



## Little Classical Gas

Canadian XK Jaguar Register/Canadian Classic MG Club  
Monthly Newsletter

[www.jaguarmg.com](http://www.jaguarmg.com)

January 2011

[littleclassicalgas@gmail.com](mailto:littleclassicalgas@gmail.com)

## DRIVERS - START YOUR ENGINES!

Welcome to 2011 and another great year of club events starting with our first meeting on January 10 and a presentation by John Clarke, followed by the Super Bowl Party on February 6, then another great meeting on February 14, then Octagon, Heather's Wine & Cheese, Model Night, Spring Run & Lunch and on and on ...

*Congratulations to Bev Kolosoff,  
our Jaguar vice-president.*



Just imagine - you in a tutu - volunteer to organize the Easter Bunny Run and your smiling face can grace this already lovely image.

Seriously, the executive is looking for someone to take on the Easter Bunny Run. If you think you can do it please contact the

A more permanent logo, like the Olympic Rings they say .... Make the Lombardi Trophy, given to the Super Bowl winner, the centerpiece of the logo, and place the highly-recognizable hardware that is synonymous with the Super Bowl on a platform of that year's Roman numeral.



Then to bring some regional flavor to each Super Bowl logo, the stadium of where the game will be played is included in part of the design each year.

WE SAY - join Ian & Doreen Newby at 3474 - 262 Street in Aldergrove on Sunday February 6 for Super Bowl XLV. It's Pot Luck so bring your best, bring your beverage, and join the gang anytime after 1 PM. Game time is around 3?? so there is lots of time to visit. The teams are still in playoffs but the Indianapolis Colts have to be our choice - they play in Lucas Oil

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Space available for your ad. Buy/sell/trade/inform this is your forum.

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Contact 604.540.0241

## **\*\*\*To a good home**

1975 TR6 Original Steel rims, currently on old snow tires.

Peter Chow 604.936.9727

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## **Please Note:**

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9 JANUARY	<b>10 Club Meeting 7:30 PM</b>  John Clarke presentation on Goodwood.	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	I FEBRUARY	2	3	4	5
<b>6 Super Bowl</b> Ian & Doreen Newby 604.856.8477 See page 1	7	8	9	10	11	12
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**MG International 2011 RENO/TAHOE**

**June 13-17 A Western Experience**

[MG2011.com](http://MG2011.com)



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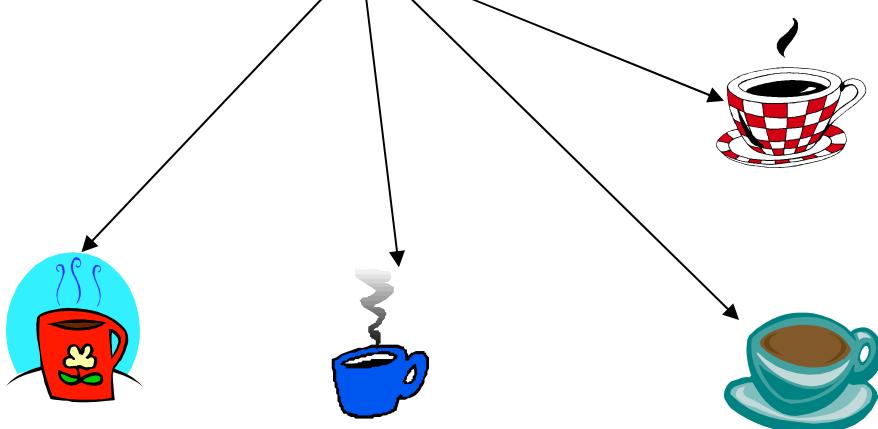
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February and March are busy months - check out the calendar on page three.

February's meeting will feature **THE 'ZINIES'** - the winning submissions to Classical Gas in the categories of Photography, Event Reports, Heritage, Technical, and Travel.

March's meeting is Model Night, featuring members eclectic collections and models and more. An often challenging and always entertaining evening.

Please ask the club presidents what this riddle means ...



You've heard them but did you know they have a name? Here are a few "paraprosdokian" sentences [from the Greek for beyond expectation]:

If I agreed with you we'd both be wrong.

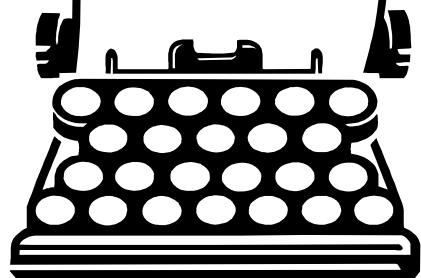
Nostalgia isn't what it used to be.

When tempted to fight fire with fire, remember that the Fire Department usually uses water.

You do not need a parachute to skydive. You only need a parachute to skydive twice.

Attention:  
Members who do not send their renewal payment by February 28 will miss inclusion in the Roster.

Contact  
Alan Riches  
604.942.7370



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Here is a car for sale. Info is via a Willamette MG Club member I have know for years. It is a very nice Jag. I don't know much about the pricing, but with the USD in the dumps it should be a nice go for a CXKJR person! Cheers, Bob Sherman

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**\*For Sale** 1971 MGB Roadster Road Rally Car

Fully rally prep'd for Historic rallies. Rebored to 1890cc. Twin fuel pumps, twin coils, Kenlowe, twin trip, protected Halogens, alloy sump shield, padded twin hoop roll bar, TRS full harnesses, SS exhaust, etc, etc. FIVA cert. £1000's spent. Soft top, 2 tonneaus, and Barracuda Webasto sun-roofed hard top; walnut dash, o/drive, wire wheels, chrome bumpers & boot rack. Owned 26 yrs. Spare wheels, tyres, loads of stuff! Brilliant drive + looks terrific. Ideal buy if want to go rallying without spending time/cost preparing to do so!

Located: 45 mins Dover/Eurotunnel.

Price: £12,000 (or offer - to know it will be rallied & enjoyed!)

Michael Lee - Chartered Mechanical Engineer Member: HRCR & MGCC [woolpit@btinternet.com](mailto:woolpit@btinternet.com) or 00 44 1795 842532

*FYI - I replied to Mr. Lee to let him know we are a Canadian Club but also let him know I would run the ad! ed.*

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20  OCTOGON MOTORS OPEN HOUSE 10 am Al Riches 604.942.7370	21	22	23	24	25	26
27 Wine & Cheese 2-5 PM Bill and Nan Heather 604.943.5303 	28	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14    Club Meeting 7:30 PM Models, collections, etc. Mike Powley 604.542.0921 	15	16	17	18	19



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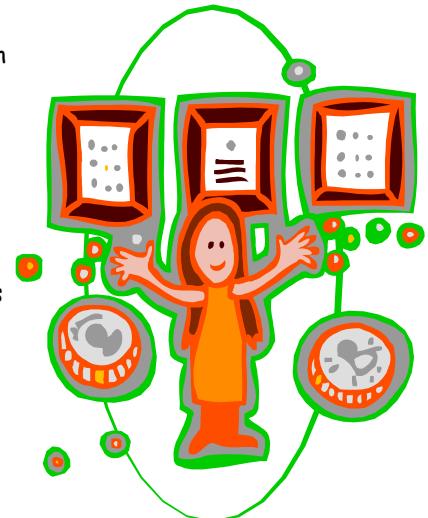
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**MARCH IS MODEL MONTH** for our "umpty-dumpty" fun filled year!!!

The "Rules" for the event

Basic concept - There are trophies for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place based on voting undertaken by the members present **March 14th 2011**

- Judging/voting will be by members/guests choice voting on the night of the event & ballots will be provided.
- All displays will be given a number on the night of the event and members present will be able to "vote" for their favorite display/layout of models & or paraphernalia.
- This approach means that members do not need to have the biggest number of models all out parking lot style - or who has the most toys BUT, rather using a few or a bunch of models &/or paraphernalia in an effective display to win the hearts of the voters that night.
- Again this year there will be time & space for MODEL SWAP & SHOP - so bring your spares and be prepared to dicker-trade, buy & sell!

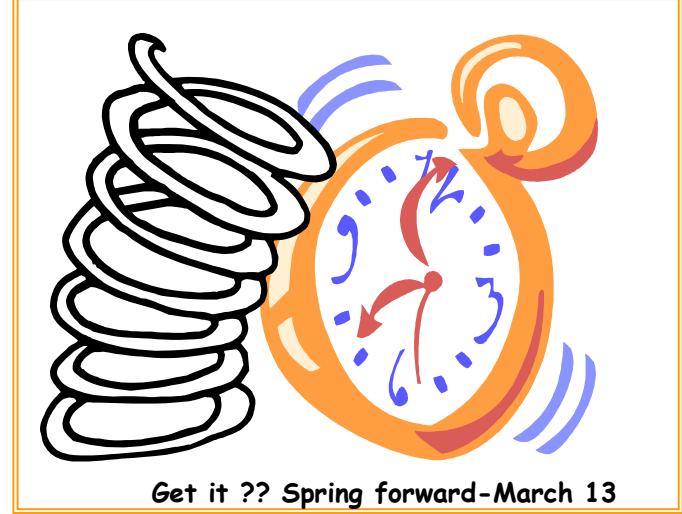


Let Mike know if you're entering: Mike Powley 604.542.0921 or [mpowley@telus.net](mailto:mpowley@telus.net)



## LAST CHANCE

... to sign up for the Spring Run! March 20th (Sunday) leaving from the Burnaby Lake Clubhouse and finishing at the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club. The cost is \$28 and you need to pay on meeting night. Contact Krista Briggs or Allan Lawrence if you would like more details.



Get it ?? Spring forward-March 13

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Actual mileage: 65,300 Was asking: \$14,000.00 U.S. REDUCED to \$11,000

[brandofox@hotmail.com](mailto:brandofox@hotmail.com)

*And here's one to follow my last month's UK offering:*

On Craigslist - 1956 MGA 1500 Roadster \$16,000

Nice looking photos  
<http://vancouver.en.craigslist.ca/bnc/cto/2254054643.html>

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
13 Spring forward one hour, Daylight Savings Time begins.	<b>14 Club Meeting 7:30 PM Model Night Mike Powley, 604.542.0921</b>	15	16	17 	18	19  Wonder what's happening today? looks too cloudy to see ...
<b>20 Spring Run</b>  <b>Krista B or Allan L</b>	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31	1 APRIL FOOLS DAY	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9 Brian Diehm Celebration of Life see classifieds for more info.
Remember to let me know if you have information from another club that you would like included on our calendar.						
10	<b>11 Club Meeting 7:30 PM Presentation by the new owners of Octagon Motors</b>	12	13	14	15	16

## Welcome New Members

Louise Richardson

North Vancouver 1951 MGTD roadster, Black



Mike & Jennifer Lycett

Burnaby 1995 Jaguar VDP sedan, Blue

Jim & Margaret Vardy

Burnaby 1978 MGB roadster,

AND TO ALL OF OUR RENEWING MEMBERS  
WELCOME BACK!!

Carole Borgens (rejoined)  
Aldergrove Jaguars 1965 3.8S 4Door sedan,  
Black; 1989 XJS V12 convertible



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## **kaffee klatches are coming !**

What is a kaffee klatch you might ask? It's an informal Sunday morning gathering of club members that will happen once a month at various locations. Each kaffee klatch will be whatever the volunteer organizer comes up with ... maybe just coffee and an opportunity to chat, maybe a drive and a picnic.

The first klatch will be hosted by John & Billie McConnell and Doug & Karen Haakensen. Meeting place is the New Boundary Bay Airport terminal at 10:00 a.m. for coffee. The hosts have planned a drive to the Langley Regional Airport and a visit to the Canadian Museum of Flight (guided tour has been arranged). Lunch is available at 'flights bistro' adjacent to the museum. There is a small charge to enter the museum. Reservations are required for coffee and the museum, please email Doug H by April 11 (member meeting night) if you wish to participate.

We've divided the lower mainland into four areas and each month a different area will host a kaffee klatch. All members are welcome to attend any one of the klatches, gathering times will range from 10:00 - 11:00.

### **Here are the regions:**



Metro Vancouver  
and Richmond

West and North  
Vancouver



Burnaby and  
the Valley north  
of the Fraser  
River



Delta and east,  
south of the  
Fraser River

### **Here are the dates:**

May 7<sup>th</sup>, June 12<sup>th</sup>, July 10<sup>th</sup>, August 14<sup>th</sup>, September 18<sup>th</sup>, October 16<sup>th</sup>.

We need volunteer klatch hosts for May through September. Please let Bev Kolosoff, [tkolosoff@shaw.ca](mailto:tkolosoff@shaw.ca)

know which month you'd like to host and she will be happy to give you more details.

Octagon has been purchased by four people, with our guest for the April meeting - Sean, the fellow who will be managing the operation. They have also bought XJ Motors and thus will be providing service to MGs and Jags. Octagon was purchased by the foursome "with the intent to support current enthusiasts and to create an environment where others with an appreciation for sporting vehicles could meet and celebrate their passion for British cars and motorcycles."

## **Drive Your MG or Jag Day May 7**

After meeting at Park Royal, the group will drive to the West Coast Railway Heritage Park in Squamish. Contacts for this are Jim McLagan and Tony Cohen. (More in the next LCG but the event is prior to the May meeting.



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Here is another one of those strange ads - our members do have some interesting contacts!!

\*Seeking a 68-72 MBG convertible

Hi Peter and Anne, My name is Kyle Busch and I am the Author of the book: "Drive the Best for the Price ..." I am looking to pay cash and give my 86 Volkswagen Jetta (driven over 510,000 miles) for a 68-72 MBG convertible (no modifications) with a solid chassis, no leaks or smoke. The Jetta runs good given its high mileage and it can be seen at my auto web site: [Drivethebestbook.com](http://Drivethebestbook.com). My e-mail is [kbusch3@verizon.net](mailto:kbusch3@verizon.net), and phone 814 833-1511. Additionally, I am a National Automotive writer for the San Francisco Examiner:

<http://www.examiner.com/automotive-in-national/kyle-busch>.

Note: This is not #18 Kyle Busch from NASCAR

And a further note, it seems he would rather you just buy his book but just in case someone is selling their car ...

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\*If anyone is looking for Mini parts [FVMMCmember] just found a place in New Zealand that has a huge supply and good knowledge to go along with it. Swift Automotive in Christchurch Phone # 011 64 33 497446 and the man to talk to is Larry

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1958 Austin-Healy Sprite \$21,500 (Appraised in 2002 for \$30k.) Rare early Bugeye with 9-stud windscreens fame, long door handles and other unique features. Original with a few sensitive upgrades for better drivability. Dark green with black interior, all mechanical expertly rebuilt over the past few yrs. Gary Fraipont 604.240.3948 or [gary@rltylink.com](mailto:gary@rltylink.com)

**\*Wanted - Vancouver area**

The use of a hoist for 3 days to clean and paint the underside of my 1972 XJ6

Will pay reasonable rental charge and won't make a mess!

Please call Geoffrey @ 604-788-9051

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17 <b>Koffee Klatch - see page 1</b> ----- L.A.M.B. St George's Day 10 AM - 4 PM Carole 604.857.1837		19	20	21	22	23 La Conner Tulip Rallye Contact KenBottini 425.883.9615 or <a href="mailto:ken.bottini@verizon.net">ken.bottini@verizon.net</a>
24 ...counting down - 50 days until 2011 Reno/Tahoe	25	26	27	28	29	30
1	2	3	4	5	6	<b>7 Drive Your MG/Jag Day - See page 1</b>
8	<b>9 Club Meeting 7:30</b> <b>Austin Healy Club un- able to meet on this date. BUT Tom Doyle will present "Restoring an XK150"</b>	10	11	12	13	14



### **Good Bye Olde Friends**

Our condolences to Doreen Newby on  
the passing of her mother.

"I have got my leave. Bid me farewell; I ask  
only for the last kind words from you.  
Now the day has dawned and the lamp  
that lit my dark corner is out. A summons  
has come and I am ready for my journey."

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## Planes, trains and automobiles (and coffee)

Something for everyone has been arranged for this Saturday May 7th.

top parking area at Park Royal North, breakfast at 10 am in the Bread Garden in the mall next to London Drugs. Then drive to Squamish for a visit to the West Coast Railway Museum and check out the 14 locomotives, 20 rolling stock, their new Roundhouse and Conference Centre. Lunch has been arranged for \$12 and the \$15 entrance fee has been waived. (and I think they have a plane or two in their woodworking shop...) Drive home at your leisure.

**This is DRIVE YOUR MG/Jag DAY so get out there & drive - a little water just adds a bit of sparkle to our lovely cars.**

Tom Doyle will be our speaker at the May meeting discussing the do, don'ts and joys of restoring an XK 150. (No Austin Healy club.)



The Barn Party at the Venning's farm is on again "Weather Permitting" on Saturday May 28th from 5:00 pm to when-ever. John & the band has been working hard to bring several new songs to us along with the old favorites.

To defray costs a little for the band & Port-A-Potty we will be asking for a donation of \$5.00 per person. Bring what you want to BBQ. BBQs, Salad, buns & dressings provided. Don't forget cutlery, paper plates & folding Chairs. Come out and see the Clydesdales, bring a carrot.

If you can, drive your collector car & pray for a sunny day, Cheers  
Chris Venning



## JCNA Judging School



May 16, Railway Clubhouse

Les Garbutt 604-266-9086

## All British Field Meet at VanDusen Gardens May 21

There is also a Swap Meet and ABFM Registered Entrants are offered space at no charge but you need to let them know.

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1958 Austin-Healy Sprite \$21,500 (Appraised in 2002 for \$30k.) Rare early Bugeye with 9-stud windscreens, long door handles and other unique features. Original with a few sensitive upgrades for better drivability. Dark green with black interior, all mechanical expertly rebuilt over the past few yrs. Gary Fraipont 604.240.3948 or [gary@rltylink.com](mailto:gary@rltylink.com)

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45 days to Summer - maybe it will be warm by then.						7
	<b>MAY 7, SATURDAY DRIVE YOUR MG DAY (to Squamish with Koffee to start) see page 1</b>					
8 Mother's Day 	<b>9 Club Meeting</b> Speaker: Tom Doyle XK150 Restoration	10	11	12	13	14
15	<b>16 Judges School</b> Les Garbutt <b>604.266.9086</b> Railway Clubhouse	17	18	19	20	21 Vancouver ABFM VanDusen Gardens <a href="http://Www.westerndriver.com">Www.westerndriver.com</a>
22 westerndriver.com Drive to whistler and then to Okanagan	23	24	25	26	27	<b>28</b> <b>Venning's Farm Party</b> <b>See page 1</b>
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## Slalom June 26

Meet at the Scott Road Sky Train Station at 9:30 am for Tech & Talk (and registration).

Contact:

John Morse  
604.594.8992



## Member to Members feature (from Peter Tilbury):

Fellow MG driver George Merryweather is combining the Rallye to Reno run with a Rallye for Research. "This is being pulled together to help raise funds for the Alzheimer's Association to aid their research efforts. I am looking for 'co-drivers' or to be more direct, donors. The standard donation is a penny per mile, or more easily \$32. go to <http://rallyforresearch.kintera.org/faf/search/searchParticipants.asp?ievent=474772&lis=1&kntae474772=E1C774D57A144221867F1212B6F37CAE> to donate. Enter my name, George Merryweather. I greatly appreciate your support and patience."

PETER & ANNE TILBURY , Thank you, from all of the CCMGC members driving to Reno, for your generous sharing of maps and suggested routes. You have made the event even easier to attend, see you there!



Highland Games - lots of fun and 'great swag' if you register at the June meeting with Mike Powley or contact him at

[mpowley@telus.net](mailto:mpowley@telus.net)



## Attention all British Columbia collector car enthusiasts both stock and modified

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Thank you, John Carlson NAACC



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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11 Club Meeting Happy Anniversary to Jag- uar E-Types and MG Midg- ets - Show & Shine Early Meeting 7 PM Desserts in Club House	12	13	14	15	16 17 Minter Gardens Classic Car Show

Hans & Ann Luhmann  
Surrey  
1988 Jaguar XJS-C Convertible,

Peter & Cindy Cuthbert  
Port Moody  
1958 MGA Roadster, Glacier Blue

**WELCOME**  
(and WELCOME BACK)



**NEW MEMBERS**

Ken & Lorraine Finnigan  
Kamloops  
1949 MG YT Tourer, Black  
1953 MG TD Roadster, Clipper Blue  
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7:30 to 8:30 club meeting,

8:30 on will be a social session with Honorary hosts Bill and Nan Heather arranging desserts as the owners of the registered cars talk about their cars.

Follow the MGs as they cross America! Steve, Sheila, Linde, and Richard drive up, down and across - taking the long, long way home from Reno.

<http://drivingthedream2011.blogspot.com/>



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FYI  
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17 *Minter Gardens Classic Car Show Jerry Parkhill 604.7794.3652 *Brits on the Beach Ladysmith, OECC 250.756.0452	<b>18</b>	19	20	21	22	23 *ABFM, Bellevue, WA <a href="http://www.abfm.com">www.abfm.com</a>  <b>*Koffee Klatch with Allen &amp; Maureen Brown</b> <b>See page I for details</b>
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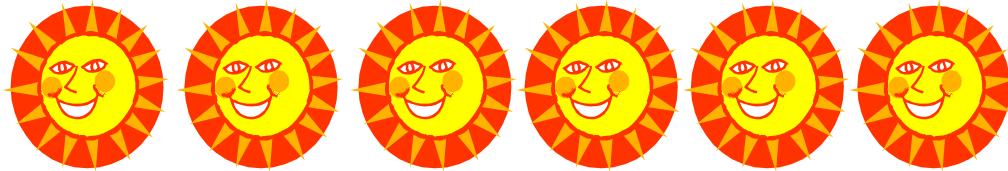
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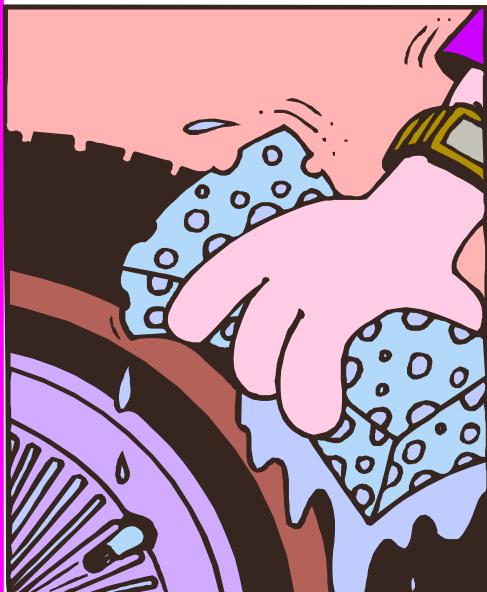
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hot & sunny!



## HERITAGE CLASSIC 2011 August 20-21

Registration: Jim McLagan 604.538.4579

If it's August it's Heritage -

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92 774 miles (approx.) Stefan Spargo, Calgary, Alberta 403 616 9771

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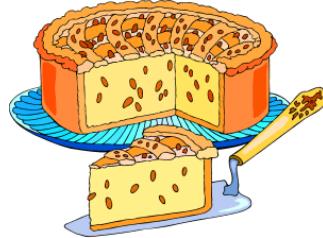
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Phone 1.888.894.2800 or 604.894.2000 or by email at [laura@pembertonvalleylodge.com](mailto:laura@pembertonvalleylodge.com)

Mention that you are booking for the CXKR/CCMGC event and there will be a sign-up sheet at the meeting.



September 12, Club Meeting

The Austin Healey Owners Club has been invited to join us at **6:30** for a Show & Shine and to talk about their cars. Cake will be served upstairs at 7:30 just prior to the start of the membership meeting.

Cruised a memorable route this summer? Share with your fellow drivers by sending to: Jennifer Orum, editor Classical Gas. [jlorum@shaw.ca](mailto:jlorum@shaw.ca)



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Those planning to be part of the lunch should contact Jennifer Orum at [jlorum@shaw.ca](mailto:jlorum@shaw.ca) or (604) 926 8712 by September 12.



Meet at the same location next weekend,  
September 24, at 10 AM  
for the start of the fabulous Presidents' Run to  
Pemberton and the Joffre Lakes.



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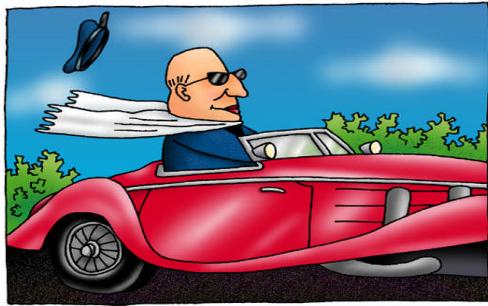
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<http://calgary.kijiji.ca/c-cars-vehicles-classic-cars-1972-MGB-Convertible->

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Full & half tonneaus plus a cockpit cover. Tartan Red clear coat paint Can e-mail pictures All receipts available.  
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# Events: September thru' October meeting



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4	5	6 kids back to school and on the roads. 	7	8	9	10 Langley Cruise-in <a href="http://www.langleycruise-in.com">www.langleycruise-in.com</a>
11 English Car Affair in the Park 250.656.975	12 Club Meeting: early start 6:30 to enjoy meeting members of Austin Healy Club  	13	14	15	16	17 
18 Koffee Klatch details page 1	19	20	21	22	23	24 <b>PRESIDENTS IN PEMBERTON</b> Details in Classical Gas or web <a href="http://www.jaguarmg.com/">http://www.jaguarmg.com/</a>
25 Presidents' Run cont'd	26	27	28	29	30	1 OCTOBER
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	<b>10 Club Meeting 7:30 PM</b>	11	12	13	14	15



Welcome to new baby Josephine (Josie) Harford.



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## MARKET PLACE—EXTRA

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Little Classical Gas was sent out early in September and as a result a few ads missed the deadline.

For your reading pleasure here they are!

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Also FYI, there are a number of vehicle ads posted on the board at Octagon Motors—if nothing here suits you. There were several MGs and Jaguars shown.

**WANTED:** MGs and Jags

...for Sept 18 Kaffee Klatch. Lunch at the West Vancouver Yacht Club where the Yacht Club members excited about seeing our classic British Cars in the parking lot.

Meet at 10 am at the North Park Royal Bread Garden (BG Grill), parking on the roof parkade, and at 10:30 leave for a scenic cruise on West Van roads passing various architectural and heritage sites. WVCYC lunch will be soup/sandwich combinations under \$10. Contact Jennifer Orum to confirm attendance at 604. 926.8712

Or [jlorum@shaw.ca](mailto:jlorum@shaw.ca)

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**WANTED:** T & T are looking for a few more Sunday drivers to join them on Saturday for the Presidents Run. This event is always enjoyable and is our last driving event for the year. Great hotel, good food, amazing scenery and the company of a fabulous group of friends. If you've been trying to make up your mind—just say YES!

Contact Tom Doyle 604.896.0159 or [tom-doyle@telus.net](mailto:tom-doyle@telus.net) [Tony Cohen has been away and will surely have some interesting stories to share]

See our web site, Classical Gas and/or September's LCG for more details.



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One of those 'same route, different road'.  
Old Hedley Road from Hedley to Princeton—on the other side of the river! Then left to Princeton or right to Aspen Grove, a great drive.



Thanks to  
Bence & Helen  
McIntyre



Guest speaker at the meeting on October 17th?

Maybe I can ask if Jaguars come in pink ...Or will Tom Jones be there— you know, What's new pussycat?



From Bill to Joe to Bill,  
and from all of us, Happy  
Birthdays.

## October 15 Koffee Klatch

Meet Bill & Nan Heather, your hosts, at Meadows Restaurant in the Delta Town & Country Inn (Hwy 17 at Hwy 99) at 10:30 AM. Enjoy coffee and a visit then leave for a drive to **Fred Gingell Park**, Tsawwassen's newest park, located on English Bluff Road just south of 3rd Avenue. It is named after the former MLA who represented South Delta in BC's legislative assembly. Built on a BC Hydro right-of-way, this park sits on the top of a high bluff overlooking the Strait of Georgia, the ferry terminal, and Vancouver Island. An observation deck is built on this bluff, and a stairway and trail have been built down the bluff to Tsawwassen Beach below. [It is the first (and only) public access to the beach.] Then, continue on to the Heather's home to enjoy a piece of 94 year old birthday cake...

Please RSVP to Bill & Nan by phone or email: [nan@dccnet.com](mailto:nan@dccnet.com) or 604.943.5303



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23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31 	1	2	3	4	5
6 	7 Kruise for Kids Toy Run— Doug Gale 604.521.3021  London to Brighton Commemorative Run **Rainbow Station to White Rock Lorna 604.584.2564	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 Club Meeting & AGM	15	16	17	18	19

Roger Nixey & Marg Yarwood, Port Coquitlam  
1968 Jaguar E-type Coupe, Dark Blue

Chris & Sue Woodward, Calgary AB  
1964 Jaguar Mk II, Black & MGB 1970 Roadster, Red

### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



Ian & Lorna Hill, Whistler  
1949 MGB V8 Roadster, BRG

Welcome back— Heidi Babuik, New Westminster  
1974 1/2 MGB Roadster, Citron



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I thought you would be interested in learning the number of participants in today's LB Run (which was the largest turnout in recent years):

We had a total of 66 registered vehicles; 34 entrants for OECC members, the remainder drawn from other clubs or individual entrants. In addition to food donations, a total of \$181 (in the form of registration fees) was received for donation to the Food Bank. In addition \$380 was received from the purchase of Commemorative Plates.

For comparison, following are the statistics from previous 2 years:

2011 – 66

2010 – 34

2009 – 32

I trust everyone enjoyed the run and the welcome received in White Rock. Thanks to those that took part in the organization of the event ..... from what I could see, it was a great success!

Gil Mervyn, LB Registrar

[LONDON TO BRIGHTON COMEMORATIVE RUN](#)

- Club Christmas Party at Cheers in North Vancouver. December 3 ...



Ask any of the executive—always a good time!

Kruise for Kids was a great success, \$15,763.12

(CCMGC & CXKJR & Doug's 'others' \$3466) and 983 fabulous toys.

Well done!

Probably not the right time of year to do this, but Heather has decided to evict her 1973 MGB, "The Tulip" .. Ever the fickle woman -that should start a conversation- Heather feels that the Tulip has not taken her out often enough, and is just taking advantage of valuable garage space in a warm, caring home.

I am quite sad at the thought of losing her, the Tulip, but only because I've invested so much more in her recovery from that neglected condition in which she found herself. Rescued back in 2009 from a dusty garage and ignominious fate in Calgary, this little orphan has blossomed well with care and attention. With some minor improvement in her appearance, I believe that she has the potential to become so much more. Even now she is reliable, attractive in her various tops and at times quite exhilarating. Should you know of somebody

looking to adopt, please feel free to forward our e-mail address along with the following details..

This chrome bumper MGB was built November 1972 and registered 1973. Colour is Black Tulip with a black interior. Last Air-Cared December 2009, on collector plates since. Comes with 4 tops, a full tonneau, half tonneau, soft-top and hard-top complete with cover & mobile storage stand. Major parts I've replaced:-Ignition coil, HT leads, plugs, points & condenser; Rear brake shoes & slave cylinder kits; Battery, alternator with larger 18ACR unit, starter relay; Engine big ends and rings.. both items were "standard" size which supports the recorded 56,752 miles.; Cylinder head, replaced with latest type CAM1106, and new exhaust seats and guides, 1.625in inlet valves, rocker shaft;

Stainless steel exhaust system & mountings; Clutch master & slave cylinder kits; Speedo cable; Rear springs and bushes; Soft-top.

All the above replacements have been completed in the last 2 years and 2,310 miles, comprehensive records are available. Stored from '06 to '09, little of her prior history is known. I was told that there was a major restoration, with new wiring harness about 2002.

All her systems, from the overdrive unit to the interior boot light, are in working order.

She looks forward to any inspection.. the Hussy!!

[bobbrown7@shaw.ca](mailto:bobbrown7@shaw.ca)

*Editors note: This is an ad but so much fun to read I put it here (there wasn't room on the Marketplace page anyway ...)*



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<p><b>WANTED:</b> I was wondering whether your group could be of assistance with a task that I have taken on. A friend of mine has a father that is turning 80 in the next month and the father has always been a Jaguar aficionado. We are trying to find an older Jag that could be rented for the day so as to be able to drive the old gent around for his 80th. Speaking to the Jaguar dealership, they suggested your group. Any guidance or assistance would be appreciated <a href="mailto:bross@brossdesign.com">bross@brossdesign.com</a></p>	<p><b>***PARTS FOR SALE:</b> MGA— Water pump, new older stock aluminum housing Uni-Part made in UK. \$40; MG TC— New Brake line set, made in UK by Auto Mec, \$200; 9 inch Sears orbital paint buffer \$20; 4 Ronal Saab minilite type wheels 15 x 5 1/2 J. Straight, fair condition, one has rub mark on two spokes, \$160</p> <p>Roger Jones 604 541 4221 <a href="mailto:mowwog@yahoo.ca">mowwog@yahoo.ca</a></p>



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20	21	22	23	24	25	26
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	5	6	7	8	9	10
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This is your First Reminder

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