

# BARC Open Sportscars

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## NEW WEBSITE FOR BARC OPEN SPORTSCARS

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**The BARC Race Series for Great British and Open Sportscars**

**NEXT RACE: Silverstone, April 2nd & 3rd**

**Silverstone Timetable**

Event	Start	End
Signing on	09:15am	09:30am
Scrubbing	09:30am	10:30am
Qualifying	10:45am	11:30am
Race 1	11:45pm	12:05pm
<b>Sunday April 3rd</b>		
Race 2	11:05pm	11:25pm

**Autoglym confirmed as Series Sponsor**

We are delighted to announce that Autoglym have confirmed their support for the new Series. In addition to funding trophies, they will also be providing an additional prize for the best presented car in our paddock.

**BARC launch "Double-Six" Enduro Races for 7s**

**Double-Six Race Weekend June 4 & 5, Silverstone**

The BARC have announced the provisional format for their showcase Double Six event at Silverstone, on the 400 Circuit, on the weekend of June 4th & 5th.

The highlight of the weekend will be 2 x 6-hour races for 2-seater production sports cars (such as Caterham Sevens, Ginettas, Mazda MX5s, Westfields, Austin Hebeys, Morgans, TVRs, Regals, etc.). Cars may run singly with up to four drivers, or in teams of two cars, also with a maximum of four drivers per entry. There will be four mandatory pit stops per race for driver changes and refuelling.

Entries are being accepted on a first come, first served basis and cost £1,995.00 per entry (which includes four free tickets to a Saturday evening barbecue at the circuit).

Further details can be found [here](#).

**Tigers set to roar**

We're delighted to announce that a group of 6 drivers from Tiger Racing are joining in at Silverstone.

**End of season prizes announced**

In addition to race weekend presentations, we are pleased to announce that two special end of season prizes are to be awarded:

- The Chapman Trophy is to be awarded to the best performing driver over the course of the season.
- The Wheeler Cup will be awarded to the best performing driver based on class results.

We're pleased to announce that a new website is being launched in support of the new series.

Hosted by [Factor Seven](#), the site will be developed to provide a news and reference portal for current and potential drivers.

Although to date, only the home page has been completed, it is envisaged that the whole site will be operational by this weekend.

If you have any news or information you wish to share, please feel free to forward it to me and I'll try and get it included.

The new site can be found [here](#)

## Still time to enter the opening rounds at Silverstone

If you haven't yet made your entry for Silverstone this coming weekend, instead of finding an excuse not to, pick-up the phone, call Nicola and come and have some glorious spring fun!

Entry forms can be downloaded from the BARC site [here](#).

## And a new sponsor for the Series

We're delighted to announce that our VERY good friends at Autoglym have kindly agreed to fund the provision of trophies, together with some additional prizes for drivers in the Series.



## New end of season prizes announced

Two new end of season awards will be made to drivers who have competed in the Series.

**The Chapman Trophy** will be awarded to the driver who has proved to be the outright best performing during the course of the season.

*\* This will be judged on the number of race wins and podium places.*

**The Wheeler Cup** will be awarded to the best performing driver within a class.

*\* This will be judged on a driver's performance relevant to other members of the same class (where there are four or more entries from that class, or marque type if there are less than four entries within the class).*

We hope that other awards might also be possible.

As many of you will know, Autoglym manufacture some of the finest car care products in the world and we hope that when you're choosing polish for both your road and race car, you'll remember their support of us.

## The men and women in Orange!



Without the support of these trusted and skilled volunteers, none of us could go racing.

Please think about showing your appreciation to the marshals when you're at a race event, because you can be sure that when you need them, they'll be there.

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