

WELCOME TO THE A C C NOV NEWS LETTER.

HELLO ONCE AGAIN EVERYONE,

IT HAS BEEN SUGGESTED THAT MEMBERS MEET SOCIALLY EVERY COUPLE OF WEEKS AT OUR NEW –

NOTE:_VENUE FOR NOVEMBER MEETING CONTINUES AT BAR LA CINTA-ARBOLEAS, NOT BAR LAS VEGAS IN HUERCAL OVERA. A FEW CLUB MEMBERS DECIDED WE SHOULD TRY OUT THIS ALTERNATIVE VENUE AND IT PROVED TO BE SUCCESSFUL IN OCTOBER

THE COMMITTEE HAVE AN ONGOING DUTY OF CARE TO ALL MEMBERS AND VISITORS, IN ADDITION MEMBERS HAVE A DUTY OF CARE TO ONE OTHER. FYI A CLUB COMMITTEE MEETING TOOK PLACE ON 29TH SEPTEMBER TO DISCUSS ONGOING ISSUES ENCOUNTERED OVER RECENT MONTHS. SOLUTIONS WERE PUT IN PLACE TO RESOLVE ALL HIGHLIGHTED ISSUES WITH COMMITTEE MEMBERS TAKING OWNERSHIP OF THEIR UPDATED SCHEDULE LISTINGS.

WE WELCOME ANY NEW MEMBERS TO OUR CLUB AND HOPE YOU ENJOY YOUR TIME WITH US !!!!! WE APPEAR TO BE GROWING IN NUMBERS.

MORE PEOPLE - MORE INTERESTING CLASSICS.

CLUB EVENTS

A GROUP OF MEMBERS HAVE TURNED UP AT THE RECENT 950 GROUP MEETINGS AT VILLARICOS AND MOJACAR, THIS SUNDAY 29TH NOV, A 950 EVENT TOOK PLACE DOWN BEHIND BUGANVILLAS ROUNDABOUT.

SOME NICE CARS AT THESE CASUAL MONTHLY MEETINGS. KEEP AN EYE OUT, EVENTS ARE ALWAYS ON THE LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH. POSTED ON FACEBOOK AND USUALLY ADVERTISED BY STEVE AND WILL .

ANYBODY INTERESTED IN ORGANISING A COFFEE MORNING LOCALLY SO WE CAN **“BRING OUT OUR CLASSICS”** ???????? GET IN TOUCH WITH STEVE.

LET'S SEE IF WE CAN IMPROVE ON THE NUMBER OF EVENTS PLANNED FOR THIS AND NEXT YEARS' DIARY.

WHO CAN HELP OUT?? THIS MONTH - NOVEMBER??? WE HAVE NO RUN PLANNED !!

WHERE HAS THIS YEAR DISAPPEARED, I HEAR YOU ASK????? IT IS FOR THE BENEFIT OF YOUR FELLOW MEMBERS IN OUR CLUB. YOU CAN REFER TO THE WEBSITE WHERE IT IS EASY TO IDENTIFY HISTORIC RUN LOCATIONS-VENUES ETC. FOR IDEAS.

HOPEFULLY WE WILL SEE YOU THIS COMING THURSDAY AT OUR NEWEST VENUE AT BAR LA CINTA ARBOLEAS. MEETING IS A 3PM START, BUT GET THERE EARLY AND TRY OUT THE FOOD.

SPEAKING OF CLUB RUNS OUR SPECIAL THANKS GO TO KAREN AND SEAN FOR ARRANGING THE OCTOBER SOIREE UP IN THE ARBOLEAS MOUNTAIN RANGES. MOST OF THE CARS BEHAVED WELL. (A CERTAIN INDIVIDUAL HAD A SLIGHT PROBLEM TRAVELLING THEM MOUNTAINS. A PUNCTURE PUT PAID TO THE NEWSLETTER EDITORS DAY. NO SPARE WHEEL. JUST A PUMP AND THE LIQUID FILLER SUPPLIED WITH THE CAR, NO USE IF THE TYRE IS SHREDDED).

WE HOPE KAY IS RECOVERING AFTER HER TROUBLED TRIP BACK TO THE UK. GET WELL SOON - FROM THE MEMBERS OF ACC.

I APOLOGISE FOR MY NON ATTENDANCE AT THE FORTHCOMING MEETING ON THURSDAY I AM SUNNING MYSELF IN THE UK (NOT). BUYING A HOUSE AND HAVE JUST TAKEN DELIVERY OF A 2.2 SPORT JAG FOR MY UK VISITS SCHEDULED FOR THE FUTURE. HERE IS A PHOTO:-



THIS MONTHS QUIZ :-



#1. WHO FAMOUSLY DESCRIBED THE MORRIS MINOR AS LOOKING LIKE A POACHED EGG?

William Morris

Alec Issigonis

Winston Churchill



#2. JENSEN'S INTERCEPTOR FF WAS INNOVATIVE FOR INTRODUCING...

Disc brakes all-round and four-wheel steering

Four-wheel drive and anti-lock brakes

Four valves per cylinder and three-point seat belts



#3. WHICH YEAR IS THE 60TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE MINI COOPER?

2019

2022

2021



#4. CAN YOU NAME THE TELEVISION SHOW THE LOTUS SUPER SEVEN STARRED IN?

Bergerac

The Prisoner

Inspector Morse



#5. WHO DESIGNED THE JAGUAR E-TYPE?

Norman Dewis

William Lyons

Malcolm Sayer



#6. WHICH COMPANY BUILT ITS OWN VERSION OF THE LOTUS ELAN M100?

Tommykaira

Vauxhall

Kia



#7. NAME THE CELEBRITY COUPLE SAID TO HAVE COMMISSIONED THE NEW ROLLS-ROYCE BOAT TAIL.

Victoria and David Beckham

Sting and Trudie Styler

Beyoncé and Jay-Z



#8. THIS MAY MARKED THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF WHICH SIGNIFICANT EVENT IN BENTLEY'S HISTORY?

First Bentley Blower to be built

First motor race victory

First win at Le Mans 24 hour race

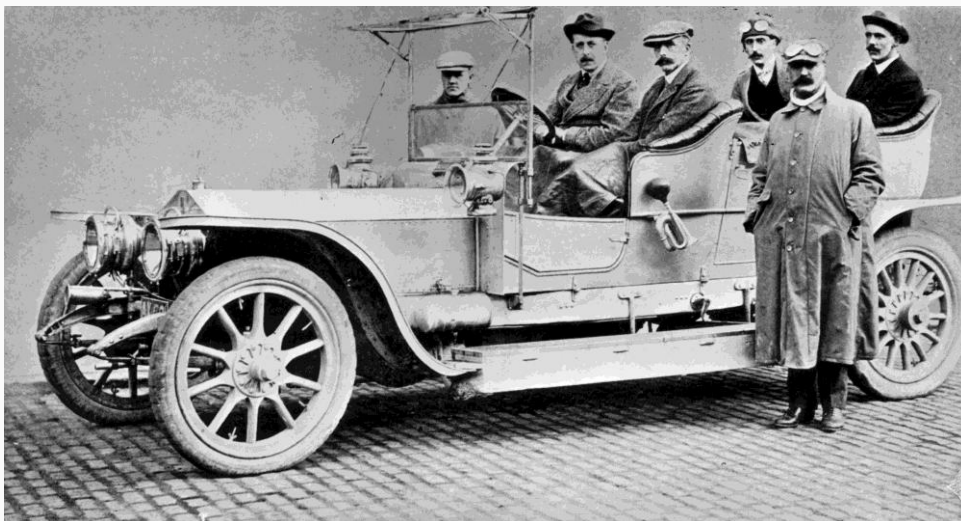


#9. THE DAIMLER DART SP250 USED WHAT ENGINE?

Ford V8

Triumph V8

Daimler V8



#10. WHY DID THE ROLLS-ROYCE 40/50HP BECOME KNOWN AS THE SILVER GHOST?

One of the cars was said to be haunted following a fatal accident at the factory

It was painted in aluminium paint and was said to be ghostly quiet

The body was made from solid silver so the cars were rarely seen in public

WOULD ANY MEMBERS LIKE TO ORGANISE A GAME OR QUIZ FOR FUTURE MEETINGS, PRIZES CAN BE ARRANGED. HAVE A THINK !!!

THE COMMITTEE MENTION ONCE MORE THAT WILL (WEB MANAGER) IS WILLING TO PLACE PHOTOGRAPHS OF MEMBERS WITH THEIR VEHICLES ON OUR WEB PAGE, JUST SUBMIT THE NECESSARY DETAILS AND WILL WILL DO THE REST.

MEMBERS' CONTRIBUTIONS:-

CAN I PLEASE REQUEST YOUR CONFIRMATION OF THE CHRISTMAS RUN AND MEAL TO BE HELD ON THE 14TH DEC. AT LOS LUCAS RESTAURANT, PUERTO CICO BY THURSDAYS' MEETING PLEASE. WE HAVE BEEN OVERSUBSCRIBED AND I SHOULD LIKE TO HAVE THE FINAL NAMES AND NUMBERS SORTED. I NEED TO KNOW IF THE FOLLOWING PERSONS ARE STILL WANTING TO ATTEND: THEY ARE:-

BRENDA AND BARRY DENNIS. JULIAN HOCKRIDGE X 2. 4 PERSONS IN TOTAL. I HAVE A RESERVE LIST WITH MEMBERS WANTING TO ATTEND. THANK YOU.

DAVID OUR PRESIDENT, HIS WIFE WIFE SUE OUR SECRETARY ALONG WITH WILL CIRCULATED THE SEPT/OCT '23 MINUTES. A COPY OF WHICH WILL ADDED TO THE ACC WEBSITE.

ON THAT MATTER OUR CONTINUED THANKS GO TO WILL FOR HIS ENDEAVOURS IN UPDATING OF THE WEBSITE FOR MEMBERS REFERENCE.

: A FEW MEMBERS HEARD MY PLEA FOR CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE NEWSLETTER. HERE WE GO.

JANE SHERGOLD SENT IN THE FOLLOWING SUGGESTION REGARDING CLUB FUNDS FOLLOWING THE DISCUSSION AT OUR LAST MEETING AT BAR LA CINTA. THE COMMITTEE ASKED FOR SUGGESTIONS

JANE; YOU ASKED AT THE LAST MEETING WHAT TO DO WITH SOME OF THE MONEY IN THE CLUB FUNDS. WHAT ABOUT SENDING A DONATION TO THE

CHILDRENS ORPHANAGE AT VERA. WITH CHRISTMAS RAPIDLY APPROACHING, I WOULD THINK A DONATION WOULD BE MUCH APPRECIATED
REGARDS.

I CAN REPORT THE CLUB FUNDS ARE RUNNING AT A TOTAL OF *EUROS 1103,00* + STOCK HELD BY BOB AND CAROL.

A COUPLE OF INTERESTING ARTICLE FROM CHAS:- WELL WORTH A READ.

<https://www.bbc.com/news/uk-england-beds-bucks-herts-67135999><https://www.express.co.uk/life-style/cars/1823972/elderly-drivers-buying-car-tips-advice>

THANKS CHAS AND JUDY.

HERE IS SUE AND DAVIDS STORY SURROUNDING THE AWAY TRIP IN OCTOBER:-

WE GOT ALL SET , CLEANED THE MG , CHECKED ALL THE LEVELS ETC . THE PREVIOUS WEEK I HAD FLUSHED OUT THE COOLING SYSTEM AND REFILLED IT AS THE RADIATOR WAS A BIT SILTED UP .

SO, WE LEFT HOME ABOUT 10.30 FOR A DRIVE TO, JUST THE OTHER SIDE OF VERA, WHERE WE HAD ARRANGED TO MEET OUR FRIENDS PETER & GEORGIE WHO WERE COMING UP FROM LA MANGA.

CAR WAS REALLY GOING NICELY DOING A STEADY 70 MPH AND TEMPERATURE NORMAL , GREAT, I THOUGHT , CRACKED IT .

THEN AS WE WERE APPROACHING THE SLIP ROAD FOR THE SHELL GARAGE AND OUR APPOINTED MEETING PLACE , I SAW THAT THE TEMPERATURE WAS RISING , NOTHING PARTICULARLY UNUSUAL ON A WARM DAY , I THOUGHT , SO WE STOPPED TO WAIT AND I OPENED THE BONNET TO LET IT COOL A BIT AS IT CAN GET VAPOUR LOCK WITH THESE MODERN FUELS ,

THEN I SAW IT , COOLANT POURING OUT FROM UNDER THE WATER PUMP , BOTH I SAID , OR SOMETHING SIMILAR (BEGAN WITH A B ANYWAY) .

I SAID TO SUE , “WE’LL BE GOING HOME ON A GRUA “ .

JUST THEN PETER & GEORGIE ARRIVED AND WE EXPLAINED AND TOLD THEM THEY WOULD HAVE TO GO AHEAD WITHOUT US AND WE WOULD CATCH UP LATER.

I CALLED THE INSURANCE COMPANY MAPFRE AND WAS TOLD, AFTER EXPLAINING WHERE WE WERE, THAT IT WOULD BE ABOUT 30 MINS , AND THAT THEY WOULD ALSO BE SENDING A TAXI TO TAKE SUE & I AS, SINCE COVID , NO MORE THAN ONE CAN TRAVEL WITH THE GRUA.

OK SO I THOUGHT THIS WILL BE A LONG DAY , ANYWAY WITHIN 5 MINUTES A TAXI ARRIVED SO WE TOOK OUR STUFF OUT OF THE MG AND PUT IT IN THE TAXI AND THEN THE GRUA ARRIVED.

BOTH THE TAXI DRIVER AND THE GRUA DRIVER WERE VERY TAKEN WITH THE CAR AND THERE WERE LOTS OF “ MUY BONITO’S “: AND OTHER COMPLIMENTS .

SO , WE LOADED UP THE MG AND WE ALL SET OFF BACK TO VÉLEZ RUBIO . WE GOT HOME IN ABOUT AN HOUR IN THE TAXI AND I WAS WONDERING WHETHER THE GRUA WOULD FIND OUR HOUSE, WHEN HE TURNED UP ! HAVING HAD A PIN DROP FROM THE TAXI DRIVER.

SUCH GREAT SERVICE !

WE STUCK ALL OUR STUFF IN THE GALAXY AND SET OFF AGAIN .

WE ARRIVED AT THE HOTEL ABOUT 30 MINUTES AFTER THE OTHERS SO WE DIDN'T MISS MUCH EXCEPT A LOVELY DRIVE IN OUR LOVELY CAR .

IT WAS A GREAT TIME WITH GOOD FRIENDS AND VERY RELAXING .

NOW THE MG IS IN THE WORKSHOP WITH THE RADIATOR OUT AND A NEW WATER PUMP ON THE WAY FROM UK WITH SUE, I'M TAKING THE OPPORTUNITY TO REPLACE THE TIMING CHAIN AND FRONT OIL SEAL WHILE I'M IN THERE , IT'S THE FIRST TIME I'VE DONE ANYTHING SERIOUS TO THE CAR SINCE I FINISHED BUILDING IT IN 1987 AND IN ALL THAT TIME THIS IS ONLY THE SECOND TIME IT'S BEEN ON A GRUA, SO IT'S DONE OK .

I'M HOPING MY LITTLE ‘EXTRA SERVICE ‘ WILL SEE IT CARRY ON FOR MANY MORE YEARS, IT'S A LOVELY CAR TO USE AND GETS PLENTY OF ATTENTION. SEE YOU ALL SOON, WE HOPE.

DAVID & SUE

ANOTHER LINK FROM ME:- GIVE IT A READ SEAN. IT'S A MIATA SPECIAL – BY THE WAY I HAVE YOUR REAR WINDOW PANEL READY TO RETURN ON OR AFTER THE 7TH NOV.

<https://carbuzz.com/features/ranking-every-mazda-mx-5-miata-generation-from-worst-to-best>

<https://www.topgear.com/car-news/top-gear-magazine/top-gears-greatest-cars-last-30-years-bmw-i8-and-porsche-taycan>

THE NEWSLETTER EDITOR REQUESTS ANY OTHER INTERESTING ITEMS YOU MAY HAVE SUITABLE TO PRINT IN THE NEWSLETTER. I DO RECEIVE ITEMS FROM MEMBERS BUT NOT MANY, SO PLEASE GET YOUR THINKING CAPS ON.

ITEMS FOR SALE.

PLEASE REFER TO THE WEBSITE FOR ITEMS FOR SALE, HIRE OR LOAN.

IF YOU HAVE A VEHICLE OR EQUIPMENT FOR SALE OR KNOW OF ONE THAT MIGHT BE OF INTEREST TO OUR MEMBERS PLEASE LET WILL OR MYSELF KNOW.

WE CAN ALSO LIST EQUIPMENT THE MEMBERS HAVE READILY AVAILABLE TO BORROW. PLEASE REFER TO THE WEBSITE FOR THE FULL LIST.

NEWSLETTER EDITOR CAN LOAN OUT:

50 LTR PROFESSIONAL COMPRESSOR, WITH SPRAY GUNS ETC..

CAR RAMPS.

ALAN FOREMAN HAS A PIT AT HIS HOME.

SEE YOU ON THURSDAY, OUR NEXT MEETING 3PM NOV 2ND

BAR LA CINTA – ARBOLEAS.

