



SV-R wins two cups at MGLive! John Newey reports his MG X-Power SV-R with its 5.0 V8 engine won its class in the "Pride of Ownership" at MGLive! and then went on to win the Roger Latham trophy for overall best in show too.

## Tour of Churches around Watlington

A tour of six churches in the Oxfordshire countryside around Watlington on Saturday 3rd October 2015. The tour will start with refreshments at the Coach & Horses in Chiselhampton from 9.30am. The first church is just a short walk from the large car park at the pub. The tour has been organised by fellow member and local

farmer Charles Peers. The first church we will visit, St Katherine's, was built by his distant ancestor, another Charles Peers. There will be a lunch break at the Chequers Inn at Fingest and tea at Ewelme church followed by a V8 Dinner. A detailed 24 page guidebook has been prepared with route maps to Chiselhampton from the A34 and M40, route maps from church to church and descriptions of each church and of many features seen on the tour. For details of the tour and how to book a place see the "more" webpage: <a href="https://www.v8register.net/more.htm">www.v8register.net/more.htm</a>

## V8 Register Grille Badges available again

An initiative by Angus Munro attracted over 50 pre-orders for a new supply of small V8 Register Grille Badges. If you missed the online promotion in August then limited stocks remain available. For details see the "more" webpage.

## What's in a set of MGB Workshop Notes?

The MGB Workshop Notes series for MGB owners has over 300 useful technical notes for the MGB and MGBGT with a range of

service and spares tips contributed by fellow members. Sets of the notes are available on a USB memory stick bearing the MGB logo which is a very convenient way of having the information to hand. There is a detailed index to the complete series so tracing information on a topic is very straightforward. Examples of the notes you will find in Volume 4 are a comprehensive note on waxoyling an MGB, a modification to avoid a failed bonnet catch, tips on using Jubilee clips, cleaning out the fresh air vent chamber drain tube known as "Ted's knob" to avoid wet carpets and a review of luggage rack options for MGB Roadsters. For full details of the series and how to get a set see the "more" webpage at www.v8register.net/more.htm

## Classic car thefts are increasing

Recent classic car press articles report thefts increasing to the point where one car is being stolen virtually every day. One way of protecting your car is to fit a GPS tracker which will alert you by text message of any tampering with the car and provide its location if stolen so the police will be able to recover it. See the "more" page for further details at www.v8register.net/more.htm