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Please note that food will now be available at a later time of 8:30pm



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THE NORTHERN VINTAGE TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION

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Venues range from hard standing sites to large fields and with our inclement weather the latter can be more than “mind boggling”. A pub car park is of course ideal, provided it is large enough for the event, with easy access to catering facilities and the essential toilets. A large field, home to a flock of sheep earlier in the week might not be ideal, especially if it is “gently undulating” and still covered in droppings. Such “remote” locations often have classic owners and visitors united as “a captive audience” which do raise other issues. One event had visitors making observations about the catering facilities with prices one might associate with Dick Turpin. Seasoned classic owners of course produced their picnic baskets, which are on this occasion, were more than decorative extras.

After you have “dined” the need invariable turns to thoughts of spending a penny. In some venues it is a case of “Alas we have met our Portaloo” but unlike Ryanair, shows have not got round to chargingyet. Two tiny mobile toilets for over 300 entrants and hundreds of visitors is really “taking the” and queuing for a “Jimmy Riddle” is not an option I wish to contemplate.

The majority of organisers do a terrific job from the administration, provision of catering and toilet facilities to actual stewarding on the day.

We love attending your shows but please don’t take classic car owners for a ride.

(Ed note: The views expressed in this article are the writers own thoughts and should not be attributed to the club)

Taken for a Ride
by The Devil's Advocate

I have been attending classic car shows since the 1980's and in more recent years as an owner. From that perspective I did wonder if organisers of shows are taking classic car owners for granted?

Recently I enquired about attendance at a show and was told, as I am sure you have been, "just turn up on the day". In the majority of cases that is fine but then to be told on arrival "that will be a fiver" came something of a surprise. Unable to contain my "surprise" the response was "well it's for charity". Now being a supporter of various cancer charities and my local hospice, I coughed up.

If you know there is a charge before you enter you can make an informed decision whether to attend or not. Organisers please note: Classic car owners have already invested heavily in their vehicles purchase price, maintenance, insurance and petrol in getting to your show. Charging should not be an option unless they are notified "up front".

Some organisers also need to take onboard issues relating to their venues. These include adequate signposting. I attended one show recently with NO signs whatsoever and the policeman on duty directed entrants to a dog show. I know my car is rough but not that rough and it isn't a Rover!

There are of course many humorous moments like when a steward advised the owner of an MG to "turn left where you will see the other Fords". Should have gone to Specsavers!



A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT & CHAIRMAN OF THE
TNVTA

Hello the shows are now in full swing, we had a great long weekend at Redmire and a night round the fire with a quiz in which the lads team were the winners. This was followed by a good game of pool in the pub and I think we were the winners again!

We have just got back from Newby Hall, it was very windy on Saturday but it dropped the next day so was a very hot Sunday, it was a great show one not too be missed.

Have a great Month of June

Ernie.

June club night

Will be held on the third Tuesday of the month which is the 16TH of June.

Please come and join us and exchange chat and meet friends old and perhaps even make some new ones. As the saying goes “Strangers are just the friends you have yet to meet”

There will be the usual raffle and members draw. You might win yourselves £10 all you have to do is sign the book as you come into the club to be in with a chance to win this prize.

Jackie will be serving her pies and peas at 8.30 once again. They really are delicious. She is also now offering cupcakes in a variety of flavours at 50 pence each and they are very good value.

Come and join us if you can we look forward to seeing you all.



Monday morning not so sunny but hey it was dry. All had run down to Leyburn on first train. Intention of some was to walk back. (It didn't happen) Again pub involved on the pre-text of it being lunch time.

All in all not a bad turn out .(Tombola sold out). It was nice to see one of our members drive over from Redcar (Sorry to his friend who didn't get up in time. You missed a good day out) Maybe next time.

What's on in June

Scruton Show 13th June starting at 1:00pm

Ingleton village fair and car show 13th June

Raby Castle 14th June

Redmire 2015

Arrived Friday evening in order to be ready for "crowds" on Saturday.

Very few members had contacted us so not sure what "turn out to expect"

Saturday morning brought bright sunshine and some of us ventured off to "car boot sale" at Bedale. Whatever takes your fancy I guess! Huge crowds in Bedale however station quiet. This gave us plenty of opportunity to chat with those that did come up on train or the many "walkers" in the area.

When last train leaves 16.00 you can sit back and enjoy the beautiful countryside. All enjoyed tea together al fresco. A stroll down to the pub (it's hard work going on these weekends) then back around camp fire for a "quiz" Not sure who won. Maybe shouldn't have gone to pub.

Sunday morning brought quite a crowd on first train among them a group of "Morris Dancers" They were very entertaining. Take a look at the pics.

Sunday evening had "road run" to pub just outside of Bainbridge. Well worth a visit if you like to see "something different" Music on the juke box certainly our era and price (10 tunes for £1) Had pool competition while we where there. Again I don't know who won (perhaps not a good reporter to send to a pub)

Membership Benefits

The subscription cost is £12 per year for membership

Benefits included in your subscription cost:

1. Public liability insurance for all events attended (a copy of the policy will be given on subs night and subsequent copies will be available via download on the members only page soon)
2. Vehicle registration verification (DVLA)
3. 12 Monthly newsletters either posted or available via email.
4. 11 Club meetings per year
5. At least 4 themed club events per year which can include but not restricted to: Concourse night, Auction night, Subs night, and themed events such as the Annual Gathering, Easter weekend all events include availability of supper, raffles etc.

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THE NORTHERN VINTAGE TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION

JUNE 2015

Hello and welcome to the June edition of T.N.V.T.A. monthly newsletter. We are now enjoying some better weather and able to get out and about more. Summer is just around the corner. Have you been anywhere that you would like to tell your fellow members about. We would love to hear from you. Please get in touch and tell us your story.

MAY CLUB NIGHT

We held our bring your vehicle to the club show and thanks to all who turned out.

Thanks to Pam and Robin who organised the trophies and rosettes for the prize winners. They work away behind the scenes keeping the club ticking over. Thanks to you both. Thanks also to Wendy who sold tea on the car park to boost the club funds.



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CHRISTMAS PARTY 2015

Oh my I heard you all groan from here. Especially you Mr. Briggs

Sorry I know it is early but we have to book everything early to make sure we have everything organised

Well let me tell you what we have already sorted for you. We have booked Sadberge village hall for the 18th of December. We have booked the buffet from Jackie again.

We have booked a young man by the name of ROBSON FIELD to entertain you.

If you have not heard Robson perform then you are in for a treat. He is a very talented young man who performs hit from the 50s and 60s. His guitar playing is great. Playing Shadows hit with ease, his singing is no less polished. He will transport you back to the golden age of pop music. So dig out your Blue Suede shoe and your drainpipes and come and join us.

We will keep you informed when tickets will be on sale and they will be issued on a first come first served basis.



The prizes were awarded as follows:

Cars:

- 1st prize Alan Blackburn
- 2nd prize Alan Binks
- 3rd prize Keith Arrowsmith

Motorbikes:

- 1st prize Les Anderson
- 2nd prize Barry Storey
- No third

Commercials:

- 1st prize Mickey Mouse
- 2nd prize Kenny Bailey
- no third

Specials:

Ian Breckon





AN OBITUARY

We send out condolences to Vince Curry on the loss of his Dad Benny quite soon after the loss of his mother Joyce.

Benny and Joyce together with Vince were stalwarts of the TNVTA, and were present at all the rallies until ill health prevented them attending.

Benny was always seen with a duster in his hand polishing the car and it always gleamed. He had a wonderful sense of humour and kept us laughing with his stories.

Vince carries on looking after the cars in the manner of his Dad and we commiserate with Vince and Judy on the loss of the gentleman that Benny was, and that we will never forget.

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Date's for your diary still relevant

Ferryhill show

Please note this will now be held on the 20th and 21 of June to avoid clashing with other shows.

Sedgefield Agricultural Show

August 8th 2015

Entry Form on the website to download

www.tnvta.co.uk

Committee meeting

There will be a meeting at 7pm before the start of the club night in June. Please could all committee members attend at 7pm. Thank you.

Club Night we have taken on board your suggestions and have organised Bingo and MR & MRS

Come along and lets have a good laugh

Sedgefield agricultural show on the 8th of August

The show will be held on the 8th of August please contact Roland Weeks for more details there is an entry form with this newsletter or you can down load one from our web site. T.N.V.T.A

Classic car show at the N.E.C. Birmingham

13t h14th 15th of November

We have received a suggestion to organise a trip to the above event.

We wondered if there is any interest in going as an organised party hiring a coach and obtaining tickets to sell to club members. It seems a good idea. What do you think, get in touch if you would want tickets and coach travel so we can organise this for you.

Our September Sunday Show

This will be the 20th of September. It is hard to find a Sunday that will not clash with other local events. Please come and support us if you can.

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Wanted and for Sale



Morris minor 948cc gearbox complete with bell housing (gold).£35 Ono.

Morris minor 1000cc gearbox complete with bell housing (green),£35ono.

> Morris minor starter motor , £12.

Morris minor coil, £6.

Fuse boxes(old type screw in) , £5.

Morris minor clutch pressure plate,£12.

Phone Keith 01325 483938.

Four low profile tyres , 195/45/16. Approx 5mm tread on Ford Alloy wheels. Complete with wheel and locking nuts.
£160.

Phone Keith 01325483938

Wanted

Honda Melody spares wanted, complete bikes also considered

Contact Barry bazstore@fsmail

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