the Rat Pack motorcycle helmet has not sold as yet on EBay but I have put it up for sale again for the third time at a seriously reduced price to try to generate some interest.



Collections this month;

Asda Penryn 1/8/15	390.23
Sainsbury's Helston 2/8/15	172.07
Home Cargo (Redruth) Money pot	60.83
Camborne Redruth Lions Club 7/8/15 (Royston Collected)	1000
Morrisons Redruth 14/8/15	330.7
Casino Night Final Cheque (Simon Williams) 18/8/15	50
Garry Williams CAM Observer donation	30
Treemilestone Spar Shop 18/8/15	29.12
Sainsbury's Newquay 29/8/15	352.76
Bunscuffle Café 4/9/15	234.89

This month is very busy with regard to events so can I ask a favour of you all? If you have volunteered for an event please take the time to phone around to find out what time you are required to attend and also to locate any equipment that may be required to be transported there. We can't do everything for you so you have to accept a bit of responsibility yourselves and help out where necessary.

Sorry again for the lateness of this newsletter I will try harder next month unless there is someone who wants to take over the job...? Just asking.

If you have any bits you would like me to include in future ramblings please email me at [fundraising@cornwallbloodbikes.org](mailto:fundraising@cornwallbloodbikes.org) and I will see what I can do.

Right that's it for today don't forget to put your availability down on the rota and if you want a marked bike check out the booking form on Dropbox. **My last plea concerns Dropbox, remember to take the form you want to read or amend out of the box and put it on to your desktop. That way we don't get duplicate forms, which leads to confusion.**

Ride safe  
Mark