



## **PRESS RELEASE: National Transport Trust Awards 2025**

### **Rob Broadhurst wins Highly Commended award for his Project Getaway Resoration App and 1966 Jaguar Mk2**

Rob Broadhurst of Worcester has won a Highly Commended Award at the 2025 National Transport Trust Awards for his innovative development of a digital restoration platform — known as Project Getaway — and its application through the restoration of a 1966 Jaguar Mk2 3.8.



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NTT Awards Director Paul Brooks comments, "Rob's project stood out for its originality, its embrace of digital tools, and its potential to support and modernise the entire heritage vehicle restoration community." Rather than simply documenting his Jaguar's rebuild through traditional means, Rob has created a structured, interactive platform to catalogue every step of the process — from disassembly and inspection, through to refurbishment and reassembly. The app allows restorers to assign condition grades, set task priorities, track supplier orders, and monitor time, cost, and effort.

"What makes this particularly impressive is that the Jaguar Mk2 project has served as a real-world testbed for the system. As the app evolves, so too has the car — a 3.8 manual with overdrive, complete with its original Surrey registration. Rob has used the system to manage restoration phases, record work with photo evidence, and assess component condition — with the goal of developing a tool that others can adopt, customise, and expand." With decades of experience in both restoration and software development, Rob has created something unique: a system that blends craft and code, and which could help streamline complex projects, avoid errors, and preserve knowledge for future enthusiasts. Project Getaway is still evolving — but its potential is clear. As more restorers digitise their workflows, this platform could become a cornerstone for planning, collaboration, and education in the preservation world.

"We commend Rob not only for his personal project, but for his foresight and contribution to the future of restoration. For this, he receives a Highly Commended recognition from the National Transport Trust."

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