

FBHVC Briefing Talk and Discussion

Thursday 27th April 2023



David Whale will be giving a talk on Thursday 27th April with the venue currently envisaged as the Reigate Manor Hotel on Reigate Hill close to Junction 8 of the M25.

David has been the Chairman of the FBHVC for many years and has been at the forefront of supporting Historic Cars in the UK, in particular working with Government organisations. He is therefore in an excellent position to brief MG enthusiasts on how he sees the Historic car movement progressing into the next decade.

In particular, his talk will cover the work of the FBHVC including issues such as:

- 1. FBHVC's work with the UK Government
- 2. What the organisation's view is for historic cars looking into the future.
- 3. Risks of restrictive legislation,
- 4. Availability of petrol especially E5 as we approach 2030
- 5. Risks to historic cars from impending ULEZ and the impact on collectors' cars that do not yet qualify for historic status.

David works closely with Tom Worthington of Tree-V and he will give a summary of these organisations activities in connection with sustainability and carbon offsetting.

The talk will commence at 7.30 for 8.00pm and anyone interested in attending should contact John Morgan.

[•]David Whale – FBHVC Chairman David lives in Hamstall Ridware, Staffordshire with wife, Barbara. Following a long and successful career in the lubricants industry he established a global consultancy specialising in leadership development programmes working with multi-cultural teams. He joined the Federation board in 2010, becoming Chairman in 2012. He served the Fédération International des Véhicules Anciens as Senior Vice President and the International Historic Commission of the Fédération Internationale de l'Automobile. His historic vehicle interests include a pre-production Morris Mini Moke, a 1938 Rosengart coupe with full history and having covered less than 9,000km from new and various other unique vehicles ranging from a 1904 Curved Dash Oldsmobile to a 1973 Range Rover.'

Talk Attendance: To attend and take part in this meeting, please email to John Morgan your name and phone number to <u>competitions@mgccse.co.uk</u> by the beginning of March to assist with planning for the meeting room. Please phone 07802 770025 regarding any other queries.

Attendees are requested to make a minimum donation of £5.00 per person to contribute towards the MGCC SE Centre meeting expenses.