

Recommended Garage and Services

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Country	County/Town	Company	Website	Telephone	Services	Notes -
England	Exeter, Devon	Southwest Splitz	https://www.southwestsplitz.com/	01392 834987	Servicing, restoration etc.	Recommended by Bill Gash, owner Ian
England	Moreton, Dorchester, Dorset	Beetle Magic	https://www.facebook.com/Beetle-Magic-136119364190950	01305 852338	Servicing, restoration etc.	Recommended by Steve Custance
England	Wareham, Dorset	Kombiklassics	http://www.kombiklassics.co.uk/	01929 553336	Servicing, restoration etc.	recommended by Simon Amos
England	Carlisle, Cumbria	Transmission Classics	https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100033841882573	07878076516	Retrimming / upholstery	Owned by member Jon Hunt
England	Burwell, Cambridgeshire	Type 2 Detectives	https://type2detectives.com/	01638 743211	Servicing, restoration etc.	Recommend their Service Boot Camp (Guy)
England	Newquay, Cornwall	Nigel Allen & Son	https://www.facebook.com/Nigelallenvw/	01637 880301	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Bromsgrove, Worcestershire	Bromsgrove Trim Shop	http://www.bromsgrovetrimshop.co.uk/	01527 576643	Retrimming / upholstery	Was previous called Bromsgrove Auto Trim (BAT)
England	London	Jack's Garage	https://www.jacksgarage.co.uk/	020 7243 8926	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Oxfordshire	G and M Auto Repairs	https://gandmautorepairs.co.uk/	01608642655	Classic VW specialist and MOT	Recommended by Francis Coates
England	Forest Green, Dorking, Surrey	Classic VW Repairs	http://classicvwrepairs.com/	01306 621079	Servicing, mechanical	
England	Godalming, Surrey	Aircooled Technic	http://www.aircooledtechnic.co.uk/	07970 540757	Servicing, restoration etc.	Owner Pete Nice - very helpful!
England	Badshot Lea, Surrey	Beetlelink	https://www.beetlelink.co.uk/	01252 326 767	Servicing, restoration etc.	Recommended by Charles Allie
England	Chessington, Surrey	R3 Garage Services	https://www.r3garageservices.co.uk/	020 8397 8008	Servicing, restoration etc.	Recommended by David Palmer, Guy Hartley
England	Bisley, Surrey	E's Autos	https://www.esautos.co.uk/	07879 425577	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Penshurst, Kent	V Works	https://www.vworks.co.uk/	01892 270515, 07901917734	Servicing, restoration etc.	Owner Sam Jeffrey - runs Air Style Magazine & Volksweald
England	Medway, Kent	Paul's Van Works	https://www.facebook.com/paulsvanworks/	01634 232200	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Keaton, Kent	VW Engine Company	https://www.thewinningenginecompany.com/	0208 692 3336	Engine rebuilds, packages, servicing	
England	Orpington, Kent	13 Stitches	https://www.facebook.com/13Stitchesupholstery/	07913 112074	Retrimming / upholstery	Owner - Stephenn Thinkettle
England	Yalding, Maidstone, Kent	Orchard View Garage	http://www.orchardviewgarage.com/	01622 814204	Repairs, Servicing and MOT's	
England	Welling, Kent	VeeDub Performance	http://www.veedubperformance.co.uk/	020 8317 2973	Servicing, restoration etc.	Recommended by Matt White
England	Billericay, Essex	Precious Metal	http://www.preciousmetaluk.com/	07985 397614	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Tolleshunt Major, Essex	Spikes Vintage Restoration	https://spikesvintagerestoration.com/	01621 929704	Restoration services, paintshop	Owner - Andy Finch
England	Roydon, Essex	Bugmad Customs	http://bugmadcustoms.com/	07960 331709	Repairs, Servicing and Restoration	Recommended by Paul Stratton
England	St Leonards on Sea, East Sussex	Californian Classics	https://www.californianclassics.co.uk/	01424 752217	Restoration, parts etc.	
England	Ninfield, East-Sussex	Precision Panel Craft	https://www.precisionpanelcraft.co.uk/	01424 483844	Restoration services, paintshop	Owner Dan Sweetman, recommended by Jason Woodford and Paul McCleary
England	Etchingam, East Sussex	Sussex Aircooled VW specialists	http://www.sussexaircooled.co.uk/	01580 857686	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Angmering, West Sussex	Doug's VW-Werks	https://www.facebook.com/dougalwerk/	07847 391053	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Small Dole, West Sussex	Kustom Revival.	https://www.kustomrevival.com/	01273 493375	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Castle Donnington, Derbyshire	Absolute VW	http://absolutevw.co.uk/	01332 814448	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Wymondley, Leicestershire	Johnson Autoworks	https://www.johnsonautoworks.com/	01509 889 552	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Leicester, Leicestershire	P & D Motors	https://www.facebook.com/P-D-Motors-138732639543565/	0116 262 3360	Servicing, paintshop	
England	Salford, Greater Manchester	MAC VW Manchester	https://www.facebook.com/ManchesterAircooled/	0161 8669922	Servicing for Type 1 / 3's	Nation-wide services for new looms and electrical fault finding - owner Iain Burns
England	Wigan, Greater Manchester	Aircooled Technic	https://www.aircooledtechnic.com/	07426 896907	Electrical troubleshooting / Looms	
England	Curridge, Hampshire	SSS Aircooled	http://sssaircooled.co.uk/	01489 896488	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Winchester, Hampshire	Pil Lane Garage	http://www.pillane.co.uk/	01628 389 555	Servicing, restoration etc.	Great classic car knowledge, recommended by Paul Leyton
England	Winchester, Hampshire	Winchester Autobarn	https://www.winchesterautobarn.com/	01682 677776	Servicing, MOT's	Recommended by Paul Leyton
England	Mobile, Hampshire	JVS Auto Electrical	http://jvsautoelectrical.co.uk/	07789 638777	Electrical troubleshooting	
England	Great Offley, Hertfordshire	Classic Car Revivals	http://classiccarrevivals.co.uk/	01482 669 833	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Downham Market, Norfolk	Dubs and Classics	http://www.dubsandclassics.com/	0779 4201816	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Swaffham, Norfolk	Mid Norfolk Car Company	http://www.mn-aircooled.co.uk/	01760 720088	Servicing, restoration etc.	Owner Paul, recommended by Lee Green
England	Shrewsbury, Shropshire	Border Restoration	https://www.borderrestoration.co.uk/	01743 884655, 07870 80807	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Wern, Shropshire	Creative Coachworks	https://www.creativecoachworks.co.uk/	01939 235 707	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Dunston, Staffordshire	Retro Restoration	http://www.retro-resto.co.uk/	01785 711004	Servicing, restoration etc.	Comprehensive restoration services
England	Street, Somerset	Arnie Levics LTD	http://www.arnielevics.com/	01458 442 707	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Wellington, Somerset	South Street Motors ACR	https://www.facebook.com/southstreetmotorsacr/	01823 664883	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Portishead, Bristol, Somerset	John's Trim Shop	https://www.facebook.com/JohnsTrimshopPortishead/	0752 1444728	Retrimming / upholstery	Owner John MC club member
England	Mildenhall, Suffolk	Balls'd	http://www.ballsd.co.uk/	01638 715 149	Servicing, custom suspension modification	Matt Balls
England	Kenilworth, Warwickshire	VolksHaus	https://m.facebook.com/thevolkshaus/	07980 659610	Servicing, restoration etc.	
England	Rugby (Kilby), Warwickshire	Central Valley Restorations	https://www.facebook.com/centralvalleyrestoration/	07867 541099	Servicing, restoration etc.	Restored many Ghia's
England	West Midlands, Oldbury	Volksmagic	https://www.volksmagic.com/	0121 541 2278	Servicing, mechanical, fabrication	
England	Wellingborough, Northamptonshire	N2 Engineering	https://n2engineering.co.uk/contact-style-1/	07840 959953	Gearbox and Steering Box Specialist	Richard Holmewood
England	Wellingborough, Northamptonshire	DG Motor Services	https://dgmotorservices.co.uk/	01933 227777	Repairs, Servicing and MOT's	
Wales	Monmouthshire	Wye Valley Classics	https://www.wyevallclassics.co.uk/	07545 411792	Servicing, restoration etc.	
Wales	Cardiff	Volks Engineering	https://www.facebook.com/VolksEngineering/	07708 962694	Servicing, restoration etc.	Recommended by Matthew Dunscombe
Wales	Cardiff	Body & Soul Autoworks	https://www.bodyandsoulautoworks.com/	029 2045582	Servicing, restoration etc.	Recommended by Matthew Dunscombe
Wales	Haverfordwest	Vclub Works	https://vclub.works/	01437 762310	Servicing, restoration etc.	
Scotland	Kilmarnock	Autobarn	https://www.facebook.com/dawie.jack.90		TBC	recommended by Stephen Thomson

Recommendations:

Looking after your car properly is vital. Your wellbeing (and perhaps life) depends on it – as does the safety of your passengers, fellow road-users and even pedestrians. Yet all too often, our main concern is how we can get our car fixed as cheaply and conveniently as possible. As part of your club membership we invite all of our members to share both good and bad experiences with the club, so that we can pass this knowledge onto all of our members in the same way that you would recommend services to family or friends. If there is someone you'd like to recommend to our members then contact gary on london-se@kgoc-gb.org

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