

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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Tuesday 10 October

Clubnight talk

Your support will be much appreciated for this open evening featuring a presentation by **Stuart Gibbard**. Stuart's talk was part of the first David Brown Memorial Lecture given to the Aston Martin Heritage Trust. It is entitled 'The Power behind the Glory' and focuses on the David Brown organisation. Stuart will cover how Sir David became interested in fast cars, and the way his company influenced the development of Aston Martin. Our new venue is The Constitutional Club in Broad Street, Spalding, PE11 1TB. Meet from 7.30 for 8pm start. £3/head in aid of Stuart's nominated charity: the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) at Peterborough & Stamford Hospitals.

Sunday 15 October

Brunch meet: Smith's of Bourne

Our latest foray in search of a fry up takes us to the home town of BRM and specifically to Smith's on North Street. Book with Adrian & Caroline Cunnington – contact details in **yellow** below. Meet from 9.30 am. See page 2 for full information and menu.

Wednesday 15 November

Pub meal at The Chequers at Weston

Neil & Pam Williams are organising this evening. Again more info on page 2. The pub has asked for choices by 1st November please.

Tuesday 5 December

AGM at The Constitutional Club, Broad Street, Spalding, PE11 1TB. Meet from 7.30pm for an 8pm start. **Free buffet food for all members attending.**

Sunday 17 December

Christmas lunch

This year's festive celebration will be held at the **Toft Hotel** which we used for the same event a couple of years ago. The menu is attached to your Newsletter email. Joy Mann has kindly booked us in for a three course meal including coffee for £17.45. Book early to avoid disappointment; contact Joy on 01775 723856 or email her at jmann@eemc.co.uk.

CHAIR'S CHATTER

Adrian Cunnington

Thank you to everyone who supported last month's events: we had the clubnight run to The Red Lion at Newton, kindly arranged by John & Hilary Sidebottom who found us a cracking carvery.

Also thanks to those who travelled over to The Peak District on Brian Patmore and Carol Booker's trip. I hope to have a report of proceedings for next month. Also next time we will have some musings of our racing members and friends who have been out to Belgium for their annual pilgrimage to the Spa Six Hours recently.

Earlier last month, Nigel Mann & I took the opportunity of a rare (for me) Wednesday summer evening with an empty diary to visit The Bluebell at Whaplode St Catherine's final classic car meeting of the year. The place was rammed with an assortment of automotive gems and we bumped into several fellow Club members also taking a peek. Fortunately the darker evenings brought proceedings to a close at not too late an hour as congestion



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was a serious issue; those who were first in were definitely last out!

Coming up for October we have a couple of dates. Our clubnight, in aid of charity, is a talk on David Brown of Aston Martin fame and we restart our breakfast brunches with a visit to Smith's of Bourne. We hope to see you at one or both of these events.

Also we are now booking ahead for November's pub night at The Chequers and the Christmas Lunch at Toft. Details can be found elsewhere but please help the organisers by booking early.

Finally, thank you to those who have come forward to offer their services as potential Committee members for next year. There's still time to catch me or any other Committee member for those who have yet to volunteer... Similarly, we'd welcome suggestions (please email seeccc@btinternet.com) for events to slot into our 2018 calendar which will be taking shape very soon. Watch this space!

MENUS

October Brunch Meet: Smith's of Bourne Sunday 15 October

Choose from the Full English or Smaller English breakfasts. Orders by **Tuesday 10 October** please.

Full English – 2 *Groovy Foods* pork sausages, 2 rashers smoked back bacon, fried egg, local black pudding, baked beans, mushrooms, roasted cherry tomatoes, hash browns. £8.95

Smaller English – 1 *Groovy Foods* sausage, 1 rasher of smoked back bacon, fried egg, baked beans, mushrooms and roasted cherry tomatoes. £6.95

Toast included. Tea/coffee extra.

Full address:

[Smith's of Bourne](http://www.smithsofbourne.co.uk), 25 North Street, Bourne. PE10 9AE. We recommend parking in Burghley Street (PE10 9NS) or Burghley Centre (PE10 9EG) car parks; North Street is just through the passageway nearby. Contact Adrian & Caroline on 01775 761520 or email seeccc@btinternet.com

November club night: The Chequers at Weston WEDNESDAY 15 November

Book by 1st November with Neil & Pamela Williams by email at wilhaven@lineone.net

STARTERS

Ham Hock Terrine with Stilton & Apple Sauce
Smoked Haddock, Cheddar & Chive Croquettes
Homemade Soup of the Day

MAIN COURSES

Pan-seared fillet of Salmon, Lyonnaise potatoes, sautéed greens with parsley sauce

Lincolnshire Sausages & Mash
with sautéed cabbage & gravy

Braised Lamb Shoulder with mashed potato, roasted root vegetables & gravy

DESSERTS

Sticky toffee pudding & vanilla ice cream
Individual lemon tart with blackcurrant sorbet
Warm chocolate, hazelnut & fruit brownie with chocolate ice cream

Two Courses £15.00 / Three Courses £20.00

Christmas Lunch: Toft Hotel Sunday 17 December

See the attachment to your Newsletter email or visit the Club website's events page.

To book contact Joy Mann by email at jmann@eemc.co.uk

OCTOBER OBSERVATIONS

LINESIDE'S VINTAGE SIDELINE

Coming up shortly on Saturday / Sunday 7/8 October is the **Vintage Working Weekend** at Lineside Farm at Swineshead Bridge, near Boston. PE20 3RA. More details can be found by visiting <https://www.linesideshow.co.uk/>

SLEAFORD SUCCESS

Well done to Alan Aistrup, Steve Saunders and all involved in organising our SEECCC display at the Sleaford Classic Car & Motorcycle Show last month, where we won the Best Club Stand award...



Some of the members who helped SEECC win the Best Club Stand award at Sleaford recently



DELAINE'S DAY OUT

Some readers may remember an earlier *Newsletter* request for 1960s classic owners to contact a photography group who were planning a day out with a vintage bus owned by Delaine of Bourne. SEECC member Tony Machin duly obliged and took his MGA out last month to various villages in the locality. Above are some examples of the results taken at Rippingale (top) and Folkingham; more at <https://www.flickr.com/photos/68415577@N03/37091646066/in/album-72157688512459796/>