



Northamptonshire Tour

Sunday 13 July 2025



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Supplementary Regulations

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Motorsport UK Certificate of Exemption Number - 203805
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Supplementary Regulations

1. **Announcement.** The Vintage Sports-Car Club will organise a Touring Assembly on Sunday 13th July 2025, starting and finishing at **Winwick Hall, Winwick, Northamptonshire, NN6 7PD.**

2. **Regulations.** The meeting will be held under the National Competition Rules of Motorsport UK (incorporating the provisions of the International Sporting Code of the FIA) insofar as they apply to Touring Assemblies, these Supplementary Regulations and any written instructions that the organising club may issue for this event. A Certificate of Exemption number will be obtained from Motorsport UK and will be displayed at the start.

3. **Officials.** The Secretary of the Meeting is Ian Parsons, who may be contacted with any queries at tel: 07969 920187 or by email at ianhparsons@yahoo.com.

4. **Vehicle eligibility.** The event is open to cars made before 1 January 1956 and driven by members of the Organising Club and the following invited clubs: the Allard Owners Club, the Alvis Register, the STD Register and the VCC. Cars do not need to have a VSCC 'Buff Form' eligibility document.

5. **Entering the Event.** Entries open on the publication of these Regulations and close on Sunday 6th July. The maximum entry will be 40 cars, the minimum will be 10. The entry fee is £45 per car of two people, £15 for additional passengers. Cheques to be made payable to VSCC Ltd. Please send a completed and signed entry form to: VSCC, Unit 1, Hockley Court, 2401 Stratford Road, Solihull, B94 6NW. Alternatively entries for VSCC members can be made online at <https://www.vsccltd.co.uk/page/events?eventID=2011>

A reminder that the Club's Refund Policy applies to tours and any entries withdrawn after close of entries will be subject to a 50% Charge and any entries withdrawn after Thursday 10th July will be charged the full amount. A copy of the Club's Refund Policy can be found [here](#).

6. **The Road Book.** Full Joining Instructions will be issued approximately one week prior to the event. A Road Book will be issued on the day, providing full and easy-to-follow navigational instructions and information about local places of interest.

7. **Scrutineering.** Scrutineering takes place on arrival at the start venue and is limited to ensuring the vehicle is roadworthy. It is the entrant's responsibility to make sure their car is roadworthy. All cars must be insured for the public highway. It is recommended that all cars carry a serviceable fire extinguisher. All crew members must 'Sign On'. Anyone travelling in the car must be able to be properly seated in the car.

8. **Route.** The total distance covered will be approximately 65 miles along mainly quiet roads. The start & finish location will be Winwick Hall, Winwick, Northamptonshire, NN6 7PD.

9. **Driving Standards.** Horses, cyclists, walkers and inconsiderate drivers can be expected at many places along the route. Do please give them the appropriate consideration. All drivers are reminded that they should abstain from the consumption of alcohol or drugs during the event.

10. **Lunch.** There is no formal stop this year. Suggested places to stop for lunch below.

22 Miles Stoke Bruerne The Boat 01604 862428. The Navigation 01604 864988

34 Miles Castle Ashby Gardens and Tea Room Magnificent gardens. Tea room is free to enter.

42 Miles Earls Barton Jeyes Museum and Apothocoffee shop. Excellent snacks and light lunches.

45 Miles Sywell The Aviator Restaurant 01604 642111 Good Sunday lunches.

12. **Finish.** At the finish all drivers must report to the organisers to sign a Damage Declaration Form. Crews are expected to return to the start/finish in their own time where cake, tea and coffee will be served.

13. **Trailers.** There is plenty of room for cars and trailers at the start venue to be left at the owner's risk.

SAFETY, HEALTH, ENVIRONMENT AND FIRE (SHEF) AT THE VINTAGE SPORTS-CAR CLUB (VSCC) AND DURING VSCC EVENTS

It is the Policy of the Vintage Sports-Car Club (the Club) to operate in a positive culture of safety, health, and environmental protection throughout its entire business and sporting activities. To this end, the Club will coordinate all relevant activities under the collective heading of Safety, Health, Environment and Fire, or 'SHEF'.

The Club fully recognises the potential risks in its activities, the application of relevant legislation, and that it has the ultimate legal responsibility in these matters both in the workplace and at the Club's events. Accordingly, the President accepts overall responsibility for policy formulation and effective implementation of that policy. In turn, all employees, competitors, officials, and volunteer helpers are responsible for all SHEF duties allocated to them, either directly, or as a result of the Club's SHEF policy. Members of the public at Club events, whether paying or not, will be advised of their responsibilities as a result of their decision to spectate.

In pursuance of this policy, the Club will progressively identify all hazards and take measures to reduce risk. Motor Sport is spectacular and exciting, providing enjoyment to competitors and spectators alike, but there are many aspects of the sport which carry inherent risk. Much of this risk cannot be eliminated totally, and the emphasis must therefore be placed on controlling the risk through effective risk management systems. The purpose of such Risk Management will be elimination of the risk where possible, or to reduce the risk to levels which are demonstrably As Low As Reasonably Practicable (ALARP) where it cannot.

Throughout all of its activities, the Club will appoint an appropriate number of competent persons to implement the Club's SHEF procedures. In addition, a number of SHEF committees are established to ensure proper consideration of all risk factors, Committee members and other competent persons may be employees or volunteers. Competence will be guaranteed by formal training, the maintenance of records and, for motor sports events, full compliance with the rules and regulations of Motorsport UK (MSUK), the governing body of the sport in the UK, and the venue owners.

S Blakeney-Edwards, President, April 2023