

FORRESTERS CAR CLUB

15th September 2019

The John Bird Memorial

TWO RIVERS TOUR

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Final Instructions



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Thank you for entering The John Bird Memorial Two Rivers Tour. It's great to see so many fellow motor sport enthusiasts entered, with a great range of cars.

The start venue is at **Rhymney Brewery, Gilchrist Thomas Industrial Estate, Blaenavon, NP4 9RL**. OS Land Ranger Series Map Reference 161/ 240 091, follow the brown tourist information signs for 'Big Pit'. The venue will be open from 08:00 and breakfast rolls, tea and coffee will be served from 08:30. Please arrive at least 45 minutes before your start time, and in time for the drivers briefing at 09:30.

Upon arrival, please park as directed by our marshals. Signing on will be in the Rhymney Brewery upstairs. You will have the opportunity to have breakfast and take a look around. Tickets for all refreshments and meals will be in your packs.

It is your responsibility to ensure that your vehicle is fully compliant for use on the public highway. Please bring along your V5 registration certificate and a current MOT certificate if applicable.

The format for the day will be three sections of approximately 60, 40 and 40 miles with two comfort breaks on route where snacks, drinks and toilets will be available. At the finish, we will be served a two course Sunday lunch at the Huntsman Hotel in Shirenewton, NP16 6BU, OS Land Ranger Series Map Reference 171 477½ 941½ . The route will be defined by a tulip diagram roadbook and will also be displayed on a notice board on OS Land Ranger maps numbers 171 and 161 if you prefer to copy onto your own maps. Roadbook mileages were calculated using GPS. To follow the route using the tulip roadbook, use of a milometer or trip meter is highly recommended.

Fuel will be available after approximately 31 miles (Morrisons) and 40 miles (Crickhowell). Your final opportunity to fill up is 32 miles into section 2 just off route in the services on your left. If you do get stuck please contact one of the organisers on the numbers given below who will be able try to help.

The first car will leave at 10:01 with cars following at one minute intervals. To calculate your start time, add your entry number (see entry list enclosed) in minutes to 10.00 am.

We have several Passage Controls which you need to visit to get your route card signed. If cars are bunching up, you may be asked to wait a minute before

proceeding. To help with any difficult junctions, we may use orange arrows to define the correct route.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind crews that the only timing involved in this route will be into and out of rest halts, so please drive courteously and with respect for other road users. If you are caught by cars following you, please pull over and let them pass as soon as possible as some drivers like to go a little quicker than others. Adequate time has been allowed, with time for you to stop at viewpoints and admire the scenery if you wish.

There will be two awards for Best Presented Car. Nutts Classics will select their choice of pre 1985 vehicle. The post 1985 award has been donated by the family of John Bird. These awards will be presented at the finish venue.

There will be photographers around on the day and photographs will be available from them via their web sites. Details will be available on the day.

If you have any special dietary requirements, please let me know as soon as possible.

And finally - due to a printing error, we need cheque payments to be made out to **Forresters Car Club Limited**. We will have your cheques at signing on and will ask you to amend and initial the payee and they will be paid into the bank the week following the event. Please accept our apologies for this error. **If the cheque signatory will NOT be with you at signing on, please bring a replacement signed cheque or cash.**

Useful Contact Numbers:

Richard Shorey	Clerk of Course	07976 565426
Fiona Evans	Secretary	07976 565235
Peter Hughes	Course Car	07768 095156

Let's hope the weather is sunny and clear, and we hope you have an enjoyable day.

The Organising Team.