

# Looking back – V8 Register member list in 1979

## V8 REGISTER - VEHICLE LIST

V8's registered with or known to Secretary at 11.11.79.

V8 no.	Colour	Regn. no.	Member
<b>Works prototype (WCB)</b>			
0096	White	MMO 229L	Norman Ward
0097	Harvest Gold	HUD 577N	Brian Field
0098			Peter Wood
<b>Works pre-production (WCB)</b>			
0101	Mallard Green	LHD	Hans Hurzeler
0102	White	HUD 578N	Mike Pearson-Kirk
0104	White	(ex) HUD 576N	Gerhard Maier
0108	White	LHD	Hans Boerboom
0109	Damask	LHD	Tom Studer
0110	Teal Blue	LHD	Benz Cyrill
<b>Works Chrome Bumper (WCB)</b>			
0118	Limeflower	HOH 901L	Mike Dunlop
0145	Bronze	NBF 530M	Mike Slynn
0146	Damask	HOH 934L	John Pflaumer
0168	Harvest Gold	HE 555	John Roslyn
0188	Bronze	URC 636M	C. Wilson
0195	Damask	9688 MG	Mike Goodwin
0213			
0231		YES 901M	P. Dewsnapp
0255	Harvest Gold	70 FAB	Neville Marriner
0278	White	XWB 70M	Paul Busby
0290	White	YFX 823	Tony Bayliss
0318	White	NCE 55M	Sydney Thompson
0344	White	WUD 300M	Barry Sidery-Smith
0359		TYX 288M	Laurence Mahon
0366	Damask	NHH 279M	John Kimble
0390	Harvest Gold	NMR 448M	John Joyce
0392	Harvest Gold	NKR 333M	Roger Watt
0429	Damask	UMB 740M	Sydney Broadhurst
0452		RUA 868M	Laurie Loveless
0492	Damask	UYM 1M	Graham Brown
0498	Blue	TGK 155M	Pierre Dubs
0534	Teal Blue		John Dupont
0542	Teal Blue	XNF 333M	Ken Daniels
0588		TPH 363M	Stephen Knightley
0652	White	4600 MG	Tim Hipwell
0682		PRK 637M	Richard Green
0705	Damask	ANF 243M	John Foden
0749	White	UDC 100M	Edward Atkinson
0782	Blaze	(ex) SDP 434M	Jan de Jonge
0811	Harvest Gold	PL 6447	Peter Laidler
0812	Teal Blue	RRA 727M	David Depledge
0815		GIM 150M	Chris Hall
0830	Triumph Magenta	UGK 732M	Alan Cook
0864		ORR 333M	Anthony P. Carey
0932	Aconite	JBR 444N	Peter Macey
0956	White	VHK 445M	Nick Parrott
0986	White	CD-390 (Australia)	Chris Dodds
0989		OHF 725M	R. Stelling
0990	Blaze	PHD 180M	Peter Chapman
0999		PNJ 508M	Roger Matthews

By the end of December 1979, barely 14 months after the launch of the V8 Register in October 1978, a **total of 172 MGBV8 enthusiasts** had registered with the V8 Register – 123 (chrome bumper MGBGV8s), 43 (rubber bumper) and 9 (Costellos or conversions). Where the name is blank below it is because permission for circulation of personal data was not given.

V8 no.	Colour	Regn. no.	Member
1002	Teal Blue	PKT 944H	Jack Armstrong
1005		VBC 462M	Graham Hunt
1012	Bracken	GGW 911N	Bryan Ditcham
1015	Damask	YXJ 390M	Ralph Neal
1022	Jaguar BRG	SFO 505M	Philip Morgan
1039	White	DO-X-900 (D)	Pavuna Tom
1069	Blaze	YHX 893M	John Yardley
1089	Harvest Gold	PVJ 414M	Victor Smith
1096			David Phipps
1104	White		Gone to USA
1114		YBF 284M	Roberta Meadows
1129	Tundra	WMT 994M	Ian Polley
1139	Damask	PLJ 815M	E. Jackson
1170	Blaze	WEA 290M	Charles Williams
1172		PDC 900M	M. Pilgrim
1175	White	TTB 586M	Tony Hilton
1190		KMM 814M	Denny Harman
1192	Citron	UTE 600M	Philip Bowman
1214	Damask	AJH 173N	Ken Smith
1216	Bracken	SVT 483N	Linda Bailey
1227	White	RPN 579N	Philip Alexander
1251		WGF 8M	Gordon Hadfield
1262	Aconite	SWD 566M	Bob Redfern
1268	Citron	PTV 580M	Robin Dolton
1275		GPC 995N	Simon Gibbard
1276	White	VNH 104M	Derek Benton
1282	Damask	UWY 132N	Geoff Seaton
1294	White	NKO 530M	Leslie Coombes
1296	White	8811 MG	Gary Watson
1301			
1338	Damask	YUR 202N	Peter Mallory
1342	Bracken	WPH 529M	Jack Edney
1377	Damask	XYA 222M	Brian Harris
1420	Yellow	HDS 707N	Rod Longton
1428		TSO 898M	Jim Lornia
1429	(written off)		Dave Brindle
1452		JGE 818N	Richard Matthews
1453	Harvest Gold	VLB 2M	Paul Frost
1457	Damask	VDR 8M	Colin Light
1498	Citron	GBF 160N	Mike Maude-Roxby
1531		SIF 707N	Trévor Dent
1561		UWT 428N	Alan Muse
1602		RWV 44N	T. Elton
1633	White	THM 447M	Stephen Dear
1639	Citron	JKJ 671N	Martin Parham
1665	Damask	WAA 8N	Audree Wilson-Layatt
1667	Damask	XJH 179M	E. Doyle
1675	Mirage	TRG 9199 (SA)	John Fry
1679	Citron	YVM 925M	Alan Kingwell
1729		OUT 630M	Colin Leisk
1735	Damask	RPM 1M	Mrs. G. Deane
1747		GKW 358N	Anthony G. Carey
1750		GEU 90N	Rodney Kettel
1757	White	TOK 666N	Jim Loveday
1851	Damask	NOV 8M	Paul Farrier
1863		TNV 639N	Michael Nell
1893	Teal Blue	GRT 420N	Peter Curbishley
1898	Blaze	HVF 560N	Howard Deane
1931	White	HGK 946N	John Grottick
1956	Citron	KNK 103N	Jerry Bright

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### Works Rubber Bumper (WRB)

2101	Teal Blue	TOF 560N	Albert Allen
2104	Harvest Gold	GOL 997N	Henry Criswell
2145	Orange	MKO 264P	Chris Baughan
2146		HJT 636N	Basil Sparkes
2170	Damask	TRG 26111 (SA)	Malcolm Chapman
2177	Blaze	8000 DF	David Franklin
2200	Black		Veit Prior
2203	Teal Blue	JAC 606N	Raymond Jepp
2207		KFY 497P	Arnold Young
2222	Damask	NYA 996P	Robert Hopkins
2244			Michael Draper
2288	White	LXX 7P	David Lewis
2332	Blue	OGH 105P	Howard Gosling
2375	Red	NVD 443P	Jeff Ward
2404	Damask	OCF 516P	Alastair Naylor
2413		LFP 580P	Nicholas Sorsby
2428	Flamenco Red	MJS 151	M. Satur
2429	Damask	234 WHT	Bill Thompson
2435	Flamenco Red	KKY 420P	Jim Gibson
2439	Limeflower		Erich Studli
2454	Blaze	LXD 99P	Robert Hawkins
2472	Tahiti Blue	KOI 6006	John Wilton
2482	Red	KFM 202P	Stuart Nichols
2519	White	ODU 130P	Gert Kersten
2541	Flamenco Red	8235 JH	John Heagren
2593		MMO 751P	Peter Brown
2601	Damask	KDA 410P	Jonathan Wilde
2710	Citron	LOE 63P	David McCann
2722	Black	PWL 965P	Frederick Yhap
2723			Known to Peter Beadle
2792			
2809	White	RFV 198P	Ken Medlicott
2820	Chartreuse	RWL 502P	John Day
2834		NWJ 366R	Lt. Comm. J.R. Senior
2846	Primrose yellow?	MMY 463P	Ann Sargent
2886	Chartreuse	RG 689B	John Gay
2903	Last V8 built		

### Special V8's (Costello's & other non-works)

GJB 872K	Teal Blue	Brian Shawcross-Smith	
XKN 490J	Blue	Richard White	
PMX 401P	White	Dennis Whistlecroft	
MY 136B		Capt. Richard Mole	
Full race V8		Geoff Gear	
STJ 317M	Blaze	Dave Brindle	Rebuild of 1429
7759 KO		Geoffery Peters	Costello Roadster
MOK 561P	Black	Lothar Taverne	Costello GT V8
Full race MDN 1F		Alan White	

### Additional vehicles as at 27.12.79.

0329	White	XAL 300M	Fred Doodey
0433	T. blue	PPR 903	John Eastwood
0799	Aconite	SGD 575N	Tony Jenkins
0928		UPH 733M	Harry Partridge
1267	Purple	RKM 490M	John Mepsted
1465	Damask	GAS 461N	Alan Clements
1815	White	KUD 518N	Aidan Bristow

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2113		MNT 686P	Carl Douglas
2165	Black	JIM 297N	Mervyn Radley
2176	Black	JHO 500N	Richard Prince
2204		HUH 620N	N. Long
2386	Blue	LOU 751P	C. Huxtable
2611	Tundra	NEC 190P	Ian Storry
0347	Damask	NEE 565M	Andrew Burroughs
0628	White	VMB 333M	Simon Potter
0769	Bracken	PHW 487M	Chris Owen
1124	Black	OUH 527M	Richard Monk
1209	Citron	261	Michael Higgins
0716		XGC 20M	Terry Dickie
1053		CWA 484M	Michael Hibberd

### Members attending the first V8 Register dinner at the Crossroads Hotel in Weedon Bec on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> May 1979

Jan de Jonge  
 Charles Williams  
 Norman Ward  
 Bill Thompson  
 Howard Deane  
 Stephen Knightley  
 Jim Gibson  
 Graham Brown  
 Paul Busby  
 Andrew Burroughs  
 Peter Mallory  
 Thomas Studer  
 Jerry Bright  
 John Dupont  
 Geoff Seaton  
 Jeff Ward  
 David Depledge  
 Erich Studli  
 Geoff Gear  
 Ken Daniels  
 Peter Sullivan  
 Rob Gill  
 Dr Peter Curbishley  
 Ian Polley  
 Jack Edney  
 Colin Light  
 Tony Hilton  
 Peter Beadle  
 Victor Smith  
 Barry Sidery-Smith  
 Nick Parrott