



Classic Cars Welcome Scheme

Visitors travelling in classic and sports cars have been considered by VisitScotland in our development of this scheme. It recognises the special efforts made by operators and helps visitors choose suitable accommodation.

CLASSIC AND SPORTS CAR WELCOME SCHEME

Scotland is often seen as an ideal destination for those visitors with a passion for touring Scotland in classic and sports cars.

Various clubs and groups, which include veteran, vintage, classic and modern sports tourers, choose Scotland as the ideal location. Dramatic scenery, attractive and open roads, a wide variety of visitor attractions and accommodation with genuine hospitality really make Scotland a must visit destination.

These vehicles are the pride and joy of the visitors who invest time and money lovingly restoring and caring for them. It is important to them when touring Scotland that they feel confident their vehicle is safe and secure. Providing a number of extra services and facilities will add to visitor comfort, enhance experience and make touring Scotland by car even more special.

Classic and sports car tourists may travel individually, or with a group on an arranged tour, enjoying the scenery and open roads. Visitors choose different types of accommodation from serviced to self catering to meet the needs of their group or themselves.

To be eligible for the scheme should provide the following and your Quality Advisor will verify that the required facilities exist when they visit.

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1. Suitable car parking (with security provision – preferably off road and private)
2. Knowledge of nearest workshop facilities (with provision of some tools in metric, imperial and Whitworth)
3. List of local garages/mechanics with knowledge of classic/vintage or sports cars
4. Car wash facilities (on site or nearby)
5. Use of car cleaning equipment (rags, soft cloths, old towels, sponge, bucket)
6. Use of car vacuum
7. Water supply and use of small watering can/jug
8. Access to electrical supply (for battery chargers, etc)
9. Degrease handwash facilities on site
10. Listing of visitor attractions and refreshment stops in the area
11. OS maps with scenic or interesting day tours, books and magazines
12. Location of petrol stations – opening hours, Sunday opening, type of fuel available
13. List of accessory shops (distance, if not nearby)

CLASSIC AND SPORTS CAR WELCOME SCHEME FOR SELF CATERING/ HOLIDAY PARKS, ETC

The above elements are also applicable to self catering accommodation providers who wish to attract visitors with classic and sports vehicles.

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To apply please complete this portion and return to the Quality & Standards Department, address below.

I would like to apply to become a member of the Classic Car Welcome scheme. Address of establishment: _____

I undertake to supply all the required facilities and services to visitors _____

E-mail: _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Print Name: _____

Name of Establishment: _____

Members of the Scheme(s) receive a window sticker. Your award may be displayed in certain VisitScotland and Network literature as appropriate.