

Focus on Stuart and Jeremy Baker

Driving a Morris Mini 1380 ~ Blue ~ HMM 711K ~ 1971



Driver Name	Stuart Baker – Club Cheltenham Motor Club
Navigator Name	Jeremy Baker – Club Cheltenham Motor Club
	<p>Father and son team. Dad navigator, son driver. Dad used to navigate in late 70's early 80's winning many events in southwest and being CMSG past champion with driver Steve Ivermee.</p> <p>Dad used to take me everywhere to watch rallying as a kid...in 2021 I bought this mini in December, turned up at his house and said we're going rallying, he was speechless! I had to go take my drivers rally license, dad got a grandfather's rights navigators pass as they found an old record of his on file at MSUK.</p> <p>We will be doing the Wydean rally in November this year.</p>
Driver How Long Driving	2 Years
Driver Competition History	4 rallies and 2 hill climbs
Driver Notable Results	38th patriot stages and 23rd Corinium Stages.
Driver Best Result	23rd Corinium Stages

Driver Anything Else	You rally a mini for the fun, not to win! You'd buy a faster rally car if you wanted to win. Kindly being serviced by Sy Downen and Rick James of Bob Downen Rally Services
Car Specification	1380. Engine built by Southam mini metro centre
Car History	1971 Morris mini, it's looked after and maintained by the driver.
Navigator How Long Driving	48 Years
Navigator Comp History	Cotswold Motorsport Group previous champion 1984
Navigator Notable Results	CMSG champions, Avon autos mid-summer stages rally 1984 winners. Wydean rally in 1978 Austin mini coopers.
Navigator Best	CMSG champions 1984
Navigator Anything Else	Dad likes telling his story about one event where Steve Ivermee who he was navigating for in a mk2 escort and on one stage he purposefully went wide to hit the offline gravel and spray the burger wagon with what was like machine gun fire. The days before political correctness.

Some photos of dad my navigator, from his mini rally years in the late 70's. The jumping pic is the famous Cheltenham racecourse yump.



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