



Home of the Bugatti Owners Club & Prescott Hill Climb  
Prescott Hill, Gotherington, Cheltenham, Glos. GL52 9RD



This year's 2014 Grand Gathering will be held in these spectacular grounds of the Bugatti Owners Club on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2014. Prescott has offered us the exclusive part of the grounds known as the Orchard which will lead us directly onto the Corporate area which the club has booked and have exclusive use of. It is the weekend of the British Championship Hill climb but this will not distract from our Grand Gathering. We will have our own hospitality Marquee, regalia and spares available as usual in the corporate area. Prescott have also offered a cavalcade on the Hill during the lunch break of the climb championships subject to weather and time. So it will be a chance to drive on this historical Hill. One can't imagine anything better than a day on the Prescott Estate, enjoying the rolling acres of green, the dappled sun in the orchard. On my visit it was a warm sunny day and I can think of no better place to meet together in these lovely grounds.



Tickets to the grounds can be purchased in advance at a discounted rate of £10.00 per person. Please send a stamped addressed envelope to myself (address at the front of magazine) or drop me an email and I will send you the tickets which also allow you into the Orchard and Corporate area.

Steve his team and I have been checking every local hotel and the closest we can find with a function room available is the :-  
Stourport Manor, 35 Hartlebury Road, Stourport-on-Severn DY13 9JA. This lovely hotel is more of a distance than we would have hoped for, but all agreed it would be acceptable as we have only to travel to Prescott Hill for the day. Panthers owners do like a bit of a drive out before parking up so a little drive thought acceptable. Costs are as follows :-

**Hotel: Menzies Stourport 2 nights/ 3 days, Friday 5th- Sunday 7th September 2014 . Prices per person sharing a twin/ double:**

Main package- Friday & Saturday nights: £139

Saturday night 6th September & gala dinner: £79

Thursday 4th or Sunday 7th September: £54 per night

Single room supplement: £23 per person per night

Prices are inclusive of dinner, bed and breakfast on each day, with four course gala dinner being served on Saturday (starter, main, dessert & cheese platter).

A booking form can be downloaded from the website or contact Petra Howes at PHowes@ictsqt.co.uk Tel: +44 (0)20 7510 2929 . The evening will see us dancing the night away at our annual Dinner & Dance much enjoyed at our themed Dinner in 2012.

This year to make it easy for everyone it will be a **Black & White** evening. Whether you come dressed for the Ball or dress as a Dalmatian or the vicar!!!! As long as its Black and White you will look the part. So join in the fun and get your thinking caps on.

It would be good to see everyone make a special effort to attend this our annual Grand Gathering whether you live in the UK, Europe or anywhere else in the world you will all be made most welcome and enjoy our biggest social gathering of Panther people and cars in 2014. Please mark in your diaries and I look forward to seeing you there. Let's make it one to remember. The AGM will be held on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2014 at the hotel Stourport Manor. For further details do not hesitate to contact me.

Val Bridges Chairman