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EDITORIAL

I always used to think May was one of the best months of the year to tour Scotland with so much colour and often good weather-in recent years May's weather has been rather disappointing but not in 2018! Our day run to Helmsdale for fish & chips started with fine weather (showery later) and the Orkney Odyssey enjoyed 3 largely fine days out of 4 with the rain only appearing for the run home. The last part of May has been truly outstanding with just some haar on the east coast spoiling the picture. What will June hold for us? It's about time we had a dry day for Tain.

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Richard

EVENT NEWS

We have 2 club activities or events scheduled for June. The first is a day drive on Sunday, 10th where we will be heading to the Logie Steading for lunch at 1pm.

https://www.logie.co.uk/



For those who are interested, there will be a rendezvous at the V8 Cafe on Henderson Drive in Inverness first for a 11.30 am departure. It's Cars & Coffee at the V8 from 10.00 am onwards so a good chance to see a few

interesting vehicles and grab a coffee too. Let me know if you want a lunch place booked at the Steading.

Our other activity is of course the **Tain Rally** on the 17th. The paper work is imminent and I will forward entry passes by mail to all those signed-up. With some friends from the Caledonian Centre joining us, we should manage over 20 MGs on our stand. There are always plenty of MGs at Tain that are not part of the club so please promote what we do and we will have application forms available to sign-up some new members.



For our **July** run (Thursday 12th) the plan is to go to Blair Castle for lunch and to meet-up with some Caledonian Centre members – please book mark the date.

Richard

REPORTS

The day run on **8 May** was organized by Peter Poole as a Fish & Chips event at the famous La Mirage in Helmsdale. Four MGs made the run including Ray & Sarah's latest acquisition – an immaculate and very low mileage MG TF 1.6.



The weather was kind for the early part over the Struie (where we mixed it with a set of Lamborghini & Ferraris with Dubai registrations driving like idiots) but while having a coffee at Lairg, it started to rain. Lunch was excellent and La Mirage now has 'small portion' options which were still very generous! If you are going that way on a Tuesday, booking is essential as not long after we arrived, the weekly coach trip also arrived and some were turned away.

The **Orkney Odyssey** was a great success with 6 MGs and 10 members having a memorable trip which started with a rendezvous at John O' Groats with 7 MGs and a Jowett from the Chichester MGOC (who then were joined in Inverness for dinner by Peter & Jean and Michael).



The outward-bound ferry crossing was smooth.



The list of places visited in great weather is long and probably not of interest to those who weren't there. The road surfaces were great (Tim found the only pot hole on Orkney) and the hotel food was superb.



All 6 MGs were well behaved (as were the owners). There is so much to see on Orkney and with short distances between attractions we were able to pack-in lots in each day. A trip to remember!

I hope to see you all at Tain!

Richard

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