

A GRAND TOUR OF BRITISH MOTORCARS

From Heritage to Horsepower

UK



We invite you to join us on a captivating journey through England's motoring heritage. This carefully curated tour offers an unparalleled exploration of the history, craftsmanship and passion behind some of the world's most iconic cars. We'll trace the evolution of British motoring through landmark destinations, exclusive factory visits with engineers and thrilling events. From the bustling streets of London, where you'll tour the vast London Transport Museum, to the quaint town of Malvern and the scenic roads of the Cotswolds, home to gems like the Morgan Motor Company and many private collections. As we venture further south, we reach Chichester, a city known for its rich history, landmarks such as Chichester Cathedral and proximity to the world-famous Goodwood Estate. Here, you'll be immersed in the atmosphere of the Goodwood Revival, a celebration of vintage motorsport where classic cars race in period-perfect fashion and the spirit of a bygone era comes to life. Our tour draws to a close with visits to the Beaulieu National Motor Museum, home to one of the finest car collections in the world and the British Motor Museum in Warwickshire— a fitting conclusion to our exploration of British motoring heritage.

Day 1

Arrive in London where we will meet at The Resident Victoria hotel with time to settle in before dining together at a classic British restaurant.

Day 2

This morning, we depart the hotel for a visit to the London Transport Museum to explore the history of British transportation. Established in 1980, the museum houses 200 years' worth of London's transport history including Victorian cabs and post-war vehicles. The collection spans the evolution of travel, here you will see iconic vehicles such as the famous red buses and the first underground trains. After some free time for lunch, we continue to our next visit, a private tour of Classic Car Club London, showcasing a variety of vintage and classic cars. Return to The Resident Victoria hotel for a free evening.

Day 3

Leaving the bustling streets of London behind, we enjoy a scenic drive through the Cotswolds passing the villages of Bourton-on-the-water, Stow-on-the-Wold and settling at Broadway in the Lygon Arms hotel. After checking-in, we meet for lunch at a local country pub before an afternoon at leisure.

Day 4

Full day excursion to Malvern, the proud home of the Morgan Motor Company for more than 110 years after being founded in 1909. This special visit will include an exclusive tour of the Morgan Motor Company factory, where you'll have the chance to test drive some of their renowned cars and enjoy a classic afternoon tea. Enthusiasts at the factory will be there to guide you through every step of the experience, providing expert insights and answering any questions you may have about these iconic vehicles. Return to the Lygon Arms hotel in the Cotswolds.

Day 5

Our final day in the Cotswolds takes us to the picturesque village of Bourton-on-the-water, famous for its honey-coloured stone architecture and the lovely River Windrush that weaves through the heart of the community. Here we will make a visit to the Cotswold Motoring Museum, this quaint museum is packed full of cars, motorbikes, toys, caravans and motoring memorabilia. The collection started back in 1978 and spans from Austin, Ford and Jaguar all the way to Morgan, Morris and Triumph. After free time for lunch, our final visit takes us to a private classic car collection hidden among the vast countryside of the Cotswolds. Following an afternoon at leisure, we return to the Lygon Arms hotel for our final night and a group dinner.



Day 6

This morning, we depart the hotel to drive to Chichester where our entire day is dedicated to the Goodwood Revival with the Admission and Grandstand package included. This immersive experience is a must do for any classic car enthusiast and attracts 150,000 visitors annually from all over the globe. Don your best period attire and prepare for a day of thrilling vintage car races, showcasing the very best of motorsport history. As well as the exciting races, you'll be able to enjoy period fashion, air displays and captivating exhibitions that celebrate the golden age of motoring. The atmosphere at Goodwood is truly one of a kind, where every detail transports you back in time, an unforgettable day for all who attend. Head to The Ropemaker hotel to check-in for our first night.

Day 7

Stepping away from Chichester we travel to Beaulieu for the National Motor Museum, one of the UK's most celebrated automotive attractions. Here, we'll explore an extensive collection of over 250 vehicles, ranging from early motoring pioneers to iconic models from the 20th century. The museum's exhibits offer stunning examples of classic cars, racing legends and rare gems that highlight the evolution of design and engineering. This afternoon is free for leisure or local exploration, maybe you'd like to take the opportunity to stroll through the beautiful grounds of Beaulieu, taking in the historic surroundings and rich heritage of the estate. Return to The Ropemaker hotel in Chichester.

Day 8

Return to the Goodwood Revival for a full day with the Admission and Grandstand package included. For those of you who may wish to elevate your Goodwood experience, VIP hospitality packages can be booked upon request. Return to The Ropemaker hotel.

Day 9

Our last day of 'The Grand Tour' brings us to the British Motor Museum in Warwickshire. This Museum covers a whopping 65 acres of land and features a Motoring Cinema, a purpose-built collections centre to house over 200 reserve collection vehicles and a chronological 'Time Road'. Some of their most popular featured displays include the Land Rover Defender used in the opening sequence of the James Bond Skyfall movie, the 'fabulously pink' FAB 1 from Thunderbirds and a replica of the DeLorean from Back to the Future 2. Our day concludes with a farewell group dinner before checking in to The Resident Victoria in London for our final night.

Day 10

Group departure.





DEPARTURE DATES

6 - 15 September 2026
10 days

TOUR PRICES

£4,995 per person
Double room for sole use supplement: £1,600
Deposit: £500 per person

WHAT IS INCLUDED

- Three nights' bed and breakfast at The Resident Victoria in London
- Three nights' bed and breakfast at the Lygon Arms in the Cotswolds
- Three nights' bed and breakfast at The Ropemaker in Emsworth
- Private coach transfers and excursions
- Three evening meals and two lunches
- Visits to the sites listed in the programme
- Admission and Grandstand package at the Goodwood Revival
- All entrance fees, taxes, and gratuities for coach drivers and serving staff

ACCOMMODATION

The Resident Victoria, London

The Resident Victoria Hotel is a stylish and modern property located just a short walk from iconic landmarks like Buckingham Palace and the West End theatres. Its rooms are elegantly furnished with a mix of contemporary decor and comfort, featuring sleek furniture and luxurious bedding.

The Lygon Arms, Broadway

This charming and historic hotel is situated in the heart of the picturesque Cotswolds, offering a tranquil escape and stunning countryside surroundings. The hotel's interiors are traditional with elegant furnishings, cosy rooms and luxurious touches. Guests can also enjoy exceptional dining, a spa access during their stay.

The Ropemaker, Emsworth

The Ropemaker Hotel in Emsworth is a welcoming establishment nestled within a quaint seaside town, just a short stroll from the harbour and local shops. Rooms are thoughtfully designed with a warm, classic style, offering comfort and modern amenities.



Non Car Things To Do For Non Car Spouses and Partners

London

- **London Transport Museum:** While the group explores the museum, you might enjoy a visit to the nearby Covent Garden Market, renowned for its vibrant atmosphere, boutique shops, and diverse eateries.
- **Classic Car Club London:** Consider a leisurely stroll along the Thames or a visit to the Tate Modern, offering contemporary art exhibitions and stunning city views.
- **Bond Street:** Renowned for its luxury boutiques and high-end fashion retailers, Bond Street offers an unparalleled shopping experience in the heart of Mayfair.
- **Canary Wharf:** This area boasts five interconnected shopping malls—Canada Place, Cabot Place, Jubilee Place, Crossrail Place, and Churchill Place—housing over 300 shops, including beauty, fashion, and lifestyle brands, as well as numerous cafés and restaurants.

Cotswolds

- **Bourton-on-the-Water:** Known as the "Venice of the Cotswolds," this village offers charming riverside walks, quaint tea rooms, and unique shops.
- **Broadway:** Explore the picturesque High Street lined with antique shops, art galleries, and cafés. A visit to the Broadway Tower provides panoramic views of the countryside.
- **Cotswolds:** *Chastleton House* is a Jacobean country house located near Moreton-in-Marsh, offering a glimpse into 17th-century life.
- **Lygon Arms:** Enjoy a spa experience from the comfort of our hotel.

Malvern

- **Morgan Motor Company:** While others tour the factory, indulge in a spa day at The Malvern Spa, renowned for its luxurious treatments and serene ambiance.
- **The Firs,** the birthplace of composer Edward Elgar, is situated near Worcester and provides insight into his life and work.

Chichester

- **Goodwood Revival:** If vintage motorsport isn't your preference, Chichester Cathedral offers stunning architecture and tranquil gardens. Additionally, the Pallant House Gallery showcases modern British art in a historic setting.
- **Uppark House and Garden,** located near Petersfield, is a 17th-century house with extensive gardens and impressive interiors.

Beaulieu

- **National Motor Museum:** Instead of the museum, explore the Beaulieu Abbey and its serene gardens, or enjoy a leisurely walk along the Beaulieu River for picturesque views.
- **Mottisfont** is a historic priory and country estate near Romsey, known for its walled rose gardens and art exhibitions.

Warwickshire

- **British Motor Museum:** Nearby, the historic town of Warwick boasts the magnificent Warwick Castle, where you can delve into medieval history and enjoy beautifully landscaped gardens.
- **Charlecote Park** is a grand 16th-century country house surrounded by its own deer park, located near Wellesbourne. It offers visitors a chance to explore its rich history and beautiful landscapes.