

Welcome to a Bristol Eastern Area update for February.

With the fantastic weather we have been having I have felt motivated to get jobs done on the 403, which now has rear lap belts, working overdrive, a drivers door that always opens from the inside and the state of tune is now much improved. My door mirrors are always trying to fall off so I am going to experiment with a replacement with a different fixing (not one in the window channel) to see how that works, and I also need to secure some of the control knobs so they operate the switches and I am still trying to find out how to adjust the clock as well.

No real updates on the general events list, but please note the following **Bristol specific events**. I am hoping to be able to add two or three more Bristol meetings to this list soon. Please support them if you can, or if there is nothing in your neck of the woods perhaps consider setting something up at your local pub. I have been asked whether I will be attending events, and the answer to this is that I would love to, but my diary is pretty full and living on the North East side of Norwich means that much of our area is quite a long drive!

First up, and Many thanks to Bob and Maureen Findlay

- the BEST Party (or the Bristol East Spring Tea)

Sunday 7th May 2:00pm to 5:00ish

Hou Hatch, Brentwood Essex, CM14 5QU

Bristol-propelled couples are invited to Bob & Maureen Findlay's country home five minutes from M25/A12 junction #28, to gossip about cars and royals the day after the coronation.

A leisurely stroll round the gardens or lake followed by tea, cakes and chatter, perhaps with a tipple or two. To help us plan, please confirm cars and occupants in advance to houshatch@gmail.com or phone 01277 375700.

Do not forget to let me know if you can attend the following - 5 cars booked so far ...

Bristols Coffee & chat 10.30 April 15th

The Angel, Larling (near Snetterton racing circuit, just off the A11)

Please let me know if you can make it cmdady@btinternet.com 07780 550047

If you wish to stay for lunch and join the Bristol table at 12.30 please let the Angel know directon 01953 717963

And finally **there is a BODA stand at the event below**, to which East area BOC members are also cordially invited, more details will follow

