# **NORCEMOG**

NEWS

# NORTH WEST AND CHESHIRE

August 2016

Welcome to this edition.

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NORCEMOG REGALIA – Isobel Moore 01253 738201

NORCEMOG COMMITTEE MEETING Wednesday 10th August 2016 at 18:30 TAS Partnership Office, Preston Minutes of Meeting

Present - Andy Bleasdale, Roy Wilkinson, Bryan Fearn, Adrian Grant, Bryan Rawlinson,

- Martin Cocks, Andrew Threlkeld

Apologies - John Alden, Peter & Isobel Moore

Minutes of 9th March 2016 Accepted as a true record

# Previous Actions from Minutes - See action register

- NorceMog Banners Action still outstanding AT
- Purchase badges from Gladman & Norman IM
- Purchase delayed until we have orders and deposits for new badges.
- Action Andy B to contact Herman Poll when we are ready to order AB
- Review membership by Post Code Survey provided by Adrian Grant

#### Treasurer's Report - Bryan Fearn

- Membership total = 45
- Balance at Bank = £1654.25

#### Diary of Events 2016 All

- The remaining events were briefly reviewed and agreed - no major changes

August 14th Lunch at The Aspinall Arms, near Clitheroe, BB7 9PQ - 30 places booked

Aug 27 – 29th Oulton Park Gold Cup – 3 day race week-end 18 requests for passes received including some DevaMog members

Sep 3rd Morgan Challenge Race Series @ Oulton Park

Sep 16-18th Autumn Retreat - Mayfield House Hotel, Wiltshire, SN16 9EW

Oct 9th Gymkhana - Farmer Parr's Animal World, Fleetwood FY7 8SL

Action - Review date for 2017 - See draft Calendar below

Nov 13th Noggin Venue TBC - John & Irene Anderson - Tel 0161 973 0169 Action - Andrew to contact John & Irene to confirm

Dec 11th Christmas Party, Forest Hills Hotel, Frodsham, WA6 6HH **Action** – Harry Walker and Andrew to visit prior to event to ensure better service than 2015

# **Draft 2017 Diary - See below**

Other ideas for 2017 / 18

Visit to Bentley Motor Co., Crewe - Midweek - AT

Tour of fishing boat, Jacinta, Fleetwood - BF

Charity Quiz night with Pie and Pea supper - AG

Greater Manchester Transport Museum www.gmts.co.uk.

Scalextric Race Visits AB / AT http://www.scalemodels.co.uk/admin/parties.html

http://www.stonerigraceway.co.uk/

Lancaster Canal sailing from Barton Grange

Steam Museum, Poynton - AT http://www.enginemuseum.org/index.html Super Car Sunday - Opposite Aspinall Arm **Action** - AB to advise AT of dates

Bowland Brewery at Clitheroe - AG

#### **Newsletter AG**

- Thanks to Bryan Rawlinson for 6 part articles on his "Reflections of 52 years of Morgan Ownership"
- Members to be encouraged to contribute items for Newsletters All
- Action Provide chapters of NorceMog history to AG AT

# Regalia IM No report

#### Competitions Secretary MC Nothing to report

#### Website AT

- No issues
- MSCC are about to launch their new web site. All Centre Secretaries will have a xxx.sec@mscc.co.uk email address for centre business. **Action** AT to set up new email address to replace norcemog@gmail.com account and inform membership

#### **Awards** - 2016

- Discussion on the presentation of the 2016 awards.
- Glendower Chris Harfield
- Harvey C Harfield (Concours)
- Life's Adrian Grant
- Anderson M Fitzpatrick (Young driver at Autotest)
- Wilkinson Sword Bleasdale Inn @ Whitewell (34) (Currently)
- Scriptwriters Bryan Rawlinson 52 years of Morgan Ownership
- Layshaft Bump of the year TBC
- Kelly John Alden Thrill on the Hill
- Glenise's Best Lady Autotest /(Ann Harfield)
- Gymkhana combined TBA
- Gymkhana Winner of Gymkhana

# NORCEMOG DIARY OF EVENTS - 2017 1st Draft - ALL EVENTS PROVISIONAL!

N.B. Dates highlighted are NorceMog organised events Easter Monday – April 17th St Georges Day – April 23rd

Jan 15th The Inn at Whitewell - Andy B. Situation to be monitored

**Feb 12th** Behind the Scenes at The Grand - Blackpool

Contact - Adrian & Alicia Grant - Tel 01253 727336 or Adrian.grant@taspartnership.com.

Mar 8th Committee Meeting - 18.30 TAS Partnership, Preston

Mar 12th Daffodils at Lowther Castle, Cumbria

Contact - Adrian & Alicia Grant - Tel 01253 727336 or Adrian.grant@taspartnership.com.

April 9th Lunch & AGM, Vale Royal Abbey - Click Here for Details Contact - Andrew Threlkeld - 01606 852395

April MSCC AGM - MMC, Visitor Centre, Malvern

**April 23rd** FBHV Drive it Day – Investigate joining other car club for the day **Action** – All committee to look for ideas

May 1st Gawsworth Hall Car Show, Macclesfield, SK11 9RN - Click here for **Details** Contact - Roy Wilkinson - Tel 01772 324134 or 07754 565955

May 14th To be Announced

Contact - John Alden - Tel 01253 726314 or 07963 253154

May ?? VSCC Vintage Sports Car Festival @ Oulton Park

May ?? Chipping Steam Fair – Action- AB to advise of date for 2017

**June 2nd** – 5th Irish Gordon Bennett Classic Car Run – Discounts available for groups of 6 cars 4 day festival in Ireland http://www.gordonbennettclassic.ie **Action** – AT to canvas membership for possible attendees

June ?? Tatton Park Classic & Performance Car Show – Click Here for **Details Contact - Martin Cocks – Tel 07973 488504** Dis-satisfaction with no Morgan area in 2016, possibly because we only asked for passes for 1 day **Action** – MC to speak to organisers

June ?? Cholmondeley Power & Speed Event (Formerly Pageant of Power) Cholmondeley Castle, A49, SY14 8AH Contact TorMog

June 11th Autotest & Concours To be confirmed – building work planned at Museum Commercial Vehicle Museum, Leyland Contact - Bryan Rawlinson - Tel 01995 604716

June 25th Arley Hall Garden Festival - 10 Cars Max Contact - Andrew Threlkeld - Tel 01606 852395

July 9th Scenic Run – Cheshire / South of area
Contact – Andrew Threlkeld – Tel 01606 852395

August 2nd Committee Meeting - 18:30 TAS Partnership, Preston

August 13th August Noggin - TBC
Contact - Isobel & Peter Moore - Tel 01253 738 201

Aug 26 – 28th Oulton Park Gold Cup – 3 day race week-end Contact – Andrew Threlkeld Tel 01606 852395

**Sep 3rd** Gymkhana - Farmer Parr's Animal World, Fleetwood FY7 8SL **Action** – BF to contact Mr Parr re possibility

Sep ?? Morgan Challenge Race Series @ Oulton Park

Sep ?? Autumn Retreat - Ideas welcome **Action -** AT to look for suitable venues and advise

Oct 8th Noggin - To be confirmed

Nov 12th Greater Manchester Transport Museum
Contact - Adrian & Alicia Grant - Tel 01253 727336

**Dec 10th** Dec 10th Christmas Party – **Post Meeting Note** – Isobel Moore and Linda Fearn willing to volunteer!

#### AOB All

- NorceMog 50th Anniversary 2018 Potential to stay at The Blue Cap (1st meetings held here) Sandiway (now a premier Inn) with Gala Dinner in The Great Hall at Vale Royal Abbey Golf Club **Action** – AT to investigate feasibility

# NorceMog at The Aspinall Arms, Clitheroe 14<sup>th</sup> August 2016

Organised by Peter & Isobel Moore With a little help from Andy Bleasdale

To the tune of "You make me feel so young" by Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin (and others!)

You make us feel so young, Suplex suspension hardly sprung, And when your engine really starts, it fills our hearts, with joy.

You make us feel so great, To Clitheroe, we can hardly wait, Going off to a NorceMog meet, there's lots of friends to greet.

You and I, Get admiring glances so sly, Body sleek, Smiling faces that will last a week.

We see the others there, Chris and Gillian stop and stare, Their first real noggin to enthrall, I hope they like us all

Morgans park, At least 18, a lark, All lined up in due accord, for P & I maybe the Wilkinson Sword?

The venue was so pleased, Our numbers grew but the staff appeased, We want some food for just a few, the numbers grew, to, thirty-two or so





The meals were served with pride,

us.

The food was great and the staff applied,

Their best service with a smile, and all the while we, talked and munched away

The sun it really shines, Eighteen Morgans in several lines, Boys are proud, and Dave Roberts's plus 8 is so loud,

Bonnets rise, Eager eyes look for a surprise, A Cosworth here, and there a carburetor from yesteryear

We have the full range here, 2 or 4 seats it is so clear, The new ones look just like the old, worth more than gold, to

Time to leave, Hoods down and caps receive, Retaining straps, to keep our heads and avoid mishaps

Thanks to P & I,
A splendid day we cannot deny,
We hope to see you all again, without the rain, when sun is shining through,

You make me feel so young, Suplex suspension hardly sprung, Badge to be hung and wonderful wheels to be strung, and even though we're old and grey, we want to feel the way we do, today,

 $\cos$  you, you make us feel so young! You make us feel so young, you make us feel so young......







#### Best regards - Andrew Threlkeld

# **NORCEMOG DIARY OF EVENTS - 2016**

Sep 2<sup>nd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> Chatsworth Country Fair, Bakewell, Derbyshire, DE45 1PP **Organised by TorMog** - Click Here for <u>Details</u>

Sep 3<sup>rd</sup> Morgan Challenge Race Series @ Oulton Park

Sep 16-18th Autumn Retreat – Mayfield House Hotel, Wiltshire, SN16 9EW - Click Here for Details Contact – Andrew Threlkeld – Tel 01606 852395

Oct 9th Gymkhana - Farmer Parr's Animal World, Fleetwood FY7 8SL - Click Here for Details Contact - Bryan Fearn Tel - 01253 891539, A. Threlkeld - 01606 852395

Nov 13<sup>th</sup> Noggin Venue TBC – John & Irene Anderson – Tel 0161 973 0169

Dec 11<sup>th</sup> Christmas Party, Forest Hills Hotel, Frodsham, WA6 6HH - Click Here for Details
Contact - Harry & Kay Walker - Tel 01606 882772 or email walkeruk@aol.com