

# WISH



**We are very excited to announce four-time World Speedway Champion Barry Briggs MBE will be attending and unveiling the statue.**

Barry Briggs known as "Briggo" was a key figure during Wimbledon Speedway's golden era. Briggo joined Wimbledon in the 1952 season and featured through until 1959. He won his first two back-to-back World Championship titles while racing for Wimbledon in 1957 and 1958, and was instrumental in the Dons success during the 1950s. Briggo left the Wimbledon team in 1959 and went on to win a further two

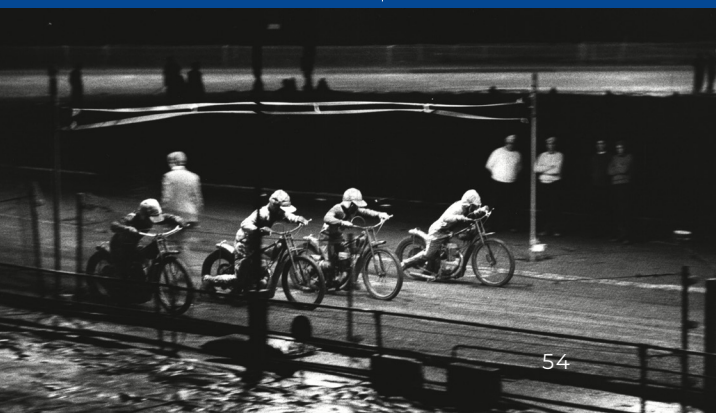
individual World Championship titles. Along with a host of British League riders championship titles while having spells with New Cross, Southampton and Swindon. Briggo was placed second in the BBC Sports Personality of the Year Award in 1964 and 1966. He was awarded the MBE in the Queens honours in 1973. At the age of 40, in 1974, he rejoined the Wimbledon team and topped the rider averages with a 9.30. That same year he featured on Eamonn Andrews's ITV live show 'This is Your Life'.

We do have other Wimbledon Speedway riders due to attend that will be announced in the build up to our event. Please visit TheDonsDen on Instagram or

Facebook for the latest updates.

TheDonsDen & Wimbledon in Sporting History (WiSH) are pleased to announce this heritage event will take place following three years of fund raising. We will be celebrating the history of Wimbledon Speedway and unveiling the Ronnie Moore Statue on Saturday 5 July 2025, from 12 noon till late. Come and join in for a fun packed day, which will conclude with a hot buffet and on the big screen in the 1889 Lounge we will be screening the FIM Speedway GP of Sweden – Malilla live on TNT Sports.

- **Unveiling of The Ronnie Moore Statue**
- **Memorabilia displays**
- **Meet Dons riders from the past**
- **Vintage bike display**
- **Speedway stallholders.**
- **Auction**
- **Raffle**
- **Stadium Tours**
- **Live Speedway GP**
- **Hot buffet and bar**

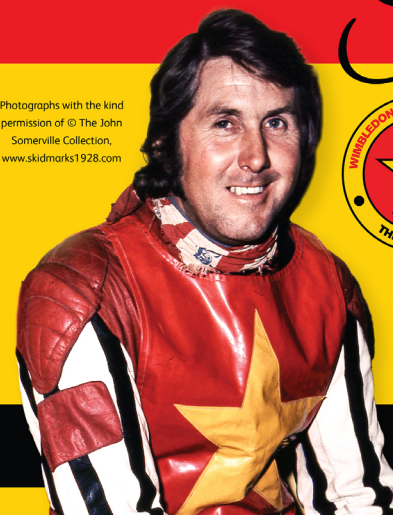


*Celebrating* **WIMBLEDON SPEEDWAY**

★★ **RONNIE** ★★  
**MOORE**

*Statue*

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**Statue unveiled by  
4x World Champion**

**BARRY BRIGGS!**

**5 JULY**

**12noon -  
11pm**

At The Cherry Red Records Stadium, Plough Lane SW17 0NR

**TICKETS** ▼

**Tickets can be booked online by scanning the QR code, all tickets include hot buffet and full access to the event.**

**General admission £15**

**General admission with stadium tour £25**

**Tickets are available for purchase online only!**



**TNT**

**SPORTS**

The day will be concluded with hot buffet being served and the FIM Swedish Speedway GP being screened live on the big screen in the 1889 lounge.



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