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## Save the Date – 70s Annual Dinner

Saturday 20 February 2016



The 70s Annual Dinner will again be held at The Lambert Arms, Aston Rowant, Oxfordshire OX49 5SB.

Which is just off Junction 6 of the M40.

[www.bespokehotels.com/lambertarms](http://www.bespokehotels.com/lambertarms)



### Booking instructions

#### 1. Dinner

Will you please send a cheque for £35 per head made payable to:

**"The Lambert Arms"** to:

Robert Barter  
Home Farm House  
Holton  
Oxford  
OX33 1QA

Please let Robert have a note of your email address (or postal address for those without email) so that he can confirm receipt.

#### 2. Robert's contact details:

Email: [robert.barter@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:robert.barter@tiscali.co.uk)

Telephone: 01865 872334

Mobile: 07986 989589

Robert will be liaising with the hotel regarding these bookings but the cheques will not be forwarded to them until a week or so before the event.

#### 3. Rooms

If you wish to stay the night it will be £95 per room including breakfast.

Please make room bookings direct with The Lambert Arms on 01844 351496

Quoting the reference "200216ROBE".



# 2016 Rules & Regulations

First race: Castle Combe 16-17 April

Happy New Year. To avoid issues at scrutineering would like to remind all competitors that Matthew Smith our new Championship Registrar expects all competing cars to comply with the regulations and the spirit of what we are trying to achieve from the start of the season

## Vehicle Identity Forms (VIFs)

### 2016 Championship Regulation:

*All cars in Classes A to F must have current HSCC Vehicle Identification Forms.*

*No competitor can claim Championship points unless the VIF has been approved by the Registrar.*

The Vehicle Identity Form is available on the HSCC website or email the HSCC: [office@hsc.org.uk](mailto:office@hsc.org.uk)

This is a Word Document, which you should download and complete on your computer.



Please then e-mail the completed Form in Word format (not pdf) to the HSCC: [office@hsc.org.uk](mailto:office@hsc.org.uk)

The 70s Registrar Matthew Smith will inspect your car at the first available race meeting.

Providing the car conforms to the regulations and paperwork presented, upon receipt of the £50 registration fee the completed paperwork will be returned to you.

## Vehicle presentation

### 2016 Championship Regulation:

*Cars must at all times be presented in a clean and tidy manner, in the true spirit of 70s Road Sports, including sponsors decals. Gaudy colour schemes are not acceptable.*

## Championship decals

### 2016 Championship Regulation:

*All competing cars must display two HSCC badges and two 70s logos, one on each side of the car, towards the front and near the top of the front door; alternatively, if insufficient space available, at the rear and near the top of the front wings on a near vertical surface. The 70s logo should be placed, in line, and immediately below the HSCC badge. The two stickers are to be of the same overall dimensions.*



## Class identification stickers

*All cars in Classes A to F must display their Class letter, immediately next to (5cm) and to the front of the competition numbers on both sides of the car.*

The new logos will be provided before the first event of the season by the HSCC Office to all competitors registered for the 70s Road Sports Championship.

## Show time

14/17 January **Autosport International** & 26/28 February **Race Retro**

The Historic Sports Car Club will launch its 50th anniversary season with a major display of period racing cars at Autosport International at the Birmingham NEC. At Race Retro in February the HSCC will display a range of cars showcasing affordable and accessible historic racing.

### Autosport International – NEC

Star-billing on the Club's display in **Hall 6 Stand 6730** will go to the Jaguar D-type raced by Neil Corner to win the inaugural Griffiths Formula race at Castle Combe in May 1966. The D-type will be joined on the stand by the Lotus Mk10 that finished second in the race in the hands of Chris Warwick-Drake and an Aston Martin DB3S of the type that finished third.

The Griffiths Formula race was a race for sports cars from 1945 to 1955 and it led to the formation of the HSCC.



### Race Retro – Stoneleigh Park

The HSCC will continue their 50th year celebrations at Race Retro – you'll find the Club in **Hall 2 Stand D36**.

As Race Retro marks the focal point for the start of the forthcoming historic racing season, the HSCC will stage an display in 'Speed Street'

The cars on show will demonstrate the tremendous variety and depth of the club's racing programme and spotlight new initiatives for the 2016 season.

### 70s Website

<http://70sroadsports.co.uk/>

The 1970s might have a reputation for being unfashionably 'brown' but look a little closer and you will find colour, diversity and fun fueled competition.

### 70s Twitter

<https://twitter.com/70sRoadSports>

### 70s Facebook

[www.facebook.com/pages/Road-Sports/253593504740651](http://www.facebook.com/pages/Road-Sports/253593504740651)

### Historic Sports Car Club

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