

SACC Meeting Dates Survey

Email sent to all asking when does your club have its meetings, and when do you think SACC meetings should be held?

There were 17 replies from 15 clubs. Detailed results are on next page)

The first week of the month is most popular for club meetings (6), and none meet in the third week. (Except that EUMsC meet weekly and Coltness meet every two weeks.)

4 clubs meet on Monday, 3 on Tuesday, 4 Wednesday, 4 Thursday, none Friday, Saturday or Sunday.

Six suggested SACC should meet in the third week, 4 said 2nd week, 3 said first week.

Five suggested Tuesday, two said Thursday, one each Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Sunday.

I therefore recommend that next year we hold our meetings on the third Tuesday of the month.

Also, after comments about whether Bridge of Allan is a good venue, I googled the distance from various towns.

Choice of Venue for SACC Meetings

Distance and Time to Bridge of Allan

	Miles	Time
Forfar	67	01:18
Ayr	68	01:23
Kelso	85	01:44
Hawick	91	02:00
Duns	93	01:43
Dumfries	96	01:49
Stonehaven	102	01:57
Castle Douglas	113	02:13
Aberdeen	116	02:15
Wigtown	128	02:38
Inverurie	133	02:42
Inverness	141	02:48
Elgin	158	03:21
Wick	241	05:01

Correspondence

Forestry Allocations

Club	Event	Date	Forest District
Highland	Snowman	16/2/13	North Highland Inverness Ross & Skye
Whickham & DMC	Border Counties	23/3/13	Dumfries and Borders
Aberdeen & DMC	Granite City	20/4/13	Moray & Aberdeenshire
Highland	Stravaigers Lodge Rally Time Trial	11/5/13	Inverness Ross & Skye
RSAC	Scottish	29/6/13	Dumfries and Borders
63	Speyside	3/8/13	Moray & Aberdeenshire
Machars and Scottish Sporting	Merrick	7/9/13	Galloway
Isle of Skye Rally Club	Skeabost Rally Time Trial	21/9/13	Inverness Ross & Skye
Coltness	Colin McRae Forest Stages	29/9/13 or 5/10/13	Tay
Solway	Galloway Hills	27/10/13	Dumfries and Borders Galloway
Classic Rally Association	Rally of the Tests	31/10/13- 3/11/13	Dumfries and Borders
De Lacy MC	Roger Albert Clark	8/11/13- 10/11/13	Dumfries and Borders

MSA would like any specific comments on these by 14th September.

Note that the Rally of the Tests and Roger Albert Clark are both using Craik, one week apart.

Dates for MSA Officials Seminars 2013

From: Alan Page [mailto:Alan.Page@msauk.org]
Sent: 25 July 2012 09:52
To: Alan.Page@msauk.org
Cc: Allan Dean-Lewis
Subject: 2013 Licenced Officials Seminars - Planning.

Dear all,

I am in the process of planning the 2013 Licenced Officials Seminars and am aware that at certain venues last year there was a date clash between the seminar and events/ social events/ training days. In an effort to de-conflict this year, I am requesting your assistance in this matter.

Can I ask each Regional Association to provide me with any dates between Saturday January 19th 2013 and Sunday March 10th 2013 when it would not be preferable for us to hold a seminar in your region? This will aid me in ensuring that we provide for the majority of attendees. Whilst the MSA cannot always meet everyone's requirements when planning these events, we will endeavour to do so.

Replies are respectfully requested by 17th August 2012.

Kind regards,
Alan.

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From: Lock Horsburgh secretary@scottishcarclubs.com 15 Aug
To: Alan Page Copy: Gerry, Lesley, Raymond, Roger
Dates to avoid if you can for Licensed Officials in Scotland:
I emailed around 180 known contacts for Scottish clubs and got half a dozen replies
26-27 Jan SLROC
2-3 Feb "possibly" SLROC
Sat 9th Feb SLROC
16-17 Feb - Snowman Rally, SRC round Highland CC
3rd March - Saltire Classic Rally - Birnam, near Perth Saltire Rally Club (the 2012 seminar was on the day of their event, just a few miles away, so they would feel picked on if it happened again)

Other comments -
one "personally would prefer a Saturday"
one "will be in New Zealand till 24th Feb"

Regards,
Lock

Race Coordinator

Due to a clashing Committee Meeting on the same night there will be no representatives from Scottish Motor Racing Club at the SACC Meeting next Tuesday.

I know of nothing in particular that we need to raise but would advise that for a second year, two of our Club Championships will have been involved at the BTCC meeting at Knockhill this weekend. The Scottish Classic Saloon and Sportscar Championship and the Scottish Mini Cooper Cup will each have had 2 rounds at the meeting with their race on Sunday shown live on ITV4 as part of the whole package. These championships have been used by TOCA to fill in the gaps in their programme by the non-appearance of the Renault Clios and the failure of Formula Renault. The package we were given was not cheap but the grids are packed and this means the entry fee is no more than our competitors pay at an SMRC Club Meeting. It is a prestigious meeting for the drivers to be involved in and has cemented a long term relationship with TOCA which can only be beneficial for SMRC.

I will not be at the next meeting in November as I will be in Abu Dhabi for the Grand Prix but Sandy Denham will be in attendance on behalf of SMRC.

Regards

Mike