



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 Page – 'Volvo Classics'.

VEC Dates for the Diary - already booked so far for 2023:

Please place them in your Diary

24th -26th March 2023 – 'Practical Classics Car & Restoration Show' at the NEC Stand 5-635 Hall 5 – Club Display
16th April, 2023 – Club Members Day Out at The Great British Car Journey Museum - Derbyshire
12th-14th May 2023 – '37th Marches Transport Festival & the Spring Festival' at Ludlow – Club Display
1st June to 30th September 2023 – VEC Members Reliability Challenge 2023 – Challenge is confirmed
4th June 2023 – 'Volvo Enthusiasts Club National Gathering 2023' – Our Club National Gathering
10th June 2023 – Club Display at the Volvo Truck HQ at Warwick with the Steelboys Classic Truck Club
24th June, 2023 – Southport Auto Centre Charity Open Day – Club Display
2nd July 2023 – Lydiat Classic Car & Bike Show 2023 in aid of Cancer Research – Individual entries only
8th & 9th July, 2023 – '49th Powderham Castle Historic Vehicle Gathering', near Exeter – Club Display
16th July, 2023 – 'Fleetwood Festival of Transport 2023' (Tram Sunday) – Club Display
23rd July 2023 – 'English Riviera Classic Car Show 2023' – Paignton, Devon (to be confirmed)
4th-6th August, 2023 – 'Torbay Steam Fair 2023, near Brixham, Devon – Individual Entries
August 2023 – 'VROM' (Volvo Rendezvous & Owners Meeting), Gothenburg, Sweden
2nd & 3rd September 2023 – Beaulieu International Autojumble 2023 – Club Stall in Green Field
10th September 2023 – 'Volvo Enthusiasts Club Northern Day Out 2023' – Venue etc to be confirmed
23rd & 24th September 2023 – 'Volvo Klassieker Beurs 2023' (Volvo Classic Fair) at the Autotron, Rosmalen, Holland
November 2023 – 'Lancaster Insurance Classic Motor Show 2023' at the NEC Birmingham

VEC Dates in more detail already booked so far for 2023

24th-26th March 2023 – 'Practical Classics Restoration & Classic Car Show 2023' – A major Club Display at this event! The Club will be putting on a very special display at this premier event to celebrate the 95th Birthday of Volvo Trucks and the 60th Birthday of the Volvo P1800S being built in Sweden etc. Come and see us on Stand 5-635 in Hall 5 – Discount Tickets available for Club Member and family/friends using our Club Code **MAR23CC358** from the NEC Box Office Please support us by booking your tickets using this code - For further information on our display or if you would like to be involved contact Kevin Price – kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com



16th April, 2023 – VEC Club Members Day Out at 'The Great British Car Journey Museum' Derwent Works, Ambergate, Derbyshire. DE56 2HE – Meeting from 11am – All Club Members, family, friends and Volvo owners welcome. Venue Website www.greatbritishcarjourney.com – Complimentary refreshments for Club Members – Organised by Alan & Pat Orgill, VEC North East Midlands Reps - Email: oldgit.ao@gmail.com



12th to 14th May, 2023 - '37th Marches Transport Festival & Spring Festival' held at Ludlow, Shropshire

A Club Display at this very popular event. Note the Marches Transport and Spring Festival is moving to a new venue in Ludlow where classic vehicles have greater space. 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' Road Run on Sunday – 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 so book early – Club Contact: Kevin Price – kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com



1st June 2023 onwards – ‘The VEC Volvo Reliability Challenge’ – ‘Where East meets West’ A Club Members Challenge, where they use their Volvo, classic or new to undertake a driving challenge, set by the VEC Club within the specified time. allowed **The Challenge this year is to drive from West Coast e.g. Welsh Coast e.g. St. Davids to Lowestoft in East Anglia taking no longer than 2 days** – West to East or East to West is permitted – Most unusual trip will receive a special prize and all completed challengers will receive a certificate on proof of completion - Further details contact Kevin Price email kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com



4th June, 2023 ‘Volvo Enthusiasts Club National Gathering’ to be held at the Transport Museum Wythall, Chapel Lane, Wythall, B47 6JA near Junction 3 of the M42, off the A435 Alcester to Birmingham road Website www.wythall.org.uk – ALL Volvo Owners, enthusiasts and friends are invited, from 11.30am onwards – This is The Volvo Enthusiasts Club ‘National’ Day Out 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 available on the day – For more information contact Kevin Price – kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com



10th June, 2023 – At the Invitation of Volvo Truck UK – A Club Display, joining with the ‘Steelboys’ Classic Truck Club for their annual visit to Volvo Truck UK HQ – 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 on our Club Diary – kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com

24th June, 2023 – Southport Auto Centre Charity Open Day 2023 – Club Display An invitation to Volvo Enthusiasts Club Members to display their cars at the Southport Auto Centre – (Volvo Specialists) Charity Open Day in aid of Macmillan Cancer Care and the Southport Life Boat. To exhibit please contact Steve & Cath Cropper, our North-West Regional Reps asap to avoid disappointment - catherineandsteve@virginmedia.com

2nd July, 2023 – Lydiat Classic Car and Bike Show 2023 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

8th & 9th July, 2023 – 49th Powderham Castle Historic Vehicle Show, near Exeter, 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 – There will be a charge of £17 per vehicle to exhibit and camping/caravan £40 for the whole weekend, which includes showers etc based on 2022 prices to the club – All profits from the show goes to Charity



16th July, 2023 ‘Fleetwood Festival of Transport & Tram Sunday’ – 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 2023 – kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com



23rd July, 2023 – ‘English Riviera Classic Car Show’ – Paignton, Devon (Date to be confirmed) – 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 2023



4th - 6th August, 2023 – ‘Torbay Steam Fair 2023’ –near Brixham, Devon – Individual entries only at this fantastic Steam Fair in glorious Devon. Camping available, Free Live entertainment for exhibitors on Friday and Saturday evening, Classic Cars, Trucks etc. For more information and Booking Form www.torbaysteamfair.co.uk



18th- 20th August 2023 – ‘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/>



2nd & 3rd September 2023 – ‘Beaulieu International Autojumble 2023’ Club Stall in our usual spot – Green Field – Stand G042. Why not come and see us for a chat and take time to relax with a cuppa etc Club Regalia will be available with some very special offers – kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com for more information

10th September 2023, ‘Volvo Enthusiasts Club Northern Day Out’ A Day out in the North to include a Road Run with complimentary refreshments for Club Members on route and a stop for lunch – Details of route and starting point to be confirmed

23rd & 24th September 2023 – ‘Volvo Klassieker Beurs 2023’ (Volvo Classic Fair) Rosmalen, Holland. Held at Autotron, Rosmalen, Holland. Volvo Classic Fair features a display of the products such as Volvo cars, parts and many more items & related products. Largest Volvo market outside Sweden – Autojumble and Boot Sales. Euro Volvo Club displays etc. VEC Contact Kevin Price kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com



10th-12th November 2023 ‘Lancaster Insurance Classic Motor Show 2023’ at the NEC Birmingham – Club Display – A Club display at this premier indoor Classic Car Show held at the NEC Birmingham. Come and see our stand where we will be displaying a very special celebration stand - 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 kevinprice.vec@btinternet.com



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