

SELOC Sussex evening run

Guidelines

First off :- The boring bit. All pretty obvious really and this is by no means a lecture, just guidelines as we are only a casual drive and this is open to anyone to attend. We have no special rights on the road and you all drive under your own insurance and **you are liable for your own actions**. Also, you come along at your own risk.

I have no responsibility over those who come along and subsequently it is not my place to dictate how other people behave or drive.

However, we wish to enlist the support of the residents of the towns which we visit and enjoy, so as a courtesy to the rest of us, those who don't wish to accept the following guidelines as they are intended (eg a matter of safe and courteous driving for the benefit of everyone) then I think I'm quite safe in saying that most people would rather you didn't join in with the rest of the group. **Alternatively please feel free to enjoy this route on a different day with our blessing.**

- 1.) This is not a race.
- 2.) This is not a timed event.
- 3.) The route included here is only a proposed route for the benefit of those not familiar with the area.
- 4.) In no way do those who suggesting this run condone speeding or dangerous driving in any way.
- 5.) The intention of this meeting is a casual opportunity to meet other Lotus owners and to see countryside and roads you would not otherwise have encountered. That's all.
- 6.) When travelling along the proposed route, please be considerate of residents and respectful of their wishes.
- 7.) If another motorist lets a group of Lotus owners pass, please give an acknowledgement of thanks. They have just as much right to use the roads as we do. *(Also, in that way we are something of a spectacle that chose their town, rather than a nuisance that just arrived)*
- 8.) Please be considerate of noise levels.
- 9.) Please feel free to stop and enjoy the scenery.
- 10.) If using the proposed route, please read the directions prior to setting off. Don't read and drive.
- 11.) Those travelling without a passenger, please pull over in order to refer to directions. *(Do not attempt to read the directions while driving)*
- 12.) Please drive your car safely and within your own limits of experience.
- 13.) Never drive faster than the speed limit **OR** the speed that you are comfortable driving at.
- 14.) Do not accelerate through a corner if your total stopping distance is beyond your range of vision.
- 15.) It's great fun to follow other Loti down country roads. But do not ever forget that most of us are just people with fast cars and a driving license. However, you may well be following someone who is much much more than that. But please bear in mind that matching their speed and line through bends in the road will NOT teach you the limits of your car or how to drive or guarantee that you will exit the corner in the same way, if at all. Braking, acceleration, tyres, road conditions are only some of the factors involved. The only thing which will guarantee a safe enjoyable run is to drive within the speed limits and your own experience at all times and in a well maintained car.
- 16.) Drive how you drive and do not be intimidated to speed up.
- 17.) If you doubt your driving abilities, the group has an excellent instructor who is fully qualified to teach advanced motoring skills and observation techniques.
- 18.) There are no prizes for arriving at the lunch stop first.
- 19.) Watch out for wildlife, cyclists, pedestrians and people on horseback
- 20.) If you wish to overtake. Please do so **ONLY** when you can **SEE** and **KNOW** you can do so safely. Please do not overtake just because someone in front did and you don't want to be left behind. If you are lost, please call my mobile for directions. I will talk you in.

Most important, please do what you can to ensure that those on the run, of all driving abilities, have the most enjoyable and safest drive possible.

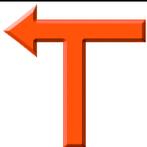
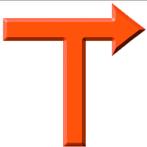
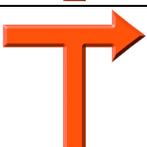
Starting Off.

In the Devils Dyke car park, just before the Dyke Inn

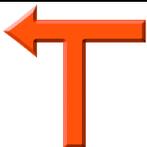
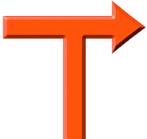
Arrive 18:45 for a 19:15 departure

RESET YOUR MILE-OMETERS AT EXIT.

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	00.0	Pub car park	Turn left out of the car park	If you haven't been to Devils Dyke before, arrive a few minutes early to soak in the magnificent view:  Reset your Mileometers
	0.3	T-Junction	Turn Right (really straight on)	Sea to the right
	2.0	T-Junction	Sharp left onto de-restricted road	Take care on this section – it is an accident blackspot
	4.8	Mini-roundabout	Straight over onto the A281 to Henfield	Lovely stretch, traffic permitting. Some overtaking opportunities
	7.3	Left junction	To Small Dole	Oh yes!
	8.6	T Junction	A2037 to Henfield	

	9.9	Mini-rondabout	Straight over into Henfield High Street	
	10.9	Roundabout	2 nd Exit, slightly to the right. Still A281 to Horsham	
	11.0	Junction on right	Right onto B2116	Lovely set of corners through this section. Enjoy, but pay attention to speed limits through villages!
	14.6	Staggered junction	Turn right, then turn left on slip before the lights	
	14.7			
	15.6	Mini roundabout	Straight ahead	
	17.0	Traffic lights	Straight ahead	
	17.4	Mini roundabout	Straight over to Hassocks	
	18.7	Mini roundabout	Left onto Ditchling High Street	
	20.5	Mini roundabout	Straight over	
Warning!	21.7			Very sharp left by pub
	22.2	Mini roundabout	Sharp right after Renault garage, signpost Wivelsfield	
	24.9	Crossroads	Turn right onto to B2183	

	25.7	T junction	Left onto the A275 to North Chailey	
	26.1	T junction	Right onto A272	
	31.1	Roundabout	Turn right, third exit onto A22 to Uckfield	
	31.9	Roundabout	Turn right, 2 nd exit to Uckfield	
	33.3	Roundabout	Turn left onto B2102 to Heathfield & Blackboys	
	33.9	Roundabout	Straight on into Town Centre	
	34.0	Traffic lights	Turn right onto B2102	
	34.1	Traffic lights	Turn left	
Warning	35.0			SHARP RIGHT FOLLOWED BY TWISTIES
	38.0	Junction	Turn left on the B2102 to Heathfield	
	40.2	T Junction	Turn Right onto the A267	
	40.7	Junction	Turn right to Eastbourne on the A267	Into outskirts of Heathfield
	44.0	Right Junction	Turn right towards Chiddingly on Chiddingly Road	

	46.9	Right Junction	Turn right onto Rosemount towards Chiddingly]
	48.0	6 Bells	Arrive at 6 Bells Turn left into pub carpark and treat yourself to pie and drinks!!	