

Jaguar Enthusiasts Club Centre Ouest Sub Region of JEC SOFA



2018 OUTLINE EVENTS PROGRAMME - for the main JEC SOFA events see JEC SOFA.fr

MAY - Hope Association 3 day Bookfare, 79190 Clussais la Pommeraise. Our event is on Friday 18th. Large twice a year very popular Bookfare with hundreds of both English and French books. Meet for coffee inside or outside Fare, free morning and then Plat du Jour lunch in Village Restaurant.

JUNE - George Sands House, Nohant - Beautiful 1450 fully furnished mansion and gardens the home, around 1834, of famous writer Aurore Dupin known as George Sands who lived with musician Frederic Chopin. Meet for coffee at the house before the visit followed by lunch at Restaurant Bar du Chateau Sarzay recommended by Stu. Weekday visit.

Circuit Val de Vienne Sunday 3rd June - Sports Collection Ferrari 500 - Around 500 classic and modern Ferraris meet every year together with numerous other luxury sports cars including Jaguars. All proceeds are donated to Poitiers Children Cancer Hospital with a total of almost 4Million Euros since late 1990's. Racing and a rally take place over 4 days with all the Ferraris and other sports cars being exhibited together on the Sunday morning with all the Ferraris driving together around the racetrack at midday. Meet for coffee in the village, arrive together at the circuit car park, free morning and return to car park at 1.00PM for a picnic lunch around our Jaguars. Return to circuit.

JULY - Pre 1940 Classic European cars, motorcycles and sidecar racing. Puy du Notre Dame above Poitiers - 22nd and or 23rd to be confirmed by organisers. Grand Prix Retro around the streets between reinforced bales of corn. Lunch and optional dinner arranged by the organisers. John McLennan who suggested the event has kindly agreed to organise the weekend or Sunday for us.

AUG - Meet for coffee and afterwards visit the 15th century Chateau de Rochebrune. Owned originally by General Comte Dupont. Well restored Napoleonic furniture and memorabilia throughout the Chateau. Lunch afterwards at Relais d'Etagnac or 4 Klm away at Le Vieux Merlin.

SEPT - Visit Porcelaine Factory such as Royal Porcelaine in Limoges followed by lunch in Limoges.

OCT - Visit Vintage Car Sales Showroom at St Junien (note St Junien) followed by lunch at the Golf Club. Set lunch including wine and coffee 16€.

Look forward to seeing you - regards Graham and Ray - contact - jecentreouest@gmail.com

Event details will be sent out to you about two months in advance.