

Dear C6 members,

First of all, we wish you a very prosperous and healthy 2019

Since our last meeting at Ypres, we have been busy to plan and organise the events for 2019.

Time to inform you about this. But also enclosed an extended travel report by **Ruud van Beemdelust** about our successful meeting at Ypres. Thank you Ruud for the great work!

May we ask your attention for the following topics, related to our C6, that worries us and could jeopardize the pre-existence of our beloved car.

Spare parts

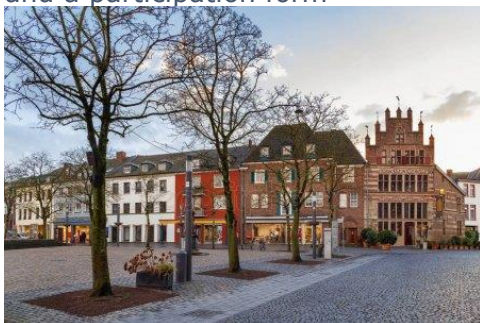
We are concerned about the messages we receive about the availability of spare parts. Not specifically C6 spare parts but just the ordinary parts who should be obtainable from any garage at any time. Stories about repair times of 6 weeks or more, due to the lack of parts are no exception. The board has taken the initiative to see whether improvements can be made in collaboration with the English and French C6 clubs by addressing Citroën. We will keep you informed.

Maintenance and repair

In the Dutch version of this letter we emphasised again the importance of maintenance and repair by C6 specialists, as we are still receiving messages from C6 owners who had their C6 maintained at random garage's with severe consequences and high costs. This is mainly a call for Belgium and the Netherlands but we know that a lot of German owners are customers of several Dutch specialists as well. You will find their locations at our website. If you have any good experience with repair shops in Germany or Belgium please let us know

Events 2019

Our first activity will be in spring in the weekend 13-14 of April with a ride along the border area between the Netherlands and Germany. Enclosed you will find an invitation and a participation form



Citromobile 2019

The first weekend of May, we are also attending Citromobile This year is the 25th anniversary of this event. How this will be celebrated is up to the Citromobile organisation

We will inform you about it shortly.



International meeting 2019" The Loire revisited"

Mieke Pekema and Willem Wayenberg have offered to organise for the second time the International meeting in the area where they live the major part of the year. They are co-owners of Château de la Roche Hué in France, situated in the area between Loir and Loire just outside the nice village of Le Cheviré en Rouge. The area is known for their castles, abbeys, wineries, museums and agricultural activities. The board welcomes this offer. Specifically, because there are so many places worth seeing we could not visit in 2015.! The meeting will be held in September 11-15. As soon as we have more information, we will inform you.



Technical meeting 2019

Obviously, we will organise again a technical meeting at the end of the year. We will inform you accordingly as plans are made.



These are the events the board will organise and facilitate in collaboration with a number of volunteers. But the year is not fully booked! So, if you have a nice idea for an event a ride or whatever, do not hesitate to call on us. We welcome every idea big or small with full co-operation and support.

On behalf of the board,

Yours sincerely,

Timo Hoven

chairman

