

News-Sheet April 2024

The April meeting will be on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> at the Rushbrooke Arms and the room has been booked for the remainder of this season, so hopefully there will be a good turn out each month.

Final details on the fish and chip/barbecue run are yet to be finalised but we have a few ideas. Thanks to the suggestions at the last meeting and the Bunbury Arms has been booked for the Christmas meal on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December at 1.00pm. There should be a Christmas menu as well as the carvery and the costs are likely to be in the order of £23 for two courses and £29 for a three-course meal, subsidised by a small amount by the Club.

A last reminder that 2024 membership fees are due please and these remain at £15 per person or £18 for family membership. Details of joining are on the entry form on the website, and you can pay by bank transfer if you wish, or cheques to Bury Mini Club or bring along cash at the next meeting.

Thanks to those who attended the "Drive it Day" at Kersey Mill on Sunday 21st. Just as well we hadn't taken the antifreeze from the radiators yet and we needed more than the Club fleeces to keep us warm. Despite that, a good first run out and some good motors on show.

The next Club outing is the Rickinghall Car show on 19th May and there are a couple of spaces left if anyone wants to attend – just let me know. The events we are going to attend are shown in the list below, with number of people coming and if there are any spaces left so if you want to come to any, you can see if there are any slots left.

I have confirmation of the 25th August visit to the Ipswich Transport Museum and we can park in the rear carpark. Entry cost to be advised.

I will organise a Club stand at Stanford Hall on 15<sup>th</sup> September for those interested. I have spoken to the organisers and expressed an interest in attending, even if only a few cars, as the entrance fee is considerably cheaper.

The go-kart day is still provisionally booked for the morning of Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September at Red Lodge. The cost for the day is £72 and thanks to the 7 drivers who have paid the deposit of £36. The Red Lodge people have extended the date for confirmation to 6<sup>th</sup> May but if anybody else wants that date we will lose out. We can have 8 drivers for the smaller track but 10 minimum for the longer course. If I don't have any more interest by the next meeting, I will cancel the day and return the deposit to those who have paid.

There is a show at Earsham Hall between Bungay and Diss (the Bungay Classic Car show) on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May and for other events, look on the Future events page of our web site.

The events that already have dates and how many spaces I have booked are shown below.

19th May Rickinghall Car show – 12 places booked, 2 left.

16th June Club visit to Flixton Aircraft Museum 12 places booked, 1 left.

27th June (Thursday) Club fish and chip run – all to be arranged.

7th July
BMC Memorial Suffolk Run to Southwold – all confirmed.
14th July
Culford Classic Car show – 12 places booked, none left.

28th July Kedington Car show – 12 places booked, 1 left.

4th August Helmingham Hall car show – 12 places to be booked, 5 left.

18th August Stonham Barns car show – 20 places booked, 4 left.

25th August Visit to Ipswich Transport Museum – 10 places booked, 1 left.

1st September Classic cars at Glemham Hall – 14 places booked, 2 left.

8th September Provisional date for go kart day at Red Lodge, to be confirmed by 6th May. More drivers needed.

15th September Stanford Hall – Club stand will be booked. 4 interested at present.

29th September Visit to 95th Bomb Group Museum at Horham. 11 interested, more can come, no restriction.

28th November (Thurs) Provisional date for Club ten pin bowling night at Bury Bowl. 3 lanes will be booked.

15th December Club Christmas meal – Gt Barton Bunbury Arms.

The shows in italic are events the Club will attend – please let me know as soon as you can if you want to attend as I can adjust numbers early doors but not later on. A list will still be available at the April meeting so it's not too late!