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# The ENLROC SLIDER

The Monthly (Sort of) Newsletter of the East Northants Land Rover Owners' Club

Merry, merry December ENL-Rockers!

Your December club night starts at 7:30pm on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> at:

The Windmill Club, Glassbrook Rd, Rushden NN10 9RP

For those who haven't been before, park round the back (or front if there is room) go to the front door, press the buzzer and they will let you in. The club meet in the room on the right before the bar.

Might even get a night off and see you there this time!

Cheers,

Mark ☺

## Shows:

Latest rumour is that there will be a Cavalcade in 2019, but on a smaller scale at Lancaster Farm, Higham Ferrers. (on the Chelveston road).

And here is what else we know so far:

SHOW DATES 2019

APRIL

27th/28th adventure overland spring show

MAY

4th/5th/6th east midlands steam & country show

11th/12th gaydon land rover show

25th/26th land rover legends =Bicester

JUNE

29th/30th billing off road show

JULY

6th/7th hollowell steam show

T.B.C. Cambridge

AUGUST

24th/25th/26th earls barton transport show  
31st rounds festival of transport  
SEPTEMBER  
T.B.C. cranford  
T.B.C. adventure overland late summer show

Everything is also listed in the calendar (attached for easy reference). ☺

## Trials News:

One left this year – the Christmas Trial (RTV) at Weston Underwood near Olney on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December! Nearest postcode MK46 5AX.

MINCE PIES!!!

## Laning!

Next outing is Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> December. Bring MINCE PIES!!

## Joke of the Month:

### Husband Store

A store that sells new husbands has opened in London, where a woman may go to choose a husband. Among the instructions at the entrance is a description of how the store operates:

You may visit this store ONLY ONCE! There are six floors and the value of the products increase as the shopper ascends the flights. The shopper may choose any item from a particular floor, or may choose to go up to the next floor, but you cannot go back down except to exit the building!

So, a woman goes to the Husband Store to find a husband. On the first floor the sign on the door reads:

[Floor 1 - These men Have Jobs](#)

She is intrigued, but continues to the second floor, where the sign reads:

[Floor 2 - These men Have Jobs and Love Kids.](#)

'That's nice,' she thinks, 'but I want more.' So she continues upward. The third floor sign reads:

[Floor 3 - These men Have Jobs, Love Kids, and are Extremely Good Looking.](#)

'Wow,' she thinks, but feels compelled to keep going. She goes to the fourth floor and the sign reads:

[Floor 4 - These men Have Jobs, Love Kids, are Drop-dead Good Looking and Help with Housework.](#)

'Oh, mercy me!' she exclaims, 'I can hardly stand it!' Still, she goes to the fifth floor and the sign reads:

[Floor 5 - These men Have Jobs, Love Kids, are Drop-dead Gorgeous, Help with Housework, and Have a Strong Romantic Streak.](#)

She is so tempted to stay, but she goes to the sixth floor, where the sign reads:

Floor 6 - You are visitor 31,456,012 to this floor. There are no men on this floor. This floor exists solely as proof that women are impossible to please. Thank you for shopping at the Husband Store.

**PLEASE NOTE:**

To avoid gender bias charges, the store's owner has opened a New Wives store just across the street.

The first floor has wives that love sex.

The second floor has wives that love sex and have money and like beer.

The third, fourth, fifth and sixth floors have never been visited.

# Christmas Quiz:

Not of my own derivation, this was sent to me by Pete Hares, for which I am grateful, thanks Pete. Now I was minded to give it out at club night on Wednesday but actually that means only about 2/3 of the club would get to see it, and it's much better than that, and quite hard, so I'm giving it out in the newsletter with beer prizes!

2 Categories – 'Out of your head', i.e. you haven't looked any of it up and:

'Cheated and used the internet' when you have done just that.

2 sets of prizes, so let me know which category you are in when you **email me your answers**, though it should be fairly obvious which category you are in to be honest... haha. Remember, I know most of you pretty well...

So take it away Pete! ☺



## A Very Merry Christmas Land Rover Quiz



1. When did the Defender name first get used 1970, 1980, 1990 or 2000?
2. Was the first Land Rover an 80, 84, 88 or 107 inch wheelbase?
3. In what year was the 2 litre engine fitted to the Series 1, 1950, 1951, 1952 or 1953?
4. In what year was the first diesel option engine fitted, 1956, 1957, 1958 or 1960?
5. In what year did the Series 2 replace the Series 1, 1956, 1957, 1958 or 1959?
6. Freelander 1 had a code name prior to full production, was it FL10, LLAMA, CB40 or Pathfinder
7. The Range Rover 1975 blue was known as; Pageant Blue, Sky Blue, Tuscan Blue or Mayfair Blue?
8. On the 1950 Land Rover, where were the headlamps positioned: in the front wings, behind the radiator grill, through the radiator grill or either side of the grill?
9. When the Range Rover was being developed the initial cars were called: Vilar, Valer, Velar or Velur?

10. The GWAC Discovery got the nickname because of: The vehicle designer, the number plate, the chassis sequence number or the pre-production code name?
11. The First Overland book was the story of: The journey from London to Shanghai, London to Saint Petersburg, London to Sakata or London to Singapore?
12. Who designed the original Land Rover: Matthew Wilson, Martin Watson, Maurice Wilks or Gerry McGovern?
13. What did the name Velar mean in Latin: blanket or cover, cloak or overcoat, camouflage or disguised or curtain or veil?
14. When the Land Rover Discovery was on the drawing board and before its name was announced to the world, it was initially known: Project Kay, Project Lay, Project Say or Project Jay?
15. Which Motor Show was the Land Rover first launched at in 1948, London, Paris, Amsterdam or Madrid?
16. What was the engine capacity in of the first Land Rover in 1948, was it 1295cc, 1395cc, 499cc or 1595 cc?
17. Which vehicle was the first to be seen by over 1 billion people throughout the world, Land Rover, Mini, VW Beetle or Ford Fiesta
18. The lode Lane address for Land Rover is well known, but what is the name of the other road that allows access to the factory. Is it Damson Lane, Damson Avenue, Damson Road or Damson Close?
19. The 2<sup>nd</sup> generation Range Rover was code named P38a, why? Was it the type of steel used, the number of people on the initial project, the office number where it was agreed to produce or the on-site building where it was produced?
20. The Classic Range Rover had a code name for the USA, was it, Heron, Dove, Hark or Eagle



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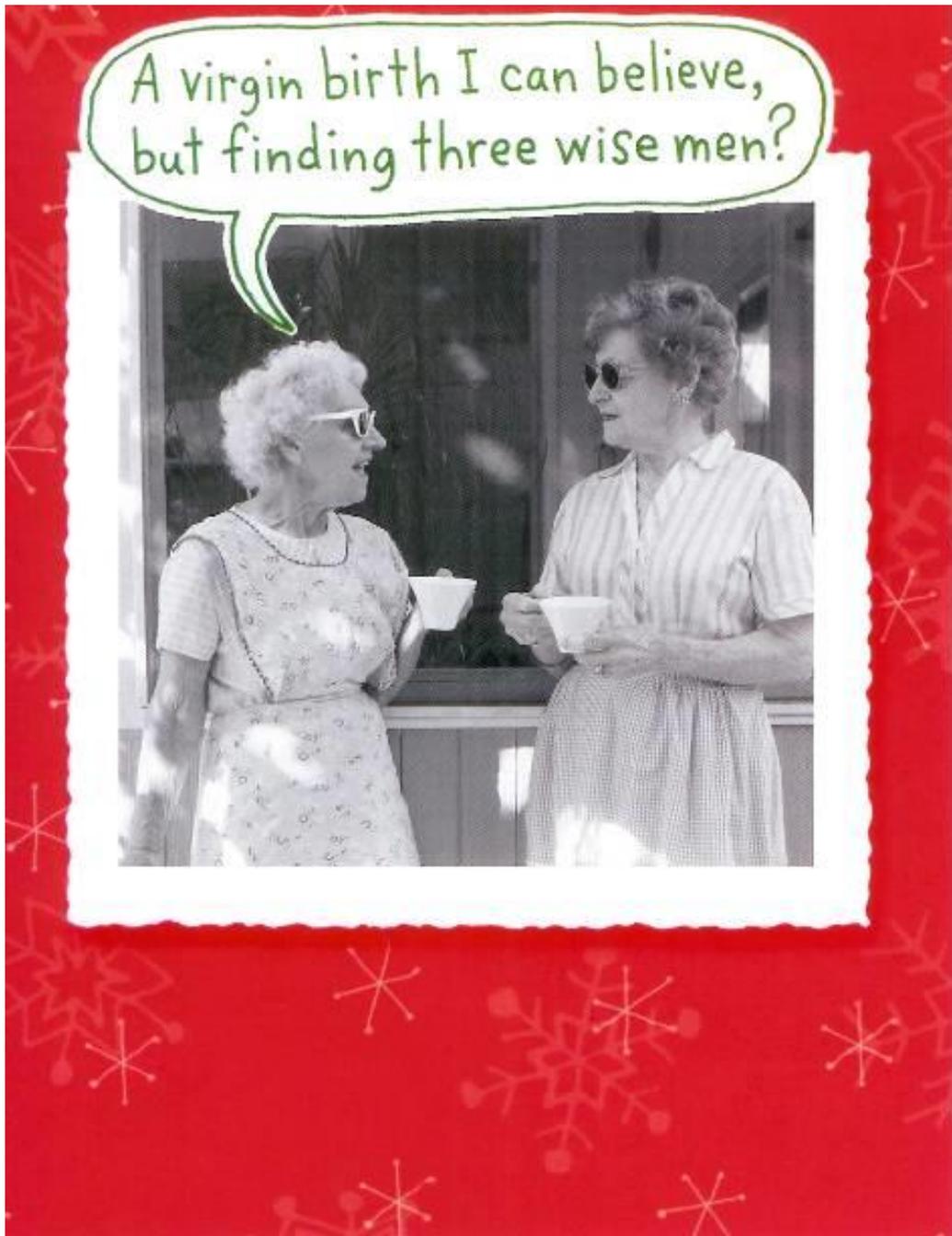
Everyone

A Very Happy Christmas  
and a  
Great Land-Rovering New Year

ANSWERS AND WINNERS NEXT MONTH!

# Ladies' Revenge Joke of the Month:

(Festive edition)



# “Smelly, lumpy and sticky areas are my favourite! Got any regions like that?”

Is this month's phrase that you need to say to all those people you know who have land... The search for new trialling venues continues!

## ‘Friends of ENLROC!’:

**TMS Motorsport:** are offering a 10% discount for ENLROC Club Members:

[www.tmsmotorsport.co.uk](http://www.tmsmotorsport.co.uk)

**BEARMACH:**



### *Bearmach Cashback Club*

Earn money for your club every time you order your parts & accessories from Bearmach.com!

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Use discount code - **ENLROC10**

**JGS 4x4:**



JGS will give 5% off their prices when placing an order over £50. **ON THEIR WEBSITE AND PERSONAL CALLERS ONLY!**

The discount code is: JGSENLROC and it is ready to use.

They also say: 'For personal callers, if they mention ENLROC we will always try and do the best deal that we can.' Sounds okay to me!

## Committee Contacts:

Committee members should only be contacted between 9:00am-9:00pm for club business, please, and we would be grateful if you would not pass on these contact details to people outside ENLROC without first asking permission from the individual in question.

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**Whatchyadoin?**



**The Small Print:** The ENLROC SLIDER does not accept responsibility for unsolicited manuscripts, articles or photographs, or rubbish TV programmes! Why is there so much cr\*p on telly? Are we becoming more stupid? Possibly. I fear I am... We are becoming 'entertained' by the lowest common denominator – the media really do have a lot to answer for. The ENLROC Slider is media. The Slider has a lot to answer for! Really sorry for making you all more stupid, guys... The Slider would willingly, however, accept full responsibility for the epic scotch eggs at Top Farm campsite, Little Staughton, the wonderful cakes at DNS Stores in Riseley, and for the fabulous beer at The St John's Arms Melchbourne! Sadly we can't claim any responsibility for any of that, but we reserve the right to consume said items at will! And Mince Pies. Lovely.

Oh, and the deliberately obvious Bear for Beer typos last month were won by Gail Scott and Colin Jones Snr.! I'll dig you out some beer guys. ☺☺☺