



**6<sup>th</sup> December 2021**

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## **December Ace Café – Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2021**



The December Ace Café is on at the normal place, El Campo, between 10:30 and 13:00 on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2021. We hope to see you there. The restaurant have advised us that it will be obligatory to show your vaccinations certificate; see Covid-19 section below.

Also, Trevor Kirkham and Richard Rihan will be available to assist with your 2022 renewal, if necessary. See 2022 Membership Renewal section below.

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## **December Xmas Hat Rally – Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2021**



We will be starting in Villajoyosa, driving inland to Gorga (coffee stop) and ending in Llïber at Aromas Restaurant.

Meet at Gusta Pizza, Av. Jose Maria Esquerdo Zaragoza, 29, LOCAL A, 03570 Villajoyosa, Alicante at 10:00 for 10:30. [Click here for the link to Google Maps](#). There will be ample parking along the road on the sea front and we are told the breakfast is to die for!

All information is on the website in the Events Calendar section of the Member Area; <https://marinaaltacc.com/member-area/events-calendar/december-2021-rally/>. Please get used to signing into the website to get information about the rallies.

The route instructions are here: [Xmas Hat Rally route instructions](#). Please print them off or save to your phone.

The menu is here: [December 2021 - Aromas menu](#), and the cost is 25€ per person.

**Please register your intention to join the rally, along with your meal choices, with Diane Harrison; using [diane.harrison@marinaaltacc.com](mailto:diane.harrison@marinaaltacc.com), by the evening of Sunday 12th December 2021.**

Please also remember that **drinks over and above the included half bottle of wine per person must be paid for by you.**

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## 2022 Annual General Meeting – Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2022



The Annual General Meeting is to be held on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2022 at St Andrew's Restaurant, Club de Golf Ifach, Benissa at 16:00 for 16:30 start. You must be a 2022 member to vote at the AGM so you must have renewed your membership beforehand, see 2022 Membership Renewal section below. There will be no provision to renew at the meeting

The convening notice has been published on the 2022 Annual General Meeting page in the Member Area of the website: <https://marinaaltacc.com/member-area/2022-annual-general-meeting/>. The direct link is here: <https://marinaaltacc.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/MACCC-AGM-January-2022-convening-notice.pdf>.

After the formal meeting there is an optional meal, which will start at approximately 19:00. More information will follow in the January 2022 news flash but you can also find information in the Events Calendar section of the Member Area of the website: <https://marinaaltacc.com/member-area/events-calendar/2022-annual-general-meeting/>.

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## 2022 Calendar is now available



The 2022 calendar has been printed and will be available at the Merchandise table at the December Ace Café. 10€ each.

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## COVID-19 has not gone away!!! – carry your vaccination certificate and a photo identity card with you



Please also now carry proof of your vaccinations when visiting a bar or restaurant whilst at a MACCC meeting or rally, either as a saved file on your phone or printed out on paper. Restaurants with a capacity of 50 or larger must legally scan the QR code on your vaccination certificate (passport) but any restaurant/bar can ask to do so if they so wish. El Campo has informed us that they will be scanning your certificate before allowing entry. These are the new rules. Please don't take it out on the restaurant or the club.

You should also carry a photo identity card; your TIE card, driving licence or passport, because this could be checked at the same time as scanning your certificate as proof that the certificate is yours.

So, Covid-19 has not gone away, and we would like to remind you to wear your facemask when walking between tables or going to the toilet or bar. Please respect the views of others and protect both yourself and your fellow members by following the Covid-19 restriction guidelines and wear your mask whenever you are not eating or drinking.

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## 2022 Membership Renewal

It is now time to renew your membership for 2022. **You must renew online**, not at an Ace Café.

The club needs to maintain up-to-date information and annual renewal seems a good time to do it. Earlier in the year you were all kind enough to confirm your cars and now, especially, we need information about your emergency contact. This information is missing for a lot of members and, for other members, the contact is someone who is likely to be in the car on a rally with you and could, therefore, be involved in an accident with you. Obviously, the club needs details of someone that is unlikely to be in the car with you at that time. You should amass this information before logging in.

**To renew, please follow these instructions :**

1. Log into the Members Area using Username **maccmembers** and Password **acecafe**.
2. Select '2022 Membership Renewal' in the Member Area drop-down.
3. Log into the renewal process using your email address and your membership number.
4. The details we hold about you are presented in the form.
5. Check everything and over-key anything that needs updating.
6. When you're satisfied, press the 'Renew Membership' button. The form will not proceed if you have missed any of the mandatory information.
7. Now, take note of the club bank details and pay the renewal fee online directly into the club bank account.

**Please pay online.** The committee prefer not to accept cash payments.

The renewal period ends on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022, after which you will need to reapply if you wish to re-join. If you wish to vote at the 2022 AGM on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2022 you will need to have renewed before then.

Please note, in accordance with current data protection practice, this is/will be the only personal data the club holds about you. We will no longer hold your home address or NIE/Passport number. If/when you attend one of the larger rallies (Spring Gallop and/or Annual Rally) where we have overnight stays in hotels, the organiser will ask for any required additional information at that time.

For those of you that have renewed, thank you, and you can now collect your 2022 membership card from the Merchandise table.

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## Our donation to Project-4-All



Peter Alt and Richard Rihan presented the 170€ donation and the surplus clothing to Project-4-All, a charity in Benitachell that feeds the homeless, 2 weeks ago. Project-4-all was extremely thankful and followed up with this email:

*“Dear Peter, I would like to thank you and, of course, the entire Marina Alta Classic Car Club for your great donation and support for our Project. It was my pleasure to meet you and I hope you have had the same experience. If you want to come by again, feel free to drop by. Sincerely, A Soeten”*

For more information about the charity, see their website: <https://www.project4all.org/>

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## Charity nominations for 2022

We are now requesting nominations for the charity we will support in 2022.

The committee have discussed the type of charity we should support and, bearing in mind the many human tragedies currently in the world, the committee feel that we should be supporting a human-related charity next year.

Please send your nomination to the Secretary, Trevor Kirkham, using [trevor.kirkham@marinaaltacc.com](mailto:trevor.kirkham@marinaaltacc.com). You have until the AGM, 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2022. The lucky charity will be picked from the hat at the AGM.

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## Merry Christmas!



Just in case we don't see you at the Ace Café or Xmas Hat Rally, the committee wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

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