

VEC Forthcoming Club Events – Dates for the Diary:

Please note: We will try to keep our ‘Forthcoming Club Events’ pages up to date. For up-to-date information on ALL Volvo Enthusiasts Club events please check our Club Website www.volvoenthusiastsclub.co.uk & Club Facebook Group Page – ‘Volvo Enthusiasts Club Est. 1989’.

Membership Cards: Please make sure you have your current Membership Card with you when you attend **ANY of our Club Events**, as these will be now checked, so only our Club Members in future will receive the full benefits of our Club Membership.

The VEC Events for 2026 – Dates already booked in the Club Diary:

20th-22nd March 2026 – ‘Practical Classics Restoration Show’ at the NEC Birmingham – Club Display

18th April 2026 – **Volvo Enthusiasts Club Est: 1989 Southern VEC Day Out – at Gatwick Aviation Museum**

9th -10th May 2026 – ‘Marches Transport Festival & the Spring Food Festival’ in Ludlow Castle – Club Display

10th May 2026 Swedish Day - a day for ALL Swedish built vehicles – to be held at Yeovil Rugby Club

1st June to 30th September 2025 – VEC Members Reliability Challenge 2025 – Challenge to be confirmed

7th June 2026 – ‘Volvo Enthusiasts Club’ National Gathering 2026 – venue to be confirmed

13th June 2026 - An invitation from Volvo Truck UK – A Club Display at the Volvo Truck UK HQ Warwick

July 2026 – ‘51st Powderham Castle Historic Vehicle Gathering’, near Exeter, Devon – Club Display- to be confirmed

19th July 2026 – ‘Fleetwood Festival of Transport 2026’ (Tram Sunday)- Fleetwood, Lancashire – Club Display

31st July-2nd August 2026 – Torbay Steam Fair 2026 – Individual Entries at this fantastic event

12th-13th September 2026 – Beaulieu International Autojumble 2026 – Usual Club Stall in Green Field

October 2026 – Proposed VEC Northern Day Out – Date and Venue to be confirmed

13th-15th Nov 2026 ‘The Lancaster Insurance Classic Motor Show 2026’ NEC Birmingham – Club Display

VEC Event Dates in more detail already booked for 2026 in Club Diary.

20th-22nd March 2026 – ‘Practical Classics Restoration & Classic Car Show 2026’ at the NEC Birmingham on Stand 4-745 in Hall 4 – A major Club Display at this event! The Club will be putting on a very special display at this premier event to celebrate several Volvo Model anniversaries. **Discounted tickets saving £3.50 per ticket** for Club Members friends etc; using our special Code **CCVOLENM6** from the NEC Box Office – See Advert Enclosed. For further information or if you would like to be involved contact **Kevin Price** – kevinprice1955@btinternet.com

19th April 2026 – **Volvo Enthusiasts Club Est: 1989 - Southern Day Out at the Gatwick Aviation Museum** Meeting from 10am at **Charlwood Volvo Independent Volvo Specialist (see Advert Enclosed)** at 4 Charlwood Place, Norwood Hill Road, Charlwood RH6 0EB for Coffee and tour of the Volvo Garage Services & Facilities, followed by a drive to the Gatwick Air Museum Lowfield Heath Road, Gatwick, Surrey, RH6 0BT for 12noon. Best Volvo attending Competition, Furthest Distance Travelled Award and complimentary refreshments for all Club Members – For more up to date information on the day – Contact Kevin Price – kevinprice1955@btinternet.com

26th April 2026 – ‘Drive It Day 2026’. Yesterday's Vehicles Supporting Today's Children. National Drive It Day www.driveitday.co.uk/ to register and purchase your Grill Rally Board in support of the NSPCC

9th to 10th May 2026 – ‘40th Marches Transport Festival & Spring Food Festival’ held at Ludlow, Shropshire A Club Display at this very popular event held inside Ludlow’s Historic Castle in centre of lovely town of Ludlow in Shropshire. www.ludlowspringfestival.co.uk for more information. If you would like to display your car you must book individually and state, ‘Club Display’ in ‘Category Entered’ and Volvo Enthusiasts Club. There is a Road Run on Sunday if you wish which needs to be booked with your application – This is a great show so why not come along. To book - <http://www.marchestransportfestival.co.uk> then please let me know when you have received confirmation of booking – Numbers may be limited due to venue, so book early to avoid disappointment – Bookings are taken early in the New Year – **Club Contact:** Kevin Price – kevinprice1955@btinternet.com

10th May 2026 - Swedish Day 2026 – **10.00am to 4.00pm** A day event dedicated to all those who love Sweden and Swedish ideas, for those who like to drive and those who admire Swedish Vehicles – to be held at the Yeovil Rugby Club **Swedish Day UK (weewebs.co.uk)**

1st June to 30th September 2026 onwards – ‘The VEC 2026 Volvo Reliability Challenge’ – This year with Volvo’s 10th Birthday rapidly approaching, we ask members to set their own Volvo Challenge, with their much-loved Volvo. There will be a special awards for the furthest distance travelled and the most unique Challenge - A Club Members Challenge, where they use their Volvo, classic or new to undertake a driving challenge, usually set by the VEC Club within the specified time. allowed - Further details contact Kevin Price email kevinprice1955@btinternet.com

7th June 2026 – ‘The Volvo Enthusiasts Club National Gathering 2026’ Venue to be confirmed

– ALL Volvo Owners, enthusiasts and friends are invited, from 11.30am onwards – **This is The Volvo Enthusiasts Club ‘National’ Day Out** at a place of interest for all, with awards, voted by attending Members for the ‘Best Car’ of each Volvo Model, furthest distance travelled to event, Best Restoration, etc; etc. Complimentary refreshments for Club Members, as is our usual custom – Club Membership will be available on the day – For more information contact Kevin Price – kevinprice1955@btinternet.com

13th June 2026 – At the Invitation of Volvo Truck UK – A Club Display, joining with the ‘Steelboys’ Classic Truck Club for their annual visit to the Volvo Truck UK HQ in Warwick – Club Display at Volvo Truck UK HQ at Warwick. This will be followed by the usual Road Run down the M40 with the Classic Volvo Trucks to the British Motor Museum at Gaydon (**NOTE: A charge to enter the Museum at Gaydon may be levied by them, as it is their ‘Classic & Commercial Show’**). If you are interested and would like your car or truck considered for our Club Display at this event please contact Kevin asap – It’s a great day out and was a regular pre Covid in our Club Diary – **ALL Club Vehicles MUST BE Prebooked with Kevin – kevinprice.vec1989@btinternet.com**

31st July -2nd August 2026 – ‘Torbay Steam Fair 2026’ – near Brixham, Devon – Individual entries only at this fantastic Steam Fair in glorious Devon. Camping available on site, Free Live entertainment for exhibitors on Friday and Saturday evening, Volvo Classic Cars, Trucks, Buses etc all welcome. For more information and Booking Form www.torbaysteamfair.co.uk – VEC Club Contact: Kevin Price

12th & 13th September 2026 – ‘Beaulieu International Autojumble 2026’ (DATE TO BE CONFIRMED) Club Stall in our usual spot – Green Field – Stand G042. Why not come and see us for a chat and time to relax with a cuppa etc Club Regalia will be available with some very special offers – kevinprice1955@btinternet.com for more information.

October 2026 – Volvo Enthusiasts Club Est: 1989 Northern Day Out and Road Run – Venue and date to be confirmed -This will be a Meet followed by a Road Run to a place of interest in the North of England
Date, Venue and timings to be confirmed – Contact Kevin for up-to-date info – kevinprice1955@btinternet.com

13th-15th Nov 2026 NOTE THE DATE CHANGE ‘The Lancaster Insurance Classic Motor Show 2026’ at the NEC Birmingham – Club Display A Club display at this premier indoor Classic Car Show held at the NEC Birmingham – This year we will celebrate a number of Volvo Anniversaries plus display a number of unique vehicles in the UK. If you would like to help in any way, we particularly need members to help with build-up and breakdown of the Club Display Stand, so if you can help it would be much appreciated, please contact Kevin Price – Email kevinprice1955@btinternet.com

Date For 2027 – Yes 2027!!! Volvo’s 100th Year Celebration

18th April 2027, The Volvo Enthusiasts Club - Volvo 100th Birthday Celebration is association with the British Motor Museum at Gaydon – We are pleased to announce that we have secured the British Motor Museum, Gaydon as the venue for our celebration of Volvo’s 100th Birthday – the first car rolling off the production line on the 14th April, 1927 and called ‘Jakab’. So get it on your calendar – **Volvo 1927-2027 ALL Volvo Owners** will be welcome This will be a ticketed event through the British Motor Museum, but Discounted Tickets will be available **ALL VOLVO BUILT VEHICLES WILL BE WELCOME including Cars, Commercials, Ex Public Service & Military etc.** For further details: kevinprice1955@btinternet.com

NOTE: Volvo Enthusiasts Club 1989 Limited hold no responsibility for loss or damage however caused at ANY events. You are responsible for your own safety.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON ANY CLUB EVENT CONTACT
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