

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 events please check our Club Website www.volvoenthusiastsclub.co.uk & Club Facebook Page – 'Volvo Classics'.

VEC Dates booked so far for 2022:

1st June to 30th September 2022 – VEC Members Reliability Challenge 2022

12th June 2022 – 'Volvo Enthusiasts Club National Gathering 2022' – **Date change due to new June Bank Holiday**

3rd July 2022 – Lydiat Classic Car & Bike Show 2022 in aid of Cancer Research – Individual entries

9th & 10th July, 2022 – '48th Powderham Castle Historic Vehicle Gathering', near Exeter – Club Display

17th July, 2022 – 'Fleetwood Festival of Transport 2022' (Tram Sunday)' – Club Display

24th July 2022 – 'English Riviera Classic Car Show 2022' – Paignton, Devon (to be confirmed)

19th-21st August 2022 – 'VROM' (Volvo Rendezvous & Owners Meeting), Gothenburg, Sweden

4th September, 2022 – VEC Annual Northern Day Out – Contact: catherineandsteve@virginmedia.com

10th & 11th September 2022 – Beaulieu International Autojumble 2022 – Club Stall

24th & 25th September 2022 – 'Volvo Klassieker Beurs 2022' (Volvo Classic Fair) Rosmalen,

11th-13th November 2022 – 'Lancaster Insurance Classic Motor Show 2022' at the NEC Birmingham

VEC Club Events booked for 2022 in more detail:

1st June to 30th September 2022 – Return of 'The VEC Volvo Reliability Challenge' – This year's VEC Challenge is to visit 2 of the British Mainland Furthest Compass Points e.g. **North:** Dunnet Head, Caithness, Scotland – **South:** Lizard Point, Cornwall – **East:** Lowestoft Ness, Suffolk. – **West:** Ardnamurcan Point, Argyll, Scotland. Proof of completing the Challenge will be required. No time limit except must be completed within the months of June to September. ALL successful Members will receive a Certificate of their achievement – Further details contact Kevin Price – kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com

12th June, 2022 'Volvo Enthusiasts Club National Gathering' – to be held at Apley Estate & Farm Shop, Norton between Bridgnorth and Telford off the A442 in Shropshire. This is a return visit to Apley, which is a unique venue and is much more than just a Farm Shop. **Here we will celebrate the 95th Birthday of Volvo ('Jakob' Volvo's first Car was produced in April 1927) and also the 60th Birthday of the Volvo P1800 launched in the UK in March 1962. Venue has been chosen due to possible further Covid restrictions, which could determine our activities on the day, plus also helping to keep our Club Members and visitors safe. ALL Volvo Owners, enthusiasts and friends, plus 1800 owners welcome to come along and help us celebrate from 11.30am onwards – This is The Volvo Enthusiasts Club 'National' Day Out with awards, voted by attending Members for 'Best Car' of each Volvo Model, furthest distance travelled to event, Best Restoration, Club Regalia Sales etc; etc. – More info - Contact Kevin Price – kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com**

3rd July, 2022 – Lydiat Classic Car and Bike Show 2022 in aid of Cancer Research – Individual Member entries – to be held at the Lydiat Village Hall, 288 Southport Road, Lydiat, Liverpool, Merseyside, L31 4EQ not far from M58 – contact Lesley Blundell – classiccar@cheerful.com or 07961894465 to book in your car

9th & 10th July, 2022 – Powderham Castle Historic Vehicle Gathering 2022, near Exeter in Devon - Club Display at this fantastic show, vehicles wanted for display, either or both days. Camping available on site – PLEASE BOOK EARLY – Contact Terry Court asap topcars1@hotmail.com to book or more details

17th July, 2022 'Fleetwood Festival of Transport & Tram Sunday 2022' – Club Display – Tram Sunday is fun-packed transport event for all the family... is the largest FREE event of its kind, attracting crowds of 70,000+ to fill the town of Fleetwood. There's something for everyone and entertainment for all the family. If you would like to come along and display your Volvo or help man the Club display please contact Kevin asap as Stand booking is made early 2022 – kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com

24th July, 2022 – 'English Riviera Classic Car Show 2022' – Paignton, Devon – Club Display at this popular Classic Car Show held on the seafront at Paignton, Devon. If you would like to help or display your car please contact – Contact Terry Court asap topcars1@hotmail.com to book or more details as Terry has to book our stand and vehicle numbers early in 2022

19th- 21st August 2022 – ‘VROM’ – Volvo Rendezvous & Owners Meeting, Gothenburg, Sweden. An annual Volvo meet with factory visits, classic car rally, spare parts market and exhibition. Everything in and around Volvo’s hometown Gothenburg. Further information: <http://www.vrom.org/Start/>



4th September, 2022 VEC Annual Northern Day Out – Club Meet in the North of England - Meeting at 10.30 for 11am departure at Lancaster Services, Northbound, between Junctions 32 and 33. Plan then is to take the minor road through the Trough of Bowland, joining B6478 for Slaidburn, then minor road to Clapham, then returning on A65 > B6480 to Settle, possibly taking in Ribbleshead viaduct before returning to the Motorway. Organised by our North-West Reps – Further details in future Club magazines. **This event will only take place if there is sufficient interest and subject to ANY possible Covid restrictions** – Please confirm that you wish to take part/details – North-West Regional Reps: Steve & Cath Cropper catherineandsteve@virginmedia.com who will then confirm with you by email nearer the date that event is going to take place

10th & 11th September 2022 – ‘Beaulieu International Autojumble 2022’ Club Stand 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 Membership plus Regalia will be available with some very special offers – kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com for more information

24th-25th September 2022 – ‘Volvo Klassieker Beurs 2022’ (Volvo Classic Fair) Rosmalen, Holland. Held at Autotron, Rasmalen, Holland. Volvo Classic Fair features a display of the products such as Volvo cars, parts and related items and many more related products. Largest Volvo market outside Sweden. Euro Volvo Club displays. Club Contact Kevin Price kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com



11th-13th Nov 2022 ‘Lancaster Insurance Classic Motor Show 2022’ at the NEC Birmingham – Club Display – Club display at this premier indoor Classic Car Show held at the NEC Birmingham. Come and see where we will be displaying a very special celebration stand for Volvo’s 95th Birthday and 60 years of TV’s The Saint plus the P1800 launched in RHD in March 1962 - If you would like to help in any way or have your car considered for display. We particularly need members to help with build-up and breakdown of the Club Stand so if you can help it would be much appreciated, please contact Kevin Price – email kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON ANY CLUB EVENT CONTACT

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