V8 Technical Day – programme – Saturday 1st June 2019

Aim of the day is to provide a compact series of presentations on topics which will be interesting and topical for fellow MGV8 members. The presentations will be supported by sets of well-illustrated slides. There will be refreshments on arrival, a buffet lunch and afternoon refreshments.

Time	Presentation	Notes
0930	Welcome to the Study Centre, Views Farm, Great Milton OX44 7NW Refreshments on arrival – tea and coffee with homemade cakes and biscuits. Prompt start at 1015	Booking arrangements are on the V8 Website, with route maps to enable members to find Views Farm.
1015	Welcome to the "Jack Peers Centre" Charles will give a little history of the "Jack Peers Centre".	Charles Peers
1020	Replacement 5-speed Mazda gearbox for an MGBGTV8 Presentation describing the kit and how it performs in an MGV8, what is involved with an installation and any necessary modifications, who can supply and install the kit, and what are the costs. A fellow member who has recently had the Mazda gearbox installed in his MGBGTV8 will support the presentation. Followed by a short Q&A session.	Slide show with bullet points and illustrations. Presenter: Christian Disney From Vitesse Ltd (supplier) with Peter Berry who has had the kit installed in his MGBGTV8
1100	Are waterless coolants a worthwhile option for an MGV8? Presentation describing what waterless coolants are and their claimed benefits, then an assessment of waterless coolant products ending with a recommended choice of coolant for an MGV8. Followed by a short Q&A session.	Slide show with bullet points and illustrations. Presenter: Tony Lake
1200	Trackers help secure your MGV8 and aid a successful recovery if it is stolen Presentation describing what <u>trackers</u> can do by monitoring a classic car, by notifying you of any disturbance to the vehicle, how a tracker can help recover the car if it were to be stolen, the available tracker options, how they are installed, what 24/7 monitoring services are available, the costs of the kit, installation and monitoring services. Followed by a short Q&A session.	Slide show with bullet points and illustrations. Presenter: Victor Smith
1300	Buffet lunch Please notify the organiser of any dietary needs in advance.	
1345	MGV8 market report and price guide update An update on the 6 monthly market review and price guide released in May 2019 on the V8 Website, followed by a short Q&A session. Possibly also a brief presentation on the insurance renewal topic.	Slide show. Presenters: Andy Goves, Keith Belcher & Victor Smith
1430	RV8 wheel centre fixings – a security upgrade Practical demonstration of the new security bolts for RV8 alloy wheels and the improved "Allen" key highlighted by John Anthistle in his RV8NOTE448. Any questions will be welcome.	Short presentation. Presenter: Clive Wheatley
1500	Additional topics Members booking to join the event are invited to submit questions on the published presentations and also questions on an additional two or three topics. The session will take the form of a Q&A session.	Panel: Peter Berry, John Cumming, Ron Gammons, Nic Houslip, Tony Lake, Victor Smith & Clive Wheatley
1600	Afternoon refreshments Refreshments will include tea and coffee with homemade cakes and biscuits.	Please notify the organiser of any dietary needs in advance of the event.

See our online maps showing how to reach Views Farm, just west of the M40 Junctions 7 or 8. Route maps

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