

## Congleton Beartown Classic Car Club September 2019 NEWSLETTER

### **A VERY BIG WELCOME FROM ALL CLUB MEMBERS TO:**

Steve Hyde from Mossley, with his MG TF, who joined us during our August club night meeting. (Steve happens to be neighbour and friend of Harold who put him in touch with us.) Our membership now stands at 98.

### **AUGUST CLUB NIGHT Resume.**

Our chair, Terry, opened the meeting, which was very well attended yet again, by welcoming everyone especially 3 stalwarts who's recent non-attendance was due to 'medical interventions'. It was good to see them back and in good form. He then went on to inform members of:

**Tatton Park 17/18 August, 2019** - Dave Kelly distributed club stand tickets to all participating members. We have been allocated a larger area so should not have the overcrowding problem experienced at the June Show. We shall see!

**Annual BBQ - 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2019** - Invites have been issued to every member. Whilst some returns have been made **ALL OUTSTANDING RESPONSES should be made ASAP** but by the **very latest at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept Club Night**. The definitive numbers must be sent to the caterers by 4<sup>th</sup> Sept. Tickets will be distributed to members at September club night or can be collected at the BBQ itself. The same conditions apply this year as previous years i.e. **NO RESPONSE - NO TICKET - NO GRUB**. Food will be served from 13h00 and, in celebration of the Club's 20<sup>th</sup>. Anniversary a dessert will also be available. Beverage supplies, tea, coffee, milk, sugar, hot water will be available for members to make themselves a drink, otherwise bring your own. Donations of good prizes will be most welcome for the raffle, which makes a significant contribution to offsetting the BBQ cost (No rusty microwaves please). Lastly, a few **volunteers to help get things set-out, i.e. sink, tables, chairs will be most welcome probably on Friday 6<sup>th</sup>**.

**Kingsley Village Hall, Vintage Tea Dance - 27<sup>th</sup> July, 2019** - despite the inclement weather those of us who found the venue, were made most welcome and we had a very enjoyable afternoon. The event, which was held in support of the Alzheimer's Society, raised over £1200, which will help fund vital research as well as improve Dementia care and support. The very special young lady who organised the event is 'Looking forward to continuing our newfound friendship and work together again in the future.'

**Lake Vyrnwy Road Run - 4<sup>th</sup> July, 2019 & Evening Road Run - 11<sup>th</sup> July, 2019** - As reported in last month's newsletter these were two well supported and well organized events, which were much enjoyed by those participating BUT the support for the associated show was exceptionally disappointing, one vehicle on 11<sup>th</sup> when we returned from road run! Hopefully this was a little blip and is not indicative of any lessening of interest.

**MARTHALL VILLAGE HALL, Beer Festival - 7<sup>th</sup>, September 2019.** At last month's club night this event had been announced and several flyers distributed, (a request for half a dozen cars 13:00 - 18:00 leave anytime.) However, a show of hands at the August Club Night showed little interest.

**CLASSIC VEHICLE SHOW, Biddulph High Street. - 14<sup>th</sup>. September, 2019** - We were graced by the presence of the current Mayor of Biddulph and an ex-Mayor of Biddulph, who invited us to join them at this event, start time 14h00. Prizes for best in class and following the show there will be a pop up beer festival with live music.

**20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Key Ring & Badge Sets** - All members have now been sent their 'birthday present'. Additional sets are available at £4 per set, contact Terry or any Committee member.

### **OFFERS INVIED**

Last month we were able to find a new owner within the club for a 1930's/1940's Morris 8 Series £ 4 door. Complete car for restoration.

Can we achieve an equivalent result this month for the following, non-project car:

**1932 Morris Minor - 2 seater tourer.** New battery fitted May together with new plugs, points, condenser & rotor arm. Dynamo serviced. Full lubrication service and safety check carried out by local garage. Contact: Tony Coolican.

### **Upcoming Club Events.**

August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019 - Evening Show at the Bull's Head, Smallwood, 18h00 on.

September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019 - Clonter Opera Artisan Fair, arrival 09h30 thru 10h00 latest.

September 1st, 2019 - Kelly's Legacy Event, Loomer Road, Chesterton (**POSTPONED**)

### **Upcoming SEPT. Events.**

N.B. \*\*\*\*\* Dates NOT Confirmed

September 07-08 Yesteryear Rally, Hampton, Malpas

September 07-08 Beaulieu International Autojumble Rally, Beaulieu

September 08 **CONGLETON BEARTOWN CLASSIC CAR CLUB SHOW & BBQ**

September 08 Blackpool Vehicle Preservation Group Autumn Show: South Promenade, Lytham St. Annes, FY8 1NP.

September 13-15 Goodwood Revival Meeting

\*\*\*\*\*September 14 Smallwood Village Fete.\*\*\*\*\*

September 14-15 North Rode Transport Show, Bosley, Nr. Congleton

\*\*\*\*\*September 14-15 Rudyard Lake Train Gala.\*\*\*\*\*

September 14-15 Yesteryear Rally, Mill Meece Pumping Station, Nr Eccleshall

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September 15 Classic Drive and Ride-In Day, Lakeland Motor Museum, Backbarrow, Windermere, Cumbria

\*\*\*\*\*September 15 End of Season Transport Show, Commercial Vehicle Museum, Leyland\*\*\*\*\*

September 15 Mini Fest, Stanford Hall, Lutterworth, Leics. LE17 6DH

\*\*\*\*September 21-22 High Legh Garden Centre, Festival of Transport\*\*\*\*

September 22 **Beartown Classic Car Club Autumn Show, Bull's Head.**

September 22 Newark Mega Autojumble, Newark, Notts.

September 29 Walled Towns Trail Car Run.

September 29 Standard Triumph Car Day, Heaton Park, Manchester