



October Newsletter 2001

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Meetings at The George Hotel, Silsoe
1st Tuesday Monthly, 8.30 p.m.

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Hello All,

Firstly, a mention that, after many years of hosting the fireworks night, Dave & Dorinda will not be able to do it this year. What would we like to do this year?

Will try to attend a local event. Will advise shortly...

CHRISTMAS DINNER AND DISCO

FRIDAY 21st DECEMBER at THE FANCOTT

This has been provisionally booked with The Fancott. Numbers are **strictly limited to 25** and I already have 19 verbal commitments.

I require a £5 per person deposit by the end of October.

Attached is a menu which I would like you to make your choices and return to me in good time.

LAST MONTH'S ROUND-UP

September started off with the **South Downs Run**. Although it started raining at Petersfield, and continued on and off for most of the run, when we arrived at Eastbourne it was dry and bright. Geoff & Hilary also made the trip down to see us arrive and join in the event on the Western Lawns in Eastbourne.

A few of us went to **Car Heaven** at Steeple Morden. I understand it was a dry but chilly day but with plenty of interesting attractions.

A slightly more tranquil event was the **Austin A30/A35 Chiltern Rally** at Leighton Buzzard. There was an amazing demonstration by the LB Fire Brigade on how to extract a passenger from a crashed car using a Vauxhall Chevette as the (unfortunate) demonstration vehicle. It was also a very pleasant setting although finding the entrance proved to be tricky.

Two MGs from our club (Mike & Sue and Paul & Ann) took part in the **P6 Rover Owners Club Treasure Hunt** with ten P6s. The winner was yours truly and his brother (in his P6). Although often rather damp, the route took a fascinating journey; starting from The Fancott, through Ivinghoe,

Wendover, Chesham and finished at some pub in the middle of nowhere (not far from Hemel Hempstead).

FACTORY TOUR

I require confirmation of dates and numbers such that I can arrange the tour(s) with TVR. They can accommodate 6-8 persons per tour and require 2 weeks notice. This would have to be a weekday so bear in mind the need to take holiday. Perhaps we can discuss suitable dates tonight.

Numbers strictly limited to 6 per day. We have 14 interested. Will have to come to another arrangement.

OCTOBER S EVENTS...

Sun 9th **Autumn Gold Run**

No interest

Tue 16th **Pub Night**

The Chequers, Streatley

Sun 28th **National Restoration Show and Autojumble, Stoneleigh**

If any interest, meet 09:30 at Chalk Hill

EVENTS FOR 2001

November	Tue 6	Club night
	Tue 20	Pub Night
December	Tue 4	Club night
	Tue 18	Pub Night
	Fri 21	Christmas Party

Other events to be scheduled are:

Video evening – MGs in America
Sunday mystery run and pub lunch

Notes:
