



FBHVC—Drive-It Day ::: Sunday 23rd April

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The purpose of the day is to galvanise as many car enthusiasts as possible to get out on the road and 'DRIVE IT'

From the FBHVC Website : -

The format for the day is a tried and tested formula. The Federation sets the date each year (as close as possible to the anniversary of the 1000 Mile Trial) and publicises the event nationally. The many clubs that comprise the Federation's membership then plan and schedule regional and local events throughout the country. The events are as varied as the vehicles taking part and include Drive Outs, Rallies, and meetings at local beauty spots or historic sites. Important venues such as The National Motor Museum, Beaulieu, Brooklands, The British Motor Museum, Gaydon and Bicester Heritage are expected to take part, but there will be scores of events the length and breadth of the country

So Please Get Out there and join in !!!

The 1000Mile Trial :

April 23rd. 1900 : Organised by the Automobile Club, it started from London and went through Bristol, Birmingham, Manchester, Derby, Kendal, Carlisle, Edinburgh, Newcastle, Leeds, Sheffield, Nottingham and back to London. It left from Grosvenor Place, London and 65 started. By Edinburgh 51 were still running, and 35 vehicles made it all the way back to London.

Events Calendar and the NG Website

The Events Calendar on the Club Website has fallen into disuse over the past few years.

Thanks to Chris Humphreys and Mike Peel the problems with this have now been ironed out, so the Calendar is now functional again. It will take some time for John Watson and myself to get all the relevant dates and details inserted, but please have a look at what is available there

Log-on to the website (www.ngownersclub.co.uk), and click on 'Events Calendar' in the side bar menu.

At the bottom of that page will be hints and tips to help you navigate around the Calendar.

For practical reasons the Events Calendar in this issue of the magazine is a 'short form' only. There is much more information available on the website version.

Chris Hore



Ron Eccles : 10th Jan

When you V8 guys need an engine rebuild.. Have a look at this :-

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iAkzb1nXzwU>

Paul Bennett : 12th Jan

I'm getting too bloody old for this maularky. It was bad enough getting in there but getting out was much much harder..... !!!!!!!!!!!!!



Ross Tucker : 23rd Jan

Picked this up from Nigel Brooks at the weekend it was very nice to meet him

Derek Nimmo : 24th Jan

Long awaited Paint Job

Fibreglass shell looking absolutely stunning after a lot of hours but well worth the effort. Can't wait to see this when she's all back together.

