



The GT Memorial Tour – **Remembering Graham Thornton** **Sunday 27th June 2021** **Regulations**

Covid 19

This tour is being organised by Bognor Regis Motor Club Ltd to be as safe and secure as possible to follow the latest Covid 19 regulations. Therefore, you enter the event confirming that you will be prepared to follow the guidelines, wear facemasks if appropriate and comply with social distance measures at all times. Should you develop symptoms of Covid 19 it will be your responsibility to withdraw from the tour for the safety of the rest of the entry, the marshals and others at our venues.

We will be operating on-line Entry Form which will be needed to be completed before close of entries on 6th June. The official Motorsport UK RS Clubmans Signing on document will be posted onto the website 7 days before the tour with the Final Instructions, Driver's Brief and seeded entry list. **This needs to be completed 48 hours before the tour.** We will need one RS Clubman form completed for every person in the car! PLEASE NOTE YOU ARE NOT ALLOWED ANY GUESTS NOR WILL SPECTATORS BE ALLOWED ON THIS YEAR'S TOUR, AT OUR EXCLUSIVE VENUES. Please adhere to the written instructions and any posted on the notice board at the start. For your safety, we will fill the Participants' sealed packs on the Monday before the tour, including the roadbooks and these will not be touched again until you collect them on Sunday morning. You will be issued with a Route Card/Damage Declaration in your pack. This will not be signed on the day by marshals at the checkpoints. It will be your responsibility to sign and complete the damage declaration at the finish and drop it in the box there.

Due to the fast-moving situation with Covid 19, should the pandemic still be too risky or illegal to run on Sunday 27th June 2021, the plan is to move it to a date in the Autumn. We will hold all the payments and entries as per the first proposed date. Should participants find the second date is no longer suitable, we hope they will allow us to keep their £30 deposit (this will be sent to the charity) and the balance will be refunded up to one month before the proposed new date.

ORGANISATION

1. Bognor Regis Motor Club Ltd will organise The GT Memorial Tour – "Remembering Graham Thornton". A Touring Assembly on Sunday 27th June 2021. This is a non-competitive classic car tour giving participants the opportunity to drive a scenic route

and visit some interesting locations along the way. The primary aim is to raise as much as possible for Mesothelioma UK. The event is sponsored by Hamnton Construction.

The event will be held under a Certificate of Exemption issued by Motorsport UK, these Regulations and any written instructions that the Organisers may issue for the event. The event has no competitive element. A Competition Licence is not required for the event. Entrants do not need to be members of the organising Club or any other motoring organisation.

Motorsport UK Event Permit/Certificate of Exemption No: 120917 has been issued.

ELIGIBILITY

2. The event is open to four-wheeled road cars first registered before 31st December 1989. Interesting later "future classics" will be accepted at the organiser's discretion.

ENTRIES

3. Entries open on 20th March and close on 8th June 2021. All entries must be made on the official on-line entry form and accompanied by the entry fee of **£120.00** for two people travelling in one car. Please add **£60.00** for each additional passenger. Please make your cheque payable to **Bognor Regis Motor Club Ltd**. See entry form for BAC payments which is the preferred method of payment please. Each entry will be acknowledged. **£12.50** per person from every entry fee will be donated to Mesothelioma UK.

The entry fee includes: One Tulip Roadbook giving a suggested route and optional pre-arranged venues to visit during the tour, One rigid Tour Plate and 2 window stickers. Breakfast roll with tea/coffee at our exclusive private start venue, Body Farm, Nutburn Road, North Baddersley SO52 9BG. Entry to our Bring your own picnic lunch venue and visit to Breamore Countryside Museum www.breamorehouse.com. (Please take your picnic litter home). During the afternoon there will be an exclusive visit to Duncan Hamilton Motors to view their Showroom of exceptional classic cars, many with motorsport history. The ladies of The Worthies WI will serve tea/coffee and cake. The finish will be back at the exclusive private location at Body Farm with kind permission from Peter and Mary Hall. There you will be served a delicious Beef Roast roll, by Matt's Hog Roast. There will be a small Commemorative Gift per crew member.

Don't forget to bring your own picnic chairs. You may need them at all the venues as we intend spending the majority of the time outside. Please dress appropriately.

The maximum number of cars on the event is 85. The minimum is 60. Should the above minimum figure not be reached, the organiser's reserve the right to cancel the event and entry fees will be refunded as per item 5. Cars will be seeded in age order with the oldest cars leaving first. If you wish to travel with friends let us know on the entry form.

DOGS:

4. Well behaved Dogs on leads will be allowed at **outdoor** venues only. You must pick up and dispose of poo responsibly at **ALL** venues to protect livestock! Owners are responsible for poo pick up and disposal off site in appropriate refuse collection bins.

CANCELLATION OF ENTRY

5. The following cancellation fees will apply: Cancelling entry after taking a reserved place and before 8th June 2021 – entry fee will be refunded less £12.50 donation per person for Mesothelioma UK & £5 administration fee to BRMC Ltd. Entry cancelled after 8th June 2021 – **Sorry no refund.**

ROUTE

6. The Start venue will be Body Farm, Nutburn Road, North Baddersley SO52 9BG. Map Ref:185 / 4010 2085. The first car will leave at 10.01am. The suggested route will

cover approximately 100 miles in Hampshire and Dorset. The Finish will be back at Body Farm from approximately 17.00 first car.

7. The suggested route will be given in an easy to follow "Tulip" Road Book, which will be issued to entrants at the start of the event. Although not required to complete the suggested route, participants may like to follow their progress on Ordnance Survey 'Landranger' 1:50000 maps 184, 185 & 195 or may use a good quality up to date road atlas. A marked map will be available for you to copy at the start.
8. Route cards will be supplied but will not be signed. The venues will be open for specified periods, as shown in the Roadbook, giving adequate time to visit while during their opening times.

EVENT PHOTOGRAPHER

9. Tony Large will again be our official photographer on the event and photos will be available to purchase after the event via www.tonylarge.net

TIMETABLE

10. The timetable for the event will be as follows:
 - 27th March 2021: Entries open on-line
 - 19th June 2021: Signing-on opens online one week before the tour and needs to be completed before 25th June 2021
 - 3rd June 2021: Any Postal entries and cheques should arrive by this date to allow for Covid 19 segregation.
 - 8th June 2021: On-line entries close – No refund of entry fee
 - 19th June 2021: Final Instructions will be posted online.
 - Sunday 27th June 2021: 08.15 – 09.45. Arrival at venue, park up, collect pack and Breakfast rolls. There is a strict timetable to assist social distancing – please be on site by 09.45 at the very latest.
 - 10.00: Any crew not present at the venue, may not be allowed to start and will forfeit their entry. 10.01: First car leaves the start at Body Farm with cars following at 1-minute intervals. 30 second starts may be used if considered appropriate.
 - 17.00: Approximately first car due at the finish at Body Farm.

DOCUMENTATION

11. Cars/Entrants must arrive at the start between 08.15 - 09.45. Portaloos open from 08.00 – 11.00.

All participants must ensure that they have a current MOT Certificate and Road Fund Licence (if needed) plus adequate insurance to enter the event for the vehicle entered. They will be required to confirm a declaration to this effect on the on-line entry form by 8th June 2021. Any nominated Drivers should hold a full UK Driving licence.
12. Any vehicle, which, in the opinion of the organisers, is deemed inappropriate or unsafe, will not be allowed to start. Cars must not display any advertising or carry any competition numbers on the doors, without prior permission from the organisers. Please ensure your vehicle is in a safe, clean and tidy condition. There will be no Scrutineering at the venue.
13. At Body Farm entrants collect their Tour Pack containing: Tour Plate, window stickers, Road Book and Route Check Card. They will also receive wrist bands for breakfast roll/coffee, Bring your own Picnic Lunch and visit to Breamore House Countryside Museum. Afternoon tea and cake will be served at Duncan Hamilton Motors. Roast beef roll (one each per person) at the finish. **Please note there will be no bar available. Please bring your own drinks and plastic glasses if you require anything.**

OFFICIALS

14. Clerk of the Course/Secretary to the Meeting: Ali Green – Landline: (01243) 542674
email: alitherally@btinternet.com On the day Mobile: 07803 604453
Route Designer: Mick Briggs
Covid Officer: Mark Saunders
Entries Secretary to whom all postal entries & cheque payments must be sent: Mrs Jill Collings, 12 Brecon Avenue, East Cosham, Portsmouth, Hants, PO6 2AW
Tel: 02392 325868 (before 21.00 hours please) or email: Jill Collings
jocollings12@yahoo.co.uk
Marshals: Members and friends of Bognor Regis Motor Club Ltd including CSMA (Sarum).

COMMEMORATIVE GIFT

15. There will be a small Commemorative Gift presented to all participants at the finish who enter the tour.

ACCOMMODATION

16. We have negotiated special rates at Chilworth Manor Hotel 2.3 miles from Body Farm for both Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th June. Chilworth Manor is situated in parkland and cars are not seen from the road. Availability is limited so book early to guarantee your chosen dates and rooms.

Rates are as follows and are per room per night:

£65.00 room only single or double occupancy

£75.00 Bed and Breakfast single occupancy £85.00 Bed & Breakfast Double/Twin occupancy

The rates are based on standard rooms – upgrades may be available from £20.00 per room per night. All rates inclusive of VAT and service. To book email: reservations@chilworth-manor.co.uk or ring 02380 76 3015 and quote GA000148

Participants are accountable to guarantee and pay their hotel accounts. The hotel will honour a two-week cancellation on any rooms booked. Should the event be postponed due to Covid the hotel will allow postponement of those individual reservations to a future date within 12 months and subject to availability.

ADDITIONALLY

17. Participants will be identified by a rigid tour plate, which will be supplied by the organisers. This must be displayed in a prominent forward facing flat position on the front of the vehicle, cable ties will be provided.
18. All marshals are deemed to be judges of fact regarding driving standards, or lack of respect in relation to maintaining social distancing. You may be excluded and your road book retained for inconsiderate driving, or breach of social distancing, be warned! Please drive responsibly, respecting the road conditions and other road users, our marshals and the staff at our venues, ramblers, dog walkers, horses and cyclists.
19. Chilworth Manor Hotel have donated a one-night Dinner, Bed and Breakfast stay for 2 adults including the use of their Leisure facilities. Entry to this will be via on-line entry form – tickets are £5 each and all money received will be donated to Mesothelioma UK.

We hope you enjoy your day's Motoring and help us to raise plenty of funds for
Mesothelioma UK Charity No: 1177039

PRIVACY POLICY:

20. By entering this event you have given us permission to hold your contact information. This will only be used to advise you of this event and future events where BRMC is involved and you may find of interest. Or, importantly, for use in Track and Trace regarding Covid 19. Your details will not be shared or sold by either BRMC, Tony Large our official photographer or Tony Michaels the provider of on-line services.

The Organising Team and Committee of the Club are not professional computer operators but will endeavour to ensure your information is held securely.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:

21. Bognor Regis Motor Club Ltd: www.bognor-regis-mc.co.uk
Breamore Countryside Museum www.breamorehouse.com
Chilworth Manor Hotel: <https://www.bestwestern.co.uk/hotels/best-western-chilworth-manor-hotel-83920>
Nigel Eddleston – www.edpphotonews.com for Logo image.
Peter and Mary Hall
Duncan Hamilton Motors: www.dhrofgo.com
Hamnton Construction:
The Historic Rally Car Register: www.hrcr.co.uk
Matt's Hog Roast: www.matt-hogroast.co.uk
The Worthies WI:
Tony Large Official Photographer: www.tonylarge.net
Tony Michaels: online Entry and Signing on documentation
Motorsport UK Route Liaison Officers: www.motorsportuk.org



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