

# The Rear View Mirror

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May 7th  
NEXT MEETING  
Deer Brook Golf Course Shelby

May 2015

Broad River European Motor Club

Shelby, North Carolina 28150

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## MAY MEETING

Join us Thursday, May 7th at Deer Brook Golf Course and Restaurant off Post Road for our regular monthly meeting.

We will discussing the Broad River European Classic Show.

### E-MAIL YOUR DINNER RESERVATION

Please e-mail **Skip Wise**, president, that you will be attending so that he may let the restaurant know how many to prepare for the meal by **TUESDAY NOON**. **Skip's** e-mail address is [jwise@carolina.rr.com](mailto:jwise@carolina.rr.com)

## CONGRAULATIONS TO OUR BEST OF SHOW and MAYOR'S CHOICE WINNER

**Randy Dillingham 1957 Porsche 356**



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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

There are certain things in life (so I'm told) - death, taxes, and old cars. Or is it that there are things in life that are certain - death, taxes, and old cars. Let's see..... We die a physical death, which is certain. We just went through another tax year, so that seems certain. My Triumph is certainly an old car, BUT it is certainly not certain to get me there. Yes, Lynn and I shared a Lucas moment (afternoon...) when the new Lucas distributor parts quit. However, it is the nature of our common car hobby to chance it with these fabulous cars that we enjoy so much. Having fun sometimes involves taking risks.



Skip demonstrates how to present an award to yourself at the Broad River European Classic Show.

Going tangent, the 5th annual BREMC Classic will be history when this message gets to you in early May. Planning for the event involved several dedicated club members - current and past. I may even win an award. No single person can do it all. A team effort was required and delivered. THANK YOU!

You may be noticing new, different, more opportunities to join others enjoying our common interest (passion?) in our cars and motorcycles. We are finding connections with others nearby who share our motoring interests. Join in when you can. What a blast!

Drive 'em!!  
Skip Wise

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 please send by the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month. If not received in a timely manner, item may not make newsletter that month.

Goal is to send newsletter the Friday before our regular meeting. Let us know how you like the newsletter, e-mail Jack at [wsweller@aol.com](mailto:wsweller@aol.com)

## BREMC OFFICERS & COMMITTEES

- President – Skip Wise \*
- Vice President – Charles McCuen \*
- Secretary -- Renee Bumbaugh \* & Joanne Cox \*
- Treasurer – Jim Morgan
- Immediate Past President, -- Wilbur Wright \*
- Car Show Director – All Members of BREMC
- Historian – Cindy Carlisle
- Special Events Coordinator – Bruce Harless
- Program Chair – Alan Teague
- Membership- **Bill Plowden**
- Newsletter – Jack Weller
- Publicity – **OPEN**
- Regalia & Accessories – Alan Teague
- Technical Director – Iverson Smith
- Website – Don Byrnes
- Executive Committee Member

### EVERY SATURDAY MORNING

### WEATHER CO-OPERATING

COFFEE, CARS & CONVERSATION  
 BRUCE HARLESS INVITES YOU ON SATURDAY  
 MORNING TO STOP INTO  
 LILY BEAN COFFEE SHOP  
 ON THE COURT SQUARE – SHELBY, NC



MEET SOME GREAT PEOPLE  
 TALK CARS

GROUP MEETS FROM 8AM TO 10AM

CHARLOTTE CARS & COFFEE  
 First Saturday of the Month  
 Cars & Coffee Charlotte, NC

CARS & COFFEE OF THE UPSTATE  
 Fourth Saturday of the Month  
 Visit them on FaceBook at

<https://www.facebook.com/CarsCoffeeUpstate?fref=ts>  
 Cars & Coffee of the Upstate Greenville, SC

### SECOND OR THIRD SATURDAY EVERY MONTH WEATHER CO-OPERATING

TABLE ROCK SPORTS CAR CLUB FUN DRIVE  
 BREMC MEMBERS MEET AT COURT SQUARE  
 AND TRAVEL AS A GROUP  
 TO MEET TRSCC FUN DRIVE

Check the website  
[www.tablerocksportscarclub.com](http://www.tablerocksportscarclub.com)

## 2015 Meetings / Events Calendar

The 2015 Calendar is updated as Events are sent to be posted. If you know of events and have the date, please send them to Jack Weller

DATE	Meeting / Event
<b>JANUARY</b>	
8	BREMC Monthly Meeting
17	Table Rock Sports Car Club Fun Drive
31	BREMC Fun Drive Leave Court Square at 10am – Weather permitting
<b>FEBRUARY</b>	
5	BREMC Monthly Meeting
28	TRSCC Fun Drive Cancelled
<b>MARCH</b>	
5	BREMC Monthly Meeting
21	TRSCC Fun Drive <a href="http://tablerocksportscarclub.com/">http://tablerocksportscarclub.com/</a> <b>Carolina British Classics XI, Columbia Speedway, Cayce, SC</b> <a href="http://www.jaguarcolumbia.com/community-involvement-carolina-british-class">www.jaguarcolumbia.com/community-involvement-carolina-british-class</a>
28	
<b>APRIL</b>	
2	BREMC Monthly Meeting
17	Clifford's Army Rescue
17-19	The Gathering Shelton Vineyards Dobson, NC
25	<b>Broad River European Classic Shelby, NC</b>
<b>MAY</b>	
7	BREMC Monthly Meeting
23	<b>Southeastern British Motorcar Owners Club (SBMOC) will host an all British car show at Furman University in conjunction with Greenville Scottish Games</b> <a href="http://www.sbmoc.com/MainNewsletter/FEB2015.htm">http://www.sbmoc.com/MainNewsletter/FEB2015.htm</a>
22 -- 24	<b>The Vintage Gathering of Vintage BMW's Winston Salem, NC</b> <a href="http://www.atthevintage.com">www.atthevintage.com</a>
<b>JUNE</b>	
4	BREMC Monthly Meeting
16-19	Triumph Registry National Meet in Maryland See Doug Carlisle for details
<b>JULY</b>	
2	BREMC Monthly Meeting
4	INDEPENDENCE Day Parade -- LATTIMORE
<b>AUGUST</b>	
6	BREMC Monthly Meeting
7-9	Healy Club of the Carolinas Mountain Trip Contact Treasure Teague or Chuck Reeves for info.
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	
3	BREMC Monthly Meeting
12	The Auto Lawn Party – Hickory Note Date Change <a href="http://www.theautolawn.com">www.theautolawn.com</a> to register.
18-21	Auto Fair – Charlotte, NC
27	Autumn in the Mountains BCCWC Hendersonville, NC
27	MG's on the Green Harrisburg, NC
<b>OCTOBER</b>	
1	BREMC Monthly Meeting
4	Shelby Senior Center Car Show
11	Brits on the Beach – Wilmington, NC
16	BREMC Sponsored Wine Tours part of Euro Auto Festival
17	Euro Auto Festival
<b>NOVEMBER</b>	
5	BREMC Monthly Meeting
7	Hog Happin'
<b>DECEMBER</b>	
3	BREMC Christmas Party SHELBY CHRISTMAS PARADE

BREMC Meetings & Christmas Party will be at Deer Brook Golf Course  
 Restaurant, unless otherwise posted.

Highlighted events need confirmed 2015 date.

## BREMC APRIL MEETING MINUTES

Meeting Date: Thursday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2015

The meeting was called to order and greetings were brought by the club's president, **Skip Wise**. A delicious dinner was served at Deer Brook Country Club in Shelby, North Carolina.

**Program: Guest Speaker Harvey Ferris, Jaguar Judge**, will speak on how a classic car is evaluated during a concours/car show. Harvey joins us from New Hill, North Carolina, just outside of Raleigh. Bruce Harless and Harvey met at a Jaguar show last year at Little Switzerland and Bruce invited him to BREMC to speak to the club.

**Health and Happiness Notes: Jeff Cox** is still battling cancer but is at home. Cards may be sent to: 160 Oak Pointe Dr. Cherryville, NC 28021. Jeff would love to hear from club members. You may also email photos of great cars you see or just yourselves waving!

**Old Business:** Minutes from March read, corrections made. Minutes approved.

**New members:** Per Treasure Teague **we have three new members; David Deal, Marvin McDonald, Jr., Bill Schreiner**. Welcome to each of you, we're glad you have joined BREMC!

### New Business:

- Bruce Harless discusses the recent **Table Rock drive to Hickory and Paramount Classics**. Lots of nice cars. Lunch at Hickory Tavern in old uptown Hickory. The Table Rock club is participating in our car classic in April.
- Last weekend several folks went to the **South Carolina to the Casey (?) SC British car show #9**. All from BREMC who attended placed. There were 100-150 cars in their show. **Congratulations BREMC members!**
- Reminder: **MAY 23 – Saturday**, Southeastern British Motorcar Owners Club (SBMOC) will host an all British car show at *Furman University* in conjunction with *Greenville Scottish Games (Great Scot!)* Beautiful location. Our folks spoke very positively about the event.
- Samples of two BREMC letterheads are sent around for members to choose the one they prefer.
- Skip requests, if you have not paid this year's dues, please do so.
- Kurt let us know there is an MG for sale in Charlotte, just redone. Interested? Talk to Kurt.
- Mac indicates there are some more PR cards for the upcoming Broad River Classic available. Please take some with you this evening.

### Upcoming Car Show Business:

- **Registration:** Per Treasure, at this point 45 people have registered, 27 of whom are members of BREMC. (16 paid by PayPal, 25 by check and 1 by cash.) We are on trend with our registration numbers. Usually, we have 68+/- registered prior to the day of the show with an additional 35-40 registering day of, if the weather is lovely.
- **Raffle baskets:** Lundy indicates 15 baskets are pledged, 2 are in hand. The rest will be brought the day of the

show. Other items may be donated as well. The monies raised benefit local charities. Bruce Harless suggests auctioning hourly instead of all at once to increase interest and catch more folks. No decision made on this suggestion.

- **Posters:** Skip shows posters for this year's classic. Sponsor poster is a photo taken by Tommy Greene of a '34 Rolls Royce. Special edition poster is a pen and ink drawing by Cindy Carlisle. Both are quite lovely and the club appreciates their contributions.
- **Trophies:** Mac indicates we have 22 firsts, 19 seconds and 16 third place trophies. He asks if that is enough. Wilbur feels that should be enough. If we need to get additional trophies and mail them to some winners the winners are usually fine with that. Club members had no additional input and that plan is agreed upon. (No vote is taken.)
- **Parking:** Mac discusses the parking compromise that was necessary as the new covered Farmer's Market will not be ready in time. The market will get the half-block from Marion to East Dale and the club gets East Dale to Warren. We have asked the city to give us Washington street from Newts to City Cab. We would be giving up 150 feet to gain 210 feet.
- **Registration :** Registration will take place on Warren Street. We will not be using Shelby Savings Bank parking lot this year at all.
- **Volunteers:** Additional volunteers are needed by Mac and Renee, Iverson and Wilbur volunteered to help Mac.
- **Goody bags:** any "goody items" will go in the registration packets and may be given to Treasure.
- **Shared expenses:** BREMC and Buffalo Creek Gallery will be sharing the expense for a police patrol person and a port-a-potty. BREMC covers the officer and the gallery covers the port-a-potty.
- **Signage:** Mac indicates that we have reached out to so many clubs (promoted the event) that we need do increased signage this year. Club agrees with that. Consequently someone is needed to pick up our four large signs with a pick-up truck. We also have 100 election-style signs we can utilize. It is noted that we need good signage for the registration area. Wilbur will keep the Healey signs.
- **Executive committee** will meet next week to go over final details. Info and the date will be emailed to those members.

Respectfully submitted by,

Renee Bumbaugh  
Secretary, BREMC

**2015 DUES ARE DUE – SEE JIM MORGAN**

**2015 WINNERS**  
**BROAD RIVER EUROPEAN CLASSIC**

**GERMAN**

**BMW**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Jim Morgan  
1973 BMW 3.0 CS
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Stephen Nordt  
1985 BMW 535 I

**Mercedes**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Iverson Smith  
1965 Mercedes Benz 230 SL
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Ivars Liliensteins  
2007 Mercedes Benz 280 SLK
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Jim Love  
1981 Mercedes Benz 300 SD

**Porsche PR1**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Bob Cabaniss  
1969 Porsche 911E
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Bryan Gragg  
1971 Porsche 911
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Jack & Annette Porter  
2008 Porsche 911

**Porsche PR2**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Randy Dillingham  
1957 Porsche 356B

**VW 1<sup>st</sup> Place**

- Renee Bost  
1963 Volkswagen Beetle

**BRITISH**



**Healey AH1**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Wilbur Wright  
1962 Austin Healey 3000 MKII

**Healey AH2**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Alan Teague  
1967 Austin Healey BJ 8
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Chuck Reeves  
1967 Austin Healey MK 3

**Jaguar**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Nik Lewis  
2011 Jaguar XK-Convertible
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Jeannie Sapp  
2011 Jaguar XJE

**MG**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Ted Sjolander  
1962 MG A 1600
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place John Abernathy  
1974 MG Midget

**Triumph TR1**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Doug Carlisle  
1959 Triumph TR3A

**Triumph TR2**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Bill & Phyllis Plowden  
1971 Triumph TR6
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Skip Wise  
1968 Triumph TR250

**EXOTIC**



- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Bill & Carol  
Schreiner  
1973 Opel GT

**OTHER**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Stephen Smith  
1967 Sunbeam Alpine

**MOTORCYCLES**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Richard  
Daughenbaugh 1966 BSA
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Richard  
Daughenbaugh 1951 BSA



**ITALIAN**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Curt Holland  
2009 Maseati Quattroporte

**\*\*\*BEST IN SHOW and MAYOR'S CHOICE**

Randy 57963 Porsche 356

**SHOW TIME IS HERE**  
**UPCOMING SHOWS - MAY & JUNE**

**MAY 23**

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 conjunction with  
*Greenville Scottish Games*

<http://www.sbmoc.com/MainNewsletterFEB2015.htm>

**MAY 22 - 24**



The Vintage Gathering of Vintage BMW's  
 Winston Salem, NC

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

**JUNE 16-19**

Triumph Registry of America  
 National Meet  
 Solomon's Island, Maryland  
 See Doug Carlisle for details



<https://www.facebook.com/TRA2015>

# Broad River European Classic A Winner – No Matter the Weather

Compiled from e-mail from Skip Wise

**THANKS TO ALL WHO VOLUNTEERED  
TO MAKE SHOW A SUCCESS**

We had a very successful **5<sup>th</sup> Annual Broad River European Classic**. **BREMC** hit on all cylinders with NO glitches that I am aware of. Club support for the day was excellent despite the weather (though Mac may have missed a couple parkers).

## MAC's the MAN



Speaking of Mac, the smoothness of this event reflected the level of effort he put into it - which was a lot. Though we did not officially name a Classic Chair, **Charles**

**McCuen** emerged as that function. He had us ready to handle 120 cars and there is no doubt in my mind, he would have led us successfully through it. My major disappointment with the weather was that it did not give us an opportunity to prove Mac had done a superb job of planning.

## THANKS TO ALL WHO HELPED

I don't want to downplay or leave out the others who participated:

**Doug & Cindy Carlisle** for plaques, trophies, and day of show registration.

**Treasure & Alan Teague** for registration, statistics, and "trailer support" to move our show "props" between Moire and downtown.

**Wilbur & Lundy Wright** for work coordinating the basket / raffle which succeeded as a silent auction.

**Tom Greene** who continued his support and coaching that began last year.

**John Salazar's** support of equipment storage and handling.

**Bob & Cindy Cabaniss** who supported all of us with their experience and with signage along with **Jim Morgan**.



**Renee & Jerry Bumbaugh** with sponsor follow up.



To all who provided me with constructive comments and feedback of support.

## THANKS TO ALL PARTICIPATED

And, really important - **All of BREMC** who drove their cars. A special THANKS to the members of **Table Rock Sports Car Club**. We increased our membership with the addition of several new members who came via our website.

## EVALUATE, INNOVATE, AND OVERCOME

Due to limited participation and small crowd, we quickly decided to forgo a raffle and instead do a silent auction for the baskets and other items. This went very well and is important because it generally brings many dollars in. I don't know how much yet.

Our Mayor's choice was presented by **Uptown Shelby Executive Director Audrey Whitten**, due to the mayor's



absence. Again, quick decision making (Jim Morgan) resulted in that presentation.

Member **Randy Dillingham** brought his finished **1957 Porsche 356** despite the weather.

That was huge. "Drive 'em" is all I can say.

A special **Thank You** to **Cindy Cabaniss** and **Doug Carlisle** who sent pictures for the newsletter.

## FOR SALE 1953 MG-TD

**Curt Holland** is helping a friend to sell this 1953 **MG TD**.

If you are interested in learning more about the car, **Curt** has looked it over and would be willing to answer any questions. Give him a call at 704-472-8599

The lady selling the car is **Edlin Ray in Charlotte. 704-399-1740**  
**You may contact her direct or call Curt to discuss the car before calling the owner.**

Photos of partially restored 1953 MG TD.

*Front View*



*Side View  
Rear View*



## TRIUMPH TR6 FOR SALE

**Barry Harms** shared the following e-mail:  
Gents, I am in possession of a **1973 Triumph TR6**, that has been in storage since 1991. I have cleaned it up somewhat. Does not run, no brakes. \$2500 as is.

Solid rust free car. Please pass this on at the meeting, Betty & I have Italian lessons for next 9 weeks!

Call me about this. Thanks

