

# TRIUMPH SPORTS CAR CLUB OF SOUTH AFRICA JOHANNESBURG CENTRE

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## **Chairman's Chat**

Norman is taking a well-earned break – fishing! Good luck, Norman.

Cheers,

Norman

# **Events Calendar**

MONTH	DAY/DATE	EVENT	HOST	STATUS
January	Tue 15	Noggin		
	Sun 20	Glenburn Lodge	Jhb	official
February	Sun 17	Valentine run-Uncle Tim's	Jhb	official
	Tue 19	Noggin		
March	Sun17	Piston Ring Swop Meeting		optional
	Tue 19	Noggin		
	Sun 24	Michelotti Centenary run	Pta	official
April	Fri 05-Mon 08	Stars of Sandstone		optional
	Sun 7	Angela's Picnic	SAMCA	official
	Tue16	Noggin		
May	Tue 01	Dambusters	Sunbeam Club	official
	Tue 21	Noggin		
	Sat 26	Just Wheels	Muriel Brandt	optional
	Sun 26	Cars in Park-Pietermaritzburg		optional
	Sun 26	Cars on the Roof	Pta/POMC	optional
	Sun 26	Classic car show, Kenjara Lodge	Jack Hewetts	optional
June	Tue 18	Noggin		
	Sun 30	"Cars & Coffee on the dam"	Jhb	
		at Modderfontein		
July	Sun 7	Scottburgh Classic Car Show		optional
	SATURDAY 20	Bring and Braai. Starting at 12h00	VVC clubhouse	
	Sun 28	Rotary Hartbeespoort Classic Meander	RotaryBrits	official
August	Sun 4	Cars in Park-Zwartkops	POMC	optional
		Noggin		
	Tue 20	Pta/Jhb combined Concourse		
			Silver Oaks Mall,	
	Sun 25		Pretoria	official
September	Sun 01	Wheels at the Vaal		optional
	Sun 08	4th Ave -Parkhurst Show	VVC	optional
	Sun 15th	Piston Ring Swop Meeting		
	Tue 17	Noggin		
	Sun 29	TBA		
October	Tue 15	Noggin/AGM		official
	Sun 20 or 27	Jacaranda RunPta	MG club	optional
	Sun 27	TBA		
November	Tue 19	Noggin		
	Sun 24	TBA		
December	Sun 01	Year-end Function	Pta	official

Dates and events subject to change

### **Heidelberg Train Race**

from John Dobbins

On Heritage Day the Club joined up with other Vintage and Classic car and motor cycle enthusiasts at the Heidelberg airfield for and event organised by the local Heritage Museum (old Train Station)

with the idea of paying between a steam train and a A fantastic collection Vintage racing Bugatti, Bentley (Old Rolls Royces, an Alvis, a MGTC, Corvettes and so on. there you missed seeing a and Classic vehicles.

Triumph cars were well turnout from Pretoria but TR3 (Charl du

Thank you Charl we Triumph flag.

Harry and Elaine braved the immaculate TR3 Harry is David Swan's "Granny". Due run on time the steam train late and due to not wait to see it.



homage to the train race Bentley.

and Classic including a Number 8?), a couple of vintage handful of E types, MGB, For those of you that were not high class collection of Vintage

represented thanks to a good Johannesburg did have a red Plessis) entered in the tribute. appreciate your flying the

cold, wind and dust in an rebuilding which I believe is to Transnet's usual inability to was going to be at least an hour afternoon arrangements I could

The Heritage Museum plan to have a similar event next year and said they will let us know what the arrangements are in good time.

Cheers.

John Dobbins



















# UK Triumph Weekend – Herald 60th, TR6 50th

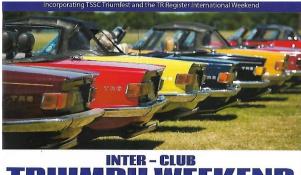
### from Emile Murray











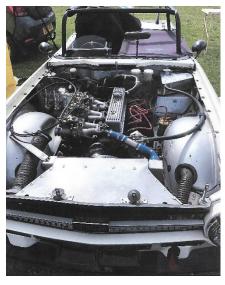






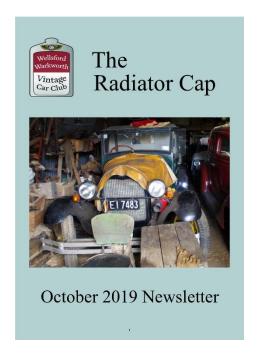








### From our New Zealand contributor



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### **Tail End Giggle**

#### INTERESTING OBSERVATION

- 1. The sport of choice for the urban poor is FOOTBALL.
- 2. The sport of choice for maintenance level employees is BOWLING
- 3. The sport of choice for front-line workers is RUGBY
- 4. The sport of choice for middle management is TENNIS.
- 5. The sport of choice for Corporate Executive and Financial Officers is GOLF.

#### THE AMAZING CONCLUSION:

The higher you go in the corporate structure, the smaller your balls become.

Three dead bodies turn up at the mortuary, all with very big smiles on their faces.

Along with them comes a police inspector to find out how they died.

"First body: Frenchman, 60. Died of heart failure while making love to his mistress. Hence, the enormous smile, Inspector," says the Coroner.

"Second body: Scotsman, 25. Won a thousand pounds on the lottery. Spent it all on whiskey. Died of alcohol poisoning. Hence the smile."

The Inspector asks, "What of the third body?"

"Ah," says the Coroner, "this is the most unusual one. Sipho, a street sweeper from Soweto, 30. Struck by lightning." "Why is he smiling then?" inquires the Inspector.

"Thought he was having his picture taken."

80 year old man: My 28 year old wife is pregnant, your opinion Doctor?

Doctor: Let me tell you a story. A hunter in a hurry grabs an umbrella instead of the gun. He moves into the jungle, sees a lion, lifts the umbrella, pulls the handle and BANG... The lion drops dead!

Old man: That's impossible; someone else must have shot the lion.

Doctor: MY POINT EXACTLY!