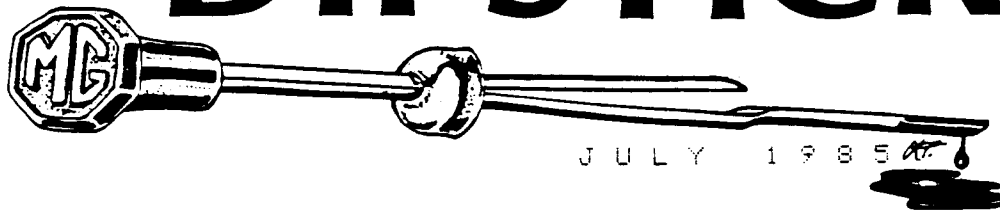


THE DIPSTICK



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FROM OLE 6402

Welcome to Summer!!

Thanks go to Mary and Ina Cantin for hosting the June meeting and to Stevie and Hank Giffin for hosting the May meeting. Meetings are so well attended, maybe we should hold them more often.....

Pool Party on the 20th (Ed. note: July 20th will set a new record for lowest temperature of the summer). Notify Mel or Judy Baker by the 18th if you plan to attend, and we all plan to attend, right??

See ya at the Perino's on the 2nd.

Vince

PUBLICATION OF AMENDMENT TO BY-LAWS

ARTICLE XIII

PRESIDENT'S AWARD

Annually at the end of his/her tenure, the outgoing President will award a plaque consisting of the prototype Tidewater MG 'T' Classics badge to the member(s) who participates in the most club events driving an MG 'T', MG 'Y', or vintage MG. This will be called the President's Award, and can not be awarded to the same member(s) consecutively. Its purpose is to encourage members to drive their older MG's to events.

Call Richard Hill 412-2811 if you are interested in participating in the Tidewater Antique Car Club show at Virginia Wesleyan College Campus on Saturday August 3. Registration is \$7 in advance and \$10 at the gate. There will be a flea market.

JUNE MINUTES

The June meeting was held at the home of Ina & Mary Cantin. The attendees were: Vince & Pam Groover, Ina & Mary Cantin, Mel & Dick Baker, Andy, Joan, & Jenny Wallace, John, Barbara, Fran, & Brenda, & Mike, Ed, & Jennifer & Lisa Head, Patrick Westerson, Chris Holcomb, Peggy Bradford, Ed Hessard, Robert Davis, Ray, Tony Perino, Robin Rapneel, and Hank Giffin. Robin and Patrick were this month's guests.

Elaine is still vacationing so there was no treasurer's report. Robert gave a spares report of having front end bushings for A, B, & TD autos. Chris Holcomb was present for a regalia report. Chris still has a few of the old type T shirts which was modelled by Mike Ash (although not all have that notable pear-shape). Chris also has summer ski caps, designer tote bags which Vince modelled as a unisex purse. Jennifer gave the activities report which included the drive-out to Fredericksburg June 15 & 16. The July meeting will be at Barban & Tony Perino's. The Pool Party will be July 28 at the Baker's home. The August meeting will be at the Barvard's home. The August event is the auction & picnic feast at Tom Lund's home. Mike is looking for items for the auction. Mike is also working on the activities survey.

Jennifer also gave a membership report. Dues and renewal forms are due in June (but since the forms are not getting mailed until this newsletter, they will be due in July, Ed. note). Dues are \$18 for in-town members, \$6 for out-of-town members. Hank owes \$16 since he has both in-town & out-of-town memberships.

The newsletter deadline is June 19. Under old business, Hank reported on his proposal to change the by-laws to include the President's award. This proposal will be printed in the newsletter according to the by-laws.

Under new business, there ^{may} be a pool party, call-around for participation. Call Judy by July 18 concerning details. BRING CHAIRS! Andy is out of the DD business and anticipates getting his car on the road.

Under T time, Vince is restoring his TD and said he wants help. Mike is restoring a Roadster. The TEch Session at the Barvard's last month was very productive. Mel's car drove much better after working on it. (See report on tech session elsewhere).

Pat Beuter

U P C O M I N G E V E N T S :

- July 2 Tuesday - Meeting at the Perino's
7:30 p.m. - Kick types.
8:00 p.m. - Business meeting followed by
 refreshments
- July 20 Saturday Pool Party at the Barone's
Call Judy or Mel by the 18th - 486-2425
See details later in newsletter **-3pm**
- August 3 Saturday - Tidewater Antique Car Club
Car Show at Va. Wesleyan Campus
Call Richard Hall - 482-2821 for
Registration forms and more details
- August 7 Wednesday - meeting at the Barvard's
- August 18 Saturday - New London British Car Show
Registration form in this newsletter
or available from Vince Groover
- August 24 Saturday - Crab feast and auction at
the Lund's on Willoughby
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N O T E : Deadline for A U G U S T newsletter is July 24

F O R S A L E

1977 MGB - Green Imron paint (never-wax) - \$2950.
New top and tonneau. Good Michelin tires.
Weber Carb. AM-FM Radio with 8 track cassette.

Call Jim Barvard, 848-6737 after 6p.m. and weekends.

REPORT ON JUNE TECH SESSION

When I returned from church, Mel Baker's TD was up on Jack-stands in the garage, Hank Giffin's TD was up on the jack, and Frank Slaby's TD was innocently sitting in the driveway. Tony Perino's B was parked across the street with hood up and Vince's GT was standing guard. Our TF and 2 GT's were out in the street. The Dartin had driven his Audi bringing an inoperative TD home. Add. Wallach drove his Porsche (on which I hung a British Car Club sign) and Robert came with his Negretti.

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tech session contd

What started as an attempt to do something about Mel's clutch linkage ended up as a complete front end rebuild with a recommendation to do a clutch overhaul sometime in the next off-season. At one point I thought we were going to have a 3rd TD resident at our house, however, between Robert's and Jim's spare parts lockers, enough parts were found to put it back together and Mel drove off in it - a much safer member of the night madhouse.

The only near catastrophe was when Mel started to get in Andy's Porsche with nothing between his greasy back and Andy's velvet seats. We quickly found a reasonably clean, old bedspread that he could sit on so that they could get the parts from Robert's house.

Frank had brought his TD over for diagnosis of strange noise, which our local experts concluded was a rod knock. Another engine rebuild in the offing.

Don and Jim got the TD horn working. Hank got his TD's brakes bled, and Tony got his failing backup lights problem in his 3 identified but not fixed. It was a successful day.

Erinda



Congratulations!



Ana Strasser and

Bill Graner married June 15

Best wishes from all your friends
in the club.

POOL PARTY!

At: Mel & Judy Baker's (see map)

on: Sat. July 20th

Time: 3 pm

★ Bring: Chairs - swimsuit -
snacks or covered dish -
lawn games.

Do: Let Judy know how many in
your party, and what you're
bringing - by the 18th.

New London

British Car Day



Largest Gathering of British Cars in Virginia!
FEATURING: British Car Display, Flea Market, Good Times
Sponsored By: British Sports Car Club of Virginia

Sunday August 18, 1985
(Rain Date August 25, 1985)

Judging Begins at Noon
Field Opens 9:30 am

At
Historic
New London,
Virginia

All BRITISH BUILT cars welcome. Parts Vendors and Flea Market Dealers are also welcome. Dash plaque guaranteed for all Preregistered cars. Every car will be placed in a class for award purposes. Judging done by car owners and adult spectators. (POPULAR VOTE)

AWARDS: One award for each marque or series with at least 3 cars Preregistered.
Two awards with 6 Preregistered cars.
Three awards with 9 Preregistered cars. PREREGISTRATION IS IMPORTANT !!!

Food and beverages will be sold. Shaded picnic areas. Inside facilities.

Vendor Market Space: \$10.00 Preregistered or \$15.00 at gate.

Advertisers send us your inserts and we'll put them in the packets - \$10.00.

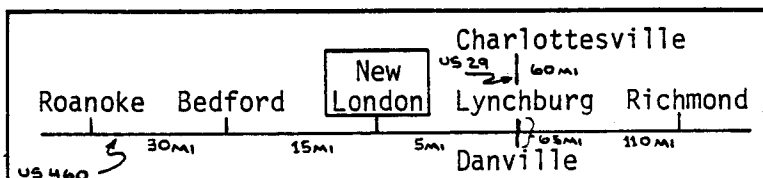
Motel accommodations and car wash nearby.

Preregistered entries received before August 9 - \$6.00 At gate - \$8.00.

Spectator admission: \$1.00 adult.
Under 12 years: Free.

Awards presented at 3:45 pm.

NO SOLICITATION PERMITTED AT SHOW!



Mail Registration To:

Emily Helms
16 Belmont Place
Lynchburg, VA 24502

For Information Call:

MG Matters (8am-5pm DST) 703-586-0757
Steve (6-9pm DST) 703-951-0365
Richard (6-9pm DST) 703-389-2219

Mail by August 9

Make checks payable to:
BSCCOV

Name (owner) _____ Phone # day _____ evening _____
Street _____ City _____ State _____ zip _____
Make of Car _____ Series/Model _____ Year _____
Club Affiliation _____ (Please make separate form for each car.)

Waiver of Liability - MUST be signed to enter show:

Neither I nor my heirs will hold the British Sports Car Club of Virginia (BSCCOV) liable for any damage or injury done to me or my car while engaged in or travelling to or from this event

Signature _____

Check one: _____ original _____ restored _____ refurbished _____ to be done one day

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