

I started riding motorcycles and passed my test when I was the tender age of 16yrs, that was 51 yrs ago. Marriage ,Children, mortgage, and other commitments materialised and i had to put my motorcycling on the back burner for some considerable time. When I bought my "new bike" I rode it and enjoyed it although I didn't use it as I expected to, a few more years passed and a couple of bikes came and went. I decided I would join the local I.A.M. to improve my riding, I met up with Geoff Salt who was my Observer, and aswell as the improvement in my riding the enjoyment had returned, I now go on rides out with the club and the fun of motorcycling is back I now see and I am aware of much more, my riding is now safer.

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