

Member Communities Communique

December 2024 Update

A message from Geoff Guant, Club Leader

Before the festive season is fully upon us, and 2024 heads towards its close, it feels like a good time to look back and reflect on another year of activity across our club.

I know everyone will have their own favourite memories of all the fun and friendship we have shared. For you these might include making new friends this year on a Boundless social break or meeting up with old friends on your favourite caravan rally. Perhaps you remember swapping stories at the end of a day on a classic vehicle gathering or motorcycle ride out. Or maybe it was that special coach trip with the local group?...



So, it seems to me an appropriate time to remind ourselves that without you, our legions of wonderful volunteers, there would be no member communities and none of these memories would be made. I hope alongside all the hustle and bustle of the season, you will also find time to rest, relax and recharge your batteries ahead of another year of making more memories for our fellow members.

On their behalf, I thank you so much for all you do to make our club special!

2024 AGM

The 2024 Annual General Meeting took place on Thursday 31st October 2024, 2.30pm at The Clermont Charing Cross, The Strand, London, WC2N 5H

The Business of the Annual General Meeting included:

- A presentation on the Association.
- Approval by show of hands, of the 2023 Annual Report and Accounts
- Approval of the Re-appointment of the Auditors by show of hands.
- Approval of the 3 Special Resolutions that have been proposed by the Board of Directors.
- The Announcement of the results of the ballot for the election of an Independent Club Council Member

The Association Chair announced that with 55.09% of the votes cast Mr Mike Harrison was duly elected as the Independent Council Member for a two-year term of office. We'd like to congratulate Mike Harrison on his new role.

Following the brief adjournment to allow the voting papers to be counted, Mr O'Sullivan announced the results of the Special Resolutions as follows;

Special Resolution 1 passed with 88% in favour

Special Resolution 2 passed with 91% in favour

Special Resolution 3 passed with 78% in favour

Please visit boundless.co.uk/agmvoting and log in for AGM slides and meeting minutes.

2025 Budgets

On behalf of Club Treasurer, Janice Stace, we would like to thank everyone for getting there 2025 budgets in on time for approval.

All groups have now been contacted regarding the approval of their 2025 budget.

Should you have any further questions do not hesitate to reach out to Janice at Janice.Stace@boundless.co.uk

Interest Group Committees

The deadline for nominations to our Interest Group committees is the end of January.

If the opportunity to join one of our Interest Group committees is of interest to you, we'd recommended you speak with the Leader of the Group you're interested in to establish what's involved prior to putting forward your nomination to: membercommunities@boundless.co.uk.

Your nomination should include a brief outline of your experience in the relevant area, plus what you would like to contribute towards the future of the Group.



The Leaders of each interest Group can be contacted via email using the contacts below:

- Camping and Caravanning Group Leader: grahamdavis297@gmail.com
- Classic Vehicle Group Leader: daverosher@gmail.com
- Karting Group Leader: demetriorros@hotmail.co.uk
- Motorcycling Group Leader: allan.goddard@boundlesscommunity.co.uk
- Motorsports (inc. 4x4 and Marshalling) Group Leader: mike.biss@btinternet.com

We look forward to hearing from you!

Social Breaks Ideas

Have you been somewhere that you think might make for a good Boundless Social Break – we'd be interested to know!

The team have started putting together the programme of Breaks for 2026 and would appreciate any ideas you might be able to share.

Please email your ideas to: social.group@boundless.co.uk



Groups Out and About

The Dorset Group at a recent tour of Weymouth Pavilion.

'After an excellent lunch we were shown all the backstage features including the sound and lighting of the theatre. A really good visit which was enjoyed by all. The photo shows a number of members with Weymouth Esplanade as a backdrop.'

- Phill Brinson, Dorset Group Treasurer



Photo from the recent
Cheltenham Chase Hotel
Social Break:



Photo from Tamar Group
showing their Christmas lunch
which took place on the 11th of
this month!

Online Events

Our series of Online Events continues next year with a host of interesting topics!

Upcoming Online Events:

Tuesday 14th January, 7pm: Solo 2 Darwin with Amanda Harrison

Tuesday 21st January, 7pm: Star Gazing – A look around the night sky

Tuesday 28th January, 7pm: A Psychiatrist's life with Dr Benji Waterhouse

Tuesday 4th February, 7pm: Three Bridges with Roma Agrawal

Tuesday 11th February, 7pm: Amazing railway journeys across the UK and Europe

Tuesday 18th February, 7pm: Wings of History: the Second World War in Aviation.

Check out the Member Events page on the Boundless website for full details and event more events:

[Boundless Events & Member Days | Boundless by CSMA](#)

Thank You!

We'd like to thank all those Groups who have already submitted their 2025 SENs – some of whom have submitted their events for the whole year!

Please make sure to send them in as soon as possible as this provides members, and in particular new members, with a great opportunity to join in with the Group's activities.



Merry Christmas!

Best wishes to all our Volunteers and other members for a safe and enjoyable festive season, from the Club Leadership and the team in Britannia House.

We'll be taking a break from Friday 20th December through until Tuesday 2nd January 2025.

However, should there be any emergencies or urgent matters that can't wait, please email kadie.crichton@boundless.co.uk



About the Communique

The Communique is sent to around 350 of our volunteers, Group and Association Officers and other interested members. Many of our Group Secretaries also forward the Communique to those members who regularly attend their Group events. Can we improve it in any way?

Let us know by emailing: membercommunities@boundless.co.uk