

BOWER, Jonathan (Jon)

Born: August 4, 1956, Manchester, Greater Manchester, England.

An unusual feature of the short speedway career of Jon Bower was that he appeared in speedway racing in Rhodesia in 1974, before he had made his official league debut in Britain. He was given a run in the Sunderland side at the end of that same year but he only scored a single point in four meetings and further opportunities at the Boldon track were impossible as the club closed at the end of the season. Jon spent 1975 at Berwick although he was unable to command a regular team berth and started the 1976 season in the side at Shielfield Park he lost his place before the league fixtures got underway despite winning the Stars of Tomorrow Junior Championship.

Year	Club	Division	M	R	P	BP	TP	CMA	FM	PM
1974	Sunderland	BL2	4	11	1	1	2	0.73	-	-
1975	Berwick	NL	5	12	5	3	8	2.67	-	-