

# 2023 European Spain and France Classic Road Trip

## EVENT TERMS & CONDITIONS

Details of the 2023 Spain and France Classic Road Trip are described in these terms & conditions but the main points are:

- EVENT** It is a social event and does not have any competitive elements.
- ELIGIBLE CARS** All classic, historic and replica cars built before 31<sup>st</sup> December 1998, although exceptional examples of more modern classics will be accepted at the organisers' discretion.
- ENTRIES** Entry costs £3,950.00 for a crew of two. An entry deposit of £750 is required to be paid by 25<sup>th</sup> November 2022 and the balance of £3,200 by the 1<sup>st</sup> June 2023.
- ROUTE** The event starts from the Brittany Ferry Terminal at Portsmouth Continental Port to Bilbao. The route will take you through northern Spain and into the Spanish & French Pyrenees, through France returning by Brittany Ferries Port at St Malo for the overnight crossing to Portsmouth.
- ROUTE BOOK** An easy to follow Route Book will be provided.
- FERRY & HOTELS** The entry fee includes the cost of the Ferry on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2023 Portsmouth to Bilbao, 6 nights Dinner B & B in various good quality hotels the last night is B&B only, which has been left free for you to enjoy the array of restaurants in Saumur, and the return Ferry Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2023 St Malo – arriving back in Portsmouth Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2023.

Details to be finalised shortly and in Appendix A to these T&C's.

### 1 - Definition of the Event

- 1.1 The Spain – Pyrenees – France Classic Road Trip is a Touring Assembly for road cars. The event is not a competition.
- 1.2 The event will start on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2023 & finish Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2023.

### 2 - Organisation

- 2.1 The event is organised by Brit Assist Limited under these terms & conditions and any additional advice which may be issued. Any such additional instructions will be deemed to be an appendix to and have the same power as these terms & conditions.

- 2.2 All Participants undertake to comply with these terms & conditions by the fact of their entry.

### **3 - Route**

- 3.1 The route that we drive will cover approximately 120 miles per day.
- 3.2 The route will be defined by our easy to follow Route Book which will be issued to Participants at the start of the event.

### **4 - Eligible Cars and Number of Starters**

- 4.1 The event is open to four wheeled road cars manufactured before 31 December 1998. Exceptional examples of more modern classic cars and replica cars manufactured after that date may be accepted at the Organisers' discretion.
- 4.2 All cars must meet the legal requirements to run on public roads in the EU and be in a roadworthy condition. It is the responsibility of each participant to ensure that the car is in a state of roadworthiness appropriate to the type of event. The use of trade plates is not permitted.
- 4.3 No advertising trade sign or promotional display may be carried on or distributed from any vehicle without the prior consent of the Organisers.
- 4.4 The maximum number of entries is 12. All entries will be accepted on a first come first served basis. The Organisers may increase or decrease the number of entries at their discretion.
- 4.5 Participants will be provided with a numbered rigid plate (approximately 12" x 6" – 30cm x 15cm) which must be clearly displayed in a forward facing position at the front of the car and removed once the event has finished. No other numbers may be displayed except vehicle registration plates.

### **5 - Eligible Participants and Drivers**

- 5.1 Any person may enter the event but all drivers must hold a valid driving licence for the car being driven. A competition licence is not required.

### **6 - Entries**

- 6.1 Entries open with the publication of these terms & conditions and close on 25<sup>th</sup> November 2022. Participants holding reserved entries must submit a completed entry form together with a payment for the balance of the entry fee by 1<sup>st</sup> June 2023. Failure to do so will result in the deposit being forfeited and the entry offered to a reserve.
- 6.2 For completed entries received and paid in full by 1<sup>st</sup> June 2023, the entry fee is £3,950.00 per car (driver and one passenger).

- Dinner, bed & breakfast for two people in an en-suite twin or double room at Various good quality hotels
- Easy to follow Route Book
- A rigid identification plate for the vehicle
- The vehicle breakdown and recovery services of Brit Assist's team of experienced mechanics.

6.3 Any extra costs incurred at the overnight Ferries, hotels or at places of interest must be settled direct with the venue before departure.

6.4 Entries will be accepted in order of receipt and will be acknowledged by email. The selection of entries is at the absolute discretion of the Organisers and will be final. The Organisers may refuse an entry without giving any reason.

6.5 Any change of vehicle must be notified in writing to the Organisers.

6.6 Participants withdrawing their entries may have only part of their entry fee returned depending on which deposits and in some cases full payment, have to be made prior to the event for the ferries and hotels. Any withdrawal of entry must be submitted to the Organisers in writing, by post or e-mail.

6.7 A list of Participants will be published a week before the event.

6.8 It is the responsibility of Participants to contact the Organisers if acknowledgement of an entry form is not received within 10 days.

## **7 - Documentation & Eligibility Checking**

7.1 All Participants will be required to sign a declaration that they have valid insurance in accordance with the requirements of the Road Traffic Act and the relevant EU laws applicable to the route.

7.2 On the Tuesday evening participants will be given their Route Book showing the suggested route to be followed and the location of any venues.

## **8 – Breakdown Services**

8.1 Breakdown services will be available to all Participants during the event by Brit Assist Ltd. However we recommend that you take out European cover in the event of your car not being repairable and needing repatriation.

## **9 - Venues**

9.1 The route will include suggested comfort breaks and stops, which will be shown in the Route Book, approximate times of arrival and departure will be shown in the Route Book.

## **10 - Postponement or Cancellation**

10.1 The Organisers reserve the right to cancel or postpone the event or any part thereof should circumstances arise which make such action desirable or necessary. In such conditions the return of entry fees in whole or part will be at the discretion of the Organisers.

## **11 - Jurisdiction**

11.1 The Organisers have absolute discretion in the application and amendment of a penalty for any breach of the terms & conditions and may implement decisions on any matter not provided for by these terms & conditions.

## **Appendix A – Hotels**

Good quality hotels have been selected for the event and further details will follow shortly.

