

D.M.C.C.C.



Rally

4th -10th September

Manor Bungalow, Friskney, Lincolnshire, PE22 8PQ

£10:00 per Night

Inc EHU, Dog Friendly +£1:00 per night Rally Fee.

[Directions to site](#)

[Google Maps](#)

Hi

Did you notice the shiny newly revamped logo? Scroll back to the top and it is there. Reading the symbols clockwise from top left you have DURHAM (Cathedral door knocker), MASONIC, CARAVAN and CAMPING all enclosed in a shield which represents the CLUB. Thanks go to John Watts who took the photograph of the original logo (we didn't have the original electronic version) and has had it redrawn.

The Friskney rally is on (see above), John Deamer is on site and will ensure that you receive a warm welcome on arrival. If you wish to attend, please ring John on 07811 329966.

There is one more rally after Friskney (as long as our vaccines hold out), this is:

Niffany Farm, Broughton Road, Skipton

3rd – 6th Dec **Skipton Market Rally (subject to Covid 19 conditions)**

Address: Niffany Farm, Broughton Road, Skipton BD23 3AA Phone John Deamer: 07811 329966 NB: This is proposed subject to COVID 19 regulations and guidance.

I attended this rally in 2019 and really enjoyed it. I don't think I will go to Skipton Christmas market again as it is a very popular event with lots of people arriving by coach. The days before and after are just as good apparently but it is easier to get around. However, I can say that I have been and seen.

Geoff

Please have a look at our web site www.dmccc.org.uk

Also check out The Masonic Caravan Club of England and Wales: <http://www.mccew.org/>

Eddie McComb's funeral was a quiet family event. However, in memory of Eddie the family have asked for donations to the Northumberland Air Ambulance.

Eddie and his wife Freddy are the longest serving members of

DMCCC and it was always good to get Eddie talking about some of the bigger rallies and events organised by the Club.

Masonic Caravan Club of England and Wales

We are affiliated to The Masonic Caravan Club of England and Wales (MCCEW). This gives us access to a number of meets throughout the Country and some in Europe. It will also give access to the other Masonic Caravan Clubs to join in our meets and for us to join in with theirs.

<http://www.mccew.org/>

Technical Information

<https://www.campingandcaravanningclub.co.uk/helpandadvice/technicalhelp/datasheets/>

<https://www.caravanclub.co.uk/advice-and-training/advice-for-beginners/top-twenty-questions-about-caravans/>

This one is aimed at trailer tents but has a lot of very useful information relevant to all forms of tents, motor homes and caravans:

http://www.blueskyholdings.co.uk/general_information.html



I used to love tractors but no longer. In fact you could say that I am
an Ex Tractor Fan

Sites for 2022 are being sought and a list will be published soon.

Our rally at the Railway Inn, hastily organised, saw 8 of us on site.
Two units were in the posh end and the rest of us were in the

stalls. I must say all of the pitches were very good with power points very close and water not too far away. There was a shower block which looked clean (I always use my own facilities) and the Elsan point was clean and easy to use. As there was a football match on the Sunday night a number of DMCCC members stayed on for that, not sure who was playing but the Scottish were allegedly supporting Italy and shouting "Its coming (to) Rome!". The pub also serves meals and very nice they were too. Most of us ate in there on Friday night, it was really good to be in company once more even though there was an element of social distancing.

Looking forward to Skipton and sorry I cannot be at Friskney - there is a four letter word preventing me, Work. Apologies for swearing.

Looking for an element of sympathy here - Kathleen and I had the grandchildren for three weeks - two little humans one of whom had more technology with him than clothes - we had a really good time. We even managed to fit in a cruise. Okay, a river bus from Naburn Lock into York but it was one of those unforgettable days with no technology to interrupt conversation, plus a couple of pints with lunch. We stayed at Naburn Lock Caravan Park which is very nice. But (yes the famous But) when we returned the little darlings to Norfolk things took a bad turn - On entering my daughter's in-laws garden, I managed the first gate without issue but at the next

gate my daughter was in the paddock with her mother in law and my 10 month old granddaughter all waving, the kids in the back of the truck were excitedly shouting "Mam" and "grandma" and Kathleen was asking, sorry commanding, me to unlock the windows. All this commotion on top of me waving has cost me in excess of £2000. I caught the gate post with the caravan, badly scored the front offside window, ripped out the kitchen window, tore off part of the wheel arch, bent a corner of the gas locker door, tore off the heating vent cover and badly dented my pride. I've only driven through that gate one or twice - per year for the last eighteen years.

Have fun, stay safe and we look forward to meeting you in a field one day.

Geoff and Kathleen.

If you have any problems with the links to downloads or emails to individuals please let me know by emailing me on secretary@dmccc.org.uk or ringing 07711665413.

Safe journeys wherever you are heading to or from.

Geoff

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