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## *CRA Events – Going where driving is still a pleasure*

Anthony and Jeremy have just returned from the final route survey. We met again with our colleagues in Slovenia and Croatia and they are finalising all arrangements for us to have a fantastic week in June. We are also very pleased to be working with the organisers of the Planai and Ennstal Classic events in Austria.

There is a good deal of local interest and I am sure at various points around the route we will be welcomed by the local “old timer” enthusiasts.

Exciting special tests will feature throughout the week including a rallysprint circuit, kart circuits, driving training centres and a couple of spectacular hillclimbs.



*The snow should have gone from the Planai climb before we arrive in June, photo courtesy of Heli Petter*

### Data Sheet

The enclosed sheet details the information we are holding on you with regard to applications for transport, room type, additional nights and baggage van. If you disagree with what is shown please do contact us as soon as possible. We have to finalise hotels and arrangements for the baggage vehicle so we need to know if you wish to use this service.

### Payments

Thank you to all those who have already paid in full, for those who haven't the date for final payments is the 25<sup>th</sup> April so can you please ensure the final payment is made as soon as possible. Payment direct to our bank is preferred. UK – Sort code 403427, Acct 51834878, International BIC – MIDLGB2108K, IBAN – GB86MIDL40342751834878

### Entry Forms

Several competitors have still not completed a full entry form. If you find an entry form with this mailing it's because we need you to complete it! Please do try and get it back to us within the next week or so.

### Entry List

The latest edition of the entry list is enclosed. Please check that your car details are correct. We will shortly be issuing a Bulletin to correct the classes and descriptions so as in previous years all cars of a type first manufactured before the end of 1967 will be eligible for overall awards.

### Slovenia and Austria – Vignette

Slovenia has replaced its motorway tolls with a vignette system. You will need to purchase one on the way into the country, or if your car has been transported, before you use the motorways. They cost €35 (available from most large petrol stations) and are valid for six months, unfortunately there is no shorter period available. The event itself does not use any motorways in Austria so you'll only need an Austrian vignette if you are driving to the event or need to take an alternative route due to a car problem.

### Insurance – Green Card

Please don't forget to request a green card and make sure your insurance company knows you will be travelling into Croatia. It should not be an issue but make sure you ask as soon as

possible. The border guards have asked us to ensure all competitors have available for inspection their vehicle registration document and green card – you have been warned. Also, if you are not the owner don't forget to have a letter of authorisation from the owner.

### Hotels

If you require single rooms it is very important that you return the hotel booking form with either a cheque or credit card details. There is a limit on the number of single rooms that we can provide, particularly in some locations. We are also having difficulty in some locations with availability of twin rooms and it is likely that we will have to utilise other hotels to provide sufficient twin rooms. These will either be very close to the main hotel or where not a shuttle bus will be provided.

### Transporter Service

Thank you to those who have already returned the forms, if you have not yet returned a form and wish to use the service please return a form as soon as possible. We regret that it is not sufficient for you to just say you want to use the service, the form contains additional information. We have now included the form in the download section on the website so you can download and email back to us. Andrew

Mallagh is ideally looking for a one way only service and if there is anybody who'd also like a one way service can you please contact Andrew direct at [andrew.mallagh@btinternet.com](mailto:andrew.mallagh@btinternet.com).

### Flights

We are planning to arrange a transport service between the airport and start/finish hotels to cover the common flights. In our next newsletter we'll ask for details of flights so we can decide the best way of arranging this.

### Route Information

In addition to the tulip route instructions we will be providing a set of marked maps, generally at 1:150,000 scale. These maps will NOT show regularity section routes. Both tulips and marked maps will be issued on a daily basis. If you wish to purchase your own maps, the only maps allowed are listed in the Appendix to the Regulations. Please order as soon as possible as not all will be "stock" items.

### Any Questions?

If there is any further information you require please don't hesitate to get in touch, contact details are shown below.



*The Sölkpass will be on our route this year and also features on the route of the Ennstal Classic. Photo courtesy of Heli Petter*

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