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**BROMLEY
PAGEANT
OF
MOTORING
1985**
at

Norman Park, Bromley, Kent

Sunday 16th June 1985

**practical
CLASSICS**

PROGRAMME No. 4289

Welcome to the Practical Classics Bromley Pageant of Motoring

The Practical Classics Bromley Pageant of Motoring has now established itself not only as the biggest one-day motor show in Britain, but has acquired a truly international status. This year we welcome a splendid contingent of Mercedes Benz 300 SL's from Germany.

My thanks again to Gordon Wright and his team from *Practical Classics* for organising the event. A show of this size takes months of planning and the Pageant, deservedly, has a reputation of being one of the best organised.

Over 100 vehicles will be taking part in the concours d'elegance, the autojumble will be the biggest we have ever had and we welcome what will probably be our biggest entry into the one make parking areas.

Today there will be more than ever to see; car club stands, trade stands, autojumble, automart, model car racing, stationary engines, commercial vehicles, Dinky concours, childrens' amusements and, in the arena 'Swinging Sixties', Throw-the-Tyre, Tug-a-Car, Teddy Boy/Girl and car, parade of the show and live music from the Golf Dubber Jazz Band.

I hope that the weather is kind to us again and that you all have an enjoyable day.



Melvyn Dunster

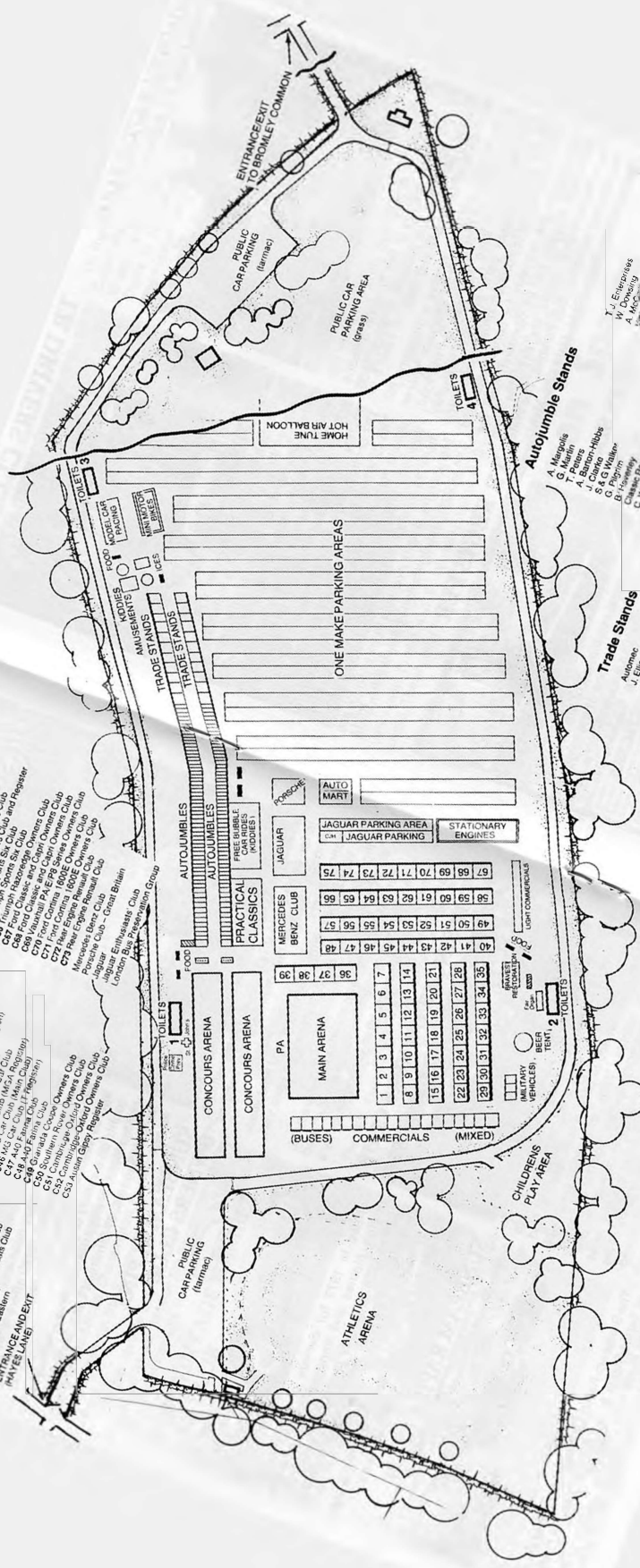
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Pageant programme times

Show starts from	9.30am
Home Tune's Hot Air Balloon	9.20am-11.45am
Goff Dubber Jazz Band (Arena)	10.15am-11am
Judging commences	11am
Throwing the tyre (Arena)	11.15am-11.45am
Swinging sixties (Arena)	11.45am-12.15pm
Heats of tug-a-car (Arena)	12.15pm-12.45pm
Goff Dubber Jazz Band (Arena)	1pm-1.45pm
Teddy boy/girl and car parade (Arena)	1.45pm-2.15pm
Tug-a-car finals (Arena)	2.30pm-3pm
Goff Dubber Jazz Band (Arena)	3pm-3.30pm
Dinky concours judging	3pm
Parade of Mercedes 300SL's (Arena)	3.30pm-4pm
Goff Dubber Jazz Band (Arena)	4pm-4.30pm
Prize giving and pick of show parade (Arena)	4.30pm-5pm
Goff Dubber Jazz Band	5pm-5.30pm

PRACTICAL CLASSICS BROMLEY PAGEANT OF MOTORTING 1985

- ## Club Stands
- C1 Motor Owners Club
 - C2 London Vehicle Club
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Arena Events

Throwing-the-Tyre Contest

This event is for car clubs — each car club entering will need to field a team of five members. The idea is to throw a tyre from one point to another (approximately 50 yards) *without the tyre touching the ground*. Both the individual throwing the tyre and the individual catching it must be *standing still*, what the other members of

the team are doing meanwhile is up to them, *but* each member of the team must throw and catch the tyre at least once.

Entry is 'on the day' and must be made by 11am (in the arena). The contest begins at 11.15am.

Swinging Sixties Contest

This competition is basically for the best 'mini-skirt' and car of the sixties. The girl can be accompanied by an appropriately dressed male partner, but this is not essential. The car, preferably, should be a Mini, or a sports car, again this is not essential, but the girl in the

mini-skirt should be the one driving the car. (We are not quite sure who thought this one up, but whoever he is he has been keeping very quiet).

Entry is 'on the day' and should be made to the table in the arena by 11am. The parade is at 11.45am.



Tug-a-Car Competition

This is for car club teams and was so well received last year that it is back again 'by popular demand'. We are expecting to have two A35's available for towing and each team must consist of five members, one to steer and the other four to 'tug'. At the end of each tug (from one side of the arena to the other) the car must be stopped with its rear wheels on the finishing line.

Entry is 'on the day' and must be made in the arena by 11.15am. The heats take place at 12.15pm and the finals at 2.30pm.

Teddy Boy/Girl and Car Parade

This competition was a huge success last year and we expect even more entries this year. Suitably attired Teddy Boys and/or Teddy Girls, with an appropriate car of the period will parade in the arena to the sound of music evocative of the '50s.

Entry is 'on the day' and should be made in the arena by 1pm. The parade is at 1.45pm.



Arena Events



Pick of the Show Parade

This year the 'pick of the show' parade will take place after the prize giving at 4.30pm. The parade gives us the chance to show, and explain some of the vehicles we feel are of particular interest, they will not be the prize winners, but they will be some of the more notable Pageant entries.

Parade of Mercedes Benz 300SL's

As a very special addition to this years' arena displays we will be hoping to have a parade of all the Mercedes Benz 300SL's, which will include the 14 cars from Germany. This parade is scheduled for 3.30pm.



Home Tune Hot Air Balloon

Weather permitting we will see the dramatic shape of the Home Tune hot air balloon ascended over the Pageant, at the far end of the one make parking area.

The balloon measures 75 feet in height and can carry three people. It is piloted by professional balloon 'pilots' and is operated by the Hot-Air Balloon Company on behalf of Home Tune, the world's largest mobile car tuning service.

Arena Events

Prize Giving

This will take place at about 4.30pm and will take about 30 minutes, with the prize winners doing a lap of the arena to collect their prizes. This should

ensure that everyone has a chance to see the best of the show. Melvyn Dunster will be handling and commenting on the prize giving.

TROPHIES

Trophies are presented to all concours classes 'A' to 'H', with second and third place awards in classes 'B' to 'H'. Plus the following special trophies:

Les Pickett Club Team Trophy

Austin Trophy for best competition car

Distance Trophy

Waxoyl Trophy for the best home restoration

S.G. Smith Cup for the best Mercedes

Loxleys Cup for the best Jaguar



Practical Classics special trophies

Bravest restoration project

Teddy boy/girl and Car (and runner up)

Tug-a-car team winners (and runners up medals)

Throw-a-tyre team (and runners up medals)

Dinky concours winner (and runner up)

Swinging Sixties mini-skirt and car (can also include boy friend) (and runner up)

Club team awards

Les Pickett is adding to his trophy for first prize £50 cash to the winners, Practical Classics are adding a further £100 to this, making a total cash prize to the winning club of £150. In addition Practical Classics are giving a cash prize of £50 to the runners up. As well as these prizes each member of the winning team receives his own individual trophy and there are trophies for the individual members of the second and third placed teams.

Stationary Engines

As a special category all stationary engine entries receive an **attendance rosette**.

Highly recommended

Highly recommended rosettes will also be given out to many of the best entries who just fail to win awards.



Also at the Pageant

Model Racing

This year the Eden Park Overlanders, one of the leading model car racing clubs in the country have designated their race meeting at the Bromley Pageant as a 'National' meeting, which will include one of this year's Grand Prix races. The Bromley Pageant is honoured by this distinction and we are also hoping to organise a special 'Editors and Journalists' race along similar lines to the one held last year, when some motoring writers discovered just how skillful model car racing really is.



The Eden Park Overlanders club has been running for just over three years and they meet twice monthly, one meeting being a trophy/club championship meeting. The juniors in the club also compete for their own championship.

The club are able to run up to eight cars in each heat, due to the different crystal frequencies. The rules and regulations are nationwide having been laid down by the British Radio-Controlled Car Association. The club will always be happy to talk to anyone at the Pageant who feels they might like to take up model car racing.

'Dinky' Concours

Once again there will be a 'Dinky' concours at the Pageant of Motoring. The Triumph Razor Edge Club on stand C19 will be organising it, entry is on the day and entries must be in by 3pm, and rules of entry are as follows:

1. 'Dinky' only, or 'Corgi', 'Spot-on',

'Matchbox', etc. Original or modified. NO kits.

2. Models to be representative of vehicles exhibited at show.
3. Entry fee 10p per model.
4. Entries to the Triumph Razor Edge Club stand from 10am to 3pm.
5. Judging to commence at 3.30pm and will be based on: a) General condition. b) Standard of finish. c) Accuracy in relation to full sized vehicle. d) Realistic detailing where appropriate.
6. All entries to be collected from the TROC by 5pm.
7. Neither the TROC, or *Practical Classics* can accept responsibility for loss or damage to entries.

A winners trophy and one runners up prize will be awarded.



Goff Dubber Jazz Band

Goff Dubber's trad' jazz band has become one of the traditions of the Pageant and is a very popular one too. The band will be providing the swing and a lot of atmosphere for the show. The band is six piece with Goff Dubber on lead clarinet and soprano sax, Ken

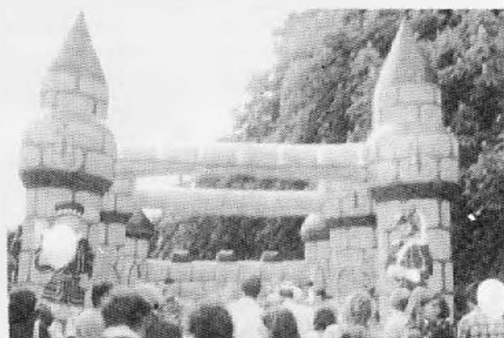
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Reece on trumpet, Jom Forey on banjo and guitar, John Mortimer on trombone, Colin Miller on drums and John Graham on base.

The band is very popular and active in the Greater London area and can be contacted on 01-680 7960.



Childrens Amusements



Dave McCarthy of Sunbury-on-Thames is once again providing the amusements for the younger children. These will include an inflateable 'Beefy Castle Fun Bag', a mini round-a-bout, a 'Chair-o-Plane' ride and mini dodgem cars.

Free Bubble Car Rides

Gordon Wright's Trojan Bubble Car is giving free rides to the sevens and under in the area next to the 'Practical Classics' stand. Bubble cars are now such a rare sight on the roads that they are a great novelty with the sevens and under and the free rides should prove very popular. We just hope that the bubble car can stand up to being driven all day in first gear!



Cartoonist John Smyth

Creator of the famous 'Mayhem Garage' cartoon strip featuring that arch villain of the motor trade 'Brian Fade', the cartoonist John Smyth will be on the *Practical Classics* stand. He will be drawing and signing some of his Mayhem Garage cartoon characters. Don't miss the opportunity to meet this intriguing personality (he's got bags of enigma!)



Also at the Pageant

Kiddies Motorcycles

Always very popular with the younger teenagers, we will be having mini-motorbikes again this year (after an absence last year). The bikes are being provided by Mason's Amusements (tel: Windsor 54085).



Police Crime Prevention

Last year the Police Crime Prevention Unit had a small presence. This year they have scaled things up considerably and will be having a 40ft x 30ft marquee (close to pavilion 1). This will include their car anti-theft display.

Refreshments



Once again refreshments in the form of ice cream, 'fast food' vans and drinks are being supplied by Mr Miller (tel: 0622-62856), who is bringing four ice cream vans and four food vans. Mr Miller is also supplying the beer tent.

Catering buses

A new idea this year is the introduction of two catering buses, supplied by the London Bus Preservation Group's Cobham Bus Museum. These buses will be dispensing such food as sandwiches and cakes.

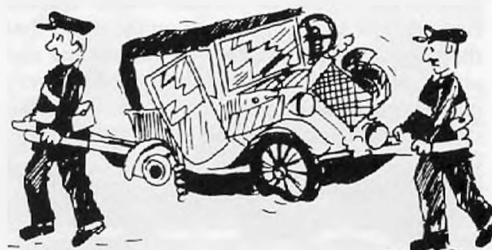
Fruit & Nuts

A further addition to the catering are two stalls, to be found at the end of the autojumble nearest to arena. One will be offering fresh fruit and the other dried fruit and nuts.

Photography

A major event like the Bromley Pageant of Motoring is bound to attract plenty of photographers, both amateur and professional and for their needs this year we will have Reitop (Photographic) Ltd of Beckenham, who will be taking a stall in the autojumble to sell photographic film, so you can click away to your hearts content without any fear of running out of film.

First Aid



This year St. John's Ambulance will be having their own tent (in the healthy fresh air). We are very grateful for them for attending and hope that they will have a very slack day and the opportunity to enjoy some of the show.

Toilets

This year we have twice the number of portable toilets, complete with two attendants, which we trust will prevent some of the problems experienced last year.

**WAXOYL/
FINNIGANS PRIZES**

ONE HUNDRED!! LUCKY NUMBER PROGRAMME PRIZES TO BE WON!

Note the number on the front cover of this programme. At 3pm there will be a draw for 100 prizes, supplied by Waxoyl/Finnigans. Each prize will consist of one can of Hammerite, one can of Autosol and one tube of Blue Hylomar (gasket sealant).

The winning numbers will be posted up on the *Practical Classics* stand at 3pm. Any numbers not claimed by 3.30pm will be put back into the 'hat' and a further draw will take place.

Keep an eye on the notice board on the *Practical Classics* stand at 3pm!