



Blairgowrie Rotary

2018 Perthshire Classic Car Festival

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Can you join us not just for Drive It Day on Sunday April 22nd but take in Saturday 21st April as well, in The City of Perth and at Scone Palace?

We will be raising money for:

Cancer Research UK
Alzheimer Scotland
Rotary Foundation

What will be happening?

Saturday 21st April

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City of Perth Parade

Blairgowrie Drive It Day

Scone Palace Classic Car Day

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150 of the UK's best classic cars will be selected to meet and register at Scone Palace on the Saturday morning. They will then drive to the City of Perth via the Old Perth Bridge (*where a sign reminds us that in 1879 all cars had to be preceded by a man on foot with a red flag!*)

The cars are asked to park for public viewing in Tay Street. After a formal welcome the cars will be introduced and make their return

to Scone Palace via George Street over the Old Perth Bridge
(where the red flag will be celebrated).

Perth & Kinross Council are kindly holding an evening reception in
the Long Gallery at the Palace for participants in the Parade.



To apply to enter your classic car
click to Perth & Kinross website www.perthcity.co.uk for further
details. Parade cars will be asked to raise a minimum of £50 for the
charities.

Scone Palace Classic Car Day

A large number of Scottish classic car clubs are being invited to be
represented at Scone Palace from 10 am onwards, to be in place to

greet the Parade cars back from the City of Perth. Alongside the classic cars will be iconic and one off special cars, Ecurie Ecosse, classic motor cycles, vintage buses, military bands, an air display and a great deal more.

This will be a day out for all the family with children's competitions and attractions for the ladies. Period costume is encouraged.

Car club entrants are asked to raise a minimum of £10 per car for the charities.

Put the date in your diary and make sure you can enjoy all this and the magnificent Scone Palace as well.

Blairgowrie Drive It Day

120 or 140 miles of quiet highland country roads with lunch near Banchory and supper at Scone Palace.

2017 saw the first Blairgowrie Drive It Day attract 70 classic cars for a memorable driving experience which raised £17,500 for charities.

2018 entrants will again be asked to assemble at The Blairgowrie Golf Club at 9am where coffee and bacon rolls will be available (£5 a head). After a briefing at 9.30am cars will be waved off through Blairgowrie and up Glen Shee to Braemar.

Then on towards Banchory on the beautiful B976 with an optional loop over Geallaig Hill rejoining at our lunch stop at the imposing Raemoir House (£8.50 a head).



From Banchory the route takes the B974 over the Angus hills to Cairn O'Mount and Fettercairn. Brechin comes next, then Forfar and Kirriemuir before returning to Blairgowrie. And finally supper (at £15 a head), prizegiving, raffle and auction in the Long gallery at Scone Palace.

For full details of this event please click to our website blairgowrieclassiccartour.co.uk where you will find the route, meal arrangements and application forms.

Our Charities

The weekend is designed to raise much needed funds for Cancer research and Alzheimers care. 10 per cent of funds raised will be allocated to Rotary's own world wide charity. Car entrants are asked to collect in advance as much as they can for these charities and the collectors will be out in force in Perth and at Scone Palace asking for your support.

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Raising donations

Entrants are asked to donate a minimum of £50 to support this year's chosen charities –

Your support at the 2017 Drive It Day was amazing. Average donations per car were £126 with one entry producing no less than £2,060 and another £1,000. Please put a little time aside to approach friends and family and as usual fill in the Gift Aid form.

Blairgowrie Rotary wish to thank-

Perth & Kinross Council

Lord and Lady Mansfield

Police Scotland

Morris Leslie Limited

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And many, many sponsors, supporters and helpers for
making this event possible.

Further information

For more information see our website
(www.blairgowrieclassiccartour.co.uk) or contact -

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Remember the dates – Saturday 21st April 2018

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