

Welcome to our new look newsletter, which is a fitting way to end the year and an optimistic first step to 2019. We hope you enjoy the content and like the simple, fresh appearance.

It's 'Back to the Future'! It's not the first time we have used the website to host our monthly communiqué. Infact, we launched our first newsletter, Classic Chat, way back in August 2014, which was originally emailed to members directly. Then in December 2014 Classic Chat became a multi page full colour magazine, which later was moved to the website (you can find back issues in the Members Area).

In May 2017 we reverted to a more simple emailed newsletter and now, some 51 issues later, we return to the website. The move reflects changing technology and use of various portable devices, which has caused some members difficulty in accessing the newsletter and attachments.

It's interesting to note that the first emailed newsletter was addressed to 21 members and the remainder for this newsletter went to 51 email addresses. How we have grown in four years.

What have we in store for you? Well, there are some old favourites and new features so lots to read. As we move into the New Year, you will see some content move to other areas of the website, so watch this space.

Meanwhile, this month's content includes:

- Welcome to new members
- December's events
- Website of the month
- Quick quiz
- Fancy that
- Events in photos
- Ahhhh, That's nice
- Events Calendar 2019

December's Club Events

5th December- Club Meeting, starting 3.00pm. If you haven't been before, please note the venue: Hotel Rural Miguel Rosi. Junction 559 E15/A7, opposite the petrol station.

Map here:

www.google.com/maps/place/Hotel+Rural+Miguel+Rosi+y+Restaurante+Los+Sabores+de+Miguel.+Huércal-Overa/@37.4346199,-1.9280625,14z/data=!4m7!3m6!1s0xd647f91f567df:0xc4ea0c03c401dd0a!5m1!1s2018-06-25!8m2!3d37.4335678!4d-1.9097269

12th December – Xmas Run and lunch.

Don't forget to see the Calendar of Events for 2019 on the last page.

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Other Events in December

2nd December – IV Concentracion Vehiculos Clasicos Totana.

Map here:

www.google.com/maps/place/Totana,+Murcia/@37.8702952,-2.0408436,9z/data=!4m5!3m4!1s0xd6492b4b5e621a9:0x402af6ed722eb00!8m2!3d37.778001!4d-1.5015009

9th December – Concentracion Velez Rubio. See email 20.11.18

30th December – 950 Club. Venue tba

Website of the Month. Inside Studio 434. Here's an interesting collection of cars, though some I would describe as 'drive dressing' (for neighbours' benefit), but hey, everyone to their own.

<http://www.studio434.co.uk/about/our-collection/>

Quick Quiz. Here's a quick quiz for you, with clues. A fantastic prize of a pocket diary for 2019 and a pen, awaits the first person to send in the correct answer (prgoughxj6@gmail.com). Prize to be awarded at the next club meeting. The answers will be in the next Newsletter.

1. Phantom cars? (5 and 6 letters) 2. Kadett based coupe made from 1968 to 1973? (4 and 2 letters) 3. Maker of 240Z (6 letters). 4. Maker of the Argenta (4 letters). 5. Who designed the Jowett Javelin? (6 and 6 letters). 6. The Citroen logo is well known to us. What do the inverted 'Vs' represent? (It's about the company's origin).

Fancy That. Did you know you can increase the range of your remote locking key fob by holding against your head and pressing the button, while looking in the direction of your car. Don't take my word for it (but try it at your own risk, of course) – go see: www.autoblog.com.

What do bullet proof vests, fire escapes, windscreen wipers and laser printers all have in common? They were all invented by ladies. (Sent in by of Keith Lakin).

Events in Photos.



A good show of cars, tractors and motorcycles at Albox (left) on 4th November. The tractor was well turned out: a 1959 Guldner from Germany.

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Below and right; La Cinta, 11th November (sorry about the quality)



A group soon to be seen on Crimewatch. Has the dog paid his subs?

Taken at the start of November's run on 22.11.18.

Ahhhhhh, That's Nice.



A 1961 PA Cresta with 58k miles at £13750 on Ebay and elsewhere. Sent in by Peter Underdown.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2019

DATE	DAY	EVENT	ORGANISED BY	TEL No	NOTES AND COMMENTS
10.01.19	Thursday	Club Meeting	David Fox	663738498	Includes discussion on future club events
Jan tba	tba	Monthly Run	Alan & Margaret Forman	634319746	
07.02.19	Thursday	AGM & Club Meeting	David Fox	663738498	Please attend this important meeting
Feb tba	tba	Monthly Run	Steve Rolls	642527163	
07.03.19	Thursday	Club Meeting	David Fox	663738498	
Mar tba	tba	Monthly Run	Allan and Brenda Marley	693521369	
04.04.19	Thursday	Club Meeting	David Fox	663738498	
April tba	tba	Monthly Run	Bill and Sylvie Geldeard	666277294	
02.05.19	Thursday	Club Meeting	David Fox	663738498	
26 to 28.05.19	Sun, Mon, Tues	Three Day Special Run	Malcolm and Jean Smallwood	607719691	
May tba	tba	Monthly Run	Peter & Karen Underdown	950167156	
06.06.19	Thursday	Club Meeting	David Fox	663738498	
June tba	tba	Monthly Run			Volunteer needed
04.07.19	Thursday	Club Meeting	David Fox	663738498	
July tba	tba	Summer Event	Will and Charli Gator	671171340	
01.08.19	Thursday	Club Meeting	David Fox	663738498	
August tba	tba	Summer BBQ	Brian Pilley	950099466	
05.09.19	Thursday	Club Meeting	David Fox	663738498	
19.09.19	Thursday	Monthly Run	Chas and Judy Longhurst	659675603	
03.10.19	Thursday	Club Meeting	David Fox	663738498	
16.10.19	Wednesday	Monthly Run	Paul and Melanie Gough	694429029	'Flat Lands Run'
07.11.19	Thursday	Club Meeting	David Fox	663738498	
November tba	tba	Albox Classic Show	Steve and Amanda Holgate	671220105	
05.12.19	Thursday	Club Meeting	David Fox	663738498	
December tba	tba	Xmas Lunch and Run			Volunteer needed
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