

## 'Was to be' The Trevor Arms Marford - 11<sup>th</sup> November 2012



Yes, it was to be, but they would only provide "Traditional Sunday Lunches", so we re-routed to **The Alyn Arms in Rossett**, where we were made very welcome.



### **The Alyn - Rossett**

Because there were so many riders for **Jill's ride**, we made an unsuccessful attempt to split into two manageable groups.

### **Mending Barbara's puncture**



However, after a police controlled diversion around **Harwarden** (it was closed for their **Remembrance Day parade**), we did manage to re-group in **Tinkers Dell** for our own 'parade' and observe the two minutes silence.

At the top of the Dell, **Barbara** succumbed to a front wheel puncture. This was soon repaired, but it did allow a group, led by **Jill**, to set off following her route to lunch. Suffice it to say that, a split group, who had a printed copy of the route, failed to stick to the route, but did eventually arrive at **The Alyn** from various directions. There is, I am sure, a message in there somewhere!

After an excellent lunch, the return journey to the **Eureka** was taken in three groups, using various routes.



I think a re-assessment of 'the large group' situation is overdue, not only from a safety aspect but also the effect we have on other road users in country lanes.

Thank you **Jill** (anyway)

**Bob Witton**

Click <http://goo.gl/SehFZ> to see the route as it should have been.