



stripe. Damon's racing hero was Lotus driver Jim Clark. Damon's model was serial number L3 also made by Jack Knight Ltd and both my son's and this one are the same design. My son's being serial number 2.



2026 CONCOURS – SATURDAY JUNE 13th

This year Ian Barnes invited the Club to arrange a static group of six cars to the Concours D'Elegance. I am pleased to say that 6 of us went along as follows: Richard Anderson with his 1959 MGA Mark One, Alan Tadier with his 1993 Porsche 911 Carrera C2 Manual, Mick Genee with his 1955 Jaguar 140, Trevor Gallichan with his 1932 Model B Coupe Ford Hotrod, Pam and myself brought the 1953 MG TF and the 1959 Austin Metropolitan.

The Mini Club were also present as were the Jaguar Club and numerous Garages showing off some of their best.

The Competition cars were 50 of all ages showing off their qualities and much history amongst them. Joe Castellino did a sterling running commentary of each vehicle during the afternoon which was truly interesting to listen to.

What a difference a week makes, no wind and sand blowing in our faces or on the cars. It was a very pleasant day in the Park with many visitors taking the opportunity of viewing some really quality vehicles.

Thank you to Ian and Le Riche Restorers for putting on such a tremendous show and for inviting us to be part of it. Also a big thank you to the Members who made up the group of six.



I think that is enough from me.

Frank Laurens

NEXT PROJECT ??



The group of 5 couldn't resist looking at what was for sale. I wondered if they might be tempted. The old Bedford acted as a sales pitch. Now there was a time when it would have been the Bedford Frank would have bought, it would be quite a project but what an achievement when finished!



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JCVC EVENING RUN – SATURDAY JULY 4th

An Evening Drive has been arranged for the above date. Please meet at St Martin's Village Green car park at 5pm for a 5.30pm start. The Drive will end at the Prince of Wales for a meal at 7pm.

JCVC PICNIC – GOREY COMMON – Sunday July 19th

Please don't forget the Annual Picnic on Gorey Common which will start with a short drive ending on the Common. Don't forget to bring your picnic and drinks!

OPEN FARM FUN DAY - by kind invitation of Rob Perchard. La Ferme, St Martin

We are delighted that Rob Perchard has invited the Club to attend the above Farm Fun Day on Saturday July 25th from 11am to 5pm. It has been some years since the Farm has been open to the Public and it is lovely to see this happening again. Further details will be forwarded nearer the time. I hope that as many of you as possible will attend what should be a real fun day out. Frank and I hope to see a varied collection of vehicles on display. Thank you for supporting this new event in the Calendar.

I have just received this message from Rob Perchard.

All going OK for the Farm Fun Day, lots of interest and some new things as well. Besides Classic Cars we have the old Tractors (part of your Club), Land Rover Club, Mini Club, Le Tacheron and farm machinery displays. The usual Family Fun Day activities, plus entertainment, food and lots more.

Can you please have your cars parked up by 9.30am at the latest and leaving at 5.30pm.

JCVC MERCHANDISE

Mick de Sousa has assorted merchandise for sale to Club members. The following are available for sale and he usually has them with him at the monthly meetings: Lapel Badge - £2.50, Car Screen badge - £1, Tractor Screen Badge £1, Grill Badge - £31 and Left and Right Hand flags - £5 each and key rings - £3. Please phone Mick if you need any on 01534 725859 or email mdesousa1962@hotmail.com
That is all from me and Safe Motoring,

Pam Laurens

Sunbeam Rapier Owners Club 2026

French trip to South of Normandie



We were invited to join in with the Sunbeam Rapier Owners Club UK by Ralph Daulton the main organiser for a meeting with our classic cars from Jersey, from 22nd to the 25th of May 2026 and staying in a small Spa town called Bagnoles De L'Orne about 90 miles east of St Malo where the weather was really sunny & hot.

On Friday evening about 40 of us ate together on one long table at Villa Bois Joli Hotel where some of us were staying and enjoyed a good meal, chat, & wine as to get to know each other.

We took 6 classic cars from Jersey & met with 3 Fastback Sunbeams from Paris & about 15 assorted classic cars from UK, Wales & Scotland this was a really enjoyable gathering of nice people with all of our classics and enjoying a run out to visit Chateau de Carrouges which was very impressive in its large grounds and green areas & at the same time this was going under some restoration.

Saturday evening our group from Jersey enjoyed an enjoyable evening at a local bistro with fine food and a



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bit more wine and well entertained by Kevin Romeril with his many stories, it could not have gone better.

On the Sunday we all met up with the local classic vehicle club BMC BAGNOLES MOTEURS CLASSIQUES where there was a fine display of vehicles including our cars.

The Sunbeam group are already planning 2 trips next year St Malo & South East of Le Mans.

Thanks to all who attended.

Martyn Michel.

Tractor Run – Sunday 14th June 2026...

We were all invited down to the home of Tim & Pam Pallot of Petit Pre, St. Clement for the start and meeting point of the June Run where we were served bacon rolls and / or {in my case and many others, and} des mervelles {fresh Jersey Wonders}...

In true 'Team Pallot' style the next couple of generations down alongside various relatives and friends were all given associated tasks from directing & parking duties, food & drink serving to the final clean up. Huge thanks once again to 'You All' for this – it's greatly appreciated without a shadow of a doubt...

Twenty Seven of the most sophisticated folk known across this lovely Island turned up on their equally impressive tractors for this, the third run of the calendar year. After a great feed and the normal words of wisdom from Mick & I it was time to set off. We decided to stay in the south east part of our lovely Island of St. Clement & Grouville for the tour, firstly driving through Samares Manor, entering from the main road side {front entrance} and exiting through the back. Huge thanks to Vincent & Gilly Obbard for allowing us passage at what can be said a very late request from myself, Saturday 13th at 11.00 to be precise!!! Further up La Rue De La Blinerie we entered the 'Jaakola' property and excited on La Rue Au Blanc meaning we traversed up and over, around and through a normally 'no go' area. Again, huge thanks to Team Jaakola for allowing us to do – also a last minute request akin to the last one...

A couple of field headlands were crossed, the odd rough track and numerous small country roads as well as a stint on the coast and inner road saw us ending up at the car park alongside St. Clement Parish Hall. Up valley and down dale certainly described this trip with many roads used not usually on the everyday commute. To our amazement we managed to drive along a few roads many never knew existed let alone driven over so a 'win win' on this front we think.

The weather also 'played' into our favor with 'many a wonderful view' throughout the trip – living and working on this beautiful Island is an absolute marvel we all should appreciate...

Well done to young Mr. Jehan for managing to turn right in stead of left just before the end, thus creating an 'unplanned gap' in the procession for the last few tractors arriving at the finish!!! It's amazing what we find out at the last minute – even the magnificent Massey Ferguson 135's occasionally have a hick up 'o red fans'...

Usual thanks to all 'helpers' enroute – your assertiveness is greatly appreciated, likewise to our honorary 'can shaker' and photographer. During the trip Richard's 240 clocked up an impressive 7777.7 hours of loyal service – a mighty fine milestone for a Ferguson {lol}!!!

Next tractor run planned for Sunday 12th July, starting from Tractor Services where we will be able to have a look around the facilities on offer provided by Rob & Sharron Romeril & Frank Quenault. Meeting at 09.30 in readiness for a 10.30 departure...

Keep at it, stay cool...Thanks. Mick & Toots.



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Next years JIMF will be held the first weekend in June - provisional dates 2nd to the 6th and will include the Weds, which we hope to continue, as well as doing something for the 80th Anniversary of the road race on the Wednesday evening.

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