The 82nd Members' Meeting: a spectacular start to the 2025 motorsport season at Goodwood

- The 82nd Members' Meeting presented by Audrain Motorsport celebrates another extraordinary weekend with all racing taking place using sustainable fuel.
- Bruno Senna took to the track in the Lotus 97T to mark the 40th anniversary of Ayrton Senna's first Grand Prix victory in 1985.
- Thrilling demonstrations from Alpine, Cadillac Hertz Team JOTA, Gordon Murray Automotive and IWC Schaffhausen.
- Competitive GT3 Shoot-Out won by Andrew Jordan.
- Dario Franchitti collected the House Trophy on behalf of Torbolton.
- Tickets for the 83rd Members' Meeting are now on sale at goodwood.com.

After a weekend of thrilling racing - and with a splash of spring sunshine - the 82nd Members' Meeting presented by Audrain Motorsport has kicked off another exhilarating motorsport season at Goodwood.

Impressive demonstrations

The 82nd Members' Meeting paid tribute to three-time Formula 1 World Champion Ayrton Senna, with 2025 marking the 40th anniversary of his first Grand Prix victory at the 1985 Portuguese Grand Prix. With the support of Classic Team Lotus, the special on-track demonstration saw Bruno Senna drive the legendary Lotus 97T in a heartfelt tribute to his uncle. Next weekend, Classic Team Lotus will return to Estoril with the Lotus 97T, where Bruno will once again get behind the wheel to commemorate the 1985 victory on its exact anniversary (21 April).

Proving a crowd favourite across the weekend, the event welcomed a fleet of GT3 cars from some of the world's most established automotive manufacturers, including Aston Martin, BMW, Ferrari, Lamborghini, McLaren and Mercedes. Going head-to-head in a spectacular Shoot-Out, the intense battle reached its peak on Sunday afternoon, with Andrew Jordan claiming the win in the Chevrolet Corvette Z06.R, Phil Keen placing second in the Aston Martin V12 Vantage and Aubigny House Captain Andy Priaulx coming third in the BMW Z4.

In celebration of JOTA Sport's 25th anniversary, Cadillac Hertz Team JOTA fired up one of their Cadillac V-Series.R LMDh cars, which made its highly anticipated European debut at Goodwood. Over the weekend, the car blazed through a series of high-speed laps - the first time a current WEC Hypercar has taken on the historic circuit. Will Stevens and Alex Lynn delivered an unforgettable performance, expertly navigating the fast-flowing track. In addition to the impressive demonstration, the paddocks were filled with a stunning collection of Le Mans class winners, including one of the Hertz Team Jota Porsche 963 LMDhs.

Alpine marked its 70th anniversary over the weekend with a parade of 70 Alpine cars on track. The lineup included A110s from every era, along with the GTA and A610 models. In a nod to the future, the brand's latest innovation, the Alpine A110 R Ultimate, made its UK public debut and was on static display throughout the event.

In addition to playing a vital role as the Members' Meeting timing partner, IWC Schaffhausen brought a touch of movie magic to the event this year through its latest collaboration with the upcoming F1 film. The fictional APXGP Formula 1 Team came to life, with a moment on Saturday afternoon showcasing how high-speed precision scenes were captured for the film and included appearances from two of the film's stars, Damson Idris and Kerry Condon. The IWC garage housed the original race car used in the production across the weekend.

Sustainable racing

Following the 2024 Goodwood Revival - which became the world's first historic motorsport event to run all its races on sustainable fuel - the 82nd Members' Meeting continued the momentum with thirteen thrilling races powered by sustainable fuel; another significant step forward in securing the future of motorsport.

Small but mighty

New for the weekend, the inaugural Win Percy Trophy welcomed a collection of Group 1 touring cars including Mini 1275GTs, VW Golfs and Ford Fiestas. The small but mighty fleet of vehicles went head-to-head over the weekend welcoming some of the world's greatest drivers, from Grand Prix and 24 Hours of Le Mans winners to Touring Car Champions. Kerry Michael and Jake Hill took home the race win in the Ford Escort.

Other racing highlights at the 82nd Members' Meeting included the nail-biting Hailwood Trophy (ft. Sheen Trophy) which appeared for the fifth consecutive year. A lineup of classic 250cc and 350cc Grand Prix bikes battled it out, with Dan Jackson the overall winner. The Gordon Spice Trophy featured a slightly newer selection of vehicles with Group 1 saloon cars from the 1970s and early 1980s, including Ford Capri Mk3s, Rover SD1s and Chevrolet Camaro Z28s, with Romain Dumas and Fred Shepherd winning the race overall. Making a much-anticipated return to the Members' Meeting, the Whitmore Cup showcased pre-1966 touring cars including Lotus Cortinas, Alfa Romeo Guilia Sprint GTAs and Mini Cooper Ss with Guy Smith taking first place.

Gordon Murray Automotive

Over the weekend, Gordon Murray Automotive took centre stage on Brooklands Lawn and featured a collection of outstanding cars, including the T.33, T.50s track car, and a range of exquisitely-engineered GMA V12 engines.

Four-time IndyCar Series Champion - and Torbolton House Captain - Dario Franchitti drove the T.50s - which he had unveiled at the 81st Members' Meeting last year - in a high-octane demonstration. The celebration for Gordon Murray Automotive will continue at the Festival of Speed, with the marque headlining the <u>Central Feature sculpture</u> to celebrate Professor Gordon Murray's incredible 60-year career.

Under the hammer: auction highlights

A collection of unique and spectacular vehicles went under the hammer at the Bonhams|Cars Auction on Sunday. Highlights included everything from the 1928 Bentley Vanden Plas Style Tourer which sold for £290,950 and the 1912 Rolls-Royce Silver Ghost Roi des Belges Style Tourer which sold for £195,500 to the 2024 Lamborghini Revuelto Coupé which sold for £333,500.

Goodwood was also delighted to announce the <u>renewal and extension of its longstanding partnership</u> <u>with Bonhams|Cars.</u> Building on a 33-year relationship, the renowned auction house will continue to host world-class auctions at Goodwood events for the next five years, with the next sale set to take place at the Festival of Speed presented by Mastercard on Friday 11 July.

Unmissable moments around the event

The Gurney Cup closed the track action on Saturday with a sunset extravaganza ahead of the evening's festivities. With a spectacular fireworks display and live music, the party was a real celebration for our Goodwood Road Racing Club Members and Fellows.

From duck herding and ferret racing to axe throwing and the hotly contested Tug-O-War, the House Games once again proved a favourite amongst our Members, Fellows and drivers, with Torbolton - led by House Captain Dario Franchitti - taking home the House Trophyi.

The 82nd Members' Meeting invited event goers to raise a glass to legendary Formula 1 team owner Eddie Jordan at 'Eddie's Bar' on the Brooklands Lawn which was transformed into a traditional Irish pub, with the Jordan 191 displayed alongside.

Catch up on the action

For those who couldn't make this year's event, catch up on all the action on Tuesday 22 April at 20.00 on ITV4 and ITVX.

Images

Image highlights from across the weekend can be found at the following links:

- Saturday 12 April
 - o Part One
 - o <u>Part Two</u>
 - Ayrton Senna and Lotus 97T demonstration
- Sunday 13 April
 - Part One
 - o Part Two

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83rd Members' Meeting

Tickets for the 83rd Members' Meeting presented by Audrain Motorsport are now on sale and can be purchased at goodwood.com. Members of the Goodwood Road Racing Club can secure tickets from Monday 14 April, with Fellows able to book from Wednesday 16 April. The window will close on Sunday 20 April and reopen later in the year.

Further information, including dates for the 83rd Members' Meeting, will be announced in the coming months. More information about becoming a Fellow of the GRRC, including the host of benefits on offer, is available here.

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Notes to Editors:

The 82nd Members' Meeting presented by Audrain Motorsport took place Saturday 12 & Sunday 13 April 2025. Sign up for 2026 tickets alerts at <u>goodwood.com/ticketalerts</u>.

Motorsport returns to Goodwood later in the year with the <u>Festival of Speed presented by Mastercard</u> (Thursday 10 - Sunday 13 July) and <u>Goodwood Revival</u> (Friday 6 - Sunday 8 September).

Tickets

Tickets for the 83rd Members' Meeting are now on sale to Members of the Goodwood Road Racing Club. Tickets will go on sale to Fellows on Wednesday 16 April. Tickets can be purchased at goodwood.com or by calling the Ticket Office on +44 (0)1243 755055.

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About the 82nd Members' Meeting presented by Audrain Motorsport

The Goodwood Members' Meeting is an access-all-areas, epic weekend of motor racing, hosted by and exclusively for the Goodwood Road Racing Club.

As well as a full programme of racing, the Members' Meeting features all kinds of cars from classic tintops and GTs, to motorcycles and open wheeled Formula 3 and Formula 1 machines, offering visitors a friendly and intimate atmosphere. A winning formula of spectacular cars, high-speed track demonstrations, car launches, fun-packed festivities and great entertainment, along with the very best food and drink.

Founded by The Duke of Richmond, the annual event aims to recreate the atmosphere and camaraderie of the original BARC Members' Meetings held at Goodwood throughout the 1950s and 1960s.

About Audrain Motorsport

Audrain Motorsport is all about the chance to share extraordinary experiences centred around the way you want to engage with cars and motorcycles. No matter where your passion connects, on a tour, rally or back country drive; exploring the limits of your car and your talent against the clock on a track; as an insider at the world's leading Concours d'Elegance and historic races; or sharing conversation with the movers, shakers and legends of the motoring world in an intimate setting, we are here to make it possible.

Audrain Motorsport promises "curated immersive automotive experiences" for all its members who are looking to take their passion to the next level, and to operate at the top of the automotive lifestyle chain.

For more information, please visit <u>www.AudrainMotorsport.com</u> and stay up-to-date with all news and information by following us on our YouTube Channel and social media platforms.

About the Goodwood Road Racing Club

The Goodwood Road Racing Club (GRRC) is the community of motorsport enthusiasts at the core of Goodwood's iconic events and motoring legacy. The club is a growing community of all ages who share The Duke of Richmond's passion for motorsport.

With a host of benefits, entry fellowship status is open to all at just £85 per year. <u>Joining the GRRC</u> Fellowship is the only way to become a full GRRC Member.