

# **Event List 2024**

# **AROC** East Midlands Section

Below – some of our members' at The Coopers Arms, Weston-on-Trent last year for Spider Night! We are there next on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> of July, all Italian Spiders welcome

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This list is frequently updated as new events are added and details of some are finalised. Do come back to check!

See our ALFISTI newsletter for more details on the ones coming up and for reports, photos and videos from past ones. See link above.



Weds 24 July, 7pm - Spider Night! - Coopers Arms, Weston-on-Trent, Derby DE72 2BJ Our later July meeting night with a special line up of SPIDERS. All Italian Spiders welcome, not just Alfas.

For avoidance of doubt, Alfa Romeos of any type are very welcome too! Meals available in the pub – best book via pub to be certain.

This date is correct – incorrect date shown in June Club Magazine.



**Sat 3 August – Fiats and Friends, British Motor Museum, Gaydon** Organised by the Fiat Motor Club, this event will celebrate Fiats and Italian vehicles of all ages at the British Motor Museum. All Alfas very welcome at this HUGE site in Warwickshire.

Tickets are just £11 per Adult, include museum access. Book HERE



Thurs 8 August, 7pm, Classic Car Night at our August Meeting at the Rothley Court Hotel, Westfield Ln, Rothley, Loughborough, LE7 7LG starting at 7pm. All CLASSIC ALFAS will have a special display line – and of course ALL Alfas are welcome! No need to book. This year, if members have other classic cars they are very welcome to join in.



Sun 18 August, AROC 60th Anniversary National Alfa Day – Bicester Heritage

A very special celebration is assured at this brilliant venue with track parades available to all!

Ticket link at aroc-uk.com ONE NOT TO MISS!!



**Sunday 8 September - Southern Alfa Day** – The Royal Gunpowder Mills, Waltham Abbey. With 300 years of intrigue and history in a stunning natural setting are ready to explore! All details here plus tickets. **LINK** 



#### Monday 9 September at 6.30pm - Karting Night!

The Sutton Circuit near Broughton Astley for an evening endurance race! A brilliant outdoor circuit, all equipment provided. Starts 6.30pm, just £40 a head! Friends and family very welcome. BOOK AND PAY <u>HERE!</u> (Yes, advance sales this time!)



Thurs 12 September - TWILIGHT DRIVE – Rothley Court Hotel Westfield Ln, Rothley, Loughborough, LE7 7LG starting at 7pm. Drive leaves around 7.40pm returning before 8.30pm. Scenic drive, in convoy around the wonderful roads of Charnwood. More details nearer the event. We'll return for drinks and natter to The Wilberforce Suite.



# Sunday 22 September – MITCAR, Midlands Italian Car Day – Kedleston Hall near Derby. Our Section's BIG event!!

Gates open 10am. Admission just £12 per car, £5 optional admission to house payable on the day. Advance tickets ONY - available  $\frac{\text{HERE}}{\text{HERE}}$ 



#### Sunday 6 October from 9.30pm - The Fox Run

Breakfast meeting followed by a navigational run across the East Midlands. More details soon!!



Thurs 10 October from 7.30pm - Section AGM and Alfa Quiz -

at The Rothley Court Hotel, Westfield Lane, Rothley, LE7 7LG. We will review the past 12 months and try to get some outline on what we might do next year. That's followed by a fun multiple-choice quiz, with great prizes! Bar meals available.



#### 8-10 November Classic Motor Show, NEC Birmingham

AROC stand will feature some FANTASTIC Alfa Romeos celebrating 60 Years of AROC. Our Section members will be helping on the display. Special ticket discount for AROC members - See AROC Forum or contact John nearer the event.



**Thurs 14 November from 7.30pm - Monthly Meeting** – including the infamous "What were they asking?' quiz at The Rothley Court Hotel, Westfield Lane, Rothley, LE7 7LG. Multiple choice quiz is always a lot of fun with LOADS of jovial interaction. Great prizes too! Also the judging of our 2024 Photo Competition! Bar meals available.



# Thurs 12 December from 7.30pm - Monthly Meeting

Venue TBC – more details later this year.

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**Fri 3 January 2025 - New Year Meal** at La Torre, 48 High Street, Coalville, Leicestershire, LE67 3EE. Special three course party menu at around £29 a head. Great food and great company - lots of additional fun on the night too including charity raffle.

Places MUST be booked via John. John.Griffiths@aroc-uk.com



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#### Friday 5 January 2024 - New Year Meal at La Torre

Great food and great company - lots of additional fun on the night including charity raffle. (We raised £400 for Rainbows Children's Hospice!!



**Sunday 28 January 2024 - Breakfast Meeting and Countryside Run** to Calke Abbey – starting at The George & Dragon, Ashby Rd, Thringstone Leics, LE67 8UH.



Thurs 15 February 2024 - WINTER WARMER CURRY NIGHT at The George & Dragon, Ashby Rd, Thringstone Leics, LE67 8UH. Just £10 a head for a choice of curries and all the trimmings!



Sat 9 March 2024 - Pirelli Alfas & Coffee Morning at the Pirelli Performance Centre in Burton-on-Trent.



Thurs 14 March 2024 - Section Meeting Night with 'Show 'n Tell' – at the Rothley Court Hotel, Westfield Lane, Rothley, Leics LE7 7LG



# 22-24 March 2024 - Practical Classics Classic Car & Restoration Show - Birmingham NEC

Featuring a superb AROC display of Classic Alfa Romeos showing various steps of restoration.



**Thurs 11 April 2024 - Section Meeting Night** at The George & Dragon, Ashby Rd, Thringstone Leics, LE67 8UH. The first outdoor meeting night of the year, featuring a 'Blag-a-Ride!



Sunday 21 April 2024- Drive it Day – Peak Run with the Derbyshire Section. Starts Thornbridge Hall near Bakewell from 9.30am on for a 11am departure.



## Thurs 25 April, 5-8pm - Pirelli Pizza & Peroni Night!

Pirelli Performance Centre in Burton-upon-Trent. £5 per person which is a donation to Prostate Cancer UK. Wood-fired Pizza and Peroni 0% is FREE.

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Sunday 28 April 9.30am on - AROC Spring Alfa Day At The Yorkshire Wildlife Park, near Doncaster. It was a bit damp...



**Thurs 9 May from 7pm - Monthly Meeting** at the Rothley Court Hotel, Westfield Lane, Rothley, Leics LE7 7LG **It's The Spring Spin.** We will gather from 7pm and then enjoy a convoy drive around the local lanes in some daylight for a change, leaving at around 7.45pm.



Sunday 12 May - Peak Alfa Run with Derbyshire Section Start point is Denby Pottery Village (Ripley DE5 8NX) from 10:00, breakfast available. Navigational run departs around 11am.



Sunday 19 May from 10am-2pm Great Northern Classics Italiano Day Parking the event is £1.50 per hour.

They are expecting a good attendance of Italian cars, and their indoor displays of classic vehicles will all be available for us to see. Café on site. Venue: 274 - 278 Osmaston Road, Derby, DE24 8AE



Tuesday 21 May from 7.30pm - Classic Car Night at Beedle's Lake Golf Centre. (170 Broome Lane, East Goscote, Leicester, LE7 3WQ.)
We are invited to attend the Jaguar Enthusiast Club's meeting night again this year. All Alfa Romeos are welcome or any 'classics' you might own. Club house bar open but eat before you attend! (No need to book.)



Friday 24 May - 9.30am - East Midlands Track Day at Curborough

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Our fantastic track day is now FULL. Email John for reserve list.

Spectators are FREE if you fancy dropping by at the Curborough Sprint Course near Lichfield.



Monday 3 June – New Alfa Romeo JUNIOR at Research Garage The Alfa Romeo Team at Research Garage in Nuneaton has invited

everyone over to see the brand-new Junior in the metal, and there will be free Pizza and drinks too! Everyone welcome.



Friday 21 June from 3.30pm - 'The Friday Sundowners'

Meeting from 3.30pm at Research Garage Nuneaton, convoy then at 5pm to 'The Hill' Caffeine & Machine for their Sundowner meeting, arriving there around 6pm. The C&M ticket is being paid for by Research Garage who are great supporters of AROC. Contact John.



Thurs 27 June from 7pm - Fun Concours Night - Rothley Court Hotel, Westfield Ln, Rothley, Loughborough, LE7 7LG. All Alfa Romeos are automatically entered, and everyone present gets to vote! Stacks of categories and great prizes and the winner gets the famous Mirror Shine Trophy!

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