



Area 57 (Enfield) Newsletter

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Despite the weather still being very wintry, we managed to hold our Mince Pie Night after a few phone calls to see if it was feasible. In the end twelve of us were able to make it; it would have been a great pity if we had not managed it for two years running.



Only a few people went on the Run to Nazeing on the day after Boxing Day

New Year's Day tempted more people out, despite a wet miserable day. Richard Freestone went to Potters Crouch and tells us that around thirty five to forty cars attended, which made for a very full car park, especially as there were other pub customers there.

Several of us went to Barrington where, despite the weather, there must have been over a hundred cars in attendance. Although the pub was packed, we did manage to sit down and have lunch there.

The Whitewebbs Museum held their Autojumble on January 2nd and, although quite busy, apparently the numbers were down a little compared to last year.



We have started talking about the 25th anniversary of Area 57, and to date, it looks as if a Sunday lunch would suit most people. The venue and date have not been finalised, but one suggestion has been the pub at Barrington, as there is a nice conservatory restaurant and it is in a pretty village to wander round. Any suggestions for other suitable places would be welcomed.

On the subject of the 25th, Keith Oswick has suggested that we have a small banner made to mark the occasion and he has put together a design incorporating our club logo with the dates and 25th ANNIVERSARY YEAR on it. He will get a price so that it can be discussed at the next meeting.



At the request of the Whitewebbs Museum, we have been in contact with JDC Head Office and the E-Type Register, as they want to make a feature of the 50th anniversary of the E-Type and would like them to have a display of cars alongside our Area stand at the Enfield Pageant of Motoring. There will obviously need to be quite a lot of liaising between the Museum and the JDC but the wheels have been set in motion.



Some event dates have started to arrive, which no doubt some of you will already have. I will make extra copies of the various forms that I have in case anyone needs them.

May 15th - Chiltern Hills Vintage Vehicle Rally - Aston Clinton

May 22nd - 18th Langleybury Classic Car Show

June 26th - Classic Car Show & Autojumble (same organisers as Little Haven show)

July 10th - Kimbolton Country Fayre

July 22nd-24th - E-Type 50th (at Silverstone Classic Race Meeting)

August 14th - Little Haven (It's Show Time) - Purleigh Essex

August 7th - National Jaguar Day - Rockingham Castle

Sept 4th - Kensworth Vintage & Classic Car Rally

The gatherings at the Lordship Arms, Benington are starting earlier this year, the 2nd Tuesday in the month from April to September.



Just a reminder that there is a three week gap before the next meeting on Feb 7th

