

August 2025

Little Classical Gas

President's Message

We are fully into car show season with an event every weekend it seems. July 12th was the BC Collector Car Appreciation Day and twenty-eight Club Members in six MGs (five of them red!), seven Jaguars (one red), a Sunbeam Alpine, a Mazda Miata (also red), and a Range Rover celebrated the day by driving to Squamish. There they participated in a car show at the Railway Museum of BC. Thanks to Tim Horton for organising this, and for taking us on a fascinating guided tour of the museum and the rail yards around it in the afternoon.

Upcoming events include our Heritage Classic Car Show on Saturday August 23rd (registration and full event information on jaguarmg.com), and the Presidents' Run to West Kelowna on the weekend of September 26-28 (info in this LCG). Please register your car for Heritage before entries close on August 13th. The speaker at the Members' meeting on August 13th will be Tim Horton – see info in this LCG.

We are still looking for people to fill the VP Jaguar and VP MG positions on the Executive, so please contact myself or David Crouch if you are interested. There is also a vacancy for the AV Editor position for Members' meetings, so if you know your way around PowerPoint, please volunteer for this role. Lastly, a reminder that the Kensington off-ramp off Highway 1 westbound is still closed.

Peter Tilbury



NEXT CLUB MEETING

**WEDNESDAY
AUGUST 13, 2025**

7:30 PM

**BURNABY LAKE
CLUBHOUSE
3760 SPERLING AVE,
BURNABY**

TO JOIN THE ZOOM MEETING

**CLICK THE LINK
BELOW**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85657439862>

Meeting ID:
856 5743 9862



AUGUST 13 CLUB MEETING

Talk by Tim Horton

Our August meeting will feature a presentation by Timothy Horton on his trip to the UK last September, where he visited several preserved steam railways in the south of England. If you are planning a future trip to the UK one or more of these attractions may be of interest to you!



THE KENSINGTON
OFF RAMP WEST
BOUND FROM
HWY 1 IS
CLOSED.

PLEASE USE
ALTERNATIVE
ROUTE.

REMINDER

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19TH, 2025

5—7 PM

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS REGIONAL SECONDARY SCHOOL, NORTH VANCOUVER

St. Thomas Aquinas Regional Secondary School in North Vancouver is hosting its annual homecoming at the school on Friday September 19 from 5pm to 7pm. They would like to have a dozen or so classic cars and supercars on display at the event.

If you have a suitable car to display and are interested, please contact Timothy Horton at thorton@telus.net. There will be food and other activities, and a performance by Tim's 20 piece Alumni Jazz Ensemble.



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CANADIAN CLASSIC MG CLUB



Jaguar MG Vancouver Presents

54TH ANNUAL
**HERITAGE
CLASSIC**
British Car &
Motorcycle Show

This is a **FREE**
event for the
whole family



Douglas Park
5403 206th St
Langley

Aug **23** 2025

10am-3:30pm

www.jaguarmg.com

Heritage is almost here! Just because registration for the JCNA Concours, Special and Driven Classes closes on Aug 8, doesn't mean you're going to miss out. We have extended the registration for the Display Classes to **Wednesday Aug 13!** Come to the member meeting and sign up or sign up on the website now.

Don't forget we have lots of door prizes to give out each day AND we have 2 amazing items from Griot's Garage (with an approximate value of \$300-\$400 each) that will have a silent auction to them at the Revival.

August 13th is coming soon so you 'auto' act quickly!

www.jaguarmg.com

Also, don't miss our 5th annual Revival on Sunday featuring our club's very own in-house jazz sextet "Inline Six"! Come and enjoy an afternoon of light jazz standards and popular songs performed by some of our club members. Location: 3474—262nd Street, Aldergrove





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Are you in Grade 8-12 and like Classic Cars

The 54th Annual Heritage Classic
Car Show is Looking For You!



Sat. August 23, 2025



Douglas Park, Langley BC

What do you need to know?

- No special knowledge or experience is required. We will teach you how to judge the cars on the day of the event
- You will be given a judging T-Shirt, a ball cap, and all your judging materials
- There is NO cost to this but spots are limited

Who Is putting this on?

- This Youth Judging Program was created by Hagarty Classic Car Insurance
- It's being offered by the Canadian MG Club and the Canadian XK Jaguar Register Car Club by trained JCNA Judges
- The program is part of the annual Heritage Classic Car Show.
- A British Car Show at Douglas Park in Langley on Saturday August 23, 2025. This is a FREE Car show and you will get to see and judge some amazing rare cars



WWW.JAGUARMG.COM



Please contact Marcey at marceyjgibson@gmail.com for information



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We encourage you to book your hotel room now

CXKJR/CCMGC 2025 Presidents' Run

September 26-28 – West Kelowna

We currently have 16 cars (28 members) signed up for the 2025 Presidents' Run to West Kelowna, with another 7 members "thinking about it".

Schedule of Events:

Day 1 - Friday, September 26th

- Meet in Chilliwack around 10.00am.
- Lunch at the "Grand Union Cafe", Hedley (Highway 3), 1.00pm.
- Arrive at TownePlace Suites Hotel, West Kelowna (Highway 97) 4.00pm.
- Evening on your own.

Day 2 - Saturday, September 27th

- Leave hotel around 11.00am.
- Drive Westside Road to "The Rusty Putter" at Spallumcheen Golf Club for lunch at 1.00pm.
- Drive East side of Okanagan Lake to the hotel 4.00pm.
- Dinner around 6.00pm with Okanagan British Car Club members.

Day 3 - Sunday, September 28th

- Leave hotel before 11.00am.
- Return to Vancouver, by either (a) Connector (97C to Merritt, then Coquihalla (Highway 5), or (b) through Keremeos and Princeton (Highway 3).



Hotel Information:

TownePlace Suites by Marriott, 3551 Carrington Road, West Kelowna, BC V4T 3L8

Two nights - **Friday, September 26th and Saturday, September 27th**

Double Queen Bed Studio or King Bed Studio with sofa bed - **\$170 per night** plus taxes. All rooms have fully functional kitchens with fridge and dishwasher. Price includes complimentary hot breakfast, wi-fi, and parking. All beers are under \$5 at weekends.



We currently have a block of 10 rooms (6 Doubles and 4 Kings) reserved. Members wishing to book can do so [online](#), or call the hotel on 778-754-4888. Quote MG Jaguar Club Presidents' Run for group rates.

Please email membership@jaguarmg.com once you have made your reservation indicating the number of attendees.

Contact:

Peter Tilbury cell 604.889.5067 or email: mgpresident@jaguarmg.com



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MISSION HISTORIC MOTOR RACING

August 16-17, 2025

32670 Dyke Road, Mission, B.C.

The Vintage Racing Club of British Columbia (VRCBC) is very pleased to announce that the 36th running of its annual marquee race weekend, the British Columbia Historic Motor Races (BCHMR) will be held on August 16-17, 2025, at the Mission Raceway Park Motorsports Circuit in Mission. For 2025, the BCHMR will again feature three main Vintage race groups, one for the very quick open wheel and sports racing cars, and two for the sedans and sports cars that many fans remember from their younger days.

Other Attractions The 'Field of Dreams' will be back on both days as well. This big classic and performance car display in a special spectator area is a unique show of its own. Admission is free for collector car owners with the option to participate in lunchtime Parade Laps by donation to our charity.

Adding to the fun atmosphere are the sponsors' booths and food concessions, plus the excellent grandstand viewing and informative commentary. And the parking is free! This is an entertaining weekend for families as well as long-time motor sports enthusiasts.

To get rid of
unwanted junk
during the
holidays ...

Put it in an
Amazon box and
leave it on the
porch.

SO IT TURNS OUT THAT
BEING AN ADULT IS
MOSTLY
JUST GOOGLING
HOW TO DO STUFF.





MARKET PLACE



***FOR SALE**

**2005 Jaguar X-type 3.0 Estate
Asking \$13,250. CND**



- Exceptionally low mileage: 68,540km
- Original stereo, steering wheel mounted controls, cruise control, 18" alloy wheels, and has a 3.0L V6 engine paired to an automatic transmission with Sport mode
- Automatic alarm system, reverse parking sensors, self locking doors, front airbags, interior adjustable mirrors, ABS non-skid brakes and 4 wheel drive.
- Heated 8-way power adjustable front seats, Jaguar rubber mats in front, climate control, air conditioning, 2 mode power sunroof, keyless entry (with extra fob included), power windows, power mirrors - all working perfectly.

For more details check out this link: <https://livemorelightly.com/Tech/>

Parked in a public parking garage - 268 Keefer St - Sun Wah Centre - Lot #1118 on level 7b in Vancouver. The Parkade is open from 7am to 7pm, then locked. Please see the car before contacting me.

Victoria Gibson

vixmedia@gmail.com



MARKET PLACE



***FOR SALE—Downsizing**

Due to circumstances beyond my control I am now faced with the regrettable task of having to dispose of both my cars.

1948 MG TC



Chassis Number TC 6940, Engine Number XPAG 7817.

A very original example that had undergone a major frame up restoration sometime between 2005 and 2008 and has been meticulously maintained and driven ever since.

Upholstery, Roof, Side Curtains and Tonneau are in very good clean condition.

The car is driveable, fully insured and registered with BC Collector plates.

Recently appraised by Hagerty for \$ 27 K.

Being offered by a lifelong enthusiast to someone willing to continue to "Maintain the Breed".

All serious offers will be given consideration

1962 MG A Mk II



Serial Number GHNL2103968, Engine Number 18GB-U-H-62746.

Subject of a frame up restoration sometime between 2010 / 2012 by Cheshire Motors, Toronto, Ontario.

At which time the original engine was replaced with the current 5 bearing MGB engine.

I have owned the car since 2013 while living in Ontario and brought it with me to Vancouver in 2021. Has always been garaged and maintained. Fitted with a T9 Ford 5 speed gearbox in 2024.

Fully insured and registered with BC collector plates, it is a very driveable example of the marque and is finished in Orient Red with Tan upholstery, side curtains, roof and tonneau.

All serious offers in the \$ 32 K region will be given serious consideration.

Currently garaged in the Morgan Creek area, South Surrey.

For more details please contact Malcolm Stanton

email: malcolmisinyvr@gmail.com or by cell. at 519 943 5716.



MARKET PLACE



***FOR SALE

1962 MGA Mk 2 Coupe

I have owned this 1962 MGA coupe for the last 45+ years
First restored in 1979 and used to attend NAMGAR GT-5 at Lake Tahoe

Refreshed 2004 including repaint

Pictures available at <https://www.rhodoworld.com/page/page/1653190.htm>

It has: 1798cc MGB 186A 3 main bearing engine—stronger than the original 1622 and with some flow work done on head

It has been retrofitted with Twin Cam 4 wheel disc brakes and knock-off peg drive Dunlop wheels

Less than 300 LHD Mk 2 coupes were made

\$20,000 Can. Only selling as double knee replacement makes it too hard to get in and out!

Contact: Bill 604-307-4146 wspohn4@aol.com



INFORMATION ON JAGUAR XK150

Sam Tull from Anacortes is looking for our help asking if anyone in our club has any information on an XK150 listed on Bring A Trailer (BAT) that he has now purchased.

His message:-

Just wondering if you had any info on t831540 DM it was Canadian registration sold by auction by Sothebys Florida in 2022 <http://xkdata.com/cars/detail/?car=831540&datahistory=yes> I then bought it on Bring a Trailer last week. I'm looking for any info on who restored or owned it.

Appreciate any help or direction.

The link to his BAT auction is <https://bringatrailer.com/listing/1959-jaguar-xk150-s-5/>



Sam Tull samctull@gmail.com Anacortes, Washington