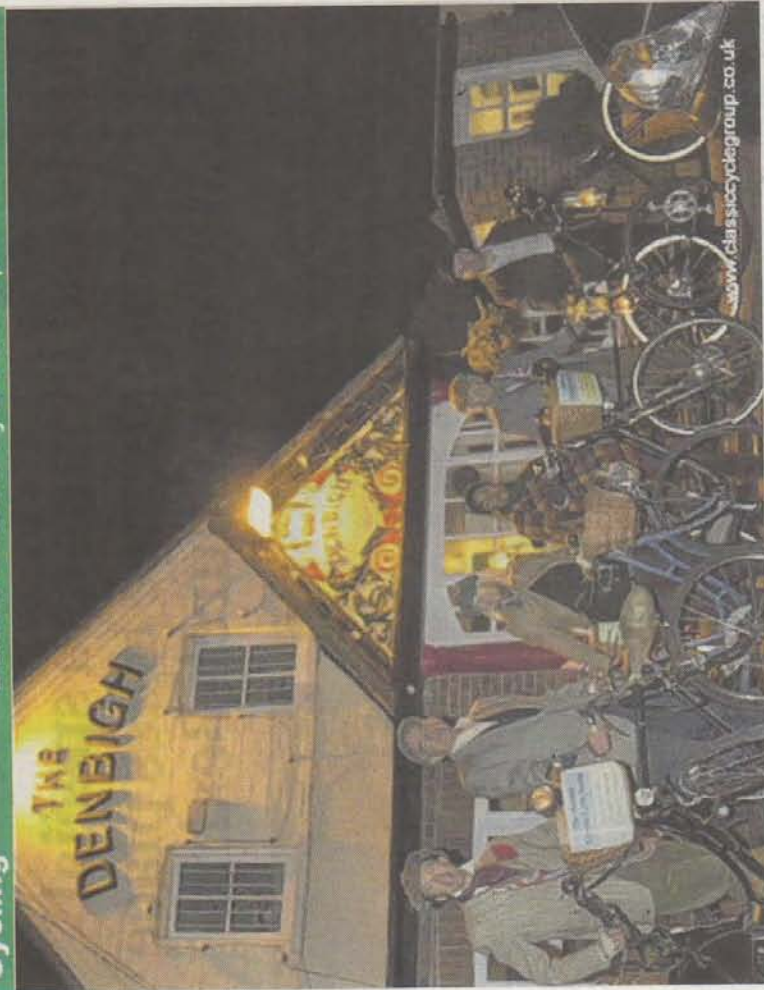


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Cycling Bexhill Classic Cycle Group



A fun and very illuminating night bike ride

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A peloton of social cyclists enjoyed a leisurely ride showcasing their vintage bikes, lamps and clothes.

Members of Bexhill's Classic Cycle Group recently took to their bikes to ride between a host of local pubs - with prizes handed out at each.

Starting at The Coast bar and ending at the De La Warr Pavilion, the four-mile journey provided a pleasant backdrop to what organisers hailed a thoroughly enjoyable day. It was capped by an appearance from around 60-80 members of Hastings Urban Bikes (HUB) just as the classic cyclists arrived at the De La Warr - with

HUB riders celebrating the new track linking Hastings and Bexhill.

And the group, which meets on the last Tuesday of the month at Coast in De La Warr Parade are heading out again this Sunday for a Tweed and Afternoon Tea cycle.

This will start at Bexhill Station at 2pm and anyone who would like to take part or just find out more about the group, can email info@classiccyclegroup.co.uk.

The Classic Cycle Group's spokesman, Ray Konyon, said: "The Tweed and Tipple Lamp Ride was a big success. We all had a fun time and nobody fell off."

"We had a thoroughly enjoyable night ride with our vintage bicycles illuminated with old oil lamps and thirsty riders lu-

bricated generously by each pub owner that we visited with liquid prizes.

"This weekend we will get together, have a nice cycle and find somewhere to enjoy a pleasant afternoon tea. "Anyone who would like to join our group is welcome. It is a good, fun social club which I would fully recommend."

Each member chooses a fun name and the winners of the prizes for their lamps and dress etc at each bar visiting on the Tweed and Tipple ride were as follows: At Coast the bar staff chose Martin 'Martin Lord Roxbee' Cox; Wheat sheaf workers picked Norma 'Duchess Dolly' Horsefield;

and at The Denbigh the winner was Matthew 'The Marquess of Horsebridge' Trott.

