

Press Release

Get in, drive off, enjoy: Vintage Tours invites women on classic car journeys through Portugal

Kempton, 5 February 2026 – Classic car travel today is far more than a passion for connoisseurs: it is a form of stylish travel – mindful, unhurried and full of emotion. With “Vintage Tours for Ladies”, Vintage Tours presents an exclusive travel format designed specifically for women. At its heart are pure driving pleasure in a classic MGA Roadster, carefully curated moments of indulgence and the beauty of Portugal – crafted as a travel experience that leaves room for freedom, ease and genuine relaxation.

Participants travel as an all-female group – “among themselves” – and set the pace of the journey on their own terms. The focus is not solely on sporty driving or clocking up miles, but on what makes travelling in a classic car so special: landscapes you can truly feel, places rich in history, authentic encounters – and a daily itinerary deliberately designed to celebrate arrival as much as the journey itself.

Indulgence instead of haste – travelling with style and time

Vintage Tours for Ladies combines the original driving experience of classic MGA Roadsters with a premium travel concept. Selected hotels offer participants atmospheric retreats after each day’s stage – with comfort, tranquillity and enjoyment. The itinerary is designed so that beyond the driving stages there is ample time to truly experience the hotels and their surroundings: a glass of wine on the terrace, dinner in a special setting, a morning without haste.

A matter of the heart – by women, for women

The format was initiated by Valeska Haux, co-founder of Vintage Tours. For her, “Vintage Tours for Ladies” is more than an offer – it is a personal passion project. “I understand the needs of women behind the wheel – and I know how important it is to travel in a relaxed setting: without pressure, without competition, and without the feeling that you have to prove yourself. With Vintage Tours for Ladies, I want to offer women a journey that allows them to experience Portugal’s beauty in a classic car in a truly conscious way – with ease, style and plenty of time to enjoy,” says Haux.

The quality of the experience does not end on the road: “For me, the perfect classic car journey also includes a place where you truly arrive after each stage. That is why, over the

past years, we have built an extensive network in hospitality and gastronomy. Our guests should not simply stay overnight – they should relax, enjoy and feel completely at ease.”

Also ideal for beginners – uncomplicated, charming, authentic

Vintage Tours for Ladies is designed not only for classic car enthusiasts, but also for women who are approaching the world of classic cars for the first time. The classic MGA Roadsters are wonderfully uncomplicated, convey an original and direct driving feel, and are therefore the perfect introduction to the world of classic automobiles: open, charming and full of character.

Whether as a journey with a group of friends treating themselves to something special, or for women travelling on their own who wish to enjoy a break among like-minded travellers – Vintage Tours creates an environment in which a trip becomes an experience.

Four regions – four facets of Portugal

The programme includes Vintage Tours for Ladies in the regions of Northern Portugal, the Douro Valley, the Alentejo and Central Portugal. Each route has its own character and carefully curated highlights:

- Northern Portugal reveals itself as authentic, green and rich in culture: historic cities, traditional architecture, quiet natural scenery and genuine encounters make this region a journey into elegant, unspoilt Portugal.
- The Douro Valley stands for iconic landscapes: winding panoramic roads along the vineyards, the shimmering bends of the Douro River and indulgent stops at selected venues – a route for all the senses, shaped by wine, wide horizons and light.
- The Alentejo is the essence of slow travel: gentle hills, cork oak groves, timeless towns and a tranquillity that redefines luxury. Here, being on the road becomes the art of enjoyment.
- The Center of Portugal combines culture and nature into a particularly diverse travel experience: charming towns, historic settings and impressive landscapes form the backdrop for relaxed day stages and stylish moments of indulgence.

What all tours share: alongside the driving experience, local people and culture, culinary highlights and excellent hospitality are always at the centre – with the ambition that every stage is not just a drive, but an experience.

With “Vintage Tours for Ladies”, Vintage Tours offers a travel experience that combines freedom, style and shared discovery – showcasing Portugal, one of Europe’s most authentic and diverse countries, from a truly special perspective.

All dates and detailed information about Vintage Tours for Ladies can be found on the Vintage Tours website at www.vintage-tours.com.



About Vintage Tours

Vintage Tours organises exclusive classic car tours in Portugal and neighbouring regions in Spain. We combine our passion for Portugal and classic cars with our great affinity for high-class hotels and gastronomy. With our programme, we enable classic car enthusiasts as well as lovers of exclusive tours to experience the most beautiful regions of Portugal and the Iberian Peninsula in a classic car. For this purpose, we offer our own fleet of perfectly maintained MGA Roadsters, combining driving pleasure and elegance.

With Vintage Tours, you can immerse yourself in the most beautiful landscapes and the rich culture of one of Europe's most unspoilt regions.

Many kilometres of driving go into Vintage Tours' trips, as all road trips are prepared with great attention to detail and leave nothing to be desired.

Vintage Tours - classic car tours with style.

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