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# THE NORTHERN VINTAGE TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION

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**Meetings are held at Croft Working Men's Club**

**3rd Wednesday of the month at 7.30pm**

**Next meeting Wed 20th September**



Hello

Well were has the time gone? Busy this week getting ready for Hunton Steam Gathering then it's time for our Gathering at Croft. Come along and join us. You can camp from lunchtime on Friday for only £5 per night. We have a singer on in the club room on Saturday night. Come along let's have a good night out before our show on Sunday.

The year is flying by so fast we have our Christmas party tickets on sale now so don't miss out and get yours soon.

Thank you, Ernie.

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## NEWSLETTER FOR

**September 2023**

You can now find us on Face book search for

The Northern Vintage Transport Association. [OBJ]

Don't forget we also have a website where you will find pictures of events we have been to and events we have held at the club nights. [www.tnvta.co.uk](http://www.tnvta.co.uk)

### **Welcome to Sept /Oct Newsletter**

Hope you all enjoyed your Summer Break. The weather could have been kinder to us all. However, looks like September might hold a promise of some late sun.

I'm sure you will all be aware that our annual gathering will be taking place on the 17<sup>th</sup> of September. We once again invite you all to attended.

The venue is again **Croft club Hurworth. DL2 2DA**

This year we are offering you the chance to come and join us for the weekend with camping available at only £5 a night.

We have also booked an artist to come and perform for you on the Saturday Night. She will sing songs from the 40s through to more modern material. I have seen her in the past and she is very entertaining.

Admission to the show is free for all.

**If you are interested in booking a stall, or need any other information please contact [bigern@tnvta.co.uk](mailto:bigern@tnvta.co.uk)**

**Or the secretary on 01325 359114.**

We look forward to seeing you there.

### **September club night is the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month.**

Once again, we invite you to our monthly meeting. Please come and join us. And have a natter. We look forward to seeing you there.

### **October club night is the 18<sup>th</sup> of the month.**

This will be our annual Auction night. We hope you will come and join us once again. Can you sort out your lots ready to donate to your club. We accept anything you would like to give us. If you can make it to the club night you will be made very welcome. You don't need to be a member. Just turn up and help us raise funds for the club. You have always been so kind in the past I'm sure you will continue to do so.

Auction night is also a fun night come and have a laugh. Don't worry about not bidding, something will come your way.

Some of our members attended Wensleydale show and sent us this report. Do you have a report we could feature in the newsletter please send it to us it will be most welcome.

### **Wensleydale Show.**

With 2 vintage push bikes being shown by our President. It seemed only fitting to take a turn around the arena roping his sister in to join him they took a couple of laps of the arena keeping pace with the cars and motorcycles who were exhibiting

at the same time. Drawing applause from the crowd they made a dashing spectacle. Well done to both Ernie and Marie.

The good news doesn't end there Mavis Bailey came third in the motorbike section. Congratulations to you all.

The day was peppered with sun and thunderstorms but again in all classes there was a good turnout. It never fails to impress.

### **Wolsingham Show**

We attended the above show on Sunday. What a turn out. We arrived early to be met with queues to get into the event. The organisation was brilliant. The Marshalls kept the traffic moving at all times. Even early the place was heaving with people the weather helped as the day started warm and sunny.

We took a stroll around the show ground. The stalls were there to meet all needs from food to dog products, clothing to jewellery. There really was something for everyone

We watched the horses being judged. They all were a credit to their handlers. They must have spent hours to turn out such fine-looking horses. Off next to look round the vintage cars and bike lovely turn out. We were told that 650 dogs were entered in the show. This was without people bringing their pets to the show.

Fantastic turn out.

Arena events were too many to list.

Well done to all the organisers

And finally

Cycled to the shop today to buy a bottle of gin, but then I thought, what if I fall off my bike and the bottle gets broken? So cleverly, I drank it outside of the shop. Good job I did too, I fell off my bike seven times on my way home.



**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**9th /10th Sept Hunton Steam Gathering**

**16th Sept (Sat night) Jenna Highfield**

**17th Sept NVTA Gathering.**

**20th Sept Meeting**

**18th Oct Auction night**

**15th Nov Meeting**

**Friday 15th December Christmas Party**

**(Tickets now on sale)**













