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Chairman's Foreword



Welcome to the Midland Centre of The Caravan and Motorhome Club. It is a great honour to continue as Chairman of this fantastic club for a fourth year.

Special thanks go to Beth Downs our former Rally Secretary and her assistant and mentor Andrew Reynolds for putting together a rally programme that features a mixture of regularly used sites and new venues that I am sure the members will enjoy. Now that Beth and Andy have retired from committee, I look forward to taking on the role of Rally Secretary with the assistance of Andy Pickrell who has taken on the role of Assistant Rally Secretary. Can I ask everyone to take the time to read the centre rules, thereby ensuring that we continue with our hobby in a safe and respectful manner.

I would like to thank all the stewards who have volunteered to run rallies for us in 2020 for the enjoyment of everyone. I would also like to thank the land owners who make us welcome so that we can enjoy our pastime with friends old and new. Thank you to those members who have volunteered to serve on the senior committee and look after the business of the centre I look forward to working with you in 2020. The Junior committee are a credit to the Centre and I hope that their experiences on Junior Committee will hold them in good stead in the future. I wish Ellie our new Junior Chairlady the very best of luck together with her new committee. I am sure they will work hard raising funds for their chosen charity but more importantly have fun at the same time.

Finally Beth and myself wish all our members a Happy, Healthy and prosperous New Year.

Happy Rallying

Mike, Beth, William, Martha and Lanis Downs

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Midland Centre Past Chairman

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1939-41	G W Priddey	1967-68	N E Ray	1998-00	S Wallis
1946	Col Vernon Brook	1969	A E Dainty	2001 - 02	G Bird
1946	A Wilkes	1970-72	W Gavin	2003 - 04	N Jones
1946-47	S E A Lowe	1973	A E Dainty	2005 – 07	M Roberts
1948-51	C B Darwent	1974-76	D H Patterson	2008 - 10	J Porter
1952-54	A G Patstone	1977-80	E J Smith	2011 -13	B McGivney
1955-56	F S Jones	1981-84	R Hatcliffe	2014 – 16	J Rosamond
1957-59	A J Marlow	1985-87	D H Patterson	2017 -	M Downs
1960	F W Evans	1988-90	N Jones		
1961-63	W Gavin	1991	P Buxton		

Honorary Members of the Midland Centre
Norman and Zena Jones

Annual General Meeting 2020

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Midland Centre of the Caravan and Motorhome Club will be held at Drayton Manor Park, Tamworth on Saturday 10th October 2020 at 12 noon

Any two registered members may propose any registered member to be an Officer of the Committee of the Centre to which they are all registered.

Written nominations for election, confirmed by the nominee, the proposer and seconder, must be received by the Centre Secretary not later than fourteen days before the AGM (12 noon Saturday 26th September). Formal Notices of Motion from registered members, duly signed by the proposer and seconder, must be received in writing by the Centre Secretary no later than 35 days prior to the AGM (Saturday 5th September). Only members who have registered, or re-registered, with the Centre at least 35 days prior to the date of the meeting are entitled to speak, vote or stand for election.

* Voting slips will NOT be issued once the meeting has opened *

Agenda

1. Apologies for absence
2. Minutes of the last Annual General Meeting
3. Chairman's Report
4. Treasurer's Report
5. Rally Secretary's Presentations
6. Sports Officer's Report and Presentations
7. Election of Officers and Committee
 - a) Hon. Chairman
 - b) Hon Vice-Chairman
 - c) Hon Secretary
 - d) Hon Treasurer
 - e) Auditor
 - f) Rally Secretary
 - g) Social Secretary
 - h) Committee Members
8. Any other business

Mr. Matthew Hart
Acting Hon. Secretary

Due to GDPR we can not publish addresses in the Rally book. If you wish to contact the Secretary in writing then please email secretarymidland@gmail.com or call 07966 091140.

Committee Criterion Standing Orders

1. The Centre shall be known as the Midland Centre of the Caravan and Motorhome Club Ltd and shall be governed in accordance with “Rules Governing Centres” as issued from Club Headquarters.
2. The Centre Officers and Committee shall be elected annually and consist of Chair, Vice Chair, Hon. Secretary, Hon. Treasurer, Hon. Rally Secretary and ten Committee members.
3. The Hon. Auditor shall be elected annually and not hold any office or be a member of the committee.
4. No member may be elected to fill more than one of the offices referred to in rule 2.
5. The Centre Committee may fill casual vacancies amongst the Centre Offices and co-opt additional members to the Centre Committee to bring up to the number authorised for the time being by the Centre A.G.M.
6. Sub-Committees may be set up to examine and discuss any particular matter concerning the business of the Centre and may make recommendations to the full Committee. The Chair and the Hon. Secretary must be ex-officio members of any Sub-Committee.
7. The determining body which has the power to reject decisions arrived at by the Centre Committee shall be the Centre Members Annual General Meeting, or any special General Meeting convened for that purpose.
8. Annual General Meetings to be held in October of each year, and Special General Meetings to be convened according to Club By-Laws.
9. Annual General Meetings – Election of Officers and Committee.
 - a. Midland Centre Members wishing to stand for Committee must have their proposal form signed by the Proposer and a Seconder, who must be a Midland Centre Member and the nominee and handed in to the Hon. Secretary not later than fourteen days before the AGM.
 - b. Any full, joint and family member may stand for election as a Committee Member.
 - c. Only a retiring Committee Member may stand for election in the office of: (a) Chair, (b) Secretary, (c) Vice Chair, (d) Treasurer.
 - d. There is no limit to how long a person may stand for re-election in the Office of: (a) Chair, (b) Secretary, (c) Vice Chair, (d) Treasurer.
10. The Centre Committee shall meet as and when necessary and shall be governed by Standing Orders.
11. Notices of Motion: A “Notice of Motion” shall be interpreted by the Committee as a proposition of substance and/or one likely to be controversial thus requiring members to have prior notice of same in accordance with Rules Governing Centres.
12. The Committee shall be empowered to amend these rules in accordance with any amendment for Rules Governing Centres as issued by Club Headquarters and any question regarding the interpretation of these rules shall be referred to Club Headquarters whose decision shall be final

Junior Committee



Junior Chairlady Foreword

I would like to introduce myself – Ellie – as the new Chairlady for the forthcoming season 2019-2020. My thanks go to the previous committee for all the hard work and determination raising money for their chosen charity. A special thanks to Damian Campbell, our outgoing JLO, for all the help over the past three years. I welcome old and some new faces to our new committee.

We, as a committee, have decided to support Acorns Children's Hospice for the forthcoming year. A special thanks goes to James Harris for taking on JLO and keeping us all in line. I look forward to seeing you at future rallies.

Ellie

Junior Chairlady

Junior Committee

Hon. Junior Vice Chairperson	Eleanor
Hon. Junior Secretary	Martha
Hon. Junior Treasurer	Lanis

Junior Committee Members;

Mollie, Charlotte, William, Aston, Ellia, Rubi

Junior Committee Annual Genral Meeting 2020

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Junior Committee, of the Midland Centre of the Caravan and Motorhome Club will be held at Drayton Manor Park Tamworth on Saturday 10th October 2020 following the Senior AGM.

* Voting slips will NOT be issued once the meeting has opened *

Agenda

1. Apologies for absence
2. Minutes of the last Annual General Meeting
3. Chairman's Report
4. Treasurer's Report
5. Election of Officers and Committee
 - a) Hon. Chairman
 - b) Hon Vice-Chairman
 - c) Hon Secretary
 - d) Hon Treasurer
 - e) Committee Members
6. Any other business

Martha
Hon Junior Secretary

NOTES FOR INFORMATION

This is the only notice to be generally circulated. Nominations for Officers and Committee must be received by the Hon Secretary in writing not less than FOURTEEN DAYS, i.e. 12 noon Saturday 26th September 2020 and Notices of Motion in not less than THIRTY-FIVE DAYS, i.e. Saturday 5th September 2020, prior to the AGM.

Anyone wishing to be notified of the Motion must send a stamped addressed envelope to the Secretary not less than FOURTEEN DAYS before the Annual General Meeting.

1. Age limit for Committee 7 years to 18 years inclusive.
2. Age limit for voting 7 years to 18 years inclusive.
3. Parents consent must be given and nomination forms signed.
4. Only Junior Midland Centre Members are allowed to vote, and speak at the AGM.
5. Parents may attend the meeting, but are not allowed to participate. Only the Senior Committee Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Junior Liaison Officer, will be allowed to take part. Officers of the Senior Committee will be acting as tellers.

Nomination Form - Senior Committee

I Hereby Nominate	
* for the office of	* as Committee Member
Membership Number	
Signature of Proposer	
Signature of Seconder	
Signature of Nominee	
Date	
* Delete as applicable	

I Hereby Nominate	
* for the office of	* as Committee Member
Membership Number	
Signature of Proposer	
Signature of Seconder	
Signature of Nominee	
Date	
* Delete as applicable	

Nomination Form - Junior Committee

I Hereby Nominate	
* for the office of	* as Committee Member
Membership Number	
Signature of Proposer	
Signature of Seconder	
Signature of Nominee	
Date	
* Delete as applicable	
Parents or Guardians of Nominees	
I am aware of my Son/Daughter's nomination for Junior Committee and approve	
Signed	

Rally Secretary's Foreword

I look forward to taking on the role of Rally Secretary with support from my new Assistant Rally Secretary Andy Pickrell.

I'd like to express my thanks to the members who have given up their time to steward rallies for the coming year, without whom we not be able to enjoy such a full rally calendar.

If anyone has any suggestions for new venues or would like me to book a specific site for a special occasion please get in touch with me as soon as possible as I will try to accommodate this in the 2021 rally calendar.

There are still a couple of rallies requiring stewards for 2020. If you would like to run one of them please get in touch with me. You can find the outstanding rallies on the centre's website.

Happy rallying for 2020
Mike Downs
Rally Secretary

Rally Start Time

Rallies are governed by The Caravan & Motorhome Club rules and can only commence when the designated stewards are in attendance. A list of stewards has to be given to The Caravan & Motorhome Club each year in the form of the rally book details, to comply with insurance requirements

Any member wishing to arrive at a rally before the official start time of 4pm must, in all cases, check with the stewards to ensure that the venue is open and that they are not turned away. In many cases stewards have to attend work prior to the rally and therefore must be given time to set up their rally and should not be pressurised. Their decision is binding. Your understanding and compliance is much appreciated.

Stewards are asked to indicate on the rally signing sheets any members who arrive on rallies earlier than the official/requested times. Sheets will be monitored by the treasurer.

Rally Deposit Refunds

If a member is unable to attend a rally where money has been paid in advance and would like a refund then they must contact the Hon. Secretary within 28 days of the rally.

PLEASE NOTE

It is important that all rally stewards get in touch with land owners at least 4 weeks prior to the rally, to finalise details. We have had several instances over the past few years where rallies have not been in the landowner's diaries despite correct paperwork being held by the centre. At the same time, please confirm the day/time that you as stewards would be allowed to arrive.

Mike Downs, Rally Secretary

Rally Stewards

The Midland Centre members are greatly indebted for the volunteered services of the Stewards for the Year 2020 and they are recorded below: List correct at time of going to press.

ALLEN Nick and Debbie
ATKINSON Jason and Kelly
BROTHWOOD Jim and Kath Forrester
BRYAN Danny and Janet
DOOLAN Paul and Julie
DOWNS Mike and Beth
DOWNS Graham and Jane
DUDLEY Kevin and Paula
GRANT Phil and Lindsey
HALE Mick and June
HARRIS James
HARRISON Tony and Jo
HART Matthew, Gaynor and Calvin
LLOYD Steve and Heather
MITCHELL Gordon and Helen
PHILLIPS Roger and BECKFORD Barbara
PICKRELL Andy and Suzanne
PILKINGTON Mike and Brenda
REYNOLDS Andy and Jayne
REYNOLDS Martyn
SILVER Craig and Kerry
STEED Danny and Pauline

Members of the Junior Committee and their parents

Best Weekend Rally

Following a vote at the AGM, the best weekend rally for 2018/19 was awarded to Steve and Heather Lloyd who, with the assistance of Mike and Brenda Pilkington, ran the rally at Cuckoos Corner. Steve, Heather, Mike and Brenda win £50. Thank you and well done.

New Sites

The following new sites has been booked for 2020 Please support them.

21 – 23 August – Wellfield Pools, Kinlet
24 – 31 October – Ashfield Touring Park, York

Photo Competition

This year's competition was won by Debbie Allen. The photo was chosen by a sub committee from the entries submitted to the rally secretary during the year. Debbie wins £25. Well done Debbie.

This year's competition for the 2021 Rally book cover is a little different! This time it is all down to the Junior's, as this year's competition will be part of the Junior Challenge. In 2019 we did 40 challenges to celebrate our Chairman's milestone birthday.

After so many juniors did all, or close to all, the challenges we decided to cut it down to 20 for 2020... but here is the twist... they will be more challenging.

So for this year's rally book photo competition it will be for a Junior to design the cover. It can be anything you like, a photo, a drawing, artwork you have designed on a computer or tablet or anything else you can think off. The only condition is that it must be submitted as a .jpeg photo file and must be portrait.

And the judging will be at the AGM, but also with a difference. We will have our own gallery exhibition and everyone who attends the AGM will get a vote. All entries by the stewards meet to gaynor.juniorchallenge@gmail.com. If you have any questions then please contact Gaynor.

A Message from the Plaque Officer

We are continuing with plastic plaques on weekend rallies at the request of ralliers again this year. These will be generic and the cost will be 50p. These do not have to be ordered in advance and any outstanding plaques can be issued by Gaynor Hart.

Holiday Rallies, Dinner Dance, Christmas party etc. will have larger plaques with motifs on and will cost £1.50. These plaques need to be ordered 3 weeks in advance to guarantee receiving one.

As Plaque Officer it will be my job to record rallies attended and to keep accurate records. This list will be used for issuing rally books and the pensioners rebate and also to keep the Chairman informed of the member who completes the most rallies during the year January to December to whom a presentation will be made.

Mick Hale

Pensioners Rebate

For those of you who don't know we refund 50p for each rally you pay a rally fee on. This is paid to the main member if they have reached state pension age (currently 65). This is doubled to £1.00 if you have stewarded a Midland Centre weekend or Bank Holiday rally during the year. Please notify the Treasurer in writing if you qualify and do not receive the rebate and wish to be included.

Bully Newsletter

For the third year running I have again accepted the challenge to be your Bully News Editor! I just know that 2019/2020 will be the best year yet for articles and rally write ups and I am so looking forward to receiving your contributions throughout the coming year.

Without your views, news and photographs the Bully simply couldn't go ahead and I thank you in advance for your continued support. Everyone from the centre is welcome to submit an article – it can be anything from a photograph that captures the essence of our centre, to a 'thank you' to someone you feel has gone above and beyond or simply a write up about a rally you have particularly enjoyed. This year I would also really like to see our junior members getting into the spirit of things by telling us all about their achievements on and off the rally field or sending in drawings or photographs they have taken while out and about in their caravan.

Please also feel free to advertise your caravan or motorhome related items for sale or wanted items. Photographs always make for an eye catching advertisement and please remember to clearly state the price and contact details for the seller.

As an incentive, the cash prize for the best article from each edition of the bully has been raised for 2019/2020 to £20 per winning article, however there will no longer be an overall winner. The Bully News is published online around the 15th of December, March, June & September with the copy deadline usually around the 1st of that month but allowances can sometimes be made if there is something you are especially keen to get published.

Please forward anything you wish to feature in the Bully News to **Kerry.silver@hotmail.com**. I look forward to hearing from you all!

Happy writing

Kerry

Website

Our Centre website is www.midlandcentre.co.uk and all amendments / notices will be updated onto the site, together with amendments to the printed rally book and Bully Newsletter. Links are also available to other local centres. All members are invited to access the site to keep themselves updated on news which may affect them. You can also book onto most weekend and holiday rallies via the website using the online booking facility. If you stewarding a rally and have updated programme details or local attraction information please forward detail to the website officer.

Gordon Mitchell, Website Officer

Rally Pricing

The prices quoted in the rally book are fully inclusive of VAT, Admin and Rally Site fees. Additional costs are for a plaque if required and any social fees.

Rally fees and Social fees are to remain unchanged this year. However, prices in this book and on the Centre Website are subject to change without notice.

Please note – Since 1st January 2015, cheques have not been accepted in payment for **weekend** rallies only. This is to ensure that stewards have enough cash to pay the landowner for the rally.

ALL LIMITED RALLIES INCUR A £5 NON RETURNABLE DEPOSIT AND UNTIL THIS IS PAID YOUR PLACE WILL NOT BE RESERVED. WHERE RALLY FEES ARE PAID IN ADVANCE, NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN IF YOU CANCEL WITHIN 7 DAYS AND YOUR SPACE CANNOT BE REALLOCATED.

SEE RULES 6 and 7 GOVERNING RALLIES

RULES GOVERNING RALLIES

General

Weekend Rallies normally commence at 4.00 pm Friday. Bank Holidays or 5-day Rallies commence at the discretion of the Stewards. They will end at the discretion of the Steward and/or the Chairman, having regard to the time of year and weather conditions. If in doubt - ask.

Only when plainly stated in the details of the Rally may a member arrive before or stay on after the completion of a Rally. Early arrivals and late departures with the consent of the Stewards only. Non-compliance will be monitored.

All persons attending rallies and social events do so entirely at their own risk. No responsibility for persons or property is accepted by the organisers or The Caravan Club.

Stewards may ask for proof of Caravan and Motorhome Club membership at any Rally.

The red Caravan Club flag should be flown for the duration of the rally. The yellow MCCC flag can also be flown but below the Caravan and Motorhome Club flag. The Centre flag cannot take precedence over the Caravan and Motorhome Club flag, except on commercial sites where the Caravan and Motorhome Club exemption certificate is not required.

Rally books will normally be posted as soon as available to full members only, unless there is an opportunity to handout the book in person. A book will also be given to each new full member when registration is received by the Secretary.

If a Steward feels a member's behaviour or the behaviour of a member's children or pet is causing a nuisance, the Steward is permitted to ask a member to cease the behaviour or leave the site.

No Stewards to cancel a rally without a Committee decision.

Booking, Payment and Arrival

Prices in the Rally Book are subject to change without notice.

Rally slips or online bookings for weekend rallies must be received by the Steward of the rally not later than the Monday before the rally, otherwise you will not be notified if a rally has been cancelled or the location changed.

Holiday Rallies or Special Events generally use a separate paper booking form because a deposit is required, there may be specific site information that needs to be communicated to the Ralliers and payment arrangements are usually different. (E.G. site fees paid in advance.)

On any limited rally, a £5 non-returnable deposit must be sent with your rally slip or your place cannot be reserved.

Where rally fees are payable in advance, no refunds will be given if you cancel within 7 days prior to the rally and your place cannot be reallocated.

On arrival, you will pay rally, site and plaque fees, including VAT, (unless otherwise stated) to the Stewards. You will also be required to sign the rally sheet, when you pay. Additional payments may be required, including VAT, if a social or other entertainments have been organised.

All cheques should be made payable to: The Midland Centre Caravan Club and not to individuals. Cheques will not be accepted for **weekend** rally payments.

If you wish to receive a plaque you should order one when booking in to a rally. To guarantee receiving a plaque, your booking must be received 14 days in advance of the rally start date. The appropriate fee must be paid to the rally stewards upon arrival on site.

Yellow signs with MCCC on will be displayed as prominently as possible on the approaches to the site. Directions given should be used in conjunction with a larger scale map and the rally book. DO NOT RELY SOLELY ON SAT NAVS.

All members, upon arriving on site, should report to the appointed Steward before pitching their unit. Any visitors should also report to the Stewards on arrival.

One pitch only may be reserved for a friend, providing it is not required by another member. Extra pitches can be reserved at the discretion of the Stewards

Safety on Site

All vehicles are restricted to WALKING PACE (Max 5mph) on site and learner/unlicensed drivers are not permitted.

Units, excluding guy ropes, must be 6 metres apart from adjacent units. This is to allow sufficient emergency access. Vehicles may be parked between units, provided that a 3 metre clear space is left within the 6 metre gap at all times.

Children's pup tents are classed as an integral part of a unit in the same way as an awning, when they are occupied by children and when no appliance with a naked flame is used in or close to them. This means that a child's pup tent is not required to comply with the 6 metre rule and can be pitched close to the parents' unit. Only one pup tent is permitted per caravan, to be situated to the rear of the caravan provided this is not a vehicle access route.

Bearing in mind the danger of FIRE, the Committee recommend that every van attending a Centre Rally should be equipped with a suitable FIRE EXTINGUISHER and simple FIRST AID KIT. **IN ADDITION, ALL RALLIERS ARE REQUIRED TO PLACE A BUCKET OF WATER OR FIRE EXTINGUISHER AT THE TOW BAR OF THEIR CARAVAN.**

Open fires are not permitted on the rally field. Sky lanterns or similar are also not permitted.

The use of gas cylinders to supply a caravan via an external barbeque supply point is not permitted.

Adverse Weather

Avoid undue damage to the entrance and site by unnecessary use of vehicles in bad weather. When a YELLOW FLAG is flying ALL vehicle movement ON or OFF the field is forbidden unless permission is given by the Stewards. When a RED FLAG is flying absolutely no vehicle movement is allowed.

Anyone requesting a tow on the rally field does so on the understanding that in all cases the owner/driver of the towing vehicle does not accept any responsibility whatsoever for any damage however caused to the stranded vehicle or its owners or occupiers. Responsibility for damage will in all cases rest with the owner/ driver of the stranded vehicle.

General Behaviour

The good name of the Club, Centre and Caravanning will be better enhanced by the standards we maintain. Site vans tidily around the perimeter or in lanes. All doors in each lane must be facing in the same direction and no awnings should face each other. Park your car on the blind side of the van and keep the area around your van clean and tidy. Pull forward a few yards on leaving and check to see you have left no litter behind.

Ralliers must ensure that they and their children do not cause damage to trees, fences, farm buildings, equipment, stock, cars and caravans, etc. Ralliers are responsible for the behaviour of their children and guests. Should damage be incurred then the **full cost** will be demanded from the parents or guardians. Please adhere to Out of Bound signs.

The riding of bicycles between the caravans and any sports or activities likely to cause a nuisance and or damage are NOT allowed. Ball games are permitted only with the agreement of the Stewards or Committee, on an open space well away from caravans.

Dogs and other pets must be kept under control at all times. No animal is allowed to be loose on the site and must always be on a lead not longer than three metres if outside a unit. Dogs are not allowed into organised social events or halls unless they are registered assistance dogs. Members must remove any droppings left by their pets.

Noise should be kept at a minimum from radios, televisions and other sources such as generators, and there should be no noise whatsoever between 11pm and 7am. The practice of flying flags and other items from poles or similar will only be permitted during daylight hours.

The use of generators will be restricted to 2 hours use between the hours of 10.00 am and 6.00 pm only, and not to be a nuisance to your neighbours. Stewards and or Committee excluded from above times where the use is for social purposes. Only fully silenced and smokeless units may be used.

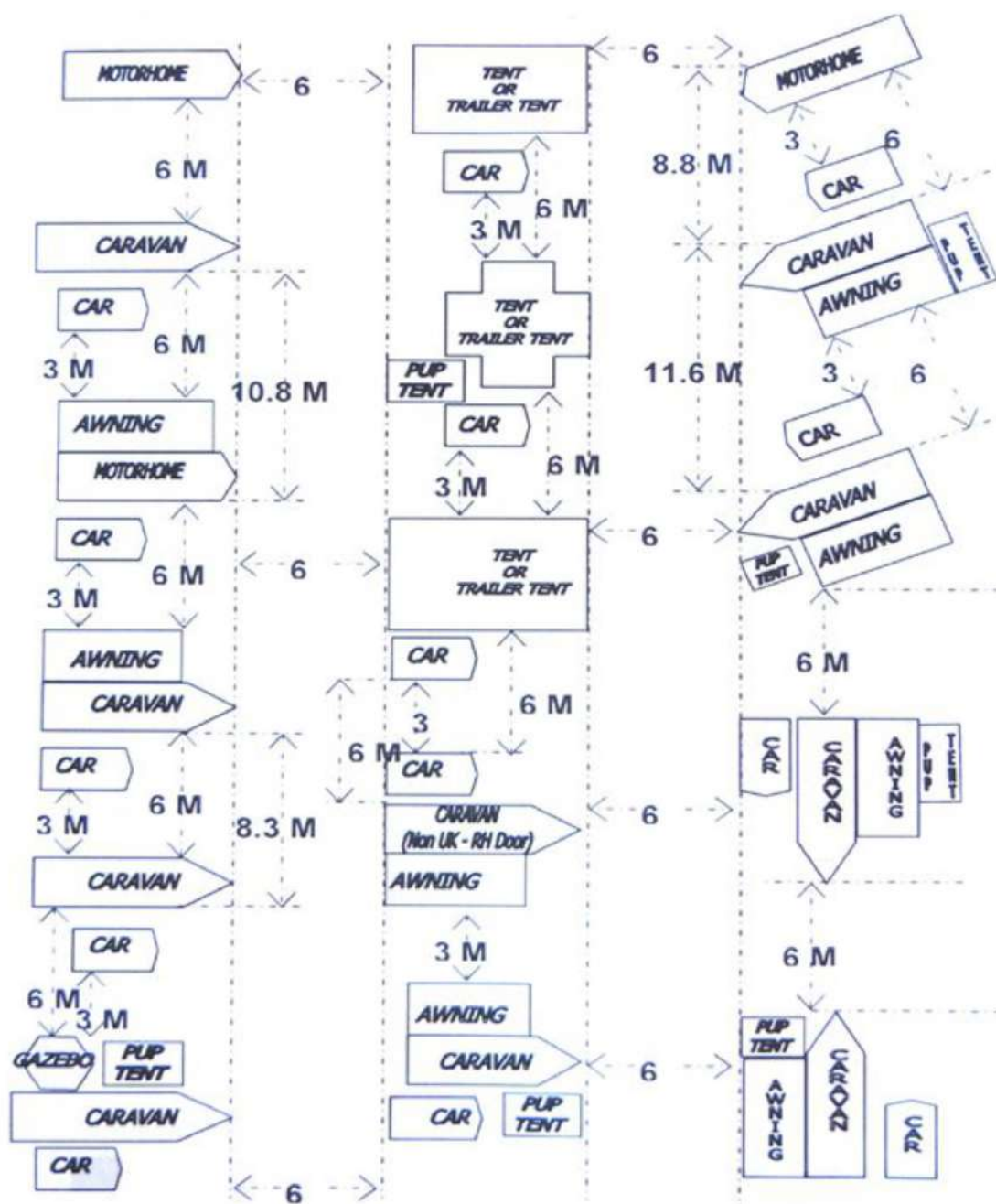
The club considers the use of e-cigarettes the same as cigarettes and as such, all legal requirements should be adhered to in their use during a club event.

Public Health

The contents of chemical toilets must not be disposed of on the site except into the disposal point identified by the appointed Steward. Toilets or their tanks must not be rinsed or filled at the rally drinking water supply.

Members attending a rally must take their refuse home with them if receptacles are not provided.

Spacing Information



This diagram is reproduced from the Natural England Guide to 'Camping and Touring Caravan Exemption Certificates'.

Water Taps

Would members please remember that the water taps provided on the Rally fields are not for the use of washing toilets, only for filling drinking water containers. **WATER CONTAMINATION.** Members are advised to be aware of the dangers of drinking contaminated water. You are therefore advised to check on how the water is supplied, i.e. from a mains water supply, or from a private water supply, i.e. well, spring or stream etc. If mains water becomes contaminated the government and water authorities can act quickly to warn and prevent or remove harmful effects from the public supplies, but not in the case of water drawn from private supplies. Members are therefore recommended to bring to the boil water obtained from a private supply, before consuming or using in food preparation.

CONTROL MEASURES FOR AVOIDANCE OF ILL HEALTH DUE TO CONTACT WITH E COLI 0157

Introduction

1. E. coli is a bacterium, many strains (or types) of which live harmlessly in the guts of humans and animals.
2. Strains such as E. coli 0157 produce toxins or poisons, which can cause illness in humans. E. coli is highly infectious and can present a serious health hazard.
3. Cattle, sheep, deer and goats excrete the bacteria.
4. E. coli 0157 can persist in the soil for up to 150 days and in cattle faeces for up to 90 days.

Infection

1. The risk of infection comes mainly from contact with animals or their faeces. E.g. when eating or drinking when camping or picnicking without washing their hands. Even tiny amounts of E coli 0157 can pose a severe risk, particularly for young and elderly people.
2. Another source of infection is drinking from streams that may have been contaminated with animal faeces without first treating the water. Food can also contain E coli 0157. E.g. raw mince, beef products and other meats. This will be included in the catering section.
3. It is highly unlikely that the water supply on farms etc can be contaminated.

Precautions

1. When planning to rally on farmland which has been used for grazing or stock holding of animals, request that:
 - **Farm animals are kept off the fields for three weeks prior to and during the event.**
 - **All visible dung/faeces are removed, preferably at the beginning of the three week period.**
 - **The grass is mown and kept short and clipping removed before the fields are used for recreation.**

NB These are part of the advice given to farmers by the HSE.

1. Check if the water supply is provided from either a water company or a borehole. If it is from a borehole ask to see the result of the test or the local authority certificate declaring it safe to use.
2. Farmers have a duty to carry out a COSHH assessment re E coli among other things. Why not ask for a copy.

Controlling the Risk

- **Do not drink from rivers or streams.**
 - **Ensure that animals have not been in contact with the water taps. E.g. taps for water troughs.**
 - **Avoid contact with animals wherever possible.**
 - **Avoid walking through areas contaminated with faeces or slurry liquid wherever possible.**
 - **Keep out of areas not allocated to the rally.**
 - **Wash hands thoroughly before eating, drinking or smoking etc.**
 - **Clean off clothing, footwear or any items carried, which may have been in contact with contaminated ground.**
1. Following these simple precautions will not only reduce the risk from E Coli but also of other diseases that can be transmitted to people from animals.
 2. Should the landowner refuse to clear animals from the field/site prior to the event, the rally organisers **must take a view** as to whether the Rally should proceed at that venue? If so all participants must be made aware of the need to comply with the simple measures listed under Controlling the Risk, above.

Centre Calendar 2020

Dinner Dance	28/02 - 01/03	Tower Ball Room Drayton Manor Hotel
Easter and Chairman Forum	09/04 - 14/04	Ukrainian Centre, Weston on Trent
Fishing Rally	24/04 - 26/04	The Cob House, Martley
May Day Bank Holiday (VE Day)	08/05 - 10/05	Cotton Arms Wrenbury
CAMC National Rally	22/05 - 26/05	Belvoir Castle, Grantham
Spring Bank Holiday	22/05 - 25/05	Eastnor Castle Deer Park
Golf Rally	03/07 - 05/07	Himley Hall
Inter Centre Fishing	09/07 - 14/07	The Cob House, Martley (South Staffs)
August Bank Holiday	28/08 - 31/08	Top Barn Farm
Stewards Meet	25/09 - 27/09	Holding Stables, Wilmcote
Annual Genral Meeting	09/10 - 11/10	Drayton Manor Hotel
Central Region AGM	10/10	Kegworth Hotel & Conference Centre
Family Christmas Party	04/12 - 06/12	Stratford Race Course
Christmas Rally	23/12 - 27/12	Cookhill Village Hall
New Year Rally	28/12 - 02/01	Henley in Arden School
Holiday Rallies	23/04 - 07/05	Porth Beech, Newquay
	04/07 - 18/07	Warcombe Farm
	05/09 - 19/09	Oakdown HP, Sidmouth
	24/10 - 31/10	Ashfield Touring Park, York

Social Events

Dinner Dance	28/02 - 01/03	Tower Ball Room Drayton Manor Hotel
AGM Supper	09/10 - 11/10	Drayton Manor Hotel
Central Region AGM	10/10	Kegworth Hotel & Conference Centre
Family Christmas Party	04/12 - 06/12	Stratford Race Course

Dinner Dance at Drayton Manor Hotel

Following the huge success of the dinner dance over the past few years, this year the dance is to be held once again in the large Tower Ballroom at Drayton Manor. Why not stay overnight at the new hotel at advantageous rates or bring your caravan for the weekend.

Black Tie event – dress to impress!

Junior Rallies

12/06 - 14/06	Alcester Rugby Club
04/09 - 06/09	Catton Hall Fireworks Rally

Rally 1 **Shrawley, Worcester** **10 - 12 January**

Norman Hirst Memorial Rally - The Lenchford Inn

Route Over river bridge at Stourport and continue to the cross roads and turn left onto B4196. At the T junction turn right, continue on B4196 for approx. 3.7 miles. Turn left at signpost for Lenchford Inn. Field is on right between Inn and B4196. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code WR6 6TB

Programme Fun Pool Competition. Meals Available in the pub

Stewards Jim & Kath Brothwood 01922 456076 M:07788 881863 **cheeky1@gmx.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £10.50 One Night £19 two Nights

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

**** Limited Rally - £5 Non-returnable Deposit Required *****

Rally 2 **Far Forest, nr Bewdley** **24 - 26 January**

By kind permission of Mr Pound

Yew Tree Farm

Route From Kidderminster proceed towards Bewdley, past Wildlife Park to island, take A456 bypass. Cont to jct with A4117 and turn right towards Cleobury Mortimer. Site on left. Watch for MCCC signs.

Post Code DY14 9TH

Programme 80s Night

Stewards Lindsey & Phil Grant 07790 956636 / 07894 117892 **linz_barber@hotmail.com**

Co-Stewards Kelly & Jason Atkinson 01299 877127 / 07896 617788 **mollieellie@hotmail.co.uk**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £9.50 One Night £17.00 two Nights EHU at Extra Cost

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 3 **Astley, nr Stourport** **31 January - 2 February**

By kind permission of The Village Hall Committee

Astley Village Hall

Route Over river bridge at Stourport and continue to cross roads and turn left. At T junction turn right. Continue for approx 1 1/2 miles. Site on right. Watch For MCCC signs.

Post Code DY13 0RF

Programme Quiet & Cosy Weekend. PJ's, Movies & Comfort Food

Stewards Mike & Beth Downs 07806 780265 **beth.downs@ymail.com**

Co-Stewards Kelly & Jason Atkinson 01299 877127 / 07896 617788 **mollieellie@hotmail.co.uk**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £9.50 One Night £17.00 two

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 4	Fillongley	14 - 16 February
Fillongley Village Hall & Field		
Route	From Meriden take B4102 to Fillongley cross roads. Turn right onto B4098. site on right. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Post Code	CV7 8ET	
Stewards	Stewards Required. Please contact Rally Secretary	
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£9.50 One Night £17.00 two Nights	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 5	Binton, Stratford on Avon	21 - 23 February
By kind permission of the Committee		
Binton Social Club		
Route	Gain the A46 Alcester/ Stratford Road. From Stratford direction turn left sp Binton. In about 3/4 mile at X roads turn left. Within 3/4 mile turn right into Binton Social Club field just before village sign. From Alcester direction, turn right sp Binton and watch for MCCC signs	
Post Code	CV37 9TU	
Programme	Stewards Requires. Please contact Rally Secretary	
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£8.00 One Night £14.00 two Nights	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 6	Drayton Manor Hotel	28 February - 1 Match
Dinner Dance		
Route	From J9 M42 take A446 towards Lichfield then at island take A4091 towards Tamworth. Site on left just before Fazeley. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Post Code	B78 3TW	
Programme	Friday evening - room available in hotel - quiz. Own drinks ok. Saturday evening black tie dinner dance in the Tower ballroom. Dress to impress. When entering Drayton Manor keep to left hand lane and take a parking ticket which can then be validated at the hotel reception. BOOKING FORMS ONLY PLEASE - NO RALLY SLIPS.	
Stewards	Senior Committee. See website and/or booking form for menu, prices further information etc. Rally site bookings to TBA	
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) TBC		

Rally 7	Warwick	6 - 8 March
Warwickshire Marching Band		
Route	Next door to Warwick Racecourse. Leave M40 at jct. 15. Follow A429 towards Warwick. In 1 mile turn left at Racecourse sign into Shakespeare Avenue. In 300 yards at T junction turn left. Site on right. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Post Code	CV34 6JP	
Programme	Hardstanding venue. Hall on site for social. Walking distance to Warwick town centre	
Stewards	Mick & June Hale	01789 268189 / 07510 270204 mickhale48@gmail.com
Co-Stewards	Roger Phillips & Barbara Beckford	01926 498770 / 07813 166015 basandroger@btinternet.com
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£13.50 One Night	£25.00 two Nights
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 8	Corley	13 - 15 March
Corley Village Hall		
Route	Follow B4102 into Fillongley. At crossroads turn right onto B4098 towards Coventry into Corley. At top of hill turn right by phone into Church Lane. Hall on right. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Post Code	CV7 8AY	
Programme	St Patricks Day Weekend Celebrations	
Stewards	Mike & Beth Downs	07806 780265 beth.downs@ymail.com
Co-Stewards	Graham Bird	07760 241792 grahambird40@gmail.com
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£10.00 One Night	£18.00 two Nights
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 9	Alveley	20 - 22 March
By kind permission of Karl Braden		
Alveley Sports Club		
Route	From Bridgnorth take A442 towards Kidderminster. After 6 miles site will be on right just past Daddlebrook Road. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Post Code	WV15 6LN	
Programme	Stewards required. Please contact Rally Secretary.	
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) TBA		
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 10	Malvern	27 - 29 March
Newlands Meadows		
Route	From M5 Junction 7 take B4084 towards Worcester. After 0.4miles take A4440 towards Malvern/Worcs(W), After 2.6 miles at r/about take 1st exit onto A449 towards Malvern/Ledbury. After 3.1 miles turn right onto Old Worcester Rd. Site will be on right. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Post Code	WR13 5AY	
Programme	Free & Easy	
Stewards	Graham & Jane Downs	01384 835081 / 07503 146887
Co-Stewards	Andy & Jayne Reynolds	07834 826136
		jandgdowns@outlook.com andrew424@btinternet.com
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£11.50 One Night £21 Two Nights EHU available @ £3.00 per night	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 11	Tamworth	3-5 April
By kind permission of Mandy & Mark Critchley		
Willows Farm		
Route	From M42 J11, take A444 south towards Nuneaton. Turn off at 3rd right sp. Orton. Straight over crossroads and turn right at T-junction. Site on right in 1 mile. Alternatively from M42 J10 take A5 towards Atherstone / Nuneaton. Turn left just before Atherstone onto B4116. Turn left A444 through Twycross then just after Twycross Zoo turn left sp. Orton then as above. Watch for MCCC signs	
Post Code	B79 0HS	
Programme	Gaynor's infamous Chinese Auction. Possible family walk (via pub) on Saturday weather depending	
Stewards	Gaynor, Matthew & Calvin Hart	07753 206401 / 07966 091140 hart.matthew@gmail.com
Co-Stewards	Craig, Kerry, Charlotte & Archie Silver	07875097885 sid_son_of_stud@hotmail.com
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£9.00 One Night £16.00 Two Nights	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 12	Weston on Trent, South Derbyshire	9 - 14 April
By kind permission of Ksenia Madytsch		
Ukrainian Centre		
Route	A38 towards Derby at A50 turn right towards M1 and Nottingham. Leave A50 towards Swarkstone and turn right at island towards Weston on Trent. Take left turn in approx 3/4mile sp Weston on Trent. Site on right just before village. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Post Code	DE72 2BU	
Programme	Fun Packed, Bank Holiday Festivities and Chairman's Forum. All are welcome to attend but only Midland Centre members may speak or ask questions during the forum. See booking form and website for more details, prices etc. SEE BOOKING FORM FOR FULL DETAILS.	
Stewards	Committee Run Rally. Bookings to Mick Hale 01789 268189 Mobile 07510 270204 mickhale48@gmail.com	
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	Will be Confirmed on Booking Form	

Rally 13 **Wyre Piddle Extended Rally** **14 - 19 April**

By kind permission of Mr C Brown

Avon Bank Meadows

Route From Jct. 6 M5 take A44 towards Evesham. At Pinvin go straight on to next Island and take 2nd exit sp Wyre Piddle. In village turn right at monument. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code WR10 2JF

Programme Easter Follow On

Stewards Mike and Beth Downs 07806 780265 **beth.downs@ymail.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £11.50 per night. EHU Available @ £3.00 per night

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 14 **Newquay - Holiday Rally** **23 April - 7 May**

By kind permission of Paul & Katy Case

Porth Beach Holiday Park

Route From A30 take A39/A392 to Newquay. Follow A392 towards Newquay/ Wadebridge. At Quintrell Downs r'bout take A3058 towards Newquay(Porth). Turn right on B3276 (coast road to Padstow). Site on right after half mile. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code TR7 3NH

Programme Twirly holiday rally. Ten Pin Bowling with basket meal. Sunday Lunch at Porth Veor Manor Hotel. Bingo with tea and cakes. 100 Metres from beach. On bus route. Family walk.
BOOKING FORMS ONLY PLEASE - NO RALLY SLIPS

Stewards Mick & June Hale 01789 268189 / 07510 270204 **mickhale48@gmail.com**
Co-Stewards Tony & Jo Harrison

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £91.00 per week inc EHU **Plus plaque at extra cost if required.**

Rally 15 **Martley** **24 - 26 April**

By kind permission of Mr H. Taylor

The Cob House - Fishing Rally

Route From Worcester, follow the Hylton Road out towards Holt Heath, Hallow. Turn left for Martley onto the B4204 and follow this road through Lower Broadheath, along a long straight and the site will be found on the left. Watch for MCCC signs.

Post Code WR6 6YE

Programme Midland Centre Fishing Competition. Fishing pegs will be limited depending on pool booked. **All fishing pegs must be booked no later than 24 January.**

Stewards Danny & Pauline Steed 07904 555965 **djs.77@live.co.uk**

Co-Stewards Kevin & Paula Dudley 07846 121555

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £13.00 One Night £24.00 Two Nights

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 16 **Himley nr Dudley** **1 -3 May**

Himley Hall - Golf Rally

Route From Wolverhampton take A449 Kidderminster Road. After approx. 7-8 miles turn left at Himley traffic lights then follow brown signs for Himley Hall. Watch for MCCC signs.

Post Code DY3 4DF

Programme The Golf Competition will take place at this rally. See Website for details

Stewards Lindsey & Phil Grant 07790 956636 / 07894 117892 **linz_barber@hotmail.com**
Co-Stewards Mike & Beth Downs 07806 780265 **beth.downs@ymail.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) TBC

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 17 **Wrenbury** **7 - 10 May**

Cotton Arms

Route From M6 jct 16 take A500. After about 7 miles at the 3rd roundabout take the 2nd exit onto A51. Continue onto A530. After 2.7 miles turn right onto Wrenbury Heath Road. After 1.5 miles turn left onto Nantwich Road. After 1 mile continue onto Cholmondeley Road. After 0.2 miles Cotton Arms will be on the right. Watch for MCCC signs.

Post Code CW5 8HG

Programme TBA - See Website for updates

Stewards Mike & Beth Downs 07806 780265 **beth.downs@ymail.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) TBC

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 18 **Bridgnorth** **15 - 17 May**

By kind permission of Mrs B. Corfield

Riverside Caravan Park

Route Take A442 Kidderminster / Bridgnorth Road. Site on left just before island with A458. Watch for MCCC signs.

Post Code **WV15 6BY**

Programme TBA - See Website for updates

Stewards Paul & Julie Doolan 07903 681624 **p.doolan1957@gmail.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £8.50 one night £15.00 two nights

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Please check www.midlandcentre.co.uk for regular Rally Updates

Rally 19 **Ledbury - Alternative to the National** **22 - 25 May**

By kind permission of The Estate Office

Eastnor Deer Park - Great Midlands Bake Off

Route From Malvern take A449 towards Ledbury, approx. 1 mile before Ledbury turn left onto A438 sp. Eastnor site on left. Watch for MCCC signs.

Post Code HR8 1RL

Programme Great Midlands Bake Off for all budding bakers. Cakes, Pies, Breads anything goes!! Bake Off followed by afternoon tea.

Stewards Mike & Beth Downs 07806 780265 **beth.downs@ymail.com**

Co- Stewards Andy & Jayne Reynolds 07834 826136 **andrew424@btinternet.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) TBC

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 20 **Grantham - CAMC National Rally** **22 - 26 May**

Belvoir Castle

Please note: All bookings are either on line or by phone. Should you wish to pitch next to your friends please ensure that you have their membership number to hand when booking as you will need to enter it on the website.

For more information please visit Caravan Club website or look out for details in club Magazine

Rally 21 **Pinvin** **26 - 31 May**

By kind permission of Annie & Eric Jaques

Hyde Farm

Route At Jct. 6 of M5 take 1st exit at R/about on to A4538 Evesham. After approx. 3.5 miles take 2nd exit at R/about on to A44. After approx.4.5 miles site is on right signed Hyde Farm. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code WR10 2DX

Programme TBC. See website for updates

Stewards Mike & Beth Downs 07806 780265 **beth.downs@ymail.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £10.00 per night

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Please remember dogs on leads at all times and if they poop don't forget to scoop!

Driving speed on Rally site is strictly walking pace

Rally 22	Weston-under-Lizard, Shifnal			5 - 7 June
Western Park				
Route	Take M6 junction 12 exit (A5 Telford (M54)) onto A5 (A449) signposted Wolverhampton and Telford. After approx 8.5 miles site will be on right. Watch for MCCC signs.			
Post Code	TF11 8LE			
Programme	TBC. See website for updates			
Stewards	Andy & Suzanne Pickrell	07853 930369	andypickrell@googlemail.com	
Co-Stewards	Mike & Beth Downs	07806 780265	beth.downs@ymail.com	
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£12.00 one night £22.00 two nights			
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees				

Rally 23	Alcester	12 - 14 June
Alcester Rugby Club - Junior Committee Rally		
Route	From M42 Jct 3 take 1st exit onto A435. Continue for 4 miles then at the roundabout take 2nd exit to stay on A435. After a further 2 miles at the roundabout take 1st exit staying on A435. After 3.2 miles destination will be on the right. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Post Code	B49 5QF	
Programme	The Junior Committee will be holding a fundraising event at this rally. See Website for details	
Stewards	James Harris	077789 179921 jamesharris76@hotmail.com
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£9.00 one night £16.00 two nights	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 24	Cannock Chase	19 -21 June
By kind permission of Pat Turner		
Forest View		
Route	From Rugeley take A460 towards Stone / Stafford. Turn left onto Hagley Road. After 0.3 miles continue onto Penkridge Bank Road then after 2.2 miles turn right towards Kingsley Wood Road then after 0.3 miles turn right to stay on Kingsley Wood Road. Destination will be on the right. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Post Code	WS15 2UF	
Programme	A walk in the forest	
Stewards	Gordon & Helen Mitchell 07970 994982 (Gordon) / 07974 774046 (Helen) helen@dumgoyne.me.uk	
Co- Steward	Martyn Reynolds 07730 559500	
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£8.50 one night £15.00 two nights	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 25 **Upper Welland** **26 -28 June**

By kind permission of Jo England

Mayalls Farm

Route Take A4104 from Pershore through Upton on Severn towards Welland. Site on right between Welland x roads and Little Malvern church. OR take A449 from Worcester towards Ledbury and turn left onto A4104 towards Welland and Pershore. Site on left. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code WR14 4JX

Programme TBC. See website for updates.

Stewards Danny & Janet Bryan 07952 545728 / 07905 588128.

danielbryan51@yahoo.com
janetbryan@hotmail.co.uk

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) TBC

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 26 **Stratford upon Avon** **3 - 5 July**

By kind permission of Mr W. Meadows

Monks Barn Farm

Route From Stratford take A3400 over the river bridge towards Oxford and Shipston. At a row of bungalows on your left turn right into Monks Barn Farm. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code CV37 8NA

Programme TBC. See website for updates. Limited electric hook ups available.

Stewards Paula & Kevin Dudley

07846 121555

paulakevmcc@gmail.com

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £13.00 one night £24.00 two nights

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 27 **Mortehoe Holiday Rally** **4 - 18 July**

By kind permission of Martin and Christine Grafton

Warcombe Farm Holiday Park

Route Leave M5 at Jct. 27 and take A361 through Barnstaple and follow the signs towards Ilfracombe. At Mullacott Cross roundabout, turn left onto B3343 towards Woolacombe. After 1.8 miles turn right towards Mortehoe. Park is on right after 1/2 mile. Watch for MCCC signs.

Post Code EX34 7EJ

Programme See Booking Forms for more details. Large fishing lake on site. Convenient for Woolacombe and surrounding area. Coastal path adjacent. **BOOKING FORMS ONLY PLEASE - NO RALLY SLIPS. 40 Van Limit**

Stewards Graham & Jane Downs 01384 835081 / 07503 146887 **jandgdowns@outlook.com**

Co-Stewards Mick & June Hale 01789 268189 / 07510 270204 **mickhale48@gmail.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £108.50 per week including EHU

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 28A **Martley** **9 - 14 July**

By kind permission of Mrs H Taylor

The Cob House - Inter Centre Fishing Rally

- Route** From Worcester, follow the Hylton Road out towards Holt Heath, Hallow. Turn left for Martley onto the B4204 and follow this road through Lower Broadheath, along a long straight and the site will be found on the left. Watch for MCCC signs.
- Post Code** WR6 6YE
- Programme** Join us for the inter-centre annual fishing competition where we will be joining our friends from the South Staffs Centre who are running the challenge this year. Please contact the Hon. Sports Officer for a form if you wish to take part in the fishing competition. This should be returned along with peg payment as soon as possible as peg places get taken up quickly.
- Stewards** Please see South Staffordshire Centre website for booking details

Rally 28 **Evesham** **10 - 12 July**

By kind permission of Diana Raphael

Raphael's Restaurant

- Route** Enter Evesham town centre on the A4184, over traffic lights and past railway station, carry straight on and turn right at Ye Olde Red Horse pub - Merstow Green then Boat Lane. (This is one way and access gets narrow towards river / rally field). Watch for MCCC signs.
- Post Code** WR11 4BP
- Programme** Evesham River Festival
- Stewards** Kelly & Jason Atkinson 01299 877127 / 07896 617788 mollieellie@hotmail.co.uk
- Co-Stewards** Lindsey & Phil Grant 07790 956636 / 07894 117892 linz_barber@hotmail.com
- Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)** £9.00 one night £16.00 two nights
- Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees**

Rally 29 **Button Oak** **17 - 19 July**

By kind permission of Mrs Gatehouse

Woodhouse Farm

- Route** From Bewdley take B4194 Kinlet road. Turn right sp Arley. Watch for MCCC signs.
- Post Code** DY12 3LE
- Programme** Stewards Required. Please contact Rally Secretary.
- Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)** £9.50 one night £17.00 two nights
- Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees**

Rally 30 **Rugeley** **24 - 26 July**

By kind permission of Mr George Astley

Blythe House Farm

Route From Lichfield take A515 towards Yoxall. After 5 miles at the roundabout take the 1st exit towards Hamstall Ridware. After 1.5 miles turn left onto Lichfield Road, After 0.4 miles site will be on right. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code WS15 3QQ

Programme TBA. Check website for updates

Stewards Gordon & Helen Mitchell 07970 994982 (Gordon) / 07974 774046 (Helen) helen@dumgoyne.me.uk

Co-Stewards Martyn Reynolds 07730 559500

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £11.00 one night £20.00 two nights

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 31 **Romsley** **31 July - 2 August**

By kind permission of Kate Tromans

Cuckoos Corner Nursery

Route From M5 Jt.3 take A456 sp. Kidderminster. At 1st island take 1st exit B4551 sp. Hunnington / Romsley. After 2 miles turn right into St. Kenelm's Road. After 0.4 miles turn left onto Fieldhouse Lane. After 0.4 miles turn right onto Holt Lane. Site on right. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code B62 0ND

Programme Gentleman's afternoon tea

Stewards Steve & Heather Lloyd 07982 427824 / 01922 624691 tj_4@blueyonder.co.uk

Co-Stewards Mike & Brenda Pilkington 07970 789132 / 01527 528182 mikepilko@hotmail.com

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £8.00 one night £14.00 two nights

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Ever thought about running a rally?

Please speak to any member of the Committee for more information. We will give you all the help you need.

Have you enjoyed any rally this year?

Please tell every one with a Rally Report in the Centre Magazine, The Bully. There is a cash prize for the best write up every issue.

By kind permission of Mrs S. White

Hoar Park Craft Centre

Route From Coleshill, take B4116 through Shustoke. At X roads turn right onto B4098 then take B4114 towards Nuneaton. Watch for brown signs and MCCC signs.

Post Code CV10 0QU

Programme TBA. See Website for further details. Craft Centre on site / Near Jacksons of Old Arley, Bosworth and Twycross

Stewards Andy & Suzann Pickrell 07853 930369 andypickrell@googlemail.com

Co-Stewards Martyn Reynolds 07730 559500 martyn.reynolds1000@btinternet.com

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £12.50 one night £23.00 two nights

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

By kind permission of Mr & Mrs Rimell

Meon View

Route Leave Stratford on A3400, at first roundabout turn right onto A3400 to Shipston. Turn right at the second roundabout (Waitrose) onto B4632. After about 5 miles at the roundabout go straight on (1st exit) then take the next left signposted to Upper Quinton. Site on right. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code CV37 8LG

Programme TBA. See Website for further details.

Stewards Nick & Debbie Allen 07976 271504 (Nick) / 07817 906473 (Debbie) nickallen1@yahoo.co.uk

Co-Stewards Martyn Reynolds 07730 559500 martyn.reynolds1000@btinternet.com

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £13.00 one night £24.00 two nights

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Camping Du Letty

Programme French holiday rally. See booking form or contact stewards for details, directions, prices etc.
BOOKING FORMS ONLY PLEASE - NO RALLY SLIPS.

Stewards Steve & Heather Lloyd 07982 427824 / 01922 624691 tj_4@blueyonder.co.uk

Co-Stewards Mike & Brenda Pilkington 07970 789132 / 01527 528182 mikepilko@hotmail.com

Rally 35	Kinlet	21 - 23 August
Wellfield Pools		
Route	From Bewdley take the B4194 through Button Oak to Kinlet, then turn left onto the B4363 and continue for approx 1 mile before turning left into Meaton Lane. Site on the left after approx 0.5 miles. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Post Code	DY12 3DF	
Programme	Stewards required. Please contact Rally Secretary.	
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£8.00 one night £14.00 two nights	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 36	Holt Heath	28 - 31 August
By kind permission of Mrs Nicky Harper		
Top Barn Farm		
Route	From Droitwich take A4133 through Ombersley over river bridge at Holt Fleet. At top of hill, turn left signed Worcester. At T jct turn left onto A443 towards Worcester. Site on left. Watch for MCCC signs	
Post Code	WR6 6NH	
Programme	TBA. See Website for further details.	
Stewards	Craig & Kerry Silver	07875 097855 sid_son_of_stud@hotmail.com
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£9.00 per night plus optional EHU @ £4.50 per night	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 37	Lichfield	4 - 6 September
By kind permission of The Estate Office		
Catton Hall - Fireworks Rally		
Route	Take A38 North and turn right on A513 towards Alrewas and then Tamworth. After approx 1 mile, immediately after going under a bridge, turn left sp Edingdale and Catton. Watch for MCCC signs	
Post Code	DE12 8LN	
Programme	UK Festival of Fireworks displays set to music adjacent to site. See website www.festivaloffireworks.co.uk . Please use online booking form for food requests and guests.	
	The Junior Committee will be holding a fundraising event at this rally. See Website for details	
Stewards	Paula & Kev Dudley	07846 121555 paulakevmcc@gmail.com
Co-Stewards	Danny & Pauline Steed	07904 555965 djs.77@live.co.uk
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£13.50 one night £25.00 two nights	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 38 **Sidmouth** **5 - 19 September**

By kind permission of The Proprietors

Oakdown Holiday Park - Holiday Rally

Route From Sidmouth take A3052 towards Seaton and Lyme Regis. After approx 2.5 miles turn right into Gatehouse Lane and into the site. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code EX10 0PT

Programme TBA - See website for updates. **Booking forms only, no rally slips**

Stewards Jo & Tony Harrison 07890 159421 / 07890 836158 jo.harrison56@gmail.com

Co-Stewards Deb & Nick Allen 07976 271504 nickallen1@yahoo.co.uk

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £133.00 per week inc EHU

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 39 **Tamworth** **11 - 13 September**

By kind permission of Jones Family

Buzzards Valley

Route From Tamworth, follow A453 towards Sutton Coldfield. Look for Buzzards Valley sign just before dual carriageway. Turn left into lane. From A38/A453 Bassetts Pole island, follow A453 towards Tamworth along dual carriageway. Turn right into lane at end of dual carriageway. Watch for MCCC signs.

Post Code B78 3EQ

Programme TBA - See website for updates. **Booking forms only, no rally slips**

Stewards Andy & Suzanne Pickrell 07853 930369 andypickrell@googlemail.com

Co-Stewards Martyn Reynolds 07730 559500

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) TBC

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 40 **Romsley** **18 - 20 September**

Day House Farm

Route From M5 exit 4 take the A491 exit towards Stourbridge. After approx. 0.7 miles turn right onto Money Lane/B4551. After approx. 1.2 miles turn right onto Day House Bank then continue onto Old House Lane. Site on left after approx. 0.3 miles. Watch for MCCC signs.

Post Code B62 0EX

Stewards Stewards required please contact the Rally Secretary

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £12.00 one night £22.00 two nights

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

By kind permission of Mr Adshead

The Holding Stables - Stewards Meet Extended Rally

Route A3400 B'ham / Stratford road. After going through Wooton Wawen turn right signed Wilmcote. At T junction turn right. Site on right. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code CV37 9XX

Programme Extended rally opens Thursday 11.00 AM. Friday Bingo in Club. Saturday walk along the canal to Stratford just over 3 miles. Saturday evening social in club Quizingo followed by Darts competition. No social charge but **all drinks to be purchased from the bar**. Stewards Meet Sunday morning in club 10.00 AM for 10.30 AM start.

Stewards Mick & June Hale 01789 268189 / 07510 270204 **mickhale48@gmail.com**

Co-Stewards Graham & Jane Downs 01384 835081 / 07503 146887 **jandgdowns@outlook.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £9.50 per night

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

By kind permission of Sofia Lewis

Croxall Farm

Route From Coleshill take B4114 towards Shustoke. In approx. 1 mile turn left for Whitacre Heath. After 0.75 miles turn right sp. Hoggrills End. Site on left. Watch for MCCC signs.

Post Code B46 2DA

Programme Walk round Shustoke Reservoir on Saturday

Stewards Nick & Debbie Allen 07976 271504 (Nick) / 07817 906473 (Debbie) 07976 271504 **nickallen1@yahoo.co.uk**

Co-Stewards Tony & Jo Harrison 07890 836518 (Tony) / 07890 159421 (Jo)

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £9.50 one night £17.00 two nights

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

By kind permission The Bryan Family and Martin Wright

Drayton Manor Hotel - Annual General Meeting

Route From J9 M42 take A446 towards Lichfield then at island take A4091 towards Tamworth. Site on left just before Fazeley. Watch for MCCC signs.

Post Code B78 3TW

Programme AGM at 12 noon on Saturday followed by Junior AGM. CARAVAN CLUB MEMBERSHIP CARDS MUST BE SHOWN. Saturday evening supper dance. Check Drayton Manor Park website for special offers. When entering Drayton Manor keep to left hand lane and take a parking ticket which can then be validated at the hotel reception. **BOOKING FORMS ONLY PLEASE - NO RALLY SLIPS**

Stewards Mick Hale 01789 268189 / 07510 270204 **mickhale48@gmail.com**

Rally and Site Fee Senior Committee run Rally. See booking form for further details, prices etc. Final date for bookings 22nd September.

Rally 43A	Kegworth	10 October
Kegworth Hotel & Conference Centre - Central Region AGM		
Programme	Please see Central Region Website for more information	

Rally 44	Wyre Piddle	16 - 18 October
By kind permission of Mr C Brown		
Avon Bank Meadows		
Route	From Jct. 6 M5 take A44 towards Evesham. At Pinvin go straight on to next Island and take 2nd exit sp Wyre Piddle. In village turn right at monument. Watch for MCCC signs	
Post Code	WR10 2JF	
Programme	Relax & Revive. Walk to Pershore (weather permitting)	
Stewards	Jo & Tony Harrison	07890 159421 / 07890 836158 jo.harrison56@gmail.com
Co-Stewards	Deb & Nick Allen	07976 271504 nickallen1@yahoo.co.uk
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£11.50 one night £21.00 two nights EHU £3 per night	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 45	Martley	23 - 25 October
By kind permission of Mrs H Taylor		
The Cob House		
Route	From Worcester, follow the Hylton Road out towards Holt Heath, Hallow. Turn left for Martley onto the B4204 and follow this road through Lower Broadheath, along a long straight and the site will be found on the left. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Stewards	Stewards required, please contact the Rally Secretary if you are interested in running this rally.	
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£13.00 one night £24.00 two nights	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Centre Membership

Don't forget to renew your Centre Membership annually

Only those registered with Centre are able to vote at our AGM and receive our rally book

You can fill in the slip that comes with your membership cards, call the Club to register your centre membership on line. Should you have any issues registering then please contact the Centre Secretary

Rally 46	York	24 - 31 October
Ashfield Touring Park - Holiday Rally		
Route	From A1(M) junction 44 take A64 towards York. After approx. 16 miles take exit towards A1079/A166 Bridlington/York/Hull. At the roundabout take the 4th exit onto Hull road/A1079. After 2 miles turn left onto Common Road then 1st right onto Hagg Lane. Site will be on right after 0.2 miles. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Post Code	YO19 5PE	
Programme	Half Term Fun. BOOKING FORMS ONLY PLEASE - NO RALLY SLIPS	
Stewards	Mike & Beth Downs	07806 780265 beth.downs@ymail.com
Co-Stewards	Graham & Jane Downs	01384 835081 / 07503 146887 jandgdowns@outlook.com
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£157.50 per week inc EHU	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 47	Wyre Piddle	30 October - 1 November
By kind permission of Annie & Eric Jaques		
Hyde Farm		
Route	At Jct. 6 of M5 take 1st exit at R/about on to A4538 Evesham. After approx. 3.5 miles take 2nd exit at R/about on to A44. After approx.4.5 miles site is on right signed Hyde Farm. Watch for MCCC signs	
Post Code	WR10 2DX	
Stewards	Stewards required. Please contact Rally Secretary.	
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£11.00 one night £20.00 two nights	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 48	Fillongley	6 -8 November
Fillongley Village Hall		
Route	From Meriden take B4102 to Fillongley cross roads. Turn right onto B4098. site on right. Watch for MCCC signs.	
Post Code	CV7 8ET	
Programme	TBC. Please see website for updates.	
Stewards	Andy & Suzanne Pickrell	07853 930369 andypickrell@googlemail.com
Co-Stewards	Martyn Reynolds	07730 559500 martyn.reynolds1000@btinternet.com
Rally and Site Fee (inclusive)	£9.50 one week £17.00 two weeks	
Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees		

Rally 49 **Holt Heath** **13 -15 November**

By kind permission of Mrs Nicky Harper

Top Barn Farm

Route From Droitwich take A4133 through Ombersley over river bridge at Holt Fleet. At top of hill, turn left signed Worcester. At T jct turn left onto A443 towards Worcester. Site on left. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code WR6 6NH

Stewards Stewards required. Please contact Rally Secretary.

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £10.50 one night £19.00 two nights EHU £5.00 per night

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 50 **Astley - nr Stourport** **20 - 22 November**

By kind permission of The Village Hall Committee

Astley Village Hall

Route Over river bridge at Stourport and continue to cross roads and turn left. At T junction turn right. Continue for approx 1 1/2 miles. Site on right. Watch For MCCC signs

Post Code DY13 0RF

Programme Gin Festival

Stewards Mike & Beth Downs 07806 780265 **beth.downs@ymail.com**

Co-Stewards Phil & Lindsey Grant 07790 956636 / 07894 117892 **linz_barber@hotmail.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £9.50 one night £17.00 two nights

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 51 **Far Forest, Nr Bewdley** **27 - 29 November**

By kind permission of Mr Pound

Yew Tree Farm

Route From Kidderminster proceed towards Bewdley, past Wildlife Park to island, take A456 bypass. Cont to jct with A4117 and turn right towards Cleobury Mortimer. Site on left. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code DY14 9TH

Programme Pre Christmas Rally

Stewards Kelly & Jason Atkinson 01299 877127 / 07896 617788 **mollieellie@hotmail.co.uk**

Co-Stewards Phil & Lindsey Grant 07790 956636 / 07894 117892 **linz_barber@hotmail.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £9.50 one night £17.00 two nights optional EHU at extra cost

Plus plaque at extra cost if required. Plus Social Fees

Rally 52 **Stratford upon Avon** **4 - 6 December**

By kind permission of Ilona Barnett

Stratford Race Course - Family Christmas Party

Route From Stratford take B439 Bidford on Avon road and follow racecourse signs. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code CV37 9SE

Programme See booking form and website in due course for further details.

BOOKING FORMS ONLY PLEASE - NO RALLY SLIPS

Stewards Mick Hale 01789 268189 / 07510 270204 **mickhale48@gmail.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) Committee run rally. See booking form for more details

Rally 53 **Cookhill** **23 - 27 December**

By kind permission of The Committee

Cookhill Village Hall & Field - Christmas Rally

Route A441 Redditch / Evesham Road. Go through Astwood Bank. On entering Cookhill site on right just before church. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code B49 5JT

Programme Full Programme of Christmas Festivities and Entertainment. Further details on the website in due course.

BOOKING FORMS ONLY PLEASE - NO RALLY SLIPS

Stewards Craig & Kerry Silver 07875 097855 **sid_son_of_stud@hotmail.com**

Co-Stewards Mike & Beth Downs 07806 780265 **beth.downs@ymail.com**

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) Please see booking form

Rally 54 **Henley in Arden** **28 December - 2 January 2021**

By kind permission The School Governors

Henley in Arden School

Route From M42 Jct 4 take A3400 towards Stratford. Go through Henley in Arden. Site on left just after traffic lights. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code B95 6AF

Programme Full programme of entertainment, see booking form for details

Stewards Stewards required. Please contact the Rally Secretary

Rally 1

Shrawley , Worcestershire

8 - 10 January 2021

The Lenchford Inn - Norman Hirst Memorial Rally

Route Over river bridge at Stourport and continue to the cross roads and turn left onto B4196. At the T junction turn right, continue on B4196 for approx. 3.7 miles. Turn left at signpost for Lenchford Inn. Field is on right between Inn and B4196. Watch for MCCC signs

Post Code WR6 6TB

Programme Fun Pool Competition. Meals available in the pub

Stewards Jim & Kath Brothwood 01922 456076 / 07788 881863

cheeky1@gmx.com

Rally and Site Fee (inclusive) £10.50 one night £19.00 two nights

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