

GCCG Membership Application Form 2007

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www.gccg.org.uk

The GCCG started informally in 1988 when a group of friends who owned a variety of classic cars met for the first time. We now have nearly 400 members throughout the UK, a full program of events and meetings, and growing international links with fellow enthusiasts in Europe, N America and Australia and New Zealand. You can learn much more about us by visiting www.gccg.org.uk

What do I get, and how much does it cost?

Our annual subscription is £17.50 by direct debit. There is a joining fee of £2.50 giving a first-year total of £20. Membership runs either from January to December or July to June. The subscription covers:

- both you *and* your partner or friend
- quarterly editions of our esteemed magazine 'Big End'
- the regular email bulletin 'All Torque' – which over 80% of members receive
- flyers or email informing you in advance of events
- secure access to the member-only area of the GCCG website and to our online community area
- your personal GCCG membership card and windscreen sticker.

Where are you?

We have regional organisers in London, the South, South West, East Anglia, Midlands, the North West, North East and Scotland. Our programme of events is national, and includes events outside Britain in close collaboration with the French, Dutch and German clubs.

What about security and confidentiality?

GCCG records comprise only the details given by members on their completed Membership Application Forms. This information is strictly for GCCG use only and will **not** be passed on to commercial organisations, private individuals or to any other groups. Confidentiality is of prime importance to us, but if you object to personal data being held and you wish to have your details removed from our computer database you can write to the Secretary at the address above.

Data Protection Policy: By submitting this form to GCCG, you consent to your personal information being stored in a secure computer database and used for the purpose of GCCG related communications only. GCCG takes the security of our members' details seriously and never releases personal information for commercial use. Your information will be kept in a password protected database accessible only to you and authorised officers of the GCCG, except for limited profile information including your name but not contact information which is viewable by other GCCG members. You may view all of your information at any time via your online account.

What do I do next?

To join us and participate fully in the wide variety of GCCG events, print off and complete this application form and send it with your completed direct debit form to the address above. We look forward to meeting you soon.

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| Name | Partner's Name |
| Address | Telephone |
| | Mobile |
| Postcode | Do you have Internet access? YES / NO |
| Email | How did you hear about the GCCG? |

We are increasingly using email and the GCCG website to inform members of events and plans. Your email address will not be revealed to anyone outside the club. We suggest you do not use an office email address for contact, and if needed create your own free Hotmail, Yahoo or similar account.

May we know a little about your classic/s?

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| Car 1, make and model | year |
| Car 2, make and model | year |
| Car 3, make and model | year |

Please return your Application Form and Direct Debit Form by mail to the address above.

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1. **Postal address of your bank or building society.**
2. **The name[s] of the account holder[s].**
3. **The branch sort code.**
4. **Your bank or building society account number.**

The originator/reference numbers will be filled in by us.

EASY TO CANCEL You can cancel a Direct Debit at any time. Just write to your bank or building society and send a copy to us. Please provide the following information:

1. **Our name**
2. **The name of the account holder**
3. **Branch sort code**
4. **Your bank or building society account number**
5. **Your reference number with us if possible**
6. **The amount of the payment [if known]**

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There is no obligation on you to pay by Direct Debit and cheque or postal order payments can still be made. However standing order payments will no longer be offered and please never send cash.

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We will be happy to try and answer any further queries you may have. Please write to the
GCCG address or email
membership@gccg.org.uk

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