

# The Slimes

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**SOUTH DOWNS ESCARGOTS**  
April 2015



## **DIARY DATES**

**Club Night**

**Thursday 16th April**  
**Royal Oak, Wineham**

A carpark filled with 2cvs and quite possibly, Subarus, as we enjoy a libation or two in the company of fellow eccentrics...what could be finer?

Kindly don't answer that!

**Sunday 26th April**

**'DRIVE IT' DAY**

'Word on the street' - a notoriously fickle method of communication - has changed! There is no longer a plan to drive either to or from Amberley Museum. That event has migrated to Surrey.

What might we do instead? Let's put our heads together on Thursday and find out!

**22nd French National**

**Meeting**

**La Rochelle**

**13th-17th May**

[www.nationale2cv2015-larochelle.org](http://www.nationale2cv2015-larochelle.org)  
**See overleaf for accomodation available!**

**2CVGB National Meeting**

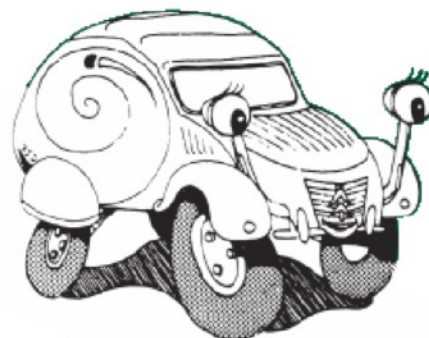
**Newby Hall, Ripon**

**North Yorkshire**

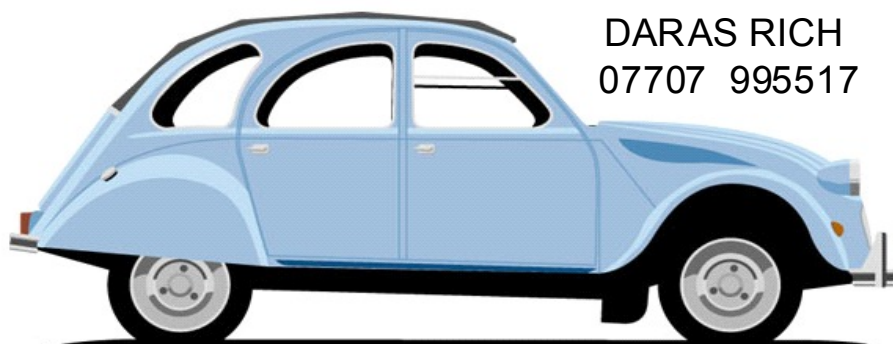
**28th-31st May**

Organised by the Northern clubs,  
this is moved to May, from  
August to facilitate attendance of  
the Polish World Meeting.  
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**World Meeting of 2CV**  
**Friends**  
**Torun, Poland**  
**28th July - 2nd August**



**SOUTH DOWNS ESCARGOTS**  
**meet on the third Thursday of**  
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The Location  
This Holiday-Let is situated in the Rural Hamlet of La Bouchoillerie, comprising only of 8 Houses, however is still only 1 Hour or less from cities including La Rochelle, Saintes and Cognac, and within 25 Minutes of larger Towns, such as Melle and Saint-Jean-d'Angely.

What to do  
There are a number of activities within a short distance of the Property: The Donkey Sanctuary only 5 Minutes away and Dampierre Chateaux Zoodysee, 20 Minutes away, is perfect for small Children. This opened in 1973 to the Public offering 25 Hectares of Zoological Gardens with a range of Animal Exhibits.

Aulnay holds a Market on Thursday and Sunday Mornings, which allows you to partake in the French way of life, and is also home to one of the finest Romanesque Churches, 'Saint-Jean-d'Angely' offers access to Activities such as Crazy Golf, Kayaking and Pédalo's, as well as Historic Buildings and a wonderful Abbey. Towards the Coast, 'La Rochelle' is a very popular destination for both French and Tourists, who are attracted in particular to the Famous Historic Port, which is active later into the evening, the new Aquarium and the popular Islands of 'Île-de-Ré' and 'Île-d'Oléron' nearby. Visiting 'Cognac' will allow you to learn all about the Worldwide Liqueur named after the City. 'Saintes' contains an Amp-Theatre, Museums, Numerous Festivals, Cinemas etc. and is also known for Shopping and once again its Markets.



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- Distances to Airports:
- La Rochelle – 50 Miles
  - Poitiers Airport 51 miles
  - Bordeaux Airport – 110 Miles



Save the Date! Visez la date! Jetzt vormerken!

28-31 May 2015



A group of jolly chaps from the North of England have decided to host the 2015 2CVGB National event at this beautiful venue. We wanted to let you know about it early, because we've decided to move it from the usual date to much earlier in the year.

Un groupe de joyeux lurons du Nord de l'Angleterre ont décidé de accueillir l'événement national 2015 2CVGB à ce beau lieu de rendez-vous. Nous voulions vous informer aussitôt que possible, parce que nous avons avancé la date pour l'année 2015 à Mai.

Eine bunte Gruppe von Leuten aus Nordengland hat sich entschieden, das nationale Treffen „2CVGB 2015“ an diesem schönen Ort auszurichten. Wir wollen Euch frühzeitig informieren, weil wir den Termin vom üblichen Datum vorverlegt haben.

"Ap'n we might 'av a 2CV do 'ere..."  
 "Seems a fair idea - even if it is a bit 'posh"  
 "May lad, yer can 'av a 2CV do ANYWHERE..."  
 "Aye - even in a field full o' sheep!"



We are planning the following:

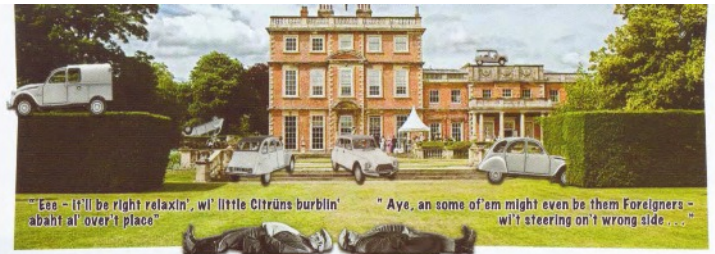
Il y aura:

Was wir vorhaben:

- Marquee with Yorkshire beers and great live music
- Un chapiteau avec un bar des bières de Yorkshire et des groupes de bons musiciens
- Festzelt mit Yorkshire-Bieren und viel guter Live-Musik
- On-site food, road runs, driving tests, 2CV spares and repairs, stunning gardens, play area, plus good toilets and showers
- Restauration sur place et à emporter, sorties, balades, épreuves de conduite, pièces et réparations de 2cv, jardins époustouflants, espace réservé aux enfants et surtout, assez de bons WC et douches
- Verpflegung vor Ort, Strassenrennen, Geschicklichkeitsprüfungen, 2CV-Ersatzteile und -Reparatur, beeindruckende Gartenanlagen, Spielplatz, sowie gute sanitäre Einrichtungen

2CVGB National

Newby Hall Ripon, North Yorkshire HG4 5AJ 28 - 31 May 2015



Entry Price / person  
 (< 18 free; 4 nights camping):

On the gate: £35 (< €45)

Pre-book ( \*from 20 June 2014 )

£30 (< €40)

includes free beer voucher

We would like to invite our 2CV Friends from outside the UK to join us in this beautiful place - not far from the location of the very successful 15th ICCCR. It will be a very relaxed event with lots of activities - but no pressure to do anything more than sit around and catch up with old friends - and maybe make some new ones.

Nous voudrions inviter tous nos amis 2cv étrangers à nous rejoindre dans ce lieu convivial, pas très loin du rendez-vous du 15ème ICCCR très réussi. Ce sera un événement cool mais plein d'activités sans obligation de participer et par dessus tout l'occasion de rencontrer des vieux amis et peut être en faire de nouveaux.

Wir laden die internationalen 2CV-Fans ein, mit uns auf diesem schönen Gelände, unweit des Standorts des sehr erfolgreichen 15. ICCCR 2012, zu feiern. Wir genießen einen sehr entspannten Event mit vielen Aktivitäten: was gibt es schöneres, als mit guten alten Freunden zusammenzusitzen - und vielleicht ein paar neue kennenzulernen?

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Provisional date set 16<sup>th</sup> August 2015

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("Helpful if I can get some idea of numbers by  
 say Feb/Mar 2015")

Gordon Cross

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