



**ALFA ROMEO OWNERS CLUB
(KENYA)**

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**BIDWOOD
SUITES**

**HISTORIC GRAND
PRIX FESTIVAL**

**THURSDAY APRIL 25TH, 2019
AT 7:00 P.M.**

FROM THE CITY CENTRE THE BIDWOOD SUITES HOTEL IS LOCATED A SHORT DISTANCE BEYOND THE SARIT CENTRE, ON THE LEFT SIDE OF LOWER KABETE ROAD IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE JUNCTION WITH KARUNA ROAD.

It's back to Bidwood for the historic Grand Prix festival on Thursday April 25th at 7:00 p.m in the evening. Thanks to Peter Wanday, the Club Chairman, the highlight of the evening will be the screening of a 24 minute film on the South African Historic Grand Prix Festival which was held recently in East London, South Africa.

The event was a commemoration of the races which were held on the original circuit in East London before World War II. The festival featured 20 cars which were brought to South Africa especially from Europe and 40 from the host country. An Alfa P3 racer was air freighted from Europe for the event. This had been recently purchased for the equivalent of 560 million shillings and had been raced in East London in 1936.

During the evening there will be news about forthcoming Club events including the Naivasha Outing and Economy Run scheduled for Saturday June 22nd. In addition, there will be an opportunity to buy raffle tickets and Club merchandise.

It had been intended to meet at a different restaurant in step with our policy of changing venues, but the selected eatery was booked for April 25th. Rest assured we will make a move for our next meeting on May 16th.

KEEP SATURDAY JUNE 22ND FOR NAIVASHA

OUTING

Keep Saturday June 22nd for the Club's Annual Naivasha Outing and Economy Run.

As time goes by very quickly make a note in your diary to allocate Saturday June 22nd to the Naivasha Outing and Economy Run. The event will consist of a drive to Naivasha for the assessment of fuel consumption. This will be followed by car care judging, the prize giving and a lavish celebratory lunch in Mateo's Restaurant on the Naivasha South Lake road.

CLUB COMMITTEE FOR 2019

At a lively Annual General Meeting the following members were elected as the Club's Principal's Office Bearers and Committee Members for 2019.

POSITION	OFFICE BEARER
Patron	His Excellency The Italian Ambassador,
Chairman	Peter Wanday
Vice- Chairman	Bob Dewar
Treasurer	Shailesh Chandaria
Secretary	Lynette Pereira
Committee Member	Micky Bassi

VICTOR AND VICTRIX LUDORUM

At this early stage in the Club's 2019 season the few points collected so far for the Victor and Victrix Ludorum Awards leave the field wide open.

The next opportunity to earn points will be the Historic Grand Prix Festival at the Bidwood Suites on Thursday May 25th. Remember you earn extra points if you arrive in an Alfa Romeo.

PROVISIONAL CALENDAR OF 2019 EVENTS

DATE	EVENT
Thur 25 th April	Historic Grand Prix Festival.
Thur 16 th May	Social evening.
Thur 20 th June	Total Excellium Economy Run Draw and Briefing.
Sat 22 nd June	Naivasha Outing and Economy Run.
Sat 20 th July	Chairman's Lunch.
Thur 15 th August	Social evening.
Thur 19 th September	2018 Concours preview.
Sun 29 th September	CBA Africa Concours d'Elegance.
Thur 17 th October	Social evening.
Sun 24 th November	End of year Trail and Lunch.



2019 Alfa Romeo 4C Spider