



GORDON BENNETT ROUTE

Classes for the Gordon Bennett Classic Run

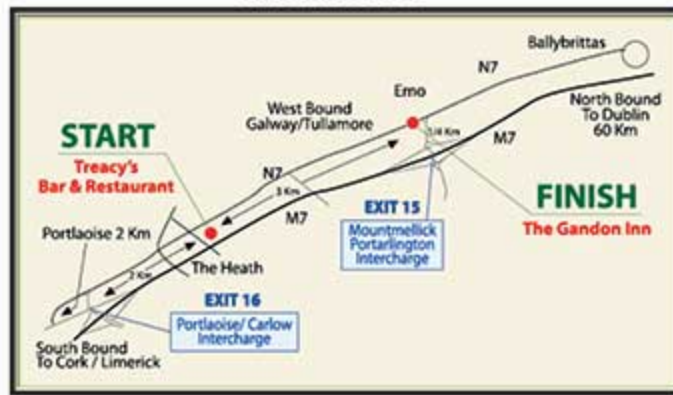
This very popular event attracts visitors from all over Ireland and the UK, it is open to all vintage, veteran and classic cars, motorcycles and commercials registered prior to 1988 with exceptions at the discretion of the organising committee. All vehicles entering must be fully insured and an indemnity signed by the driver. In the interest of safety and to guarantee the enjoyment of all attending, entrants must follow the instructions of the organisers throughout the event weekend

Term & Conditions

Upon acceptance of my entry, I agree to act in accordance with the instructions of the officials of the event. Further I agree to save harmless and keep indemnified Gordon Bennett Irish Classic Car Run, and the owners and lessees of any lands used for the event and – their respective officials, servants, representatives or agents demands in respect of death or of injury to or loss or damage to the person or property of myself, my driver(s), passenger(s) or mechanic(s) as case may be howsoever – caused arising out of or in connection with my taking part in this event notwithstanding that the same may have been contributed to or occasioned by – the said bodies, their officials, servants, representatives or agents. Furthermore, in respect of any parts of this event on ground where the Third Party Insurance is not required by Law, this agreement shall in addition to the parties named above extend to all and other competitors and their servants or agents. I confirm that the vehicle with which I participate will be fully covered by insurance for my participation wherewith for the whole period of the event in accordance with the Road Traffic Acts. All entries will be at the discretion of the organising committee.

Must be Signed by Driver :

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STARTING AND FINISHING POINTS
ROUTE MAP

Let the Gordon Bennett Route take you on an historic journey across spectacular Irish countryside and into the picturesque towns and villages of counties Kildare, Carlow and Laois in the heart of Ireland. While the famous Gordon Bennett route was raced by the world's greatest daredevils at record-breaking speeds in 1903, we suggest you set yourself a much easier pace. Relax, get your motor running and follow gently in the footsteps of our motoring pioneers taking time to enjoy many of Ireland's best-loved visitor attractions and breathtaking scenery along the way.

Identifiable road signs make the Gordon Bennett Route an easy to follow tour through one of the most beautiful parts of Ireland offering a unique insight into the lives, atmosphere and sheer adrenalin behind the historic car race that roared across this 166km (104 mile) route. There is plenty to see and the Gordon Bennett Route for all the family, for motoring enthusiasts and for motor club members alike. This guide brings you specialist reports, fun facts and in-depth analysis of one of the world's greatest sporting events ever.

1903 2018

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2018

"The Race that saved Motor Sport"

ENTRY FORM

115 years of Gordon Bennett History

GORDON BENNETT IRISH CLASSIC CAR RUN

JUNE BANK HOLIDAY WEEKEND JUNE 1st - 4th 2018

<http://www.gordonbennettclassic.ie/>

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SCHEDULE

Day 1- Friday 1st of June 2018
Civic reception and Event Launch at Laois County Hall Chambers.

Day 2- Saturday 2nd of June 2018
Heritage Run :
Assembly at Treacy's, The Heath, Portlaoise at 10.00am, where the run will commence no later than 11.00am. An information pack will be provided on the morning of this event and a run covering around 80 to 100 miles. Participants will be allowed ample time to discover our heritage, scenery and our many treasures before returning to base around 3pm in plenty time to prepare for the Gala Dinner evening, this is hosted by the now infamous Gandon Inn in Erno, Co Laois and consists of a three course meal with tea/coffee at a cost of €30 per person payable directly to the organisers or pre booked on this site along with the entry. The dress code for the meal is smart casual and the atmosphere is relaxed and informal allowing participants an opportunity to mingle and chat further about the day's events.

Day 3- Sunday 3rd of June 2018
Gordon Bennett Route :
This traditionally is the main event of the weekend with many extra participants taking part and all cars are required to assemble before 10am at Treacy's, The Heath, Portlaoise. Returning to the run this year are options to drive sections of the Gordon Bennett route or the original full route which is 104 miles. Further details on interval stops and routes with run details are yet to be confirmed but will start between 10.30am and 11.00pm.

There will be a number of stops and refreshment opportunities en route including Kildare where the best car will be judged independently by Kildare Vintage Vehicle Club. The day is completed at The Gandon Inn at approximately 5.00pm, where the presentation of plaques will take place along with a complimentary meal for the driver (with passengers paying €10 per person.)

Day 4- Monday 4th of June 2018
Leisure Run :
Participants will have the opportunity to take part in The Gandon Inn Leisure Run beginning at Treacy's of The Heath at 11am. Full details to be announced. An optional farewell barbeque & entertainment is included in the itinerary at a cost of €10 person. This final run is normally between 60 to 80 miles.

PLEASE NOTE FULL DETAILS WILL BE ANNOUNCED OF OUR COMPLETED SCHEDULE SHORTLY. PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE OR FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK FOR REGULAR UPDATES - INFORMATION & LOTS OF PHOTOGRAPHS FROM PREVIOUS EVENTS

ENTRY FORM

NAME: (print) _____ E-MAIL: _____

POST CODE: _____ PHONE No: _____

VEHICLE: _____

YEAR: _____

MODEL: _____

REG: _____

CLUB: _____

DRIVERS SIGNATURE: _____

CHEQUES MADE PAYABLE TO: GORDON BENNETT IRISH CLASSIC CAR RUN & CROSSED

GORDON BENNETT WEEKEND PER CAR €80

SATURDAY NIGHT GALA DINNER PER PERSON €30

BBO PER PERSON €10

POST-CHEQUES TO ENTRY SECRETARY: **TOTAL AMOUNT** _____

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