

May 2025



MGs in the Spring Sun

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Chairman's Chat - May 2025

Thanks to everyone who turned-out for our Spring Run on sun-kissed National Drive It Day and especially to John Copleston and his team for such a warm welcome they gave us at Phoenix Classic Cars for the start of the event.

I hope everyone enjoyed Adrian Mullins road run which finished at Verwood where participants had various options for lunch - some of us went onto the Winchester MGOC Cobweb Spin at the Dorset Heavy Horse Farm (report on this later).

Our next seasonal road run will be the Summer Run on Sunday 29 June which will include a BBQ at Pamphill Village Hall - entry forms for this will be available at the May club night.

The previously announced details for the Autumn Road Run on Sunday 12 October will be changing as the planned lunch stop at Hangar 3 at Old Sarum airfield is having to be re-arranged due to the sad fact that the historic World War One hangar and surrounded buildings (including the café) were destroyed by fire last month as you may have seen on the local news.

SUMMER SHOW TIME

There is still time to book your place on one or more of the local shows we will be attending this year to promote 1020 and its members' cars.

They start on Saturday 14 June with the Macmillan Summer Fete where we are being offered additional space this year and can accommodate up to 12 club cars.

The following month on Sunday 06 July we will be at the Broadstone Fun Day for which entry forms are now available. More details on this later in the newsletter.

A week later on Saturday 12 July we return to Westival, at West Moors which is always a popular event for club members and is well supported.

Just a quick reminder that places can still be booked for the Silver Anniversary New Forest Run on Sunday 01 June which is organised by Southampton and New Forest MGOC - register at: nfrun@1009mg.org.uk

Also for the diary is the Solent MGOC annual event at Stansted House near Portsmouth on Sunday 18 May starting at 10.00am.

Admission on the day is £10 per car which includes a free raffle, a magnetic plaque and half price entry into Stansted House - there is also a garden centre on the site.

FIRST CCOTQ RAINED OFF

The opening classic car gathering of the year at Christchurch Quay was cancelled last month (Monday 21 April) due to an adverse weather forecast.

In the event the rain was not as severe as had been forecast but the organisers had to make the decision 24 hours in advance - the arrangement with BCP Council is that the meetings on the Quomps will not go ahead if there has been rain during the 48 hours prior to the events or is forecast for the day of the event.

This is due to the nature of the ground which is susceptible to flooding and where the grass when wet can be severely damaged by vehicles.

The forecast for this coming Bank Holiday Monday (05 May) is wall-to-wall sunshine so it is looking good to get our cars back on the Quay.

ATHELHAMPTON

Entry forms are now available for our big annual event - our Garden Party and Picnic at Athelhampton House on Sunday 10 August. Many have already entered but we need full support from everyone in the club to make it a success and raise lots of money for our charities.

Advanced entry fee is £12 per person (more details later in this newsletter) and booking forms can be obtained from me on club nights.

COACH TRIP - EXTRA PLACES AVAILABLE

Due to an excess of interest in the 1020 coach trip on Thursday 15 May to the Museum of the Great Western Railway (STEAM) at Swindon and the adjoining Swindon Designer Outlet retail shopping centre, I have now secured the use of a larger 50-seat coach from Heathside Travel.

This means that if anyone who hasn't previously booked would like to come along we will have some free spaces. The cost is £30 per person to include entry to the museum and a seat on the coach or £20 if you just want to visit the retail centre.

CONDOLENCES TO MEMBERS

Our condolences go to club members Keith Brookes and Dennis Jones following the death of their wives, respectively Phyllis and Christine - their funerals were both due to take place in early May.

Chris Adamson

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May club night - Life in the Left Lane

To mark the 90th anniversary of the introduction of the UK Driving Test our guest speaker at this month's club night will be Clive St James Greenaway who for many years was a senior driving instructor in Bournemouth.

He will be giving a talk called 'Life In the Left Lane' which is a 45-minute fun-filled recollection of his life as a driving instructor packed with humorous anecdotes.

He will also include a short 10 minute section on how to cope with road rage using 'laughter yoga'!

Voluntary testing in Britain was introduced on 16 March 1935 by the Road Traffic Act 1934 - a Mr R Beere was the first person to pass the driving test which at the time cost 7s 6d (37.5p).

Compulsory testing was brought in on 1 June 1935 for all drivers and riders who started driving on or after 01 April 1934. Around 246,000 candidates applied immediately and initially between nine and 16 half-hour tests were conducted each day by 250 examiners. In the first year the pass rate was 63 per cent.

To check how well club members would get on if they had to pass the driving test today, Clive's speech will be followed by a short quiz based on the current Highway Code with a prize for the winning team.



The meeting will conclude with the regular monthly raffle (tickets from Jackie Cherrett) - prizes always welcome. Proceeds from the raffle help to pay the cost of hiring the meeting room.

Also at club night, you will be able to sign-up for the Summer Road Run and BBQ on 29 June and book a place at the various car shows that 1020 will be participating in this summer.

Summer Road Run & BBQ - book now!

Entries have now opened for the 1020 Summer Road Run and BBQ which will take place on Sunday 29 June.

The run will start as usual from Hamworthy Sports Club and finish at Pamphill Village Hall near Wimborne - Adrian Mullins has created an interesting 57-mile road route to get from the start to the finish.



Cars can arrive from 10am and it is suggested they depart by 10.30am - but there is no urgency to leave so soon as the day is very relaxed and flexible.

At Pamphill Hall participants will be served a freshly cooked BBQ featuring a selection of meats (vegetarian options), salads as well as the choice of tea or coffee and ice creams for dessert.

Entry fee for the run is £5 per car to include the route book and a rally plaque. The BBQ and Ice Cream costs £18 per head - which must also be paid in full at the time of booking.

Entry forms will be available at club nights or from Adrian Mullins email: adrianmullinsmgb@gmail.com



Verwood Rustic Fayre Car Show

The TR Register Wessex Group (which includes some 1020 club members) will be organising the Classic Vehicle Show at this year's Verwood Rotary Rustic Fayre at Potterne Park on Bank Holiday Monday 25 August.

The show is open to pre-1984 registered vehicles and the booking fee this year is £7 which includes entry for the vehicle and driver with one passenger (£7 for each additional passenger payable on the day), plus a Verwood Fayre programme.

For the first time, all applications can be made on line through a dedicated on-line booking page.

Exhibitors are asked to arrive between 9am and 11.30am on the day (tickets must be shown on the gate) to be in place for the Grand Opening at 12noon, they are then expected to stay until 4:30pm due to site health and safety requirements.

Tickets can be booked through the link: www.tickettailor.com/events/wessextrgroup/1638321

Extra places available for STEAM museum

Due to a late surge in ticket sales a larger coach has now been booked for the 1020 coach trip on Thursday 15 May which is visiting the Museum of the Great Western Railway (STEAM) at Swindon and the adjoining Swindon Designer Outlet shopping retail centre.

This means that there are additional seats available for anyone who missed out on the original allocation of places.

The coach will be leaving Hamworthy Sports Club at 9am prompt and should arrive at Swindon by 11.30am before departing at 3pm for the return journey allowing over three hours to tour the museum, visit the café and window shop in the designer outlet which is housed in the same complex.

Entry fee is £30 to include a seat on the coach and discounted entry to the museum. Alternatively, a seat on the coach for those preferring to go shopping, is £20.

STEAM is housed in a restored Grade II railway building in the heart of the former Swindon railway works and tells the story of the men and women who built, operated and travelled on the Great Western Railway.

The museum contains a wide range of artifacts including famous GWR locomotives, imaginative story-telling displays, videos - mixing rare archive film footage with the stories of ex-railway workers.



There are also hands-on exhibits, interactive displays and many rare GWR items of memorabilia.

There is a café on Platform One that offers a selection of hot and cold drinks, plus homemade cakes and sandwiches.

Next door is the McArthurGlen's Swindon Designer Outlet which is one of the largest covered designer outlets in Europe featuring a mix of high street and designer brands.

Entry forms for the coach trip are available from Chris Adamson at club nights or via email: chris@1020mg.org.uk

West Moors Classic Car Show

A new classic car show has been announced for Sunday 20 July 2025 - the West Moors Classic Car Show is taking place at Sturts Farm, Three Cross Road, which is on the way out of West Moors heading towards Verwood.

Open to the public from 12noon to 5pm (cars can arrive from 11.30am) the entry fee is £5 per car with the money going to the Sturts Community Trust charity.

The event is being run by a former MGOC member who is new to the area. There will be trophies for the best car entries, food and drink stalls, family activities, an autojumble and a tombola.

More details and to book in advance for the 20 July event contact Ken Wright on Email: kenpaulwright1957@gmail.com or Tel: 07481 534052.

1020 Evening at the Martyrs Inn



More than a dozen club members have already said they will be attending our exclusive MG night at the Martyrs Inn at Tolpuddle on Wednesday 11 June.

The car park will be reserved specifically for club cars which can arrive from 6pm. Those who want to have a meal are asked to book a table direct with the pub on tel: 01305 602115.

Alternatively, you can just turn up and have a drink and a chat - but please let Chris Adamson know if you plan to attend so he can advise the landlord of likely numbers.

The Martyrs Inn is located just off the A35 Bere Regis to Dorchester Road in the heart of the village of Tolpuddle before you reach Athelhampton House.

Plans for a mid-month pub meeting in July are currently being investigated on our behalf.

Classics invited to Damerham Fair

Club member Philip Neate is organising a small classic car display as part of this year's Damerham Village Fair on Saturday 26 July - and 1020 club members are being invited to be part of the local village event.

The fete features stalls and arena events as well as the car display and is located in the heart of Damerham opposite the village hall we used last year for our Summer Run and Picnic.

Cars (which must be pre-booked although there is no entry fee to pay) need to arrive before 10.30am - the event finishes at around 4pm.

The display area is located close to the exit if anyone needs to leave early. Damerham is located to the west of Fordingbridge.

If you would like to take part, please contact Philip Neate direct on tel: 01202 986613 or 07815 450373.

New his and hers 1020 club jackets

New style gents and ladies waterproof jackets are now available embroidered with the Bournemouth and Poole MGOC club logo - made by Result, they cost £40 each and are available in a wide range of colours and sizes.

The new wind and waterproof jackets feature a fleece lined inner-body, polyester lined sleeves, part elasticated adjustable cuffs and part elasticated hem, waterproof taped seams, a concealed hood and a full-length zip with tear release storm flap.

The gents design comes in sizes small to 4XL and the ladies in XS to XXL and are available in black, navy blue, bottle green, grey and red. The new jackets are available from Ian Hanstead to try at club nights - Ian will also take orders.

These join the expanded club clothing collection which also features a new range of winter hats (£14 each) in either a Beanie or Bobble style.

The full list of club branded clothing appears on the back page of this newsletter.

More details and to place orders please speak to Ian Hanstead at club nights or email him on: ian@1020mg.org.uk



MGB Roadster prize in Beaulieu draw

Having offered a 1972 MGB GT as the prize in their most recent annual prize raffle which was drawn last month, the National Motor Museum Trust is sticking with MG and with 1972 for their 2025 fund raiser.

Top prize in the 2025 draw is this 1972 MGB Roadster that comes complete with 12 months servicing, breakdown cover and a voucher for classic insurance with Hagerty.



A £10,000 alternative first prize is available.

The Roadster is powered by a 1.8 litre B-series engine and has a four-speed gearbox with overdrive. It has been fully restored and comes with the addition of electric power steering and features a black vinyl interior.

Second prize is the opportunity to have a seat in one of the National Motor Museum's historic vehicles on the London to Brighton Veteran Car Run 2026. The prize includes accommodation in London for one night.

Third prize is a trip for three around the New Forest in a vehicle from the Museum Collection and a chocolate treat from the Beaulieu Chocolate Studio.

Tickets cost just £2.50 and can be purchased at the National Motor Museum information desk, or by emailing prizedraw@beaulieu.co.uk with your contact telephone number - tickets cannot currently be purchased online.

The draw will be held on Friday 27 March 2026 at the National Motor Museum.

Places available for Broadstone Fun Day

Places can still be booked for the 1020 display at the Broadstone Fun Day on Sunday 06 July 2025.

The event, organised by Broadstone Fields in Trust, is open to all ages of MG and it is free to take part - all you need to do is complete a booking form in advance with your details.

Cars can arrive on the day from 10.30am but should be on site by 11.30am at Broadstone Recreation Ground, Lower Blandford Road, BH18 8NZ.

The show is open to the public at 12noon and finishes at 4.30pm - cars can leave earlier if necessary, but owners should contact a steward to guide them out to ensure the safety of the attending public.

The show features a number of stalls and attractions and a Car of the Day Award - owners are encouraged to display information about their vehicles for the judges benefit.

The club will have a designated display area and the club event shelter will be on site.



Entry forms are available from Chris Adamson at club nights or via email: chris@1020mg.org.uk and can be found on the 1020 website.

National Drive it Day - 1020 Spring Run

Last month's 1020 Spring Road Run on National Drive It Day proved to be a huge success with a bumper turn-out of 27 club cars making it to the start at Phoenix Classic Cars.

Here John Copleston and his team, who are marking 25 years since the business was started, provided teas and coffees and showed members around the packed workshop facilities featuring some of their latest restoration and repair projects including an MGC from Devon, a Triumph TR from London and an historic Bentley.

A few people also took the opportunity to purchase some spare parts for their own vehicles from John's extensive stores.

The workshop cars were matched by the colourful and diverse collection of MGs brought out by club members for the day; these ranged from a 1950s MGA through a healthy contingent of MGBs and MGB GTs, a brace of MGCs and a MGB V8 (Regional Secretary Nigel Knowles) and onto more modern machinery such as a ZS hatchback, RV8 Roadster, MGFs and TFs right up to an all-electric MG4.

It was especially pleasing to see Colin Sexton's award-winning MGB GT which had been brought along by his son William who we hope to see on more club events.

After the refreshments and insight into the workshop, rally plates and road books were issued by Adrian and Rita Mullins providing the instructions for a gentle drive to Potterne Park at Verwood with an alternative finish section for those who were going onto the Winchester MGOC Cobweb Spin at the Dorset Heavy Horse Farm.

In perfect, blue sky, driving conditions the modest 31-mile route took participants on a tour to the west and then north of Wimborne using some of the lesser travelled country roads.

At the finish, everyone went their separate ways, some choosing to make use of the local pubs and cafes for lunch.



Spring Road Run - more images



This image and front cover thanks to Alistair Reid



Winchester MGOC Cobweb Spin

Our close neighbours at Winchester MGOC hosted their traditional Cobweb Spin event on National Drive It Day at the Verwood Heavy Horse Farm near Verwood - the event location coincided with the finish point of the 1020 Spring Road Run to allow club members to take part in both activities.

Winchester had enough advance bookings to give MG owners exclusive access to the nationally recognised horse centre - the car park being crammed with a diverse collection of MGs from a TD through to a brand new MG3 Hybrid+.

The farm, one of the last to specialise in heavy horses, is home to over 20 horses (of various breeds) - many of which have been rescued - they are responsible for the purchase, ongoing care and medical treatment required for all the horses.

The farm also provides sanctuary to many other farmyard friends including donkeys, alpacas, turkeys, chickens, rabbits, guinea pigs, ducks, pigs, ferrets and aviary birds.

Alongside the animals, the farm displays a variety of agricultural vehicles and farm machinery including a rare vintage truck collection and road construction display, Showman's living wagons, a section on traditional Romany life, a blacksmith's workshop, a static canal display (with an insight into the horses that worked on water), a reconstruction of the Grains Hill Colliery (home to pit ponies) and a mechanical horse and vintage cider press display.



Beaulieu Spring Autojumble

The ever popular Beaulieu Spring Autojumble takes place on Saturday 17 and Sunday 18 May offering a one-stop-shopping experience for all your classic motoring needs especially those seeking an elusive part for their historic vehicle project, or those simply wanting a motoring-themed day out.

The contents of hundreds of garages, sheds, lock-ups and lofts will be on sale spread across hundreds of stalls.

On the Sunday there is the return of Trunk Traders, which is ideal for anyone looking to sell off their surplus motoring paraphernalia and it is also the home of the Land Rover Rummage providing the opportunity for fans of the iconic 4X4, to find spare parts, accessories and even complete project vehicles.

If you after a complete car, dozens will be found in the Automart ranging from familiar classics to modern road cars.

Alongside the sales area, our friends at the Dorset Branch of the Morris Minor Owners Club will return with MoggyFest featuring up to 200 Morris Minors in a themed display called 'Morris Through the Decades'.

This year, they will be hosting talks featuring informal sessions with key figures in the motoring scene, such as Steph Holloway from 'I Drive a Classic' and Poole motoring journalist Kim Henson, creator of the website 'Wheels Alive'.



To celebrate the 75th anniversary of the Sprite brand there will be a special display of colourful, vintage Sprite caravans that were popular from the 1950s to the 1980s due to their affordability, practicality and reputation.

We Had One of Those

A new interactive exhibition at Beaulieu will take more mature drivers back to some of the most popular cars from their childhood with iconic vehicles from the '60s, '70s, '80s, '90s and noughties on display.



'We Had One of Those' is designed to allow motoring enthusiasts old and new to get up-close and personal with some familiar names from the past by opening the doors, sitting inside, marvelling at retro dashboards and interacting with their buttons and dials.



Located adjacent to the National Motor Museum in the position previously occupied by the Top Gear exhibition, the new attraction features 10 vehicles including a 1960s VW Beetle, the infamous Austin Allegro (see left) - fondly remembered as the car everyone loved to hate in the 1970s - a Vauxhall Cavalier representing the 1980s (see below), and the big-selling Ford Fiesta, the first car for so many in the 1990s.

The cars are surrounded by popular items, sounds and accessories to transport you back to those years and evoke fond memories of past motoring decades



From fluffy dice hanging in the windscreen of the Austin Allegro to beaded seats in the Vauxhall Cavalier, you'll remember the 'good old days' in new ways.

The new 'We Had One of Those' attraction is included in the general admission ticket to Beaulieu, which also covers entry to the National Motor Museum, Palace House, Beaulieu Abbey, On Screen Cars, Little Beaulieu adventure play area and rides on the Monorail.

MGs galore in SWVA Spring Sale

A bumper array of no less than 15 MGs of varying ages went under the hammer at last month's classic sale organised by South Western Vehicle Auctions at Holton Heath.

All found new owners and almost all of them either sold between their estimates or exceeded them.

Top performer against estimate was a 1971 MGB GT that had been listed for between £4,000 and £5,000 but reached a healthy £7,650 (before fees).

Also exceeding expectations was a rare 1975 MGB GT Jubilee that finally went for £5,800 against a conservative original reserve of £4,000.

There was also a lot of interest in an extremely rare 1968 MG1300 in white that had a very modest catalogue guide of £1,000 to £2,000 which was quickly surpassed and eventually went for £3,400.

An early 1964 MGB Roadster that had a bullish estimate of £8,000 to £10,000 almost made its top end but at £9,500 was still the second highest priced MG in the sale.

Top honour went to a 1968 MGC which surprisingly struggled to get over its £9,000 bottom estimate and was knocked down for £9,850 which seemed like the deal of the day.

Roadsters in general did well, a 1969 MGB that had a £5,000 reserve just slid over the line at £5,150 while the best performing MGB GT was a 1975 example in yellow that made £5,050.

A 1977 MGB GT example finished in Carmine red featuring lots of recent work just exceeded its reserve at £3,300 which was the same final bid as on an earlier 1973 chrome bumper version finished in striking bright green (see photo).



Selling for £4,500 (£500 above top estimate) was another MGB GT, this time a 1973 example finished in Harvest Gold over a black leather interior with a lowly 50,600 miles on the clock.

Despite being a non-runner, a 1972 MGB Roadster with a long one family history and 97,277 genuine miles was attractive enough for someone to pay £3,800.

Both the MG Midgets in the sale found new homes at above their guide prices, a restored 1972 round wheel arch, chrome bumper example in black easily surpassed its £3,500 reserve to go for £4,050 while a red 1500cc Midget from 1976 just dipped over its £4,500 estimate at £5,000.

Also appearing in the sale were a pair of MGFs, a 2000 year SE with an average guide of £1,200 did well to reach £1,400 while a year later example just slipped below its top estimate at £2,300.

FOR SALE



SET OF 3 MONOGRAMMED AND FITTED - MGF ZIP BAGS

Stephanie Mobley has donated a set of three MGF monogrammed storage bags, which are tailor-fitted for an MGF, to be sold to benefit the club's charities.

The zippered bags, which are grey with red piping, are available to any MGF owner for a donation towards the 1020 charity fund.

See Chris Adamson at the May club night - they will be available to view and will go to the first person to make a reasonable offer.

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Free goodie bag for the first 70 cars to arrive on the day

(Advance entries close on Friday 01 August)

**Alternatively on-the-day admission £15 per person
(this does not guarantee reserved parking on the lawn)**

Details and an entry form - email: chris@1020mg.org.uk

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1020 CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS 2025

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All events are subject to cancellation or postponement

MAY

04	Compton Abbas Airfield Breakfast meeting	
05	1020 Club Night - Life of a Driving Instructor	1020mg.org.uk
05	Classic Cars on Christchurch Quay	bppcltd.com/ccotf/
06	Bransgore Fun Day - Classic Cars included	
11	Exeter MGOC - More2See Run	exetermgoc.com
15	1020 Coach Trip to Steam Museum, Swindon	1020mg.org.uk
17-18	Three Okefords Steam Rally	northdorsetrailway.co.uk
17-19	Beaulieu Spring Autojumble	beaulieu.co.uk
18	Lulworth Castle Classic Car Show	dorsetblind.org.uk
18	Solent MGOC, MGs in the Park - Stansted Park	
18	MGB Jubilee & LE Celebration, Abingdon	
18	South East MG Car Club Road Run	
18	Blandford Brewery Breakfast - Dorset Car Club	
23-26	MGOC Cricket St Thomas Weekend - Convoy Run	1020mg.org.uk
26	Brooklands Museum - Best of British Day	Brooklandsmuseum.com
30-01 June	Vintage Nostalgia, Stockton Park	vintagenostalgiafestival.co.uk

JUNE

01	Southampton & New Forest MGOC New Forest Run	1009mg.org.uk
01	Oxfordshire MGOC, MGs in the Park, Cotswold Wildlife Park	
01	Transport of Yesteryear Hardy Country Classic	
01	Compton Abbas Airfield Breakfast meeting	
02	1020 Club Night - Talk on Bee Keeping	1020mg.org.uk
08	Classic Cars on Christchurch Quay	bppcltd.com/ccotf/
11	1020 meeting at the Martyrs Inn, Tolpuddle	1020mg.org.uk
14	Macmillan Caring Locally Summer Fete Club Stand	1020mg.org.uk
15	Blandford Brewery Breakfast - Dorset Car Club	
21	Ferndown Fete on the Field	ferndownfotf.org
21-22	MGOC Racing Championship, Thruxton Circuit	
	1020 club members invited to join Wessex Vehicle Preservation Club display	
22	Classic Cars on Christchurch Quay	bppcltd.com/ccotf/
29	1020 Summer Road Run & BBQ	1020mg.org.uk
27-29	Roads to Rail Steam Rally, Norden	swanagerailwayroadstorail.co.uk

JULY

06	Broadstone Fun Day - 1020 Club Stand	1020mg.org.uk
06	MGF30, British Motor Museum, Gaydon	mgfregister.org
06	Cotswold Caper, Gloucestershire MGOC	glosmgoc.co.uk
07	1020 Club Night - Members Choice	1020mg.org.uk
10-13	Goodwood Festival of Speed	goodwood.com
11-12	Pilford Heath Heritage Show	
12	Westival Show, West Moors - Club Stand	1020mg.org.uk
12	Classic Cars on Christchurch Quay	bppcltd.com/ccotf/
13	New Forest Car Show, Bransgore	bransgorerotary.com
20	West Moors Classic Car Show, Sturts Farm	Tel: 07481534052
20	Sherborne Classic & Supercar Show	classicsatthecastle.co.uk
20	Blandford Brewery Breakfast - Dorset Car Club	
25	British Classic Car Night, Poole Quay	
26	Damerham Village Fete - Classic Car Display	
26-02 Aug	Swanage Carnival	

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AUGUST

04	1020 Club Night - Race Night	1020mg.org.uk
08-10	Purbeck Rally	
10	1020 ATHELHAMPTON GARDEN PARTY	1020mg.org.uk
17	Blandford Brewery Breakfast - Dorset Car Club	
17	Compton Abbas Airfield Breakfast meeting	
22-24	CarFest South, Laverstoke Park Farm	carfest.org
22-24	Silverstone Festival, Northamptonshire	
23-24	Henstridge Wings & Wheels	
24	Canford Classic & Supercar Show, Canford School	
25	Verwood Rustic Fayre inc Classic Cars	
30	Discount MG Rover Open Day, Fawley	

SILVERSTONE FESTIVAL - 22 TO 24 AUGUST

The Silverstone Festival will take place over the August bank Holiday with a special celebration for the 75th anniversary of the FIA Formula 1 World Championship which was inaugurated at Silverstone in 1950. Alongside the classic racing machinery, the event will feature a Supercar Driver Paddock featuring the latest speedsters from Aston Martin, Ferrari, Lamborghini, McLaren and Porsche. This year's packed racecard not only includes races paying tribute to the 75 years since F1 was born at Silverstone, but also showdowns starring competition versions of the illustrious supercars on show in the International Paddock. All Silverstone Festival tickets give access to both racing paddocks, open trackside grandstands plus a line-up of family-friendly activities and attractions such as live music concerts from chart-topping performers, selected fun fair rides and stunt shows. Further information is available from the Silverstone website www.silverstone.co.uk

SEPTEMBER

01	1020 Club Night - Talk on unusual aircraft	1020mg.org.uk
05-07	Classic Steam at Norden	
06	Brunel Run, Bristol Area MGOC	bamgoc.co.uk
06-07	Beaulieu International Autojumble	beaulieu.co.uk
05-08	1020 Dartmoor Weekender - including	1020mg.org.uk
07	The Tamar Valley MGOC People & Places Run	
07	John Haynes Classic Car Show	haynesmuseum.org
07	Compton Abbas Airfield Breakfast meeting	
12-14	Goodwood Revival	goodwood.com
20	Westbourne Motor Show - Club Stand TBC	1020mg.org.uk
21	Chichester MGOC Day at Arundel Castle	
21	Blandford Brewery Breakfast - Dorset Car Club	
28	Classic Cars on Christchurch Quay	bppcltd.com/ccotf/

OCTOBER

06	1020 Club Night - AGM & Call My Bluff	1020mg.org.uk
12	1020 Autumn Road Run including visit to the Boscombe Down Aviation Collection 3	1020mg.org.uk
19	Blandford Brewery Breakfast - Dorset Car Club	

NOVEMBER

03	1020 Club Night - Skittles Challenge	
	Return match V Dorset TR Register	1020mg.org.uk
16	Blandford Brewery Breakfast - Dorset Car Club	

DECEMBER

01	1020 Club Night	1020mg.org.uk
07	1020 Christmas Lunch, Bridge House Hotel	1020mg.org.uk

A LIST OF EVENTS CAN ALSO BE FOUND ON THE WEBSITE - 1020mg.org.uk

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