



Little Classical Gas

Monthly Newsletter of Canadian XK Jaguar Register/Canadian Classic MG Club

March 2008

Wild at Art Festival—March 15-23

Fellow club member Wanda Doyle is inviting all club members to the annual Wild at Art Festival in Squamish, featuring art galleries, music, dance, theatre, film, culinary events, wine tasting, train rides and more.

The hub of the festival and home of our Festival Gallery is the West Coast Railway Heritage Park. This is the only time of the year when the park waives it's admission fee.

Come see what the Park has to offer, including the Royal Hudson.

For more information, please check the website at www.wildatart.ca or call 1 866-333-2010.

John Clarke's Paint Workshop

Date: Saturday, March 15

Time: 10:00am

Where: John Clarke's house—see address in roster.

Car Paint — the good the bad and the ugly.

John will examine several examples of automobile paint jobs, and discuss what goes into a quality paint job, and what doesn't go into a bad paint job. He will show a few distinct examples of what can go wrong with even an expensive, "professional" paint job, and give some pointers as to how you can save yourself thousands of dollars, by doing some of the work yourself. The workshop will take place rain or shine, so dress appropriately.

New Members

JAG786 Ken & Anna Beddie

Terrace, BC

Vehicles:

1969 Jaguar E-type 2+2 Coupe Grey

1972 MGB Roadster Blaze

JAG787 Rene & Akkie Blei

Cochrane, AB

Vehicles:

1949 Jaguar Mark V DHC Black

1950 Jaguar XK 120 Roadster Red

1969 Jaguar Mk II 240 4-Dr Sedan BRG

1980 Jaguar XJ6 4-Dr Sedan Red

1998 Jaguar XK8 Convertible Sand

JAG 788 (Ex MG63) Ken & Mary Wright

Surrey, BC

Vehicles:

1997 Jaguar XK8 Roadster Red

1968 Jaguar E-type 2+2 Coupe Dark Blue

1975 MGB Roadster Red

1962 MGA Roadster White

MG 576 Heidi Babuik

New Westminster, BC

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NEXT CLUB MEETING:

Monday, 10 March 2008

NEXT CLUB EVENTS:

Saturday, 15 March 2008

10 am—John Clarke's Garage Session

Sunday, 16 March 2008

10am

Spring Run and Lunch



Club Mailing Address:

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Wondering where your Jan/Feb issue of Classical Gas is?

The new Classical Gas editorial and publishing team has had a challenge with the timing of the first issue. But don't despair - it will be available for members at the March 10 membership meeting.



Upcoming Events

MARCH 2008

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| 10 | Club Meeting & Model Night | Burnaby Lake Clubhouse | 3760 Sperling Ave, Burnaby |
| 15 | JCNA Spring Regional Meeting | TBD | Contact Doug Ingram dougi@shaw.ca |
| 16 | Spring Run & Lunch | meet at Clubhouse 10am | Contact Jennifer Orum jlorum@shaw.ca |
| | Welch MG Museum/WVYC | | |
| 16 | St. Patrick's Day Downtown Parade | Vancouver, BC | Contact Les Garbutt—604.266.9086 |
| 16 | Pat O'Brien Rallye | Revs Bowling, Lougheed/Holdom
Burnaby, BC | Contact Tim Kolosoff 604-466-1867 |
| 23 | 28th Annual Hyack Easter Parade | New Westminster, BC | Contact Barry Leinbach 604.916.7332 |
| 28-30 | MGCCNWC Annual Island Tour | Saltspring Island | Contact Brad Blymer 360.466.2244 |
| 28-29 | JCNA AGM—50th Anniversary | Pittsburgh | www.jcna.com/agm/2008/index.php |
| 30 | 10th Annual Easter Bunny Fun | Starts from Guildford Mall, Surrey
Bring something for the food bank | Contact Dave Williams 604.942.1392 |
| 31 | Club Executive Meeting | Burnaby Miniature Railway club | Contact Madelaine or Norm |

APRIL 2008

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| 14 | Club Meeting | Burnaby Lake Clubhouse | 3760 Sperling Ave, Burnaby |
| 18-20 | SOVREN Defrost Kickoff | Kent, WA | Judy Buckingham 425.277.3177 |
| 20 | LAMB's St. George's Day British Car Show | Langley, BC | Kathy 604.532.1220 |
| 26 | MGCCNWC 27th Annual Tulip/Daffodil Rallye | LaConner, WA | Ken Bottini 425.883.9615 |
| 26 | JDRC/NWA Spring Thing Rally | | Ray Papineau 425.483.9641 |
| 26-27 | BC Classic & Custom Car Show | Tradex, Abbotsford, BC | Info at 604.671.7227 |
| 27 | All British Auto Jumble 2008 | Portland, OR | Club T MG clubtmg@earthlink.net |
| 27 | JOCO JCNA 2008 Judges' School | Portland, OR | Stew Cleave 503.371.5312 |
| 28 | Club Executive Meeting | Burnaby Miniature Railway Club | Contact Madelaine or Norm |

MAY 2008

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| 4 | Club Rhododendron Discovery Drive | | Al Riches 604.942.7370 |
| 12 | Club Meeting | Burnaby Lake Clubhouse | 3760 Sperling Ave, Burnaby |
| 16-17 | ABFM Vancouver | VanDusen Gardens, Vancouver, BC | Oak Street at 37th Ave |
| | | May 16 - Friday event at Abercorn Inn
May 17 - Saturday event at VanDusen | |
| | | Contact Joan Stewart 604.736.6754 | http://www.westerndriver.com |

Club Meetings are held the second Monday of each Month, except where noted with *

Future Club Member??



Easter Bunny Fun Run

Don't forget to join in the fun of the 10th Annual Easter Bunny Fun Run on Sunday, March 30th, with your infamous host, Dave Williams. Starting point is the Red Robin parking Lot at Guildford Mall, Surrey. Always a fun time to be had. Bring food bank donations as an entry fee. For more info, contact Dave at 604.942.1392





Classifieds

FOR SALE 40 year collection of Jaguar memorabilia, models, model kits, posters, dash plaques, sales promo's, pins, badges, jackets, hats, etc. You name it I probably have a collection of them, many years of other Jaguar club newsletters including Jaguar Driver, Jaguar Enthusiast, Jaguar Journal, also a collection of all of the Avon cars marketed by Avon Canada. Contact Jerry Parkhill, 604.794.3652, parkhill@uniserve.com ***

1975 MGB Roadster. About 15,000 miles on rebuilt engine. Decent shape. Red. Roll Bar. Runs well. Asking \$4,500 obo. Contact Ken Wright at 604.535.0048 ***

1966-70 MG Midget Vintage Racer. VARAC Class winner in 2006 and 2007. Overall Driver's Championship 2007. Fastest MG In Canada. Rebuilt with a perfect "Texas Shell" and all new parts, Winter 2006. Full race motors (2), Longman, Weber, etc. SCCR gearbox, Huffaker front brakes, offset rear springs, top links, watt's link. full cage, fire system, Dunlops and Goodyear rains on Revolution wheels. Nothing but the best. Excellent, 2nd shell and enough bits to build another one. \$23,000. Contact John DeMaria, john_demaria@homedepot.com or 416.533.4648 (Ontario) ***

Rotor Arms now available from Hunter Classic Sportscars, Victoria, BC. Supplied by Distributor Doctor and have a 3-yr guarantee. For more information contact Craig Hunter at cahunter@shaw.ca (or email LCG for a copy of original email) ***

Book for Sale Car Maintenance Series; MG Cars-A practical guide to maintenance and repair covering models from 1934, by C.P.Davidson. Published in London 1958. It refers to the J series 1934 to the 1.5l Magnette and MGA models. Would be willing to sell provided a reasonable value can be established. In very good condition-still has original cover/binding. If you are interested, please contact James M. Convey cnv291@aol.com ***

Two 1969 MGB Roadsters One is complete except for bumpers, grill and soft top. Floor boards & fender bottoms are rusty. The other is in pretty good shape body wise, all rusted parts have been welded in but no motor, tranny or glass. I am asking \$1600.00 for both cars and prefer to sell them as a pair. If anyone is interested they can call Don at 604.274.5925 or email dlkerr@shaw.ca **

MGB Parts for sale: 1. 1968-80 4 speed sincro gear box gears look OK. 2. 3 main brg mgb short block disassembled, crankshaft has been reground and aligned needs pistons, no camshaft. 3. MGB early roadster window frames with glass. all the above open to reasonable offerers. 1975 MGB body panels, metal repairs no bondo (in primer) front frnders \$300. each or both for \$500.. Rear \$200. or \$350. for both, doors \$200ea or \$350. trunk lid has holes for factory luggage rack \$100. Contact Cy Taylor (Summerland) 250.494.5444 or summervolvo@shaw.ca **

1969 MGB Roadster with Overdrive. Fully rebuilt with picture album. Black on black with leather seats. Factory hardtop. All original, except chromed wheels. Asking \$14,500 obo. Contact Lim at 360.664.4428 **

Multiple parts:

FREE - MK-X 14" Wheel. One original 14" steel wheel from a '62 Mark X. It was in the trunk as a spare for years, then ended up in my garage. It's not rusted or bent, still has a cross ply tire on it. It may also fit MKII or S type.

FREE- MK-X Borg Warner Automatic. A somewhat weathered auto box that I want rid of. It was in good condition, and I was going to fit it in my MK X. I think it's '64 -'66 vintage. It's the "newer" generation, with the standard shift pattern of PRNDL, not the older one with the oddball shift pattern (which my '62 MKX had). It should be rebuildable. If you can use it you're welcome to it..

FREE- MK-X Ball Joint Kit. A new Quinton Hazell QSJ 221 RK Front Suspension Ball Joint kit for a Mark 10 Jag.

FREE- MK- X** Window Regulator A wind up widow regulator mechanism. New original part.

FREE- MK-X Rear Window Rubber. This rubber has never been installed. It's in reasonable condition, not cracked, but getting a little stiff. Some armor all or silicon would soften it up.

FOR SALE- Two Chrome Side Mirrors, new - GT Style suitable for XK Jag. Email for pics. \$25 each

Contact Peter Laing (Cloverdale) 604.574.5681 or at prologic@telus.net **

Wanted, E-Type Jaguar without engine or transmission, any year, prefer roadster. Contact Ralph 604.527.4535 or zedeng@shaw.ca *

1977 Jag XJ12L - silver/blue, VGC, aircared, low mileage, should easily qualify for collector plates. Selling due to limited parking. All reasonable offers considered. Contact David at 778.737.2941 or degruber@hotmail.com *

2007 Jaguar S-Type 3.0 - Black w/ tan interior, GPS system, only 2700 km, purchased March 2007 from Victoria dealer (\$71,000) Garage stored. Essentially a new car, estate sale. Asking price \$55700. Contact Graeme Doak at 604.986.9694 or rgraemedoak@cs.com *

1987 Sovereign 2-dr Jaguar. Lookin' good, runs well, needs you. only 130000km, stored inside. Owner Raymond Chow, Used this car to visit and draw Vancouver and Richmond. www.raymondchow.com Asking \$6800 obo. Contact Raymond at 604.274.3587 *

HAVE SOMETHING FOR SALE OR THAT YOU WANT?

Feel free to email littleclassicalgas@gmail.com to have your classifieds posted in the next issue of LCG. Unless otherwise requested, they will be listed for 3 months.