



## ALFA ROMEO OWNERS CLUB (KENYA)

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## BIDWOOD SUITES

### CBA AFRICA CONCOURS

### D'ELEGANCE PREVIEW

**THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 21<sup>ST</sup>, 2017**

**AT 7:00 P.M**

***Conference room in the Bidwood Suites Hotel, on the left side (coming from town) of Lower Kabete Road immediately after the junction with Karuna Road.***

On Thursday September 21<sup>st</sup> we return to the Bidwood Suites Hotel to welcome CBA Africa

Concours d'Elegance competitors from South Africa and Uganda. Our meeting will be held in the Mayur conference room on the lower ground floor. Dinner will be a quality buffet for 2000 shillings per person.

The Club Committee hopes that as many members as possible will attend this function to greet visiting competitors who have spent considerable time and money to be at the Nairobi Racecourse on Sunday September 24<sup>th</sup> for a major annual event.

The evening will feature the latest news on the classiest event on the Kenya motor sport calendar and a showing of the 2016 CBA Concours TV programme. There will also be the opportunity to purchase raffle tickets and Club merchandise.

## **FREE ENTRY TO THE NAIROBI RACECOURSE ON CONCOURS DAY FOR THE ALFA ROMEO OWNERS CLUB MEMBERS**

Alfa Romeo Owners Club members will have free entry to the Nairobi Racecourse for the CBA Africa Concours providing they arrive in Alfas and display their machines in the Club car park. As the Concours is a major spectator event there will be tight security and it is essential that members collect a "Club" windscreen sticker for their cars and complimentary tickets for the occupants. These will be available at the Bidwood Suites on September 22<sup>nd</sup>, or from the Bob Dewar Publicity office in Norfolk Towers before noon on Friday September 23<sup>rd</sup>.

To reach the Alfa Club car park, please follow the "competitors" signs from the main Racecourse entrance. After passing through the competitors gate you will be directed to the Club car park.

The Racecourse gates will be opened to the paying public from 9.00 a.m. All exhibitors are

expected to be ready by this time. Accordingly it would be appreciated if you would arrive by 8:30 a.m. This will help us to achieve the best possible display for the Alfa Club.

## **FULL HOUSE**

There is a full house of 70 cars for the Concours which is the maximum allowed by the regulations in the interest of ensuring high standards of judging. The motorcycle entry list has nearly reached the limit of 40 bikes. Entries for Concours motorcycles and the classic car and motorcycle sale remain open until noon on Wednesday September 13<sup>th</sup> .

Among the cars which will be making a first appearance at the Nairobi Racecourse are the 1991 Mitsuoka le-Seyde of Ugandan classic car enthusiast Kakooza Wazzir and the 1976 JBA Falcon Roadster entered by Shane Ramzanali, a keen member of the newly formed classic car club in Dar es Salaam.

Motorcycles which will be seen for the first time include Dominique Antoine's 1925 Triumph 550 SD and the 1929 New Henley which will be ridden round the judging ring by Bevan Beckman of the Vintage Motorcycle Club of South Africa. Gilgil based Mikey Hughes will be presenting his 1974 Lavada 3C and Peter Giraud will be making a return to the Concours after a twenty year interval with a 1966 Triumph TR6C.

## **THE ALFA ROMEO TEAM**

Alfa Romeo will be represented by nine entries competing in six classes. The Club Committee is very grateful for the strong support from the following members and hopes they will take home some of the prizes.

### **Touring cars from 1,201 cc to 1,600 cc.**

Gursharan Singh

1980 Alfasud Sprint

### **Touring cars from 1,601 cc to 1,800 cc**

Auto Viz Limited	1995 Alfa Romeo 155
Rishi Chandaria	1983 Alfa Romeo Giulietta

### **Touring cars from 1,801 cc to 2,000 cc**

Micky Bassi	1988 Alfa Romeo 75
Kamene Wanday	1972 Alfa Romeo 2000 GTV

### **Touring cars from 2,001 cc to 2,500 cc**

Peponi Autocare Limited (Tinu)	1995 Alfa Romeo 115
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### **Touring cars from 2,501 cc to 3,000 cc**

Gayling May	1967 Alfa Romeo Sprint
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### **Rally, or racing cars**

Fergus Robley	1967 Alfa Romeo GTA
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### **Open sports cars**

Savi Bhogal	1972 Alfa Romeo Spider
Alec Davis	1969 Alfa Romeo Spider

## **EVENTS CALENDAR**

- ❖ Thursday September 21<sup>st</sup>: Concours d'Elegance preview and welcome for competitors from outside Kenya.
- ❖ Sunday September 24<sup>th</sup>: CBA Africa Concours d'Elegance.
- ❖ Thursday October 19<sup>th</sup>: CBA Africa Concours d'Elegance review.
- ❖ Sunday November 19<sup>th</sup>: Year End Trail and Lunch.