

## **Skipwith April 29, 2018**

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Last Sunday the CVOTC event calendar centered on Skipwith, Va. hosted by trialsmaster, Bob OSullivan. 25 riders showed up to ride the gullies, creeks and hillsides on the farm owned by Bob O's parents...Jim and Ida...many thanks to them for their hospitality....they even provided a very clean port o John for everyone's use. The weather was perfect, with temps in the 60s and traction was very good in spite of a large amount of rainfall in the past two weeks.

In a first for the CVOTC, several riders decided to start an informal vintage class, riding mostly the intermediate lines, but with a few sportsman lines thrown in for the challenge.

Several new folks showed up to ride, including John Francis, age 7, riding his first ever trials event on a XR Honda in the novice class. His minder was long time CVOTC member, Tommy Francis. Good job Dad!

Looking at the scores and listening to post ride comments, many classes found their lines challenging, if not a bit difficult, but it appeared that most riders really enjoyed their day. There was much friendly banter before, during and after the event....this is really a good group of folks who enjoy each other's company....kudos to all!

### **Here are the results....**

#### **Novice**

1 John Francis 58

#### **Intermediate**

1 Kevin Hobbs 14

2 Jeromy Williamson 19

3 Jason Kinsey 44

4 Jim Carey 46

Chris Paschal DNF

Dallas Stephenson DNF

Joe Walters DNF

#### **Vintage**

1 Rick Schill 17

2 Greg Hales 31 sportsman lines

3 Jim Ellis 34

4 Scott Porter 35

5 Gary Heyer 36

#### **Sportsman**

1 John French 50

2 John Hendricks Sr 65

3 Joshua Hendricks 88

Bob O'Sullivan DNF or were you in Advanced?

**Advanced**

1 Eric Sheets 74

2 David Lawson 82

**Expert**

1 David Webster 63

**Exhibition**

Al Jones

Ed Beehler

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