

PETERBOROUGH MOTOR CLUB Newsletter - April 2009

Those of you that didn't attend last month's Club Night missed a very interesting and entertaining evening. For those of you that did and would like to purchase Alastair Goodrum's new book (Balloons, Bleriots and Barnstormers) it is now available (price £17.99) from places like Waterstones or he can do you a signed copy for an additional £3 p+p.

This month's Club night on Monday 20th April will be downstairs at the Farmers, where we will be showing the Lola video and soliciting help at the Festival! Next month's meeting on Monday 11th May will be a visit to the BRM museum at Bourne. There will be a guided tour starting at 8pm.

We are planning a Kart evening for some time in the future, probably October, price approx £25 a head. If anyone is interested (and Club members may be subsidised) would you please contact Richard Elms by the end of May so we can gauge the interest. Needless to say there may be only a limited number of spaces available.

We are also planning to take part in the Peterborough Festival. On the 20th June we are putting a float into the Mayor's Parade which finishes up at the Park and on the final weekend (4/5 July) there will be a Club stand on the Embankment where we would like to have a good selection of cars available for display. Please make a note of the dates so you can all attend.

All those who want to take part in the Barkston Heath sprint events, starting on the 31st May, need to be associate members of the RAFMSA – PMC will pay the £10 fee and will also pay £15 of the £35 event charge. The snag is you will have to pay it first and claim it back later. They also have a Track/Practice Day on 30th May (cost £55, same rules apply) but places are likely to be limited so contact David Catling (rallyman100@hotmail.com) or Phil Johnson (JohnsonPeterboroughUK@yahoo.com) as you will need to email Billy Fletcher of the RAFMSA for the form to join. David will send off the entry forms and fees after 8th May. Full details will be in next month's magazine.

We also have three new members, Paul Webb and Paul Dowsett from Grantham and John Dunne of Castor. Welcome to PMC. Everyone else, don't forget it will soon be time to pay your subscriptions – I'm sure David C. will soon be nagging you to pay!

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Social Calendar

Date	Social Event	Location	Type
Apr			
20	PMC Club Night	The Farmers, Yaxley	
May			
11	PMC Club Night	BRM Museum, Bourne	Visit
14	Bourne MRC		Talk – Roger Fountain
June			
7	Classic car show	Willow Brook Farm. Marholm	Classic Car Show
8	PMC Club Night	TBA	Treasure Hunt
11	Bourne MRC		Talk – Simon Hadfield
14	Bourne MRC		Classic Car Show
20	Peterborough Festival	Peterborough – ending at the Park	Mayor's Parade
July			
	Peterborough Festival	Embankment – PMC display of cars	Country Show

Competition Calendar

Date	Event	Location	Type
Apr			
26	GBMC	North Weald	Sprint
May			
2	BARC – May Sprint	Curborough	Sprint
3	Middlesex County – Middlesex Stages	Honington	SV
9/10	Stockport 061 MC Road Rally	Derbyshire & Staffordshire	RR
10	N. Humberside MC – John Overend Memorial Stages – contact Robert Newlove 01377 270888	Melbourne	SV
10	Herts County	Debden	Sprint
16	Knutsford & DMC Plains Rally Contact: Jeff Gray 01606 76610	Welshpool, OS 135, 135, 125	MV
17	Borough 19	Bentwaters Parks	Sprint
25	West Essex Car Club	Milbrook	SV
30/31	Carlton & DMC Huntsman Endurance Rally	S. Derbyshire, N. Leicestershire, S. Lincolnshire	Endurance Rally
31	Barkston Heath Sprint	Barkston Heath	Sprint
June			
6	Rochester MC Sprint	Lydden	Sprint
13	Sutton & Cheam Abingdon Carnival	Abingdon	Sprint
13	Barkston Heath Sprint	Barkston Heath	Sprint
13	Dukeries MC – Dukeries Rally – contact: Joanne Smith 01623 480410	Sherwood Forest – OS 120	MV
14	Sutton & Cheam Abingdon Carnival	Abingdon	SV
20	Borough 19	Lydden	Sprint
27	Tunbridge Wells MC	Goodwood	Sprint