

Mobile Cake Stands

When we were at the Morden Fun Day, Martin sat astride the track to loosen off the bolts. Then he had to slide himself along the track to the next ones. He did have a little moan, so I offered him a carpet square thinking that if he pulled it with him he could slide along. Wrong, he said it was worse as it wouldn't move but he did, ouch. So the brain went into thinking mode.

The next event for the portable track was Edward Deans wedding. The track was out and set up then, it was time to tighten the bolts. Martin came back from his car with what we now know to be 'The Mobile Cake Stands.'

He placed them on the track then sat on one Paul S. on the other and off they went.

Tightening the bolts whoosh they were gone.

Well not quite that fast but it was certainly easier and quicker than having to stand up, move along, sit or kneel down.



At the end of the day out came the cake stands again. They are quite heavy so, they were going to the end on the track. Martin sat on his and pushed himself backwards, that seemed like hard work on his legs. I thought I'd take the other one down so sat on it and, it does move if you push your feet on the ground then lift them up. (Maybe, not the right thing to do so I only had one go.) I let Paul have the seat back while Brian and myself started to crack the nuts on our knees or bent over. Usually, the ones doing the loosening are a few behind, they were almost running into us as they did it a lot

quicker. Once the bolts were all loosened, the cake boards were pushed (not sat on) back down the track. The rails were placed on top then wheeled back up the track and unloaded. This certainly made the job a lot easier and not so heavy to lift at the end of a day when you're all tired.

So, they certainly made the job easier.

But there is one thing you must be aware of when going to sit on them, that is, you must make sure you don't have anything dangling!

So, a big thank you to Martin Botting, (who of course I'm sure many of you have guessed is our own Gadget Man) for inventing the Mobile Cake Stands.

Now, if you're at our next fete which is the Diamond centre 24th September and you ask nicely you may be able to have a turn on them.

