



The MG Car Club Germany invites you to: **MG Rhine Tour 2018**

19th–26th August 2018: From Source to Estuary (almost)

Dear MG friends,

the idea is to do something special, a real "Grand Tour" in the classic sense. Driving through a variety of sceneries over a week with 20 MGs, visiting interesting places, experiencing great company and meeting new friends. The rough itinerary for our quest will be the river Rhine.

We will meet on Sunday, 19th of August 2018 in Sedrun in Graubünden, Switzerland. Quite close to this place is the source of the Anterior Rhine, the famous Tremola (old Gott-hard pass) being just round the corner. You can feel free to arrive on the Saturday, we can then go on a quick round trip on the Sunday in a smaller group as our "early bird".

The tour will start on Monday morning, driving along the Anterior Rhine, later joined by its posterior brother to form the Alpine Rhine. We will follow the latter through Liechtenstein, taking a little detour through Bregenz Forest to reach Lake Constance in the evening. On Tuesday, we will go for a run on the northern bank of the "Swabian Sea" towards Schaffhausen with its famous Rhine Falls and on into the High Black Forest. Wednesday will see us crossing the Rhine into Northern Alsace, where we will stay the night right on

the German border. The Palatinate and Rhenish Hesse will be experienced on Thursday, with the state capital Mainz being our destination for the day. Friday we will be driving through the romantic Middle Rhine valley with occasional detours into the Taunus mountains, the famous Loreley and the Moselle river. On Saturday, it's back to the "East Bank", driving through the Sieg valleys and into the Cologne Bight. On Sunday we will drive into Holland, passing the "Bridge Too Far" in Arnhem and finishing at Kasteel Duurstede near Utrecht, where the river's name changes from "Rhine" to "Lek".

Your MG Rhine Tour 2018 team is looking forward to a great week!!





About to leave: morning briefing before start



The famous Loreley



A quick break en route

Programme

Tour Objective

The length of the daily legs will range from about 180 to 230 kms (110 to 145 miles), involving approximately 5 hours of driving per day.

It will be obvious therefore that the event is generally directed at post war vehicles, mainly MGF and TF. Nevertheless it should be great fun in an MGA or MGB as well.

A comprehensive roadbook with touristic hints and information will be handed out, but the actual navigation will be based on your sat-navs. We will supply route files for Garmin and Tomtom devices, plus GPS co-ordinates for other brands.

Participating

Dinner is included in the hotel price at four stops, as the respective hotels are a bit in the sticks. The three other hotels are within easy reach of the respective city centres, allowing you to explore the local culinary opportunities.

The event is limited to 20 cars; registration closes on the 31st of March 2018 or with the 20th inscription. A reserve list will be opened when necessary. The registration fee includes all visits, ferry crossings, the roadbook, the route data and a rally plaque, payment is due upon registering.

Registration Fee and Other Costs

The fee is 130 euros per car including driver, plus another 65 euros for a passenger. You can register yourselves from mid January 2018 on the website www.mgf-tours.de.

The seven hotel nights (including breakfast, four dinners and tourist tax where applicable) will total to 550 euros for single rooms and 860 euros for two persons in doubles.

Hotel bookings will be managed centrally, a 50 percent deposit being due until 15th June, the rest until 1st August 2018. You will pay for drinks, coffee breaks, pay-and-display tickets etc yourselves on the tour.

Any Questions or Special Needs/Wishes?

Please don't hesitate to contact Michael (Mykel) Benecke phone +49-2163-4999859, mail events@mgcc.de

We are looking forward to your joining us in August!

Facts and Figures

Date: 19th–26th August 2018

Start: Sedrun/Switzerland; Destination: Kasteel Duurstede/Netherlands

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Registration fee: 130 euros per car and driver, passenger 65 euros plus accomodation and meals

Registration will open middle of January 2018 at www.mgf-tours.de

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