
NORCEMOG

NEWS

NORTH WEST AND CHESHIRE

May 2011

Back from holiday, and ahead of the AGM to stimulate your attendance there. Thanks to Geoff Mizon, Brian Rawlinson and John Anderson for their input to this edition. Please can you ensure that you do NOT send anything to me for the June edition. My repeated exhortations to contribute have had no result whatsoever, so maybe a ban on contributions will result in a flood. Rush to the window, and see if a pig is flying past....

Remember, though, unless you pay your subs to Brian, this is the last Newsletter you will get, and the next one has the updated access codes to the website.

Visit to Stonyhurst College - 24 April

The day began bright and sunny with a nice drive to the Shireburn Arms. As we approached, we could see we would be unable to park outside the Hotel as it was already full with Morgans, this included Colin Hill's new aero 8 and a nice selection of 4/4's, plus 4's & plus 8's. The rear car park was also very full even though it was only 1145, by 1230 a total of 17 Morgans, 5 tin tops and Margaret Martin's very nice new V W press button convertible were on site.

The number of diners grew to around 43, and Andy had to put his restaurant manager's hat on and "set tables up" to cater for the numbers. Following an excellent lunch, we took the short journey to Stonyhurst which is set amongst the green rolling hills and woodlands in the heart of the Ribble Valley.

Reserved parking outside the entrance awaited us, and within minutes a chef came out to admire the cars. He was followed by our very knowledgeable guides who soon had us in groups of 14 ready for our tour of the College.

Our tour started in the courtyard with a brief history of the building and the Jesuit input, We then went into the building following corridors and into one of the chapels, and from there into the museum to view the fantastic display of stuffed animals and birds. Also in the collection was a 7yr old boy dating from the same period, who looked very contented in his glass cabinet!

We continued along to another chapel, classrooms, then to the Thomas Moore library with its spectacular views of the magnificent driveway, lakes and gardens. Unfortunately the dormitories were out of bounds due to their being in use by a swimming club. The dormitories have all been modernized - except one that had to be left as it was because of its grade one listing.

Following our excellent tour a most welcome cup of tea or coffee was available, and then Andy and Sue kindly invited everyone back to their home for afternoon tea. Andy gave us directions which we did not adhere to but nevertheless we managed to find our way to Cow Ark. Fortunately, with their two tier lawns and the great weather everyone managed to find a seat and continued to enjoy the late afternoon sun along with the great views over the Bowland Fells. At one point not many men were visible, possibly due to a compulsory "garage viewing".

Thanks to Andy, Sue, Mathew and Harriet for organizing an excellent day out, and thanks to everyone who joined in to make it a huge success.

Brian Rawlinson

TED GRIFFITHS

Ted has been in touch a few days ago to let us know that he is still alive and well. Some of us will remember that Ted was our longest standing member and helped us with the history of Norcemog by providing missing details. Ted was an active sprinter and hill-climber in his younger days, but, alas, he has had to accept the ravages of time and has given up driving and has sold his Morgan. He is left with an extensive collection of spare parts for a 1975 4/4, so if anyone is interested in making an offer for any of these, they should call Ted on 07939511490 on Sundays between 10am and 10pm.

Thanks, John Anderson

MOG 2012

MOG 2012 will take place at Bruntingthorpe Proving Ground on June 16th, 2012. FoxMog will be hosts, and a good number of other centres and individual helpers will join the process, to put on particular events, and help with the administration.

The web site for MOG 2012 is to be found at <http://mog2012.co.uk/> and although some of the event descriptions are not complete, and obviously there are no booking forms yet, it will be good to give the site a thorough look over to see the range of events proposed, and the way that centres can make what is a single day for all the events into a potentially very pleasant longer holiday, by adding trips and visits to the day before and the day after, and arranging all members from a given centre to book into the same hotel.

Now a message to all centre secretaries. Please publicise the web site to all your members, and try to form a view as to roughly how many of your centre members will be likely to want to come to Bruntingthorpe on June 16th. If you possibly can, please send me an email by the first week in May. We need this guestimate to complete the budget: the more that are likely to come, the lower will be the cost for the day. At present we are hopeful that it will not exceed £20 + VAT, and it may well be lower than this. For those that live within a two hour drive of Southern Leicestershire this will be a very memorable day out, at relatively little cost, bearing in mind that all the events will provide a continuous spectator experience for the whole day.

Many thanks,

John Everett
(FoxMog Centre Secretary)

NORCEMOG AGM – 8th May 2011

AGENDA

- 1 Apologies
- 2 Secretary's Report
- 3 Treasurer's Report
 - Finances
 - Membership renewal – subs for 2011 are now overdue
- 4 Election of Officers

Position	Current Officer
Chairman	- Andy Bleasdale -

- Secretary - Geoff Mizon -
- Treasurer - Bryan Rawlinson -
- Regalia Officer - Isobel Moore -
- Newsletter Editor - Adrian Grant -
- Competition Secretary - Roy Wilkinson -
- Events Coordinator - Vacant -
- 3 General Officers - Vacant -

- 5 The 2011 Dinner Dance Report
 - Raffle Donation - Severn Hospice
- 6 2011/12 Diary of Events – July onwards, proposals needed
- 7 Subs for 2012/13
- 8 Any Other Business

If you are unable to attend the meeting but wish to have your views expressed on any matters relating to the centre, please contact a committee member before the meeting.

AGM AGENDA NOTES

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

All the Officers of Norcemog need to be elected each year. We therefore require volunteers to fill the various positions. If you are interested in joining the committee in any of the positions, (or know another member who is) please use the form below to propose them. (be sure to confirm the person is willing to stand if you are proposing another member).

OFFICER PROPOSAL FORM

Position	Name of Proposed Person	Signature of Proposed Person
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Proposed By _____

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Proposal forms must be returned to Geoff Mizon, 179 Garstang Road East, Poulton, FY6 8JH.

Below 3 pages relating to this year's **Cholmondley Pageant Of Power** There is a general flyer, a sheet giving discount codes to be used to be able to get "Loyalty Club Discount Tickets" and a list of ticket prices (showing the large discount we are getting).

Display and it is only through this that we in Norcemog can get the discounts quoted. However, as Colin does not know all our members he has asked Geoff Mizon to collect details of any members who buy tickets and he will pass this on to Colin so he can arrange the display area to include us. Initially all he needs is your name and the days you are attending. Don't delay in booking if you wish to attend because as bookings increase the discount codes may be withdrawn.



TORMOG
High Peak Centre
2010



Cholmondeley Pageant of Power

A Celebration of Power and Speed
15th 16th and 17th July 2011

Once again taking place in the grounds of Cholmondeley Castle, the Pageant of Power combines speed, nerve and flair with exceptional design and engineering. Since 2007 it has been the ambition of the Pageant of Power to showcase the best of historic and contemporary automotive power, whether on Land, Sea or in the Air.

Central to the action is the 3 mile circuit within the Park grounds of Cholmondeley Castle where over 150 cars and bikes compete, spanning seven decades of motorsports. On the adjoining Deer Park Mere, the Pageant hosts the largest gathering of inshore racing power boats in the UK, World Champion Jet Ski Demonstrations and Rib rides are also on offer. In the air the largest helicopter event in Europe combines with dramatic and gravity defying aerobatic displays.

The Military might on display this year gives you the opportunity to watch combat power in action, look inside battle winning equipment and train with serving soldiers during the days and listen to magnificent marching bands at the Tattoo on Saturday night. All this combined with the fantastic shopping, activities and refreshments make this one of the motoring events of the year.

Join the High Peak Centre at this year's event and display your Morgan Sports Car on our static display. Places are offered to all MSCC Members and allocated on a first come first served basis. Last year we had a fabulous display of Morgans with many other centres joining us for the weekend and enjoying all that this event has to offer the motoring enthusiast. Please note, that the cost involved this year is different again from last year. There will be no free passes this year. All those wishing to attend, both driver and passenger will have to purchase tickets from the organisers before the event. Tickets are available at greatly reduced rates for those displaying on Car Club Stands, please see attached sheet for codes required to obtain these discounted tickets on the internet.

If you are interested in being part of this year's festival please obtain your tickets directly from the CPOP web site at www.cpop.co.uk a.s.a.p. as the cost involved increases nearer the date of the event. Time is running out so if you intend joining us please DO IT NOW.

If you have any difficulty please do not hesitate to contact either myself
Colin Hill on 01457 764804 chairman@tormog.co.uk or
Jim Richardson on 01625 528641 centresecretary@tormog.co.uk

Finally, and most importantly, once you have obtained your tickets please ensure that you let me know which day or days you are attending together with details of your Morgan. I need to know well in advance so that a suitably sized plot can be booked for our display.

Dear Colin,

Thank you for booking your place at the Pageant of Power for 2011
The codes you need to give your members are as follows:

1. Adult 3 day Paddock Enclosure & Concert --CPOP3DPCC (all in caps)
2. Adult Paddock Enclosure Day Pass -- CPOPDPCC (all in caps)
3. Please make sure all children's tickets are ordered with the adult tickets in advance.
4. In the 1st address line of each billing address each member needs to put the club name. Where it says Company put club name in the box.
Morgan Sports Car Club High Peak Centre
5. To gain free access to the Friday Preview Day, please show one of the following tickets on arrival at the event.
6.
 - Day Paddock/Concert
 - Saturday 16th July
 - Sunday 17th July
 - Saturday 16th & Sunday 17th July
7. To gain free access to the camping on the Thursday or Friday night please show one of the following tickets on arrival at the camping.
 - Saturday night (Tent or Caravan)
 - Sunday Night (Tent or Caravan)
 - Saturday & Sunday (Tent or Caravan)



Club Tickets 2011

Loyalty Club Discount if bought before 30th April 2011:

1. Club Adult 3 day Paddock Enclosure & Concert £45.00 (Children £10)
2. Club Adult Paddock Enclosure Day Pass £15.00 (Children Tickets Free)
3. Club Adult Concert £20.00 (Children £10)

Early Bird Club Offer if bought after 30th April but before June 30th 2011:

1. Club Adult 3 Day Paddock Enclosure & Concert £50.00 (Children £20)
2. Club Adult Paddock Enclosure Day Pass £17.00 (Children £5)
3. Club Adult Concert £25.00 (Children £10)
4. Children – Friday Free

On the Day

1. Club 3 Day Paddock Enclosure unavailable
2. Paddock Day Pass £30.00 (Children £10)
3. Club Adult Concert Ticket £30.00 (Children £10)

Friday Preview Day

Free Paddock entry for those purchasing Saturday/Sunday/3 Day tickets

Camping Loyalty (Before 30th

April 2010):

Tents:

Thursday & Friday Night 14 & 15th July Free
Saturday Night 16th July £15.00
Sunday Night 17th July £15.00

Caravans:

Thursday & Friday Night 14 & 15th July Free
Saturday Night 16th July £20.00
Sunday Night 17th July £20.00

Camping Early Bird (After 30th April but Before June 30th 2011)

Tents:

Thursday & Friday Night 14 & 15th July Free
Saturday Night 16th July £20.00
Sunday Night 17th July £20.00

Caravans:

Thursday & Friday Night 14 & 15th July Free
Saturday Night 16th July £25.00
Sunday Night 17th July £25.00

Camping only available if booked in advance.

NorceMog Diary of Events – not only for the immediate future, but also in outline for the next 12 months ahead of discussion of the detail at the AGM.

8 May 2011 – AGM, at the Royal Oak, Garstang,

Bryan Rawlinson 01995 604716, b.rawlinson@homecall.co.uk

19 June Autotest & Concours – Myrescough College

Bryan Rawlinson 01995 604716; b.rawlinson@homecall.co.uk

1-3 July MOG 2011 – Newmarket – see Miscellany for details

17 July Mid-month Noggin - The Owls at Standish

Roy Wilkinson 01772324134 roy.wilkinson@yahoo.co.uk

14 August - Picnic Run with Fell Mog

Sara 015395 34407

28-29 August Oulton Park Gold Cup

Geoff Mizon - Tel 01253 892 733

9-11 September Morgans at Windermere

Andrew Hirst – Fell Mog

18 September - Autumn Gymkhana

John Anderson - Tel 0161 973 0169

16 October Mid-month Noggin

20 November Mid-month Noggin

11 December Christmas Party at Barnacre Village Hall.

Bryan Rawlinson - Tel 01995 604716

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15 January Mid-month Noggin –

Andy & Sue Bleasdale - Tel 01995 61718

19 February Mid-month Noggin

12-13 March Dinner Dance –

15 April AGM – Royal Oak Garstang

Bryan Rawlinson Tel 01995 604716

20 May Mid Month Noggin –

10 June Autotest & Concours – Myrescough College

Bryan Rawlinson - Tel 01995 604716

16-17 June MOG 2012 -
