



## Octane recommends

*Make sure you put these dates in your diary*



### **BRESSUIRE GRAND PRIX HISTORIQUE**

**29-30 June, Bressuire, France**

For one weekend each year, the sights and sounds of 1950s road racing return to the small town of French town of Bressuire, which hosted competitive meets until a racing ban was imposed following the 1955 Le Mans disaster. The eighth running of the Grand Prix Historique will see cars from 1910-1972 in four classes tackle a demanding street circuit over two days. The event is renowned for its relaxed and friendly atmosphere, and is something of a bargain, too, with entries costing just €55. For more information, contact organiser Jean-Claude Fillon.

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### **CLUB LOTUS SHOW**

**20-21 April, Donington Park, UK**

Club Lotus has confirmed a number of guests for its 2013 festival: visitors this year can look forward to technical demonstrations from Lotus luminaries including Elan expert Brian Buckland and former Esprit platform manager Brian Angus. If lessons on glassfibre repair and engine building sound like too much hard work, though, you'll be pleased to know that there will also be hundreds of cars on display, as well as a celebration of Jim Clark's first F1 title, secured 50 years ago this year.

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### **MODENA CENTO ORE CLASSIC**

**4-9 June, Modena, Italy**

Now in its 13th year, the Cento Ore Classic offers 60 crews the opportunity to race on the spectacular roads and circuits around Modena. The 800km route for 2013 will also take in some of the best scenery that Tuscany has to offer and includes three track and ten mountain stages. A regularity rally follows the race, and consists of 40 time trials. As much of a draw as the driving is, though, we reckon many participants are more interested in the hospitality – by all accounts very special.

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