



Broad River European Motor Club News

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JULY MEETING EURO FEST ASKS BREMC TO HELP WITH FRIDAY FUN RALLY

COME TO THE MONTHLY MEETING AT OWL'S EYE WINERY

The July meeting of the **BREMC** will be held on Thursday, July 1 starting at 6:30pm.

We have been asked by Euro Fest to sponsor a Fun Rally for Euro participants starting at the Renaissance Marriott in Spartanburg, SC

As part of the day, cars would travel to Cleveland County to visit our wineries and several restaurants in the area.

Coming up with an interesting route and several options will be part of our discussion on Thursday evening.

We have done some work on this idea with the folks at Owl's Eye and Baker's Buffalo Creek Winery and Vineyard. Also, we have Alston Bridges Barbecue and Smoke on the Square as restaurants that offer a lunch menu. Heading back to South Carolina, the route could take them through Boiling Springs and Broad River Coffee or on to Gaffney and the National Historic Military Park at Cowpens, SC. Put on your thinking cap to come up with other ideas for the day.

There will be a meal at a cost of \$7.00. The menu will be set by **Tom Greene**. You are asked to respond via e-mail to Tom if you are attending the meeting. It may sound like a little thing, but the honor of your reply is requested to get an accurate count for the meal.

Please e-mail **Tom Greene** that you will be attending the June meeting. tgreene1@carolina.rr.com

BREMC LAKE LURE CLASSIC CAR SHOW PLANNING CONTINUES WILL YOU HELP?

Work continues on our first **BREMC Lake Lure Classic Car Show** to be held at the Lake Lure Inn on **Sunday, September 26th**. It is the day that most of the participants arrive for the **Carolina Trophy Road Rally**. There are several committees working on different aspects of the event from registration, parking, awards, and publicity.

Rooms have been set aside at the **Lake Lure Inn** for the event. If you want to spend a fun evening before the show, make your reservations early.

If you are interested in helping with this event, please let **Tom Greene** tgreene1@carolina.rr.com and let him know how you will help. We have an opportunity for you on one of the committees.

PUTTING A WINNING SHINE ON YOUR ANTIQUE CAR

Our June meeting featured **Doug Carlisle, Wilbur Wright and Tom Greene** sharing how they prepare their cars for shows and for display. It was an interesting discussion with many questions, ideas, and suggestions to help make your car look great when you enter a show.

A special thanks to **Doug, Wilbur and Tommy** for sharing their ideas on preparing cars for a show.

INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADES

Club members **Dennis Davis and Jack Weller** are working with the committee for the



Independence Day parade in Lattimore.

The parade forms off Jones Road in Lattimore and cars asked to be in place by 8AM. Our slot in the parade is position number 49. The Lattimore parade starts at 9AM.

The Ellenboro Parade starts at the same time and **Wilbur and Lundy Wright** are helping to coordinate their parade. It starts at 9AM as well. After the parade, there is a car show at the park from 10AM to 1pm. Join other Club members from either parade at the park for the car show.

DRIVE YOUR CLASSIC TO THE MEETING



For our July meeting, why not drive your classic European car to the meeting. What marque or model will be the most represented? What will be the most unique or rare car to be on display?

Will we have a Henway at the meeting?

Communications is an important part of any organization. The newsletter is published monthly to encourage and to promote events, to share activities and information, to introduce members to the love of cars, to involve you in helping others and to celebrate our successes. If you have ideas for articles or want to let us know how you like the newsletter, e-mail Jack at wsweller@aol.com

OPPORTUNITIES ABOUND FOR WEEKEND TRIPS OR A DAY ROAD TRIP

July 3, 2010 Independence Day Parade, Lattimore. Form between 8 and 8:30am. Parade begins at 9:00am. See article about other parades on page one.

Hagerty Insurance provides information about many local clubs compiled by **Jason Saarm**, Regional Account Manager at www.hagertyblog.blogspot.com Listed are many week night cruise-ins at local restaurants.

The Triumph Club of the Carolinas, Charlotte Chapter, offers a similar list on their website. Thanks to **Brian Huneycutt** for sharing this information. www.triumphclub.org

EURO Auto Festival 2010 Marque VW

October 15-16-2010

For the 15th anniversary of **EURO**, we are excited to honor

Volkswagen as the featured marque. There have been major changes made for this year's event. The fun rally, or tour, has been moved to Friday. (See related article on Page One) And the most exciting change this year is that The **BMW Performance Center** is BACK on board!

WEB SITE LOOKING FOR PICTURES OF YOUR CAR

Thanks to several Club members who sent "glamour shots" of their cars to **Jack Weller** to put on the Club website. If you have a few shots that you would like to share, the photo does not have to be high resolution. For the website, it is suggested that a lower resolution works as well for this application. Go through your hard drive and find a few pictures to share.

Our web address is <http://www.broadriveremc.com/Home.html>

OFFICERS OF BROAD RIVER EUROPEAN MOTOR CLUB

Officers
Tom Greene, president;
Jack Weller, vice president
Cindy Carlisle, secretary / treasurer

Committees and Chairs

Steering Committee - Don Byrnes, Chair
Technical Support Committee – Evan Amaya, Chair
Membership Committee – Doug Carlisle, Chair
Program Committee – Jack Weller, Chair
Events Committee Don Byrnes, Chair
Marketing & Communications – Jack Weller, Chair

BROAD RIVER EUROPEAN MOTOR CLUB MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of the
Broad River European Motor Club is
To encourage and promote the preservation
and enjoyment of European cars,
To conduct educational and social events, and
To involve the group in community, civic, and charitable events.



BREMC MEMBERS SUPPORT BRITISH CAR DAY SOUTH EVENT

Eight cars from **BREMC** participated in the 31st annual **British Car Days South Car Show** held by the **Carolinas Austin-Healy Club** at **Frank Liske Park** in Concord on June 13, 2010.

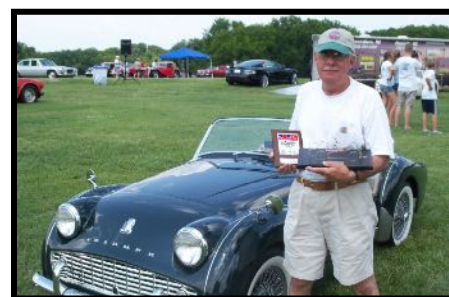
Healy owners, **Wilbur** and **Lundy Wright** and **Allen** and **Susan Teague** were at the park in Concord early Sunday morning to welcome the more than 250 entrants in this year's **British Car Days South**. **Wilbur** and **Allen**, both members of the **Healy Club** helped to coordinate the show.

Arriving around 10AM as the thermometer pushed into the 90's were **Kent** and **Linda Bridges** with their **MG TD**; **Doug** and **Cindy Carlisle** and **Barb** and **Jack Weller** in their **TR3's**, **Tom Greene's MG TD** and **Margaret Harry** driving the **Morris Minor** with **Evan Amaya** in his **MGB**. **Mac McCuen** and **Jerry Bumgardner** drove the support vehicle and helped to keep the convoy together.

Congratulations to **Doug Carlisle** who won **his class** and **Best of Show**. The Best of Show Award was a wire sculpture of a TR3.

Other award winners from **BREMC** included **Tom Greene's MG TD** First Place; his **Morris Minor**, shown by **Margaret Harry**, won first in the Special Sedan Class; **Wilbur Wright** won First in Class for his **Healy** and **Allen Teague** took Fourth in the Healy Class; and **Evan Amaya** won second for his **MGB-Chrome Bumper** Class. For complete results visit www.britishcardaysouth.com

Congratulations to all of our winners. The ride home may have been a little wet but it was fun!



REMINDER DUES FOR 2010 ARE DUE BY JUNE 30

Club dues for the 2010 fiscal year are due by June 30. Cost \$25 per family. Doug Carlisle had name tags made for all current members. If you have not gotten your name tags, see Doug at the next meeting.

IDEAS & PICTURES FOR NEWSLETTER

The newsletter is designed to share information and news about Club members. If you have ideas for articles or pictures of your summer trips, please send them to wsweiler@aol.com If I have the information by the last week of the month, I will be able to get your article in the newsletter

NEW BREMC MEMBERS WELCOMED

If you have a friend or someone interested in joining or being a part of our events, send an e-mail to wsweiler@aol.com to be added to the address list. Sharing information about the Club via e-mail or through the website is an easy way to explain who we are and what your Club does.

Two events that we are looking for more volunteers and helpers would be the Lake Lure Classic Car Show, September 26th and sponsoring the Friday Fun Rally as part of the 2010 Euro Auto Festival in October.



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