

Motorcaravanabout



Bob Edwards (right) provides champagne for Mr and Mrs Stafford who travelled 150 miles to buy an Autocruiser.



The new Diamond Elite aroused great interest.

There was an excellent selection of pre-owned British coachbuilt units including VW Hilton Motorhomes, Glendales, Advanturas and Travelhomes, plus many used motorcaravans.

The backdrop to the whole show was, of course, the American Motorhomes from Travel Cruiser. Over 30 American 'A' and 'C' class units were on display, new and used, with prices from £6000 to £35000.

Various layouts are available.

With 150 units to see, the show was certainly worth travelling for. Some visitors came from Devon, Kent, Fleetwood and Northern Ireland.

Tuggers now motorcaravanners

Looking forward to wintering in the sun in their new Mercedes Navajo were Mr & Mrs W A P (Pat) Miles, well known members of the International Caravanning Association.

They are seen here taking delivery of their third motorcaravan bought from Godfrey Davis Caravans, Epping, in the last 18 months.

After many years of owning touring caravans they, somewhat hesitantly, made the switch to motorcaravans in Spring 1982 by buying a used Bedford

coachbuilt Autosleeper (CB22). They were so pleased with this purchase that two months later they bought a new SV100 which has taken them on various International rallies to France, Germany and Switzerland.

Now they are the proud owners of a diesel Mercedes Navajo - the latest 2-berth streamlined coachbuilt model from the successful Auto-Trail Chieftan range.

Hayes at home

Spring show time is round again and Hayes (Leisure) Ltd of Darlaston are holding theirs on the week-end of March 24th/25th. New motorcaravans by Auto-Sleeper, Autohomes, GT Motorised, Auto Trail and Executive will be on display and will be based on Bedford, Volkswagen, Mercedes, Talbot, Sherpa and Renault vehicles.

In addition, there will be a good selection of low mileage, privately owned used vehicles.

Hayes Leisure offer a full after sales service and their new workshop will be open for inspection.

All motorcaravanners and future motorcaravanners are assured of a warm welcome from this family owned

and run business. Opening times are 10am to 6pm on Saturday, March 24th and 11am to 5pm on Sunday, March 25th. Further details from Hayes (Leisure) Ltd, Walsall Road, Darlaston WS10 9SS. Tel: (021) 526 3433.

Long term investment

Diamond RV announce the first ever comprehensive long term after-sales cover scheme for a motorcaravan, it is claimed.

Called 'The Diamond Owners' Protection Plan', it is operated jointly through VAG Aftercare and Diamond RV. The scheme covers all major mechanical and camper parts for the first three years of the vehicle's life and is offered as a standard option on all new Diamond motorcaravans purchased from 1st January, 1984.

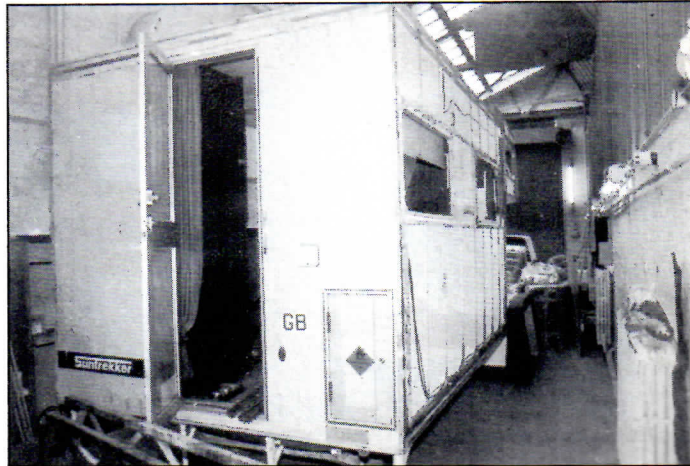
Repairs in Watford

Spotted during a tour of Walkers extensive premises in Watford was this sad looking old Suntrekker dismantable which had suffered considerable accident damage.

Walkers have the facilities to carry out major repairs to Suntrekker bodies.



Mr and Mrs Miles take delivery of their new Mercedes diesel Navajo.



Suntrekker body, de-skinned and undergoing a rebuild.