

Invicta Landrover Club Kent

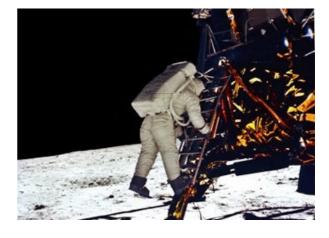
Monthly Meeting News.

Tuesday 07th July 2015.

Good evening and a warm welcome to you all.



King Henry VIII flag ship Mary Rose, what year did she sink?



When was "One small step for mankind"?



England after winning the world cup trophy. In what year? What was its correct name? What was the full name of the stadium?



What was the name of "Dads Army" before it became The Home Guard?



Chairman Olly.

Well what a wet and windy start to June!

My wife Jenny and I travelled to Preston in Lancashire to pick up her 110 300 TDI. What an epic journey! Going up no problem, first a train to London then a train to Preston. Coming back had every motorway with either an accident or road works, so seven hours later we were home and now it's in the body shop for a re-spray of colour Black which is her choice, plus some new chequer plate and some trim we hope to have it ready for the summer bash. I hope everybody enjoyed the Deal show?

Your Chairman Olly x



The Club meeting in June was attended by 32 members and friends at the Dog and Duck Pub Plucks Gutter, Olly opened the meeting at 2005hrs with a warm welcome to all.

- ➤ Olly reminded everybody that this month is the Bucket & Spade Show / Run starting from Beech Court Gardens at Challock for 0800hrs. Some members will be going to the finish at Government Acre Ramsgate to help set up and with the marshalling. Also coming up are the Preston School, Clifftonville, Deal and Herne Bay shows.
- Also it is our Summer Bash at the Elham Valley site (thank you Charlie) from 1000hrs until 1600hrs. Nicky will put on a fantastic food display for us.
- ➤ Jules reminded everybody that we have the River Country Fair coming up soon and they have asked us to do a "moving display" no not one to make you cry but something different than just going round the arena. Perhaps pony club games with cones or jousting was suggested (then sense returned) and all agreed that and as long as health and safety was not breached we need to make it just fun. Answers on a post card please or tell Olly.
- ➤ We held a raffle which raised a fantastic amount of £32.00 (what an amazing bunch you all are Jules).
- Andy did one of his brilliant guizzes to round off the evening. As always thanks Andy.



Sunday 12th July River Country Fair.

Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th July Chilli Farm

Saturday 25th July Dover Classic.

Sunday 02nd August Whitstable Classic.

Our Next Meeting will be on Tuesday 04th August 15 at 1930 – 2000hrs Vol 7. Issue 7. July 15.

Well hello again.

Hello all club members, the season is now into full swing and we have already attended most of the shows locally. The Cobweb rally was very good and the new venue at the old Pfizer's sports ground is a great setting and the show was a great season opener, we also had the Deal classic which is always a good show and was well attended by the club. The Bucket and Spade run was one of the best for the last few years and over 300 cars attended thanks to all the organisers and marshals (pat on the back for me, Shaun and Richard) he he, it was a great success. Last weekend (14th) we had our summer bash which Charlie Thorn booked and treated us to thanks Charlie, for some of us it was the first time we had visited this off road site and we had a brilliant turn out and a great day, it was nice to see our new members enjoying themselves so much and Nicky and Jazz provided a superb buffet for us all we can't thank you enough XXX big kisses from me. As some of you will have seen Otto was diagnosed with terminal rust so had to visit the rust doctor for a major op, it started with sills, rear wheel arches, and A and B posts and ended up with a new boot floor, boot cross member and inner boot wheel arch pieces OUCH! but he is all sorted now and should live for a few more years to come I just need to get busy with the paint brush and a few checks for the M.O.T this week fingers crossed at least mechanical bits are easier to fix. This week has been taken up with putting bits back on the old fella such as the interior and the rock sliders etc. We haven't had any interest in the Dog Racing idea only from a couple of members so unless we get sufficient numbers it isn't likely to happen as it needs numbers to make it cheaper. We are hoping to organise an evening run through the country lanes ending up with either fish and chips or pie and mash if you are interested please see a committee member and if we have enough we will pursue it (it will probably be a midweek evening). We now have a new supplier of our clothing etc. and you can have a variation of colours and also an embroidered picture of your vehicle on tee shirts, hoodies both zipped and pull over and fleeces if you would like one just see Phil or Jules Letley and they will sort it. Well that's all from me, don't forget we would love to have some info about your pride and joy's for our club mag, what you've been doing with it etc. it only takes a few minutes and you can send em to Phil at (phil.letley@sky.com)

HAPPY ROVERING!

Keep the faith OTTO TWANKER.

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Journey to Norway in a Defender 110.

Our journey started with the ferry from Dover to Calais then through France, Belgium, Holland, Germany and Denmark. From here we took the ferry to Oslo (Norway) where our journey to the north started.

In parts there was still plenty of snow, though this proved no problem for the Defender.

Talking about snow, we experienced an avalanche! Fortunately we just missed getting hit by it!!! The highest we drove on this trip was 1800m above sea level which was Styefjellet Mountain on the south west coast.

We stopped in Alesund for a short break before heading south to Bergan then back to Oslo and we chose to drive through the Laerdar road tunnel, which is Europe's longest at just short of 25km.

We found in Norway and sometimes in Germany if you are driving a Defender or Disco you were given a friendly wave which was brilliant. Our total journey mileage was just over 4000 miles.

At the end of this month (June) we are driving the Defender (of course) to Naples in Italy! Our planned route taking us through France, Belgium, Luxembourg, Germany and Switzerland and crossing the St Bernard pass which is an impressive 2473m high into Italy.

Have a nice summer Stuart.



Perfect photo opportunity.





The locals were very friendly, thank goodness!



My Defender getting his wheels "snowy" in Norway.



Hi Everyone.

Hope all of you are enjoying the show season, we have been so lucky to have so far such good weather and there has been a great turnout of trucks (big thanks). The next one being the River Country Fair and we have been asked to do something very different this year a moving display! So any ideas on what we can do? Tell your ideas to Ollie please.

May I say a very big thank you to everyone for supporting the raffle every month on club nights in aid of the Kent Air Ambulance, just a small plea for any raffle prizes you could donate PLEASE? See you all out there soon Jules.

We have most show forms now, if you need some see me tonight at the meeting, or phone me on 01843 845778 or 07702960644 and I will post or email them to you.







To fill spaces like this in your magazine.

Your Reports.

Please let us have your reports of what you have been doing to your trucks, photos and comments so that we can include them in your magazine for others to enjoy.

It's doesn't take a lot of time to do a report, type it, write it or just give Jules your scribbling's and let us do the rest, go on you can do it.

If anybody has any items that they would like to be considered for next month's magazine or anything shop related please see me (Jules) after tonight's meeting, or email / phone Phil on phil.letley@sky.com / 07702 960644.

Thanks as always to Mark & Ryan for their help.



Fleece Tops, Sweatshirt's, Hoddies (pull on and zipped) Polo Shirts, Base Ball Caps all with embroidered Club Logo and option of your name and picture of your truck in all sizes from kids upwards, made to order.

Paper Rolls, Latex Gloves, and Kinetic Ropes / Strops, Various Stickers large, med & small Club Logos for bonnets, doors and windows, WWW Address, Fire Extinguisher and First Aid and custom made ones to order. All in stock or obtainable very quickly, see Phil / Jules.





The latest "zipped Hoddies" with an embroidered picture of your truck on, just email a photo to Phil when you order. They can go on any garment. Simples!

So how many questions did you get right from the pictures on the front?

- 1) 19th July 1545.
- 2) 21st July 1969.
- 3) 30th July 1966 England win the Jules Rimet Trophy at the Empire Stadium Wembley.
- 4) The Local Defence Volunteers (LDV).