



HRCR MIDLANDS ITEMS FOR E-NEWSLETTER APRIL 2019

SOME RECENT EVENTS

A TALK BY DAVID RICHARDS CBE : 14 March 2019

A late venue switch to the Casa Hotel in Chesterfield had no effect on the expected full house for this local opportunity to hear a synopsis of David's career to date and his vision for Motorsport UK under his Chairmanship. Further reports will be given in the Midlands own Newsletter and possibly *Old Stager*.

The event was promoted jointly between HRCR Midlands and Matlock Motor Club and, in the seeming absence of volunteers for arranging events, is probably one way forward to ensure that attendances match the effort taken for their organisation.

THE JASPER'S BAKERIES AGBO HISTORIC STAGES RALLY : 16 March 2019

Promoted by Owen Motor Club (OMC), this year's AGBO stage rallies were run over two days. The Saturday's event was solely for Historics and was also the first round of 2019's HRCR Mini Sport Cup Stage Rally Championship. Sunday's rally was open to all 2WD vehicles.

HRCR Midlands provided marshalling support at this ten-stage, single venue event on the Saturday,

SPRING SUN RUN : 30 + 31 March 2019

Four crews from the HRCR Midlands Region will be taking part in the Spring Sun Run over the weekend of 30th and 31st March, one organized by James McDonald who is also responsible for the well-known Autumn Sun Run. The 500 km route will start from Ypres and finishes St Michel sur Ternois near Arras.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

APRIL + MAY 2019

Presently, nothing is planned so ideas and organisers would be most welcome.

7th DERBYSHIRE DALES DRIVE : BUXTON : 2 JUNE 2019

Having proved popular last year, the Pavilion Gardens in Buxton will be the tour's base, providing both the Start and Finish. The mid-morning break will be at the Derbyshire and Lancashire Gliding Club near Great Hucklow whilst the lunch halt will be at Carsington Water. Further details are available via www.derbyshiredalesdrive.co.uk

Those still wishing to enter HRCR Midlands own 100- or optional 120-mile event in the HRCR Scenic Tour series are likely to be disappointed since all of the 60 available places have been taken and the reserve list of five is also full.

However, marshals will be needed for the various locations so if you are willing to help, please contact Peter Haynes in the first instance via midlands@hrcr.co.uk

Where and When : Pavilion Gardens, Buxton : first car away at 1001 hrs.

3rd CLASSIC VEHICLE AND HERITAGE SHOW, CARSINGTON WATER : 30 JUNE 2019

The show is run to raise funds for the Derbyshire, Leicestershire and Rutland Air Ambulance and has been supported from its inception by HRCR Midlands.

It is intended to do the same again. The HRCR pitch usually has 12 of its member's cars present together with a gazebo for the sale of unwanted motoring items, the proceeds from which go to the service.

Whether you are just visiting or displaying your car(s), it costs nothing to enter but donations are encouraged. Stewards will always be welcome.

If you wish to be involved, either as an exhibitor or steward, please contact David Yorke as soon as possible via yorkesport@btinternet.com so a block booking can be made with the organisers.

Where and When : Carsington Water Visitors Centre, near Ashbourne from 10am to 4.00pm