

# Kent Classic and Sports Car Club

## Wheelspin

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Actually,  
it's also a  
car show.

See the  
show  
listings

### Next Club Meeting:

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> May**

*arrive around*

*(7:30pm - 8:00pm)*

**at**

**The Hastings Arms,  
Gillingham, ME7 2YD**

### Words from the Chairman

We had a very good turnout of members for our March meeting. Hopefully the weather will start to get better and hope to see more members out at the club shows that we have arranged starting with Motors by the Moat at Leeds Castle on the 13th May. Hopefully we will have better weather than last year.

If anyone would like to go to the Picnic in the park at Biggin Hill on the 22nd July, there are no entry forms for it, I just need to know who would like to go and I'll sort the rest. We have got a few shows arranged for the show season and hopeful we will get a better site for all the members to park and not crammed in like before. If you've got any photos or news about any shows can you send them to Dave so we can add them to the newsletter please

I look forward to seeing everyone at the May club night.

The Chairman

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Hi All, here are some pictures from the first meet at the six bells in Cliff. Members attending were Doug, Eddie, Allan and myself, the meet is on the third Thursday of the month.

*Words and pictures by Pete*





## Project Victor



Work continues on the Victor (around family life), Still working on the paintwork, I decided not to bear metal the bonnet and just concentrated on the affected areas, it's now in primer but only time will tell if the High build primer has obliterated the damaged areas.



I started prepping the side panels, doors and front wing but it got a bit tedious, so I dived under the bonnet and started on some oily bits.



Quite an arduous task cleaning oil, grease and dirt accumulated over many years and trying to keep the garage floor from soaking up all the old crap,

I've got a sheet of old Vinyl floor covering that I put under the car, covered with old news papers to soak up the paraffin cleaning solution (works for me).

On the odd occasion that the engine has been run, it's boiled over after a short while, thinking it's a stuck thermostat or a blockage in the radiator I wasn't too bothered, but when I removed the Rad and found it to be clear and the thermostat none existent, I looked further and when the bottom hose was removed "BOY" what a surprise,



The outlet to the water pump was blocked solid with what looked like solid Chrystal so pump removed cleaned out, and painted ready for re-fitting.



Also removed, serviced and painted was the servo unit and mounting brackets, brake master cylinder, and bracketry and accelerator linkage, auto gearbox inhibitor switch and bracket (mounted on steering box). Now that the engine bay looks a lot cleaner I can start applying primer to the inner wings, engine mountings and bulkhead, the engine might also get a coat of paint once the rocker cover has been cleaned and primed.

More next month      Word & Pictures from Alan

## Shows

A couple more shows have been added to the list (Highlighted) but if you know of any that I've missed then please let me have the info and I'll add them to it.

The Sittingbourne show at UKP Leisure is on Monday 7<sup>th</sup>. It's a 09:00 start so one of us will be in contact ASAP to arrange a meeting place and time for anyone wishing to come along.

I also received the email below and have added these dates to the list as well.

*Dear Kent Classic & Sports Car Club,*

*Folkestone Festivals was established some many years ago and have organised many hundreds of days of events in Folkestone, almost all free and family friendly.*

*We organised a "Bangers & Buskers" event some time ago which attracted a number of classic car owners who thoroughly enjoyed the day. Some of these exhibitors have asked to participate in our 2018 events.*

*We extend the opportunity for you and your colleagues to exhibit your cars at some of our events.*

*We have space at the two day Leas Village Fete which is on the Saturday and Sunday 2nd & 3rd June; this will be on the Leas between the Leas Water Lift and the Leas Cliff Hall.*

*Also the Folkestone Music Day on Saturday 14th July and the UK Strongest Man competition on Sunday 15th July; these two will be held by the bandstand on the Leas.*

*As before we'd be pleased to offer lunch vouchers to the driver and passenger of each classic car exhibited.*

*A booking form is attached which I'd be pleased if you would forward to your members.*

*Bookings will be confirmed with setting up information emailed nearer each date.*

*Regards,*

*Neville*

### This Month's meeting times and places listed below

2017		If anyone spots any errors or has anything to add to the list, please let me know
MAY	5 <sup>th</sup> – 7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Merton Vintage Show</b> (Faversham Show Ground)
	7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Classic Cars at UKP Leisure Pavilion - Sittingbourne</b>
	12 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Trevithics Steam &amp; Car – Dartford</b> (Meet at the Cobham Services at 08:45 to leave at 09:00)
	12 <sup>th</sup> - 13 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Motors by the Moat</b> (Leeds Castle) (Meet at the Notcutts Garden Centre at 08:30 to leave at 08:45)
	12 <sup>th</sup> – 13 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Faversham Transport Weekend</b> (Faversham Town Centre)
	13 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Cobwebs Rally</b> (RSPCA Animal Centre, Birchington)
	13 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Classic Car Show &amp; Autojumble</b> (Battlesbridge, Essex)
	19 <sup>th</sup> – 20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Kent &amp; East Sussex 1940s Weekend</b> (Tenterden Town Station)
	19 <sup>th</sup> – 20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Beaulieu Spring Autojumble</b> (Hampshire)
	20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Hempstead Village Fayre</b> (Meet at the The Ice Bowl, Gillingham at 09:00 to leave at 09:15)
	26 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Deal Classic Motor Show</b> (Walmer Green, Deal) (Meet at the Farthing Corner Services 08:15 to leave at 08:30)
	26 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Masters Historic Festival</b> (Brands Hatch Fawkham, Longfield)

	26 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup>	Enfield Pageant ( <i>Whitewebbs Museum of Transport, Enfield, Middlesex</i> )
	26 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup>	Laughton Spring Cuckoo Fair ( <i>Laughton Show Ground Nr Lewes</i> )
	27 <sup>th</sup>	Mid Kent's Autojumble ( <i>Indoor Autojumble at Lockmeadow Market Hall, Maidstone</i> )
	No Date	Staplefield Village Car Show ( <i>Staplefield, West Sussex</i> )
	No Date	Classic Cars at UKP Leisure Pavilion - <b>Sittingbourne</b>
	No Date	Car Show - Southborough
	No Date	Popham Auto Jumble & Car Show
JUN	2 <sup>nd</sup> – 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tinkers Park Steam Fair ( <i>Hadlow Down, East Sussex</i> )
	2 <sup>nd</sup> – 3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Leas Village Fete</b> ( <i>The Leas, Folkestone</i> )
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bucket & Spade Run ( <i>Starts Canterbury garden Centre to Ramsgate</i> )
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	SVEC Swale car Show – (30 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Show, Isle of Sheppy)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	London to Brighton Classic Car Run ( <i>Greenwich Park to Madeira Drive Brighton</i> )
	9 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup>	<b>American Speedfest</b> ( <i>Brands Hatch Fawkham, Longfield</i> )
	10 <sup>th</sup>	Horsmonden Summer Festival ( <i>Village Green, Horsmonden</i> )
	10 <sup>th</sup>	Quex Park Classic Motor & Military Show ( <i>Birchington</i> )
	16 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup>	Brooklands Double 12, Motorsport Festival ( <i>Brooklands Museum, Surrey</i> )
	17 <sup>th</sup>	Groombridge Place Classic Motor Show ( <i>Tunbridge Wells</i> )
	17 <sup>th</sup>	Bromley Pageant ( <i>Norman Park, Bromley</i> )
	17 <sup>th</sup>	Senlac Classic car Show & Country Fair ( <i>Opposite Bodium Castle East Sussex</i> )
	23 <sup>rd</sup>	Fairview School June Fair ( <i>Fairview Avenue, Gillingham</i> ) ( <i>Club booking see Paul or Peter</i> )
JUN	23 <sup>rd</sup>	St Benedicts School Summer Fayre ( <i>Lordswood</i> )
	30 <sup>th</sup>	Spa Valley Railway Steam Rally East Kent ( <i>Eridge Station</i> )
	No Date	Car Show - Southborough
JUL	30 <sup>th</sup> – 1 <sup>st</sup>	HSCC, Brands Hatch ( <i>Fawkham, Longfield</i> )
	1 <sup>st</sup>	Wrotham Classic Steam & Transport Rally ( <i>Top of Wrotham Hill, A20</i> )
	1 <sup>st</sup>	Darling Buds of May – Bethersden ( <i>Club booking see Paul or Peter</i> )
	6 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup>	Kent County Show ( <i>Detling Show Ground</i> )
	7 <sup>th</sup>	60 <sup>th</sup> Summer Celebration ( <i>St Benedicts School, Canterbury</i> )
	7 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup>	Capel Village Military Show ( <i>Capel, Surrey</i> )
	12 <sup>th</sup> – 15 <sup>th</sup>	Goodwood Festival of Speed ( <i>Goodwood House, West Sussex</i> )
	14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Folkestone Music Day</b> ( <i>The Leas, Folkestone</i> )
	15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>UK Strongest Man competition</b> ( <i>The Leas, Folkestone</i> )
	15 <sup>th</sup>	Whitstable Classic Car Show ( <i>Marine Parade, Tankerton</i> ) ( <i>Club booking see Paul or Peter</i> )
	15 <sup>th</sup>	Appledore Vintage & Classic Car Rally ( <i>Appledore Recreation Ground</i> )
	22 <sup>nd</sup>	Kents Kit Custom, and American Car Show ( <i>Aylesford Priory</i> )
	24 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup>	War & Peace Revival ( <i>Hop Farm, Paddock Wood</i> )
	26 <sup>th</sup>	Regatta Sea Front Classics ( <i>Dover Seafront</i> )



JUL	29 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Amberley Classic Car Summer Picnic</b> ( <i>Amberley Museum, Surrey</i> )
	2020	<b>Pride &amp; Joy Picnic in The Park</b> ( <i>Biggin Hill</i> )
	No Date	<b>Southern Classic Weald &amp; Downland Museum</b>
	No Date	<b>Chilli Farm Festival - Dover</b>
	No Date	<b>Classic Cars on the Green - Bearsted</b>
	No Date	<b>Herne Village Classic Car &amp; Dog Show</b>
AUG	5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Hooe Classic Car Show</b> ( <i>Hooe Recreation Ground, East Sussex</i> )
	12 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Cranleigh Car Show</b> ( <i>Cranleigh Show Ground, Cranleigh</i> )
	18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Capel Classic Car &amp; Bike Show</b> ( <i>Capel, Surrey</i> )
	18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Rye County Fair Horse &amp; Dog Show</b> ( <i>Elm Tree Farm, Icklesham, Rye</i> )
	18 <sup>th</sup> – 19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Combined Ops Military Vehicles &amp; Flying Display</b> ( <i>Headcorn Aerodrome</i> )
	19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Herne Bay Classic Motor Show</b> ( <i>Central Parade, Herne Bay</i> ) (Club booking see Paul or Peter)
	19 <sup>th</sup> – 20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Biddenden Tractorfest and Counry Fair</b> ( <i>Woolpack Corner, Biddenden</i> )
	25 <sup>th</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Wings &amp; Wheels</b> ( <i>Dunsfold Park, Cranleigh, Surrey</i> )
	27 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Old Timers Rally</b> ( <i>The Grande Hotel, The Leas, Folkestone</i> )
	2019	<b>Chrome n Cruisers Custom &amp; Classic Car Show</b> ( <i>Abbey School Field, Faversham</i> )
SEPT	1 <sup>st</sup> - 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Beaulieu International Auto Jumble</b> ( <i>Hampshire</i> )
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Capel le Ferne Classic Car Show</b> ( <i>Capel, Surrey</i> )
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Bonnets &amp; Bumpers Auto Show</b> ( <i>Herne Bay Junior School</i> )
	7 <sup>th</sup> – 9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Goodwood Revival</b> ( <i>Goodwood House, West Sussex</i> )
	8 <sup>th</sup> – 9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Laughton Autumn Show</b> ( <i>Laughton Show Ground Nr Lewes</i> )
	9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Kents Classic Car Show</b> ( <i>Aylesford Priory</i> ) (Club booking see Paul or Peter)
	30 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Grand Motobilia Day</b> ( <i>Battlesbridge, Essex</i> )
	2019	<b>Westenhanger Car Show</b> ( <i>Westenhanger Castle, Hythe</i> )
	2019	<b>Edenbridge Car Show</b> ( <i>Gabriel's Showground Edendridge</i> )
	2019	<b>Headcorn Classic Car Show</b> ( <i>Headcorn Aerodrome</i> )
OCT	7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Morgan Day</b> ( <i>Brooklans Museum, Surrey</i> )
	7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Autumn Historic Transport Show</b> ( <i>Amberley Museum, Surrey</i> )
NOV	9 <sup>th</sup> – 11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Classic Motor Show</b> ( <i>NEC, Birmingham</i> )

## Update & Thanks

As stated last month, we have enlisted the assistance of a web designer to help get our Website up to scratch but unfortunately this is taking longer than anticipated.

Please check with Paul or Peter before booking any shows if you want to be on the club pitch as we are trying to make arrangements at certain shows that will require you to book through the club.

**We are looking forward to a great year.**

### Wheelspin

If you would like to see anything extra in Wheelspin or have any suggestions, please let me know.

Thanks to everyone who gave their input in this month's edition

Please send any pictures and show reviews to

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