

spalding classic car club and east elloe

NEWSLETTER

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Forthcoming events*

- 18 May** Committee meeting
- 30 May** Rutland Show: see Snippets, p2
- 22 June** Clubnight run: organised by Steve LeSage. Details coming soon!
- 04 July** 43rd KL&DMC Annual Classic Car Rally: regs with this newsletter
- 20 July** Clubnight run: organised by Charles & Celine Cornish, p7

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*subject to Covid restrictions being lifted according to proposed Government 'road map'

Chair-Mann's CHATTER

Joy Mann jmann@seeccc.co.uk

Hello to one and all from a sunnier Spalding!

I am delighted to announce, having been double-jabbed, I am now available for weddings, birthdays and bar mitzvahs!

The team at SEECCC is back on the case and a calendar of events is beginning to take shape (more on page 3 of this Newsletter). A warm welcome to our new team member, Colin Langwade. If anyone else fancies joining our happy band, we plan to meet on 18th May, 7.30 pm, under the Grange Drive carport. We know how to party - there may even be celebratory cake.....!

Although we hope to have a Club stand at the Rutland Show on Sunday 30 May (enough support permitting!), our first planned evening Club run is likely to be on Tuesday 22nd June with a supper gathering courtesy of Steve LeSage - keep an eye out for updates. We are completely in Boris' hands - sanitised, of course!

We were really pleased to see so many classics out on Drive-it-Day. Our thanks to Steve and Liz for suggesting a potential route.

Thanks also to those members who've already renewed their subscription. As you know, we extended everyone's membership FOC until the end of this month. So, subs are due by **1st June** please. The



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revamped membership form is available online. Bank details and subscription amounts remain the same although postal charges have had to be increased.

Finally, I am delighted to report the wedge of Red Leicester (the Bond Bug) is now up and running and the subject of much frivolity in GD. Getting in is pretty easy for me. Unfortunately, getting out is another matter, a two-Mann job, definitely hampered by my short legs and the lock-down weight gain! I think I'll stick with Sparky!

We look forward to seeing you soon, whether it be in Rutland or Lincolnshire, we don't mind. Do stay in touch and please let us know if you have any other ideas for getting us all back on the road again.

Take care,
Joy

ANNUAL CLASSIC CAR RUN 2021: UPDATE

We are very pleased to say that entries for this year's annual run on **Sunday 15th August** are dropping through our letterbox and e-mail inbox at a steady rate and we have more than 50 entries to date - including ones from as far afield as Surrey and Lowestoft! It is very clear from the comments we have received that people are very keen to get out and enjoy themselves after such a long period of enforced confinement.

Due to the constraints of parking at our meeting points we will have to limit the number of entries to around 75 and, whilst our lunch venue has a normal capacity of 140, we are still unsure of how many covers they will be able to accommodate if any Covid restrictions remain in force on the day.

Whilst the entry list is looking healthy, we are very much aware that many club members, who regularly take part in this event, have yet to enter. In order to avoid disappointment, we would urge you to send in your entries sooner rather than later. If you require a further copy of the entry form, please contact us at aastrup32@gmail.com or call on 07468 112762 and we will get one to you asap.

We are also looking for volunteers to help marshal the car parking at our meeting points to ensure that the day goes as smoothly as possible. Please use the above contact details if you are willing and able to help out at one or more of our venues to let us know and we will send more details of what this will entail on the day. All offers of help will be gratefully received! We both look forward to meeting up with you again over the coming months.

Alan and Jackie Astrup

SNIPPETS

➔ If anyone is interested in joining us for another **Westacre Theatre Jazz Picnic** in Norfolk on **Sunday 22nd August**, please let **Jenny Overson** know straightaway. Contact her on 07736 271113 or email jenniferoverson@tiscali.co.uk. We will need to snap up the tickets as soon as they are released!

➔ We have only recently become aware of the **Rutland Classic Car Show** being held on **May 30th** (www.classicwheelsrutland.co.uk) on the Rutland Showground in Oakham. If there is sufficient interest Joy and I will trundle over with the club gazebo etc and have a presence for the club. Please let me know as soon as possible at nmann@seeccc.co.uk if you fancy coming along.

Many thanks
Nigel Mann

LAZY DAY BY THE RIVER: 27 June 2021

Dear All

Liz and I hope you will be able to join us for another Lazy Day, here at Market Deeping, this year. The usual format – come in your classic car, bring your own picnic, a comfy chair and a sunny day. Wander around the garden, have a hot-dog on us and support **The Sepsis Trust**. Arrive any time after mid-day to suit you.

Please call for details nearer the time if you can join us– 01778 342343 or thewherrys@hotmail.com

Meantime, keep well and we hope to see you on the day!

James and Liz Wherry

PROVISIONAL CALENDAR 2021

(SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Date	Event	Organiser	Venue
May 30	Rutland Classic Car Show*	N Mann	Oakham
June 22	Clubnight Run	S LeSage	Spalding – TBC
July 4	43 rd Annual Classic Car Rally*	King's Lynn & DMC	Downham Mkt – Ickworth
20	Clubnight Run	C & C Cornish	Spalding – North Kyme
31	Festival of the Unexceptional**	Hagerty's Insurance	Grimsthorpe Castle
Aug 8	Boston Classic Car Show*	N & J Mann	Hubberts Bridge
15	23 rd ANNUAL CLASSIC CAR RUN	A & J Aistrup	Silk Willoughby – Lincoln
22	Jazz Picnic*	J Overson	West Acre
Sept 4	Sleaford Classic Car & M/c Show*	A Aistrup	Sleaford
5-8	Autumn Trip	J & T Overson	County Durham
19	Norfolk Trundle	S LeSage	Norfolk!
Oct 19	Clubnight Talk	S LeSage	Cley Hall, Spalding
31	Sunday Brunch Meet	A & C Cunnington	TBC
Nov 9	Clubnight: Supper Meet	N & J Mann	TBC
Dec TBC	Christmas Lunch	N & J Mann	TBC

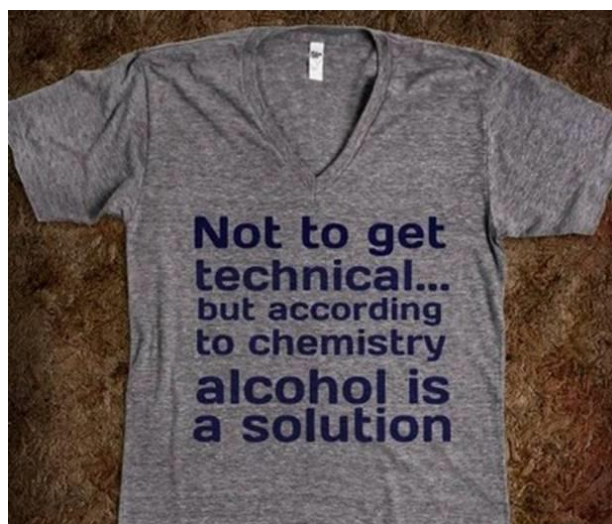
MORE DATES/DETAILS EXPECTED TO FOLLOW SHORTLY * External event to which SEECCC are invited/attending

** Not a SEECCC organised/attended event but perhaps of interest if you've got a Marina, Allegro, Viva etc!!

WINE ...

People who wonder whether the glass is half empty or half full miss the point. The glass is refillable.

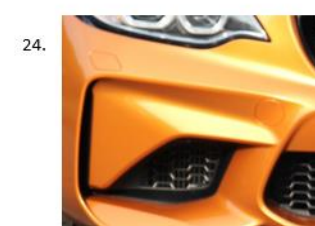
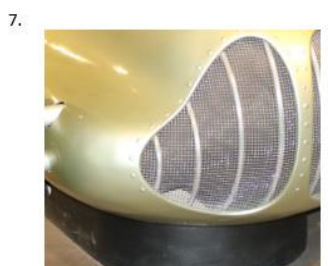
I've got salad for dinner.
Actually fruit salad.
Well, mostly grapes.
Ok all grapes.
Fermented grapes.
Wine.
I've got wine for dinner.



courtesy of Graham Faulkner

NAME THE CAR QUIZ — courtesy of Patrick Limming. Answers next month.

A point for make & model, extra one for exact iteration eg: Morris Mini Cooper 'S', 1pt; Morris Mini Cooper 'S' Mk2, 2pts



Perhaps best viewed on a tablet or PC using the zoom function (top menu or lower right corner of screen) **Ed.**

NUMBERS ANSWERS for last month's quiz from Barry Aistrup

1	26 = Letters of the Alphabet	✓	51	24 = Black Birds (Baked in a Pie)	✓
2	100 = Pence in the Pound		52	9 = Lives of a Cat	
3	7 = Wonders of the Old World		53	3 = The Musketeers	
4	39 = Books of the Old Testament		54	20,000 = Leagues Under the Sea	
5	4 = Seasons of the Year		55	21 = Key of the Door	
6	1001 = Arabian Nights		56	360 = Degrees in a Circle	
7	13 = Bakers Dozen		57	8 = Legs on an Octopus	
8	54 = Cards in a deck with Jokers		58	6 = Sides on a Cube	
9	366 = Days in a Leap Year		59	22 = Balls on a Snooker Table	
10	12 = Signs of the Zodiac		60	25 = Years for a Silver Wedding Anniversary	
11	9 = Planets in the Solar System		61	10 = Chains in a Furlong	
12	240 = Old Pence in the Pound		62	3 = Coins in a Fountain	
13	88 = Piano Keys		63	8 = Notes in an Octave	
14	20 = Fluid Ounces in a Pint		64	650 = Seats in the House of Commons	
15	13 = Stripes on the American Flag		65	1492 = Christopher Columbus Discovered New World	
16	1953 = Coronation Year		66	7 = Colours of the Rainbow	
17	32 = Water Freezes at Degrees Fahrenheit		67	157.50 = Price of TV Licence	
18	18 = Holes on a Golf Course		68	10 = Green Bottles Hanging on the Wall	
19	1215 = Date of the Magna Carta		69	7 = Lewis Hamilton World Titles	
20	90 = Degrees in Right Angle		70	4 = Stars on the New Zealand Flag	
21	6 = Wives of Henry the Eighth		71	15 = Players in a Rugby Union Team	
22	200 = Points for Passing Go in Monopoly		72	101 = Dalmatians. (Walt Disney)	
23	454 = Grams to a Pound		73	147 = Maximum Break in Snooker	
24	7 = Sides on a Fifty Pence piece		74	60 = Minutes in an Hour	
25	3 = Blind Mice (See How They Run)		75	7 = Days in a Week	
26	180 = Maximum Three Darts Score		76	65,000 = Pennsylvania (Glen Miller)	
27	4 = Quarts in a Gill		77	93 = Million Miles to the Sun	
28	18 = Voting Age		78	11 = Address of the Chancellor Exchequer	
29	3 = Feet in a Yard		79	600 = Charge of the Light Brigade	
30	24 = Hours in a Day		80	7 = Little Girls (Sitting in the Back Seat)	
31	27 = Books in the New Testament		81	39 = Steps for Richard Hannay	
32	1 = Wheel on a Unicycle		82	6 = Counties in Northern Ireland	
33	4 = Fingers on the Hand		83	1588 = Date of the Spanish Armada	
34	2 = Humps on a Bactrian Camel		84	25 = Of December is Christmas Day	
35	24 = Hours from Tulsa		85	12 = Days of Christmas	
36	57 = Heinz Varieties		86	7 = Swans a Swimming	
37	37 = Numbers on a British Roulette Wheel		87	22 = Yards in a Cricket Pitch	
38	11 = Players in a Football Team		88	5 = Oceans of the World	
39	2001 = a Space Odyssey		89	1746 = Date of the Battle of Culloden	
40	29 = Days in February in a Leap Year		90	16 = Tons (What Do You Get)	
41	10 = Pins in Bowling		91	1926 = Year of the Great Strike	
42	64 = Sections on a Dartboard		92	0 = Degrees at Greenwich Time Meridian	
43	21 = Shillings in a Guinea		93	1944 = Date of D Day Landings	
44	40 = Days & Nights of the Great Flood		94	7 = Dwarves in Snow White	
45	4 = Horsemen of the Apocalypse		95	1 = For His Nob (Card Game)	
46	1066 = Battle of Hastings		96	8 = Pieces of Eight (Long John Silver)	
47	76 = Trombones led the Big Parade		97	7 = Deadly Sins	
48	85 = Price of a First Class Stamp		98	1815 = Battle of Waterloo	
49	2 = Weeks in a Fortnight		99	70 = Three Score Years and Ten	
50	3 = Sides of a Triangle		100	3 = Ghosts in a Christmas Carol	

STOP PRESS: JULY CLUBNIGHT RUN – save the date!

Tuesday 20th July 2021

Meet in **Spalding Market Place** from 5.45pm with a view to setting off by 6.15pm.
Run will head to **The Plough in North Kyme**, menu below:

Starters

Tomato soup
Served with toasted bread

Prawn cocktail
Baby gem lettuce, Marie rose sauce

Chicken Liver Parfait
Served with toasted ciabatta and caramelised red onion chutney

Mains

Steak and Ale Pie
served with creamy mash potatoes and market vegetables

Haddock Goujons
Chips and tartar sauce

Beef Lasagne
Served with dressed side salad and garlic bread

Aubergine and Roasted Red Pepper Lasagne
Served with dressed side salad and garlic bread

Desserts

Sticky toffee pudding
With caramel sauce and vanilla ice-cream

Lemon cheesecake
Served with a mixed berry compote

Chocolate brownie
Served with vanilla ice-cream

2 Courses - £15.95

3 Courses - £19.95

Teas and coffees included

Selections to charlescornish67@gmail.com by 9 July please