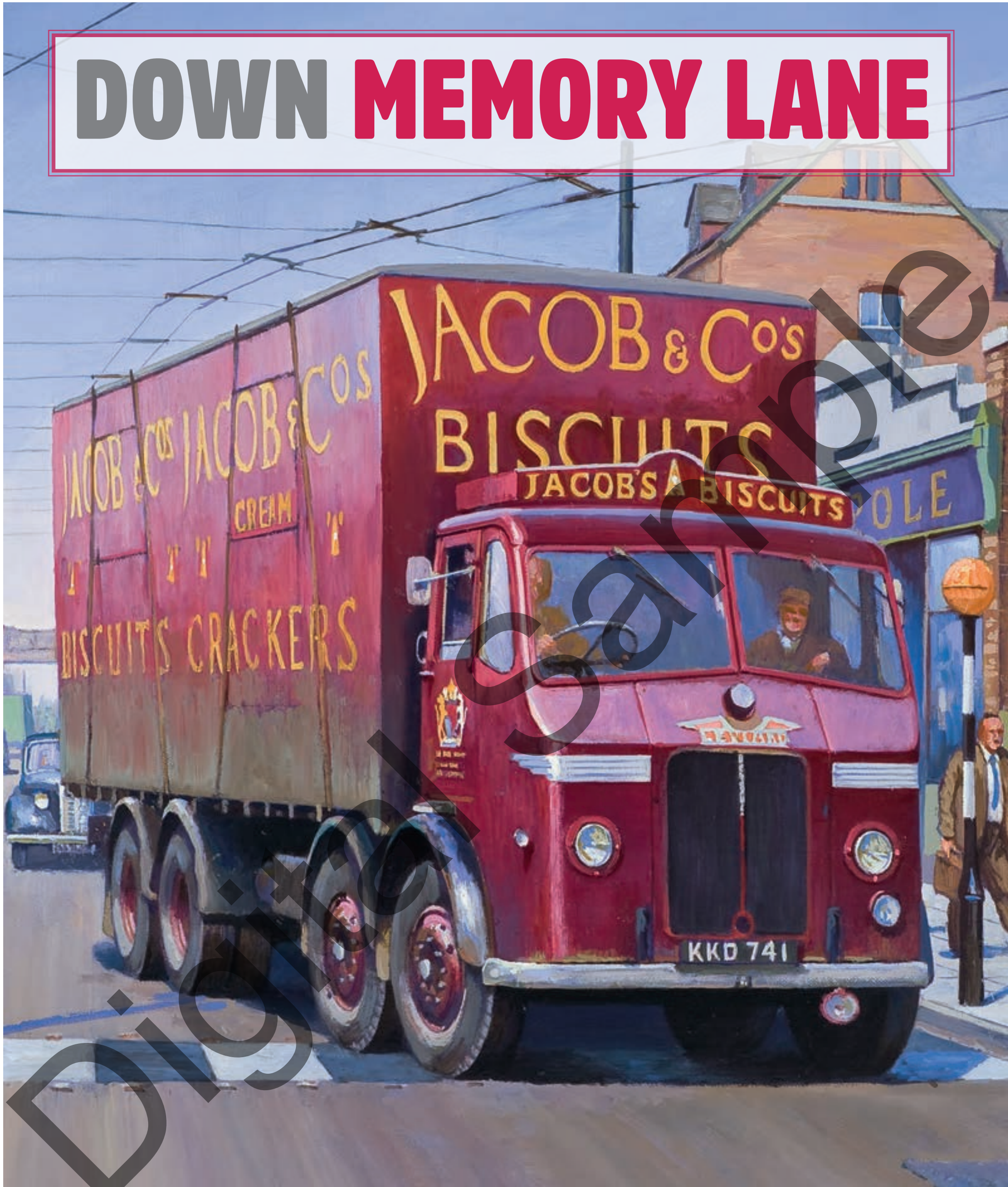


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JANUARY 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
			1	<i>New Year's Day</i>	2	<i>Bank Holiday (Scotland)</i>
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

THE CAT & FIDDLE
 At dawn on the Turnpike Road between Macclesfield and Buxton, an ERF EC 11 Tipper, built in the 1990s. These were among the last lorries manufactured by UK company ERF, at Sandbach. In the background is The Cat & Fiddle Inn, a former public house and the second highest in England, at 1,689ft above sea level.

DECEMBER 2025

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

FEBRUARY 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
						1
2	<i>Bank Holiday (Eire)</i>	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

MARCH 2026

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
30	31					1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

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MARCH 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
30	31					1 <small>St David's Day (Wales)</small>
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 <small>St Patrick's Day (BH N Ireland /Eire)</small>	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29 <small>British Summertime starts</small>

JACOB'S LEYLAND
 Before its merger with the car giant BMC, the name Leyland had an excellent reputation for well-engineered products and this 1949 22.0/1 eight-wheeler Octopus of Jacob's Biscuits typified the marque. This vehicle carried 3,000 tins of biscuits from Liverpool to London.

FEBRUARY 2026

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	

APRIL 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
		1	2	3 <small>Good Friday</small>	4	5
6 <small>Easter Monday</small>	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23 <small>St George's Day (England)</small>	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

MAY 2026

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

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MAY 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
				1	2	3
4	5 <i>Bank Holiday</i>	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 <i>Bank Holiday</i>	27	28	29	30	31

WHEEL CHANGE
 A Commer four-wheeler has pulled up, with an ERF behind. One driver is guiding the traffic through, in this case a Ford Prefect car. A bit of wood or a seat from the cab of the lorry would often be leant up against the back to warn other drivers that the vehicle had broken down.

APRIL 2026

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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

JUNE 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1	2 <i>Bank Holiday (Eire)</i>	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21 <i>Longest Day</i>
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

JULY 2026

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

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JULY 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13 <small>Bank Holiday (N Ireland)</small>	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

BRECON COUNTY
 Drivers from the Swansea area would travel via the Swansea Valley, pre-motorway days, to join the A40 at Sennybridge, carrying tin plate loads for the Midlands and North of England. Here we have three AEC Mammoth Major eight-wheeled steel waggon, a Mk V, a Mk III and a 'Tin Front' taking up the rear.

JUNE 2026

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22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

AUGUST 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
31 <small>Bank Holiday (Excl Scotland)</small>					1	2
3 <small>Bank Holiday (Scotland & Eire)</small>	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

SEPTEMBER 2026

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

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SEPTEMBER 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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28	29	30				

THIRSTY WORK
 This Seddon Atkinson 401 artic of the Scottish haulage company C. & G. Brewster from Forfar, is delivering a load of malted barley to Batham's Delph Brewery, behind 'The Vine' pub in Brierley Hill, West Midlands. Nothing like hand-balling a fully loaded 40-foot trailer single-handedly, to get the blood circulating.

AUGUST 2026

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
31					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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24	25	26	27	28	29	30

OCTOBER 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

NOVEMBER 2026

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
30						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

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British Summertime ends



NOVEMBER 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
30 <small>St Andrew's Day (Scotland)</small>						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
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VOLVO F12
 This smart 1980 Volvo F12 tipper put in many years of reliable service in the Belfast area and is seen here after being loaded at a demolition site. As well as capturing the maximum-weight artic market, Volvo also came to take a sizeable percentage of the eight-wheeler tipper sector.

OCTOBER 2026

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DECEMBER 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21 <small>Shortest Day</small>	22	23	24	25 <small>Christmas Day</small>	26 <small>Boxing Day</small>	27
28 <small>Bank Holiday</small>	29	30	31			

JANUARY 2027

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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