

# ***Naylor Car Club***

NEWSLETTER

***February 2021***

*"Never Lost in the Crowd"*



Dear Members,

## **A Few Notes from your Editor:**

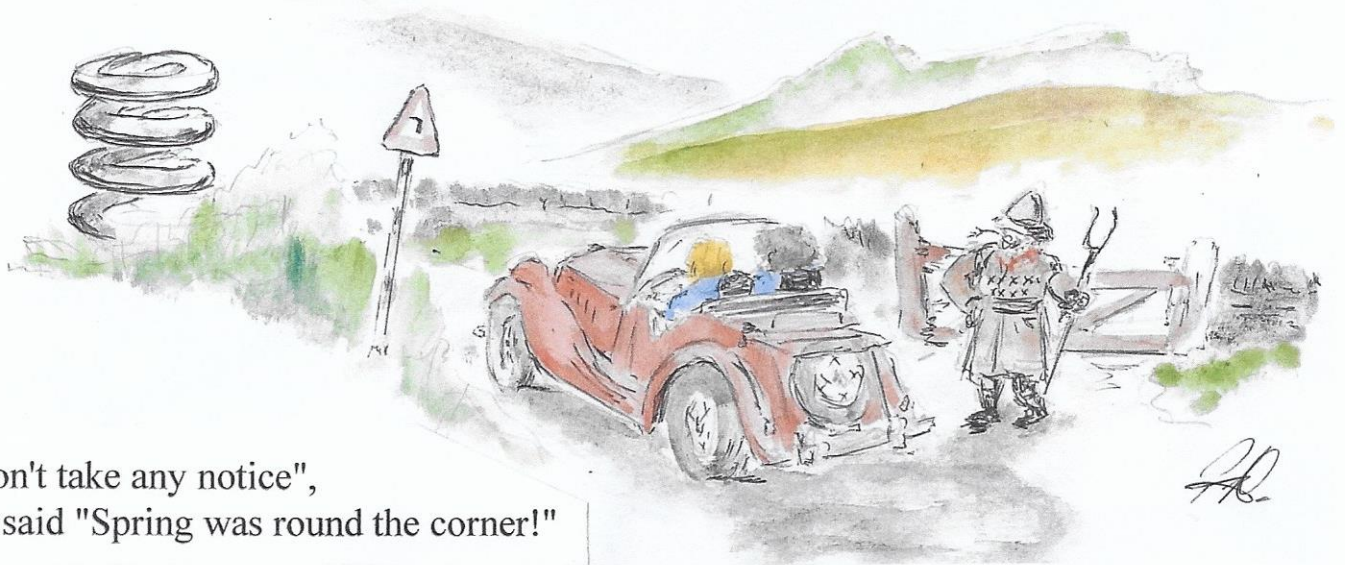
Well, here we are into the New Year with the aftermath of the pandemic and Christmas leftovers to sort. There are only so many things you can do with left over sprouts, answers on a postcard please!! We sincerely hope the older members have been jabbed and offered a measure of protection against the virus and possibly sprouts! - to see us into a better year ahead. We look forward to the vaccination programme providing us all with optimism for social meeting in the year ahead.

Firstly, many thanks to all those who assisted at short notice to get our Magazine out before Christmas. I'm sorry we did miss a few timely pieces to go in. I did receive a letter of thanks from Clive Taylor to all those who paid tribute to Freda's memory. I will publish it in full in the next edition of the magazine. Many thanks to Clive. We wish him well with his move. I also received a lovely letter of support from Shirley Burnhill, again it is good to hear news from those who originated the Naylor Car Club, and for us to carry that spirit forward. More in full in the next magazine.

Again in the light of experience if you do wish to advertise your car for sale through the Naylor Club magazine, you are welcome. Please also be aware that our circulation is small and owner/enthusiast based, so you will get a larger audience sticking with the trade journals, or why not use our web site? If trawling the net it will show here. Our web site will certainly provide a wider market now up and running with regular updates, so please contact Steve Allen our "web master".

On the subject of "high tech and cyberspace", we would like to say please inform us (Debs Hennessey) of any changes to your contact numbers or e-mail addresses. We are only as good as the information you give us. Whilst on that note please update your registration details as requested that was sent out with the Christmas magazine, and return to Tony Brooks.





"Don't take any notice",  
he said "Spring was round the corner!"

**Events 2021** : As you may have already gathered at this moment in time things are still fluid as national guidelines change in the light of the pandemic spread. As a Club we have no wish to contribute or put members at risk through mass gatherings, or breaking "lockdown rules" through travel. Planning for events goes ahead with of course the caveat of possible cancellation at last minute. We sympathise with organisers in their difficult task of crystal ball gazing. That having been said we are pleased to announce a few planned events scheduled for this year, but these are obviously subject to review and possible late cancellation.

**Drive It Day:** (This will be subject to Covid Rules) Planned for **Sunday April 25th**. The FBHVC's Drive It Day 2021 is promoted as a Charity Driving Day to raise funds for the NSPCC Childline Charity. The initiative is being run by the Federation to raise funds by also selling rally plates £10 for the standard plate or £30 for the platinum plate. Please visit [www.driveitday.co.uk/shop](http://www.driveitday.co.uk/shop) to purchase items, with the proceeds going to the charity.

**Birthday Weekend** : Currently the Birthday weekend planned at Slaley Hall, Hexham, Northumberland **7th-9th May 2021** is still "good to go", on the assumption that the current lockdown will be lifted when this Newsletter goes out. Members may wish to re confirm bookings with Ian & Ewa Collingwood. I know some members just transferred their hotel bookings into this year from 2020. The hotel has agreed to extend booking arrangements to a "cut off date" to the 6th April. so we may have a clearer picture by then. To that end a further booking form is included on the back page should you wish to re book as you may remember entry subscriptions were voided by Ian. You will need to resubmit your entry fee. Please also check and confirm with the hotel. (01434 673350) if you intend going. The attached booking form does show the original cut off date - now extended to **6th April 2021**.

**AGM Weekend** : Horwood House, Milton Keynes, **17th-20th September 2021** more details to follow from Robert & Enid Baines.



**Magazine articles:** Once again I make the plea to members who must have some good stories out there to tell, so if you would like to see your name in lights please forward them to me. They do not have to be Naylor specific but nice if they are, however no guarantees offered on publication unless accompanied with a brown paper bag of money!! We are looking at a cut off date of end of February to give us a clear month for the Easter April edition, as Easter is early this year. I hope to run a feature on car names, so look forward to your contributions.

**Plan B:** Last year here in the Eastern region we were very fortunate to have Keith and Sue Heywood arrange small gatherings to enable members to meet up at various locations during the summer. I know Ian Collingwood has mentioned they hold informal "get togethers" for members in their Northern local area, so it might be the way forward for other groups to form and consider this "hub arrangement" to enable members to still take their cars out and meet those in their locality without a mass gathering, but just enjoying the social contact with other members. All you need is a (POC) Point of Contact to co-ordinate any proposed gathering possibly with members in a radius of 60 miles -ish!! Before you all start reaching for the phone I do know some of you are "The only Naylor in the Village" and this arrangement will not fit all sizes. Hopefully we can shed a little light on the horizon to ease back into normality if the larger group events are cancelled. Again we welcome your thoughts and again volunteers to act as POC's. It's not "rocket science!!"

**And Finally:** (Just to bring a smile!)

The wife cooked a tarka masala last night, I said, "Surely it should be tikka masala?", she replied, "It's the same but a little 'otter".

I bought the wife a tablecloth for Christmas, she said that's a bit over the top!

I was working on the Naylor in the garage and Bo Peep walked in saying I've got smoke coming from under my bonnet - I said your hair's on fire!!

(Ah well back to the jigsaws in the day room!!)

**And Finally - Finally:**

A warm welcome to new members and of course our overseas members who are also subject to this global pandemic. We sincerely hope and trust all remains well with you all, so stay safe to be able to enjoy the open air motoring the Naylor/Hutson ownership offers.

Kindest regards to all our members,

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All contact numbers can be found inside the front cover of the Naylor News magazine.



# Naylor Car Club 27th Birthday Weekend 2021 Hexham, Northumberland

## ENTRY FORM

I/We wish to attend the Naylor Car Club Birthday Weekend to be based at Slaley Hall Hotel, near Hexham in Northumberland.

I/We have booked in to Slaley Hall Hotel for the following nights:

Friday	7th	May	2021	YES / NO (delete as appropriate)
Saturday	8th	May	2021	YES / NO
Sunday	9 <sup>th</sup>	May	2021	YES / NO

### ENTRY FEE £20 PER CAR

The above fee covers the cost of the rally plate, attendance plaque, and birthday cake. There will be no route book for this event but a welcome pack with suggested drives and activities will be provided.

I/We enclose a cheque for £20..... (payable to Naylor Car Club)

Car registration:.....

Car Make:.....

Car Colour.....

Driver's name:.....

Passenger's name:.....

Home address:.....

Home Phone:.....

Mobile phone:.....

Email:.....

Please send this completed entry form with cheque to  
Ian Collingwood, Beech House, Burythorpe, North Yorkshire, YO17 9LF.  
**Entries are required by 28<sup>th</sup> February 2021.**

**Now Extended to 6th April 2021**

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