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BMW a classy partner for Squash's high adventure



TOP: Squash Falconer at the summit of Mont Blanc

SQUASH Falconer, who last year scaled the Himalayan peak of Cho Oyu, recently returned from a trip to France with a difference.

Squash rode a BMW GSF650, from her home in Derby to Annecy in France with a paraglider on her back, thanks to Roy Pidcock Motorcycles, based in Long Eaton. This was the first time she had ridden a BMW motorbike and she was very pleasantly surprised by its performance and handling.

It was just over 800 miles from her home to the foot of Mont Blanc where the second part of her adventure started as she prepared to climb the infamously tough mountain. In the third part of her adventure she successfully paraglided down the mountain.

Squash said: "It was really important that I arrived as fresh and relaxed as possible, as I would have very little time to prepare for the ascent up Mont Blanc.

"I spent 3 days getting there and the bike was very comfortable - the longest distance I did in a day was 500miles - and I was walking

Mont Blanc trip on two wheels

perfectly at the end of it.

"Although quite a big bike it was really easy to manoeuvre and ride.

"The fuel tank is below the seat, which means that the weight is much lower than other bikes I have rode in the past. This makes a huge difference to the way the bike handles, it's so much better. It corners very smoothly and you feel very in control."

If you would like to see more of her adventure you can tune into the new series of the BBC programme Inside Out in November.

Alternatively if you fancy an adventure of your own, and the sound of being out on the open road on two wheels appeals, you should visit Roy Pidcock Motorcycles on Fields Farm Road in Long Eaton this weekend; or visit their website at www.pidcock.com/bmw.



IMPRESSED: Squash Falconer on her BMW GSF650



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