

forward with ideas or suggestions for events or activities.

You can see the plan of events going forward at flyingmorgan.weebly.com but, for now, a reminder of some of our forthcoming confirmed events:

19 Jun – Evening Noggin at The Star, Winscombe, BS25 1QE.

2 Jul – Outing to Bowwood House and Gardens, Calne, SN11 0LZ.

11 Aug – Mendip Centre 30th Anniversary BBQ, Rowde Hill Farm, SN10 1SY.

Members will receive full information from our events coordinator, Paul, in due course.



MIDLAND

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Diary Dates

2nd May Thursday daytime meet. Oakchurch Farm Shop, Brecon Road, Staunton on Wye, Hereford HR4 7NH daytime meet from 10.30am.

14th May Tuesday evening. Malvern Hills Hotel, Wynds Point, Jubilee Dr, Upper Colwall, Malvern WR13 6DW. Centre AGM. Do arrive from about 6.00pm. We have our usual room on the right as you come in. Meals available as normal. Please order and pay for them at the bar and leave your name so that you can be easily found. The meeting will start at about 08.30pm.

11th June Tuesday Evening. Plough and Harrow, Rhydd Road, Guarlford, Malvern, WR13 6NY. From about 6.00pm.

28–30 June FBHVC inter-club international weekend at the Three Counties Show Ground, Malvern. There will be a parking area for Morgans. <https://fbhvc.co.uk/news/article/interclubweekend> for more information.

20–21st July 2024 MAC Shelsley Classic Nostalgia, Shelsley Walsh, Martley, Worcestershire WR6 6RP. Tickets are available on the Shelsley website <https://www.shelsleywalsh.com/>. Click on 'Buy Tickets', then scroll down to car clubs, click on 'Buy Tickets', which takes you to a new page, then 'Buy Tickets' again and you will see a number of options. Click on the number of tickets and the days that you would like, complete your details and halfway down this page you will see 'Select your Car Club' and in the drop down box, scroll down to 'The Morgan Sports Car Club'! As in previous years, it is important that you do confirm your link to Morgans so that your parking space in the Morgan only area can be automatically computed. If you don't do this you may end up in the general car park and not where the action is. If you would like further details please contact me on the email address here.

MogFest 26–28th July 2024. Weston Park. Weston-under-Lizard, Shifnal TF11 8LE. As announced in Miscellany, this year there will be a spares fair organised by Graham Austin along the lines that used to be applied to the fair at the Abbey hotel Malvern. Please contact Graham on gxaustin@gmail.com if you would like more information.

WhatsApp group. If you would like to be added to the Midland Morgan WhatsApp group do contact me for more details.

All meetings can be subject to last minute changes so please contact me if you would like to be added to the Midland centre newsletter circulation as well. We will continue to have additional weather dependant daytime meets that will be advised in our newsletter.



NEW FOREST

LOGMOG

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The weather continues to challenge us with

high winds, torrential rain and floods across the region but we're a hardy bunch and attendance at our events has continued to be very good. Noggin numbers have had two features this year, firstly the large number of attendees with 45–50 people not being unusual and secondly, arrival times getting earlier and earlier (perhaps being influenced by the large number of attendees)! Dawne and I have routinely arrived at the advertised time to find many of our members sitting there with empty plates!

By the time you read this we'll have held our April Noggin, joined in with National Drive-It day and attended the first of the 2024 Gurston Hillclimbs to watch some of our Centre members blast up the hill. Many of us will also be at our annual Padstow Rally when this copy of Miscellany arrives.

Our Noggin programme continues throughout the year and we're now beginning to add the "picnic" venues, the first of which is on the 4th June followed by a rather more energetic event on the 4th July at members Philip & Polly Perrett's dairy farm.

Thrupton Historic on 22nd/23rd June bookings are on the rise and the event looks like it is going to be really good. We have our usual trackside grassy pitch reserved on both days. Access to the paddock is free and just a short walk away and there's always a good turn-out from other car clubs around the circuit. If you are planning to attend please book your tickets. The discount code for our reservation is available from me at brian.dunton@talk21.com and of course Morganeers from surrounding Centre's are encouraged to join us.

Our thanks to all of the Committee and members for stepping up to organise many of these events.

The programme for 2024 is constantly changing and the latest information together with further detail can be found on our web site at www.logmog.co.uk – here is a summary of the next three months, the rest of the year can be found on the web site.

Sunday 12th May – Annual Lunch, South Lawn Hotel, Milford on Sea

Tuesday May 21st – BHM Morgan Track Day at Goodwood

Thursday 23rd May – Noggin, La Pergola, Lyndhurst – FULLY BOOKED

Tuesday June 4th – Picnic, 12.00 The Orchard House, Titchfield

Tuesday June 13th – Noggin, 12.00 the Flowerpots, Cheriton

Saturday/Sunday 22nd/23rd June – Thrupton Historic

Monday 24th June – Noggin/Pizza Night – 5.30 onwards @ The Tichborne Arms, Alresford

Thursday 27th June – National Trust River Wey, boat trip and cream tea, Dapdune Wharf – FULLY BOOKED

Thursday 4th July – Independence Day Picnic – Bourne Farm, Blandford

Sunday 7th July – Gurston Down hillclimb

Saturday 13th July – Tisted Classic Fly-in courtesy of SOGMOG

Tuesday 13th August – Scenic Run departs The Swan, Lyndhurst.10.30 – 11.00

August 10th – Bentley Drivers Day, Silverstone

September 12th – Noggin 6.00 pm New Queen Inn, Ringwood

1st – 8th September – Brittany Rally, WAITLIST ONLY

Sunday 8th December – Christmas Lunch 12.00 Forest Lodge Hotel, Pikes Hill, Lyndhurst



NORTHERN

NORCEMOG

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We are saddened to report the death of Keith Mowatt, a previous long-term member of The Northern Centre. Keith was a very

active member of the centre and our long service members fondly remember the lively character that he was. Our thoughts are with wife Pam at this very sad time.

With Mother's Day clashing with our usual 2nd Sunday in the month get together we were unable to find a restaurant willing to cater for 40 Morgan owners on such a busy day. Nevertheless, our calendar for the rest of the year is filled with a variety of Norcemog organised and 3rd party events throughout 2024.

The British GT Championship featuring GB3 and GB4 celebrated their opening rounds at Oulton Park over the Easter weekend. We had applied on behalf of MSCC Northern Centre for some free admission tickets for display cars on the Monday however the application was initially rejected as "we are looking for modern sport cars"! Rather ironic as a previous application for The Gold Cup was rejected as our cars were too new! (That rejection later rescinded after a letter to Dr Jonathan Palmer, Chief Exec of MSV).

When I queried how new do the sports cars have to be as they are still rolling off the production line in Malvern we did receive an apology and acceptance of our marke. Another £29 saving against my £42 subscription – who says MSCC membership is not worth it? Easter Monday dawned to persistent rain which made many of the 12 races interesting however the 2nd GT Championship race in the afternoon was on a rapidly drying track and in sunshine.

We are all familiar with allowing extra time when parking a Morgan as there will be somebody who just has to come over, admire the car and have a chat. As my Grandson and I climbed out of our Morgan at Oulton Park we were immediately besieged by a gentleman running over saying "Thank you, thank you, the look on that Ferrari drivers face when you started to turn into their allocated car park area was priceless! You've made my day!" We aim to please!

Stay safe and enjoy your Morgan.

Forthcoming Events

May 12th – Autotest & Concours – Clitheroe

May 12th – Candles charity run organised by MG Owners club – All Morgans welcome.

May 19th – Lytham Hall Classic car show

June 6th – Visit to private American war vehicle museum and lunch.

June 28 – 30th – Inter club week end – Malvern

June 30th – Arley Hall, 10 cars max – contact Centre Secretary for any late places available

July 14th – Hoghton Tower – Private dining and guided tour

2024 diary available at norcemog.com



OXFORD

OXMOG

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Hi there Oxmoggers

I keep hoping the weather has turned for the better but still lots of rain but hey hoods up and off we go.

Our Annual Dinner took place on 8th March at Sudbury House, Faringdon and I was delighted that 35 people were able to attend including Jann Robinson Vice Chair MSCC and hopefully by now Chair MSCC – Jann was a great help to our team in the general knowledge particularly her awareness of food and drink! We held a wonderful raffle and have raised £1055 for Helen & Douglas House Hospice – well done everyone.

For your information we have raised the following for HDH – 2022 £316.43 / 2023 £505.16 – it is really encouraging to see our charitable giving growing year by year – well done everyone.

At our April Noggin I hope to present a trophy to Jim & Jo for the most miles driven in the last year in their Morgan however they may

be off on their travels ! Let's wait and see ! Martin will receive the award for the most attendances at a Noggin in a Morgan – well done to all.

The Brunch in March was well attended despite the weather with 24 hardy souls and 7 Morgans

By the time you read this the MSCC AGM will have taken place on 13th April and I hope you all voted.

There are a number of events in the pipeline 14th May – Noggin – Sturdys Castle 8.00 pm Notices

13–17 May – Wold Wobble trip to Lincolnshire – EVENT FULL

19th May Chiltern Hill Vintage Vehicle Rally

21st May – Brunch Mill View Garden Centre OX33 1HY meet at 10.00 am

4th June – Brunch – Cotswold Barn, Longborough G56 oGC meet at 10.00 am

11th June – Noggin – Sturdys Castle – Notices 8.00 pm

9th – 18th June – Scotland Trip – EVENT FULL Lots going on – hope to see you out and about soon

John Duff



SCOTLAND

JOCKMOG

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The 3rd edition of the 2024 event calendar was issued on 29 February 2024. And it rained for 40 days and ... please bring on the fine spring weather. Jockmog diary dates for 2024 include:

2 May – NE Noggin at the Cawdor Tavern in Cawdor, by Nairn, IV12 5XP

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12 May – Stirling & District Classic Car Show, Bridge of Allan, FK9 4RB

Contact – Phil Cavanagh @ 07810 776171

16 May – Central Noggin at the Inn at Muckhart, Dollar, FK14 7JN

Contact – Lawrence Lowe @ 01383 853033

6 June – NE Noggin at the Quayside Restaurant, Gourdon, DD10 0JZ

Contact – Brian Graham @ 01561 362265

16 June – Festival of Historic Transport, Vintage Bus Museum, Dunfermline, KY12 0JZ

Contact – Lawrence Lowe @ 01383 853033

20 June – Central Noggin at the Rosslyn Inn, Rosslyn, EH25 9LE

Contact – Doreen Smith @ 07974 688531

4 July – NE Noggin at the Boat Inn, Aboyne, AB34 5EL

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18 July – Central Noggin at the Lion & Unicorn, Thornhill, FK8 3PJ

Contact – Marion Hopkins @ 01236 842 388

1 August – To be confirmed – NE Lunch at the Kildrummy Inn, Alford, AB33 8QS

Contact – Andy Reeves @ 01224 319872

15 August – Central Noggin at the Inglewood House & Spa, FK10 2HU

Contact – Margaret Rogers @ 07870 204539

5 September – Venue & Organiser required

Contact – Andy Reeves @ 01224 319872

19 September – Central Noggin at the Inn at Charlestown by Limekilns, KY11 3EE

Contact – Lawrence Lowe @ 01383 853033



SHERWOOD FOREST

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CENTRE CHAIRMAN: Richard Warner

Spring has finally sprung, with summer just around the corner, so I am hoping everyone is enthusiastic about creating some great memories in their Mogs this year.

A few of us visited Harlaxton Manor, near Grantham at Easter. Built in 1837, this Victorian country mansion and gardens is very

impressive, and certainly worth another visit at some point in the future.

In April, 17 of us had a great trip to the wonderful Seckford Hall Hotel and Spa in Suffolk, we spent a few days exploring the area and following the scenic routes provided by Andrew Gee. It was a great way to start the season, a good time was had by all and many thanks to Andrew and Janice for organising.

The Sherwood Forest 'Treasure trail around Edwinstowe on 25th April was well attended, a great way to learn a little more about our area. Many thanks to Jim & Jill Kirby for arranging.

I hope everyone took advantage of the numerous events that took place on 'Drive it Day' on 21st April. Our gratitude goes to all those who organised events.

Richard Warner has arranged a dinner at Morley Hayes Hotel & Golf on Thursday, 2nd of May, please let Richard know if you would like to attend.

Morgans in May at the Great British Car Journey Museum, Ambergate and Belvoir Castle with DonMog are just a few of the activities taking place in May so let's get out there and blow those winter blues away.

I would like to remind everyone about the "Tally Oh" Charity Classic Run being held on 19th May in Chesterfield, Morgans are welcome but registration is required.

Our weekend trip to Llanerchindda Farm Guest House, near Llandovery, on 31st May, is not too far away now and I hope everyone is looking forward to experiencing Wales. Some of us will be starting our adventure at the Gaskell Arms at Much Wenlock to break the journey up a little, and a Morgan Factory tour has also been arranged on the way back.

Richard Warner is finalising the Amber Valley Wine Tour for 18th August, anyone wishing to attend please contact Richard or myself ASAP.

Regards, Richard

Important Dairy Dates

Monday, May 13th, Noggin at the Griffins Head, Papplewick, Notts. 19.30

Monday, June 10th, Noggin at the Griffins Head, Papplewick, Notts. 19.30

May 2nd Morley Hayes Hotel evening dinner.

May 6th Morgans in May at the Great British Car Journey Museum, Ambergate.

May 15th Belvoir Castle with DonMog.

May 19th Charity Run for Western Park Hospital.

May 31st Spring weekend away, Mid / South Wales Tour.

June 9th Nottingham Motor Show Wollaton Park & Picnic.

June 19th Bremond Watch Factory Tour.

Anyone interested in any event or wanting further details, please let me know.



SOUTH COAST

SOGMOG

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For once I can report sunshine for our Noggin! The March lunch meeting was at The George at Finchdean, and the strange vision of blue skies accompanied us on our drive home. Having said that, some of the puddles stretching across roads still had to be avoided as they hid nasty potholes. Just down the road from the pub it looked like a car had suffered a blown tyre, probably from finding a hole under the water. A few months ago, I hit a hole in my campervan in the dark and the impact triggered my fuel cut out so the van automatically stopped with hazard lights activated.

For those that follow the SogMog Facebook page, you may have seen a couple of Morgan Plus Fours designed by my granddaughter, 5 year old Maggie. She is quite enamoured with the Morgan Motor Company on-line configurators for the Plus Four and Super 3. The latest design, not shared on Facebook,

was a shocking pink model, with hard top, 16" polished wire wheels, with a spare and a luggage rack. The final price was over £100K, an awful lot of pocket money! She is learning mouse skills and enjoys adding things like mesh grille with, of course, a number 5 on it and roundels on the doors, needless to say, displaying 5. She always finishes off adding 'call-signs' (no, me neither!) on the back for her and brother Harry.

As Jane and I were away, Andrew Bird kindly sent me details of our first 2024 evening noggin at The Jolly Drover, Liss, our new venue for the midweek meetings. Seventeen members arrived in a variety of tin tops and Morgans (with hoods up) because the day had started out very wet, but by the afternoon the roads had dried out somewhat, leaving many of us indecisive about our mode of travel.

Hugh and Esther Cowan were warmly welcomed as new members to their first SogMog Noggin. Pauline and Mike Driscoll who have a much travelled 'mature' four-seater Plus 4 and hadn't been able to join us for a while were similarly greeted.

The pub had sectioned off a very pleasant area for us in the comfortable bar lounge. A full menu was available, coupled with a prompt and cheerful service. The lively conversation much of it about 'Drive it Day' and other Morgan plans meant time passed too quickly as the daylight faded and gave way to a drive home in the dark. The evening noggin proved to be a promising start to the new year's events.

Tim Edwards

Diary Dates.

For all events please keep an eye on emails from Colin, especially, as we need to give the venues an idea of numbers.

1st May – Wednesday Evening Noggin – The Jolly Drover, London Road, Hill Brow, Liss, GU33 7QL

5th May – Goodwood Breakfast Club – 100th Sunday

11th May – Awbridge Village Fete and Car Show – 11.30 am onwards – SO51 OHG

18th – 19th May – Beaulieu Spring Autojumble

19th May – Noggin – The Red Lion at Chalton, PO8 0BG

21st May – Brands Hatch Morgan Track Day – Goodwood Circuit

26th May – Haslemere Classic Car Tour and Show – <https://jamesewing.co.uk/hccs/>

5th June – Wednesday Evening Noggin – The Jolly Drover, London Road, Hill Brow, Liss, GU33 7QL

16th June – Noggin – The Barley Mow, Walderton, PO18 9ED Lunch and Skittles Match

22nd–23rd June – Thruxton Historic

23rd June – Goodwood Breakfast Club – GRRC members only

24th June – Noggin arranged by LogMog – The Tichborne Arms, Alresford, SO24 0NA from 5.30 pm

28th–30th June – Inter-Club Weekend, Malvern. Use code MORGIC24 at www.interclubweekend.com

1st to 4th July – Group visit to Llanerchindda Farm Guest House, Wales.

3rd July – Wednesday Evening Noggin – The Jolly Drover, London Road, Hill Brow, Liss, GU33 7QL

11th–14th July – Goodwood Festival Of Speed

21st July – Noggin – The Hampshire Bowman, Dundridge Lane, Dundridge, SO32 1GD

26th–28th July – Mogfest

4th August – Goodwood Breakfast Club – Classic (Pre 1984)

11th August – Lewis Car Collection – in aid of Phyllis Tuckwell Hospice – Old Kiln Farm, Jumps Road, Churt. GU10 2JZ – <https://www.pth.org.uk/event/motor-show/>

30th Aug – 11th Sept – Picos de Europa holiday

15th September – Noggin – Venue TBC

20th October – Noggin – The Flowerpots, Cheriton, SO24 0QQ

17th November – Noggin – The Hampshire

Hog, London Road, Clanfield, PO8 0QD
14th December – Christmas Meal and AGM –
The Fox and Hounds, Funtingdon, PO18 9LL



SOUTH EAST

HOPMOG

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The Hopmog events calendar is really filling
up now after what feels like a long wet
winter.

Our first visit this year was to Crossness
Pumping Station in Abbey Wood on
Wednesday 20th March, 40 Hopmogs were
amazed at the intricacy of the building and
it's decoration and enjoyed the guided tours.
A former sewage pumping station constructed
between 1859 and 1865 by William Webster,
as part of Bazalgette's redevelopment of
the London sewerage system, it features
spectacular ornamental cast ironwork,
and has been described as "a masterpiece
of engineering – a Victorian cathedral of
ironwork". We were the first car club to visit
Crossness but they would love to see more.

We're looking forward to our visit to
Westerham Brewery on 4th May, it's an
award-winning Brewery, Tap Room, Café &
Shop established in 2004, producing locally
brewed, top quality craft beers.

This month's Kent Noggin is at the Rose &
Crown, Mundy Bois Road, Mundy Bois, TN27
0ST on Tuesday 7th May from 6:30pm. 01233
840048 www.theroseandcrownpluckley.co.uk.
Please book direct with the pub and mention
The Morgan Car Club.

We have a visit and tour of the De Havilland
Aircraft Museum, on Wednesday 8th May, if
you'd like to join this visit but haven't booked
yet you need to be quick because the booking
deadline is Friday 3rd May. Some of us are
staying at the Premier Inn at South Mimms
on the Tuesday night so that we're not at the
mercy of the M25 traffic the next morning
and we can get together for a bite to eat and
a natter.

There's a BHM Breakfast Club on Saturday
18th May from 9:30 am to noon. Meet at the
garage in Borough Green as usual for a bacon
roll, mug of tea or coffee and a good chat with
lots of Morgan owners. This will be followed
by lunch at The Amherst Inn, Sevenoaks Road,
Seal, Sevenoaks, TN15 0HB 01732 904044
www.theamherstinn.co.uk. Please book direct
with the pub and mention The Morgan Car
Club.

Tuesday 21st May is the ever popular BHM
Goodwood Track Day. It's free to spectate and
join in the parade laps and group photo at
lunchtime or if you want to book some fast
laps contact Sarah at BHM to book.

Hopmog have a reserved club display area for
the Sunday at The Masters Historic Festival,
Brands Hatch Circuit, on Sunday 26th May.
This is a great day of racing with F1 cars, Le
Mans prototypes and GTs, Pre-66 Touring
Cars and pre-'83 group 1 Touring cars.
The booking process for this event is quite
complex so you need to look at our events
calendar for guidance.

We're planning a visit to the Shuttleworth
Collection on Wednesday 29th May. Please
check our website for details.

The Surrey Noggin is at Inn on the Pond,
Nutfield Marsh Road, Nutfield, RH1 4EU on
Thursday 30th May from 6:30pm. 01737
643000 www.theinnonthepondnutfield.co.uk
Please see our website for booking details.

Whilst we have "Kent" and "Surrey" Noggins
all Hopmog and MSCC members are very
welcome to either and if you don't want to eat
you can just come along for a natter, that is
what Noggins are about after all. If you don't
plan on eating there's no need to book.

There are lots of other events that we're
taking bookings for, check out our website to
make sure that you don't miss out.

Diary Dates:

May 4th – Westerham Brewery
May 7th – Kent Noggin, Rose & Crown
May 8th – De Havilland Museum
May 18th – BHM Breakfast Club
May 18th – Kent Noggin, Amherst Inn
May 21st – BHM Goodwood Track Day
May 26th – Brands Hatch Historic Masters
May 29th – Shuttleworth Collection
May 30th – Surrey Noggin, Inn on the Pond,
Nutfield



SOUTH WALES

TAFFMOG

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March got off to a good start with Dave's St
David's Day run. This turned out to be an
epic jaunt. Ten cars made the trip despite the
traffic problems. Not least being 1.5 hours
stuck in traffic to go about 1 mile on the
A40 just before the Pensarn roundabout in
Carmarthen. The Cathedral cafe did us proud
even though we were 90 minutes late, getting
there just 5 minutes before they stopped
serving food. Return trip via Fishgaurd,
Aberaeron, Lampeter, Llandovery & Brecon,
with the 5 remaining couples dining at a
Llandovery pub. A round trip of just under
300 miles for me and Kay, even longer for
Simon and Jan who started in England!!

Not to be outdone, Denis led the way on the
Bridgend Noggin run in his new Plus Six,
taking care to avoid the cow pats, and this is
an abbreviated version of the day from Cheryl.

"A good run out past the airport and through
the Vale of Glamorgan, along the cliff of
Southerndown and on past Ogmog... except
we didn't quite all get past Ogmog, with
the exception of Denis and Liz (I suspect he
didn't want to get sand on his new tyres) all
the Morgans turned seaward, disappearing
down the steep hill. Bringing up the rear, we
scratched our heads, read the direction again,
decided they had gone "off piste" and carried
on. We did all eventually make it to the golf
club though. An excellent day out, thank
you Liz and Denis for rallying the troops and
getting us out there."

There is an accompanying verse but you'll
have to go to our Facebook page for that and
more.

The Usk Noggin was again held at the
Greenmeadow Golf Club but with the warmer
weather coming we might look a bit further
afield to add a bit of variety to life.

Finally, it has come to my attention that
John Coupland has been competing in trials
and with some success, getting a gold in the
Exeter Trial. Despite using it in some
gruelling competitions John's car is always
immaculately turned out, which shows it can
be done. There's hope yet for John Beskeen.
Hopefully the rest of the year will be kind to
us and that we'll get out and make the most
of our cars.

A final few words, literally. We have just
held our AGM and a number of us have stood
down from the committee. Three volunteers
have stepped forward to fill the breach. Phil
Harry has taken over the Centre Secretary's
role from Paul, assisted by Barrie Avery who
will be dealing with the membership side of
things. Cheryl O'Brien has agreed to take over
writing the Centre reports, so perhaps we'll
have something worth reading for a change!
We hope that they enjoy the same level of
support from the membership that we've had
over the years and look forward to seeing
what direction they take Taffmog in.

May's Diary Dates

Bridgend Noggin: Thursday 9th May. TBA.
Contact Denis or Liz. Email: denisandliz@
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Usk Noggin: Wednesday 15th May. TBA. See
our Facebook page for details.

West Wales Noggin: Friday 17th May at
19.00hrs at the Railway Inn, Nant garredig
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SWINDON & NEWBURY

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At the AGM held on 20th March, Dave Hoade
& Brian Miller were voted in as Joint Centre
Secretaries replacing Mike.

Brian addressed the meeting saying he looked
forward to 2024 with a full events programme
driven by a very enthusiastic events team of
Clive, Anne & Nigel.

John has taken over as treasurer from Ian &
Mike has remained in the communications
role. All team details have been updated on
our website.

Swanmog events programme kicked off on the
21st April on 'Drive it Day' with a tour of the
seven Wiltshire White Horses ending at the
Atwell Wilson Museum, Calne.

This was followed by a visit to the Morgan
factory on the 24th April. Both were well
supported.

Future dates for the diary: –

9th May – (2nd Thursday, Noggin West) at the
Bell Inn, Bowden Hill, Lacock, Chippenham
SN15 2PJ at 7–7.30pm. Please let Brian know
if you are attending.

14th May – Scenic Drive & a visit to the
National Animal Welfare trust. Contact Ben &
Meg to join in for this visit.

15th May – (3rd Wednesday, Noggin East) at
the Halfway Inn, Bath Road, Newbury RG20
8NR at 7.00pm. Please let Dave know if you
are attending.

22nd May – Kennet & Avon canal trip from
Devizes Wharf. Contact Brian regarding this
trip.

For a full list of events & noggins please see
our website – www.swanmog.co.uk

Looking forward to meeting members new &
old at events & noggins. Brian & Dave



THAMES VALLEY

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We are pleased to announce we will be holding
our AGM at the Bird In Hand Noggin on May
2nd details have been circulated in newsletter
postings to members. Christopher Beck and
Christopher Nickless will be giving brief talks
on a series of planned events and the trip to
Mid-Wales, respectively. We also hope to
have an additional speaker on a subject we are
sure will be most interesting for us.

Hence, it's that time of the year again when
we ask for your nominations for the Thames
Valley Centre's trophies which will be
presented at this year's AGM this month. As
a Centre we are proud of our awards as they
characterize the spirit of our club. Through
these awards we aim to facilitate the use
and enjoyment of our beloved steeds, in
like-minded company. The trophies are all
awarded on a calendar year basis, in this case
2023. The Trophies are:

The F. H. Douglass Trophy. Awarded to the
owner who has driven the greatest distance in
their Morgan(s) during the year. I knew there
are a few of you that have made long journeys
in your Morgans last year, so why not enter?
This award is easy to enter, just send us your
mileage taken for 2023 from your MOT, or