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A new motor cycling club has been formed during the month in an effort to interest youths between the ages of 17 and 21 in motorcycling.

The new association is styled as "The Junior Associated Motorcyclists", with temporary headquarters c/o J. D. Sayle, 11-a Wongkashaw Gardens, Shanghai.

In announcing the formation of this new grouping emphasis was placed upon the fact that it was not set up in rivalry with similar organizations, but to provide a club where youths interested in motor cycling could get together and further the interests of this sport in Shanghai.

The aims of the club briefly are as follows:

1. To form a means whereby motor cyclists of the same age will be able to meet regularly on a common footing and hold sporting events, social runs, trials and gymkhanas.
2. To be a means whereby those who, while not possessing the necessary vehicle, may meet with others interested in the sport, both actively and passively.
3. To encourage the "noble sport" amongst lads of the age when enthusiasm is at its height.

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this is the second motorcycle club in Shanghai, the China

Associated Motor Cyclists having been formed some years ago. This organization has headquarters at V-12357 Yates Road, Shanghai, and has in the past sponsored various tours and contests.

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