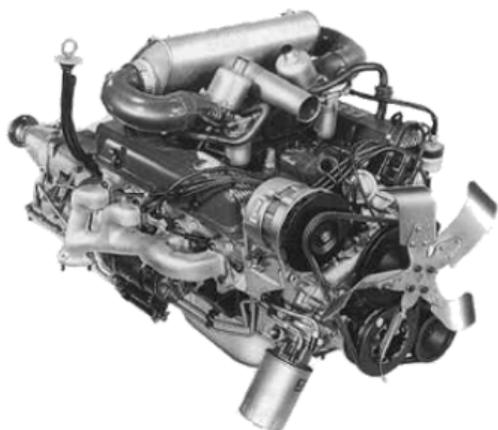


Announcing Roverfest



2017 marks the 50th anniversary of Rover launching the V8 engine. This engine was developed as the power plant for the Rover P5 which gained the B suffix indicating the engines origins from Buick. The engine was subsequently installed into the Rover P6, SD1, Range Rover and Land Rovers. During its lifetime it appeared in other non-Rover marques such as the MGBGT V8, TVR, and Morgan.

In celebration of this engine, the Joint Rover Clubs of Great Britain, consisting of the Rover Sports Register, The Rover P4 Drivers Guild, The P5 Club, The Rover P6 Club, The SD1 Club, The Rover 200/400 Club, The Rover Coupe Club, The Rover 75 and MG ZT owners club and Rover 800 Club will be joining forces to stage one big celebratory “Rover Fest” weekend in August 2017. Rover Fest will be the combined National Rallies of all of the Rover Clubs stated above for 2017.

This unique event will be run over 3 days (Friday 11th – Sunday 13th August next year) and will be based around Wroxall Abbey Warwickshire located in the Heart of England within close proximity to the original Rover manufacturing plants of Coventry and Solihull and of course well known tourist attractions of Warwick, Stratford upon Avon and Leamington Spa.

There will be organised events throughout the weekend with visits to local attractions culminating in an all Rover Rally on the Sunday 13th in the grounds of Wroxall Abbey, which is expected to be the largest get together of Rover produced vehicles, including bicycles, ever held in the United Kingdom. We particularly want to see as many of our members from the United Kingdom but also mainland Europe and the rest of the world in attendance in their Rover vehicles where possible.

Please put this date in your diaries and keep an eye open for further details in Rover Club Magazines and on the Website.

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Fair Oak,
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Dear *Rover Freunde Deutschland,*

Please find your formal invitation to the Roverfest rally on August 11th/12th/13th. at Wroxall Abbey, Warwickshire. This is to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Rover V8 engine & is being organised by the joint Rover Clubs of Great Britain.

We expect the biggest gathering of Rover cars ever & an early booking is recommended if you or your members wish to participate. Also there is a celebration dinner on the Saturday evening & other organised events throughout the weekend. There is a website if you would like more details at <http://www.roverfest.uk>

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you would like more help, we would love to see as many European Rover club cars as possible & look forward to welcoming you if you or your members decide to join us.

Yours sincerely, *David J. Lee*

David J. Lee, Roverfest overseas representative.

ROVERFEST RALLY 2017

AUGUST 11th 12th AND 13th 2017 Wroxall Abbey, Warwickshire.

Entry form (Please use photocopy if you prefer) or enter on Roverfest website www.roverfest.uk
To enable us to issue the correct passes, please complete this form in block capitals.

Name:-

Address:-

Tel No:-..... Email:-.....

Please indicate which Rover Club you are a member of: e.g RSR

Details of vehicle(s) to be brought to Rally:-

Make:- (Rover or other) Exact Model (eg P5B Coupe).....

Year: Registration No:

Please clearly circle your Yes /No choice below.

I/ We will be attending the Roverfest Rally on:-

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| | Friday 11 th | Yes / No | Saturday 12 th | Yes / No | Sunday 13 th | Yes / No |
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There will be a social event on Friday evening, bar meals available, order and pay on the day

I/We wish to take part in a road run on Saturday 12th August Yes / No

I/We would like to attend the Roverfest Dinner at Wroxall on Sat. 12th Aug Yes / No

I would like to hear about options for "Track Time" Yes / No

Please indicate the number of persons attending the dinner cost £28 per person

Menu Choice (please include a separate note of any special dietary requirement)

Starter

How Many?

Fan of Melon (with seasonal fruit compote)

Duck & Orange Pate with oatcakes & red onion marmalade

Main (All dishes served with chantenay carrots & peas)

Beef Bourginon with creamed mash potato

Spinach & ricotta tortellini with tomato & basil sauce and parmesan shavings

Sweet

Vanilla pannacotta with raspberry coulis

Chocolate fudge cake with pouring cream

Followed by Coffee and petits fours

I enclose an A5 sized stamped (Large letter rate) self addressed envelope for the return of my passes etc
and my cheque made payable to Rover Sports Register Ltd, calculated as follows.

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| | How many? | Total |
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Rally Entry fee per car £10.

Road run, route, notes etc £2

Driving Skill tests at Gaydon per driver £3.00

(Note all Roverfest visitors to Gaydon must purchase an entry pass at the Museum at the specially reduced price of £9.) N/A

Dinner £28 per person

TOTAL

**Please send completed form with your SAE and cheque to:
Philip Copperwheat, 91, Cheyne Walk, Kettering NN15 7EE, by Saturday 22nd July 2017.**