

# The Rear View Mirror

News about BREMC -- Any ideas for the newsletter? Send an e-mail to Jack Weller with your suggestion

NOVEMBER 02  
NEXT MEETING  
Cleveland Country Club  
Shelby, NC

November 2017

Broad River European Motor Club

Shelby, North Carolina 28150

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## NOVEMBER MEETING ON 2<sup>ND</sup>

Join us at Cleveland Country Club 1360 East Marion Street Shelby for our Meeting on November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30pm. When you enter the Club at the Portico Entrance, our private dining room will be to your right. The Club is set-up to take cash or credit cards and a Cash Bar will be available.

## E-MAIL YOUR PICNIC RESERVATION

Please e-mail Jim Morgan that you will be attending to help in the planning by **TUESDAY NOON, November 1<sup>st</sup>**.

Jim's e-mail address is [jimmorgan1954@charlotte.twcbc.com](mailto:jimmorgan1954@charlotte.twcbc.com)

## IT'S A TREAT TO BE AT SENIOR CENTER CAR SHOW

Burce Harless has worked with the Senior Center again this year to get us preferred parking for our cars at the Neal Senior Center Car show.



See you Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup> at the Neal Senior Center off of T. R. Harris Drive in Shelby. Bring candy to share with the little goblins.

If you can help with parking, come about 7:00am.

The show is from 8:00am until 2:00pm.

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear BREMC Members and Friends,

BOO! (scared you, didn't I)



Happy Halloween and welcome to November.

Thanksgiving is only four weeks away and Christmas is about 8 weeks. Now I've scared you.

Speaking of time flying, the first of the year is fast approaching and it's time to start preparations for our Classic. I hope you took my comments to heart at the last meeting and you are ready to step up and take the reins as Chair of the project. Those who have come before have a good schedule already in place and our members are good about helping out, so it's all set up for you! Thanks for your consideration.

Our next meeting will be at the Cleveland Country Club on Thursday, November 2 and I look forward to seeing all of you there. Please send me an email letting me know whether or not you will be in attendance. Be prepared to share news you have regarding shows, rides, parades,

Missy will share news about her rebuild...wait, that doesn't sound right...news about her chassis....no that doesn't sound right either...news about her bodywork....no, that's worse.... news about her car.... that's better.

Man, I hope Jack edits that out, I'd hate to get into trouble. (editor's note – it was too good to delete.)

Jim

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 20<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 – *The Honorable James Morgan, presiding* \*

Vice President – *Alan Teague* \*

Secretary / Treasurer – *Cindy Carlisle* \*

Immediate Past President, -- *Skip Wise* \*

Car Show Co-Directors – *John Salazar & Bob Cabaniss*

Historian – *Cindy Carlisle*

Special Events Coordinator – *Curt Holland*

Program Chair – *Alan Teague*

Membership- *Bill Plowden*

Newsletter – *Jack Weller*

Publicity –

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 TO COME ON A SATURDAY MORNING TO

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

### BRITS & BREW CHARLOTTE

Second Saturday of Month Old Mecklenburg Brewery

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=brits%20and%20brews>

## 2017 Meetings / Events Calendar

The 2017 Calendar is updated as Events are sent to be posted. 2016 Events are listed in **yellow** awaiting a 2017 event date verification.

DATE	Meeting / Event
JANUARY	2017
1	BREMC New Year's Day Drive on the Little Lizard
5	BREMC Monthly Meeting
FEBRUARY	
2	BREMC Monthly Meeting
MARCH	
2	BREMC Monthly Meeting
25	11th Annual BMW/Porsche Swap Meet: Matthews, NC <a href="http://sandlapperbmw.org/?tribe_events=11th-annual-bmw-porsche-swap-meet">http://sandlapperbmw.org/?tribe_events=11th-annual-bmw-porsche-swap-meet</a>
APRIL	
1	Carolina British Classics XI, Columbia Speedway, <a href="http://www.bccmc.com/Home_Page.php">http://www.bccmc.com/Home_Page.php</a>
6	BREMC Monthly Meeting
	Clifford's Army Rescue
22	The Gathering Shelter Vineyards <a href="http://www.triumphclub.org/Gathering/index.html">http://www.triumphclub.org/Gathering/index.html</a>
29	Broad River European Classic <a href="http://www.broadriveremc.com">www.broadriveremc.com</a>
MAY	
4	BREMC Monthly Meeting
13	18th Annual British Car Show-Wrightsville Beach Park
19-21	The BMW Vintage (for specified older Bimmers) Asheville & Hot Springs, NC --- <a href="http://www.athevintage.com/">http://www.athevintage.com/</a>
19-21	Carlisle Import Car Show/Autojumble Carlisle, PA <a href="http://www.carlisleevents.com/carlisle-events/carlisle-import-and-performance-nationals/default.aspx">http://www.carlisleevents.com/carlisle-events/carlisle-import-and-performance-nationals/default.aspx</a>
28	Southeastern British Motorcar Owners Club (car show Furman University in conjunction with Greenville Scottish Games <a href="http://www.sbmc.com/great-sco/">http://www.sbmc.com/great-sco/</a>
JUNE	
1	BREMC Monthly Meeting
3-4	VIR HSR Historic vintage race <a href="http://virnow.com/events/historic-sportscar-racing/">http://virnow.com/events/historic-sportscar-racing/</a>
8-11	Highlands Motoring Festival Highlands, NC <a href="http://highlandsmotoringfestival.com/">http://highlandsmotoringfestival.com/</a>
21-24	Triumph Registry National Meet in Columbus, Indiana See John Long for details <a href="http://triumphregister.com/tra-national-meet/">http://triumphregister.com/tra-national-meet/</a>
JULY	
4	INDEPENDENCE Day Parade – LATTIMORE
7	Rock Barn European Classic
13	BREMC Picnic at Baker's Buffalo Creek Winery
AUGUST	
3	BREMC Monthly Meeting
	Healey Club of the Carolinas Mountain Trip Contact Treasure Teague or Chuck Reeves for info. Classic Boat and Car Show- Trump Nat'l Golf Course 10-3-Mooresville
26	
SEPTEMBER	
7	BREMC Monthly Meeting
9	The Auto Lawn Party – Hickory <a href="http://www.theautolawn.com/">http://www.theautolawn.com/</a> to register.
21-24	Auto Fair – Charlotte, NC <a href="http://www.charlotte-autofair.com/">http://www.charlotte-autofair.com/</a>
23-24	VIR (Virginia International Raceway) Gold Cup Races <a href="http://virnow.com/events/heacock-classisented-by-svra/">http://virnow.com/events/heacock-classisented-by-svra/</a>
30	Autumn in the Mountains BCCWC Hendersonville, NC <a href="http://www.bccwc.org/aitm/">http://www.bccwc.org/aitm/</a>
30	MG's on the Green Harrisburg, NC <a href="http://www.metrolinamgcarclub.com/mgs-on-the-green.html">http://www.metrolinamgcarclub.com/mgs-on-the-green.html</a>
OCTOBER	
5	BREMC Monthly Meeting
7	Britfest at the Market Common" Myrtle Beach- <a href="http://grandstrandbritishcarclub.com/">http://grandstrandbritishcarclub.com/</a>
21	Euro Auto Festival The Preserve at Verdae Greenville, NC <a href="http://www.euroautofestival.com/">http://www.euroautofestival.com/</a>
28	Shelby Senior Center Halloween Car Show
NOVEMBER	
2	BREMC Monthly Meeting
4-5	Hilton Head SC-Concours d'elegance
4	
DECEMBER	
7	BREMC Christmas Party
17	SHELBY CHRISTMAS PARADE <a href="https://uptownshelby.com/events/christmas-parade">https://uptownshelby.com/events/christmas-parade</a>

BREMC Meetings & Christmas Party will be at Cleveland Country Club, Shelby, NC, unless otherwise posted.



**SEPTEMBER MEETING HELD SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16  
AT CURT & MISSY HOLLAND'S HOME IN BEAUTIFUL BESSERMER CITY**

First, a special Thank You to Curt and Missy Holland for hosting our September BREMC meeting and Picnic held at the Pond" in Bessemer City. We had quite a crowd, wonderful food, a lot to talk about and just enjoying a summer day. Here are a few pictures from the event.

Here some of the captions submitted for the pictures.



Evolution of design over two decades of sport cars.



I can get you one of these Hawaiian shirts the next time I am there.



If anyone gets up, could you bring me Seconds Of everything?



Will you share that recipe?



Do you know how hard it is to get twenty some people to look at me for a group picture?



The Best Looking European Car Club in Cleveland County – voted by the Shelby Star.



# OCTOBER SHOWS NEAL SENIOR CENTER HALLOWEEN CAR SHOW SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28

Contact Bruce Harless for more information at  
[bharless@carolina.rr.com](mailto:bharless@carolina.rr.com)

## NOVEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup> MEETING AT CLEVELAND COUNTRY CLUB

**1360 EAST MARION STREET SHELBY, NC**

Our regular meeting will be November 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Cleveland Country Club located at 1360 East Marion Street in Shelby.

There will be a buffet set up for us. There will be a cash bar and you can pay for your meal and drinks with cash or plastic. Please contact Jim Morgan by Tuesday noon with your reservation for the meeting.

### **Broad River European Motor Club**

**October Meeting October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

The BREMC met on October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017, at the Cleveland Country Club.

There were 23 members present and one guest.

August Minutes were approved as read.

Treasurer's report of \$2765.20 was reported in our account.

Reviews were given on the Autumn in The Mountains Show where BREMC racked up in trophies this year. MG's on the Green had a good showing also.

Missy gave a report on her new (to her) 1978 Spitfire. The Spitfire was collected and brought to its new home with no problems. Follow her progress in restoring the car on FB at BREMC.

Homecoming at GWU is this weekend. Several of our cars will be escorting the GWU beauties for the homecoming parade.

Jack reported that this year's Christmas Parade in Shelby will be held on December 17<sup>th</sup>. Let Jack know if you will be there to reserve your spot.

The Boys and Girls Club of Shelby used our donation monies from our Euro Classic to help get the vans they purchased ready to travel. A big THANK YOU from Jack and the Club for our support.

The Euro Fest will be October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017 for those interested in going.

October 28<sup>th</sup> will be the Senior Centers Halloween Fall Festival. Bring your chairs and your candy.

We thank the Cleveland Country Club for having us for our meetings. You can pay at the bar as you leave.

We still have a minimum number of meals to guarantee. Remember to invite our regular members and/or bring guest.

Respectfully submitted

Cindy Carlisle, Secretary/Treasurer

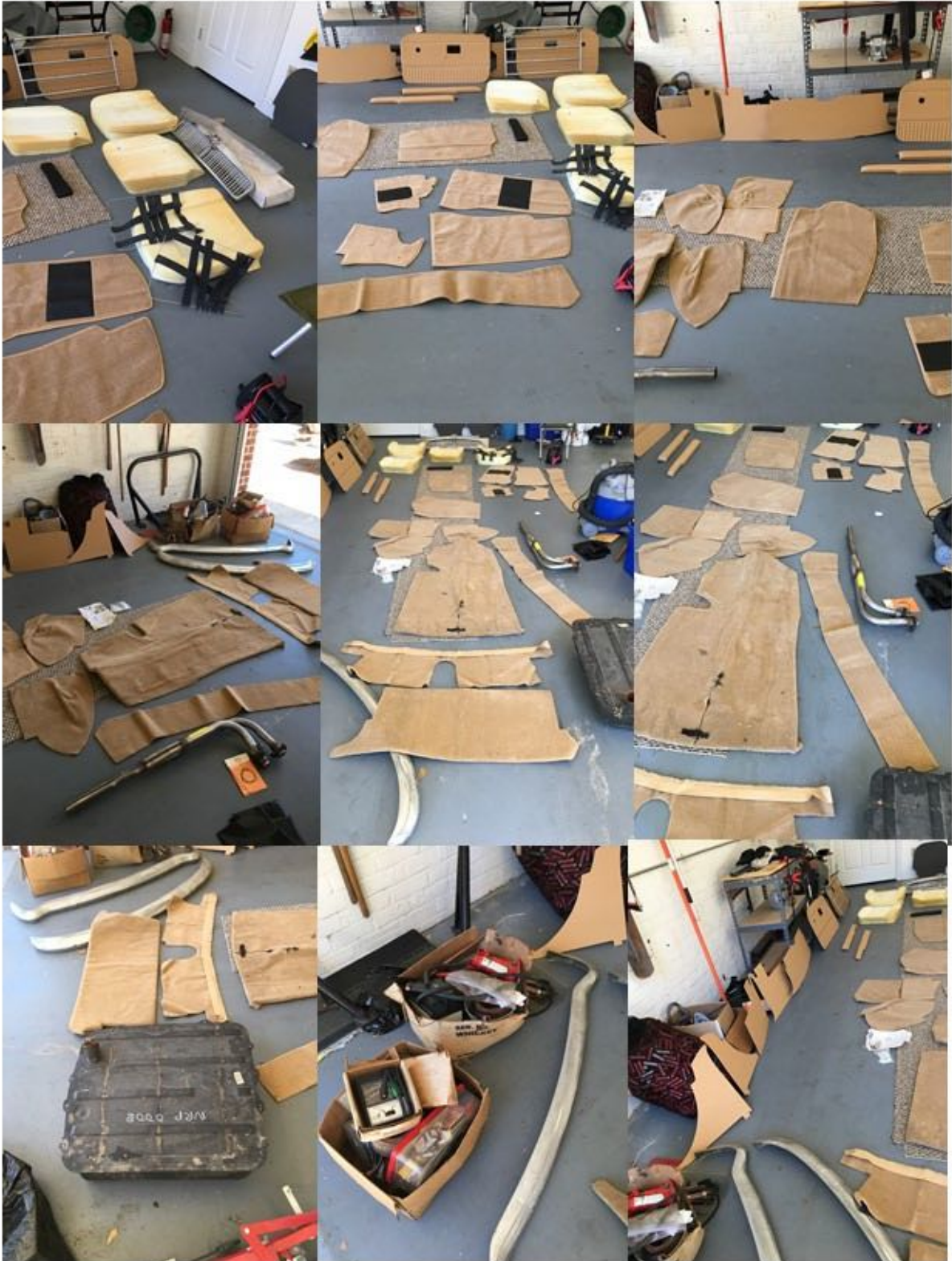




# MGB INTERIOR AND OTHER PARTS FOR SALE

Club member Henry Weathers passed away over a year ago. His wife wants to sell these parts for an MGB. This is a complete set for the inside of an MGB 1962 to 1980. I also have a new grill, luggage rack, an original gas tank and boxes of odds and ends. Please email me at [hlw219@bellsouth.net](mailto:hlw219@bellsouth.net) for further info.

Thank you, Jackie Weathers



**DO YOU KNOW OF ANY SHOWS IN  
NOVEMBER OR PARADES IN DECEMBER?  
SEND INFORMATION TO JACK WELLER AT  
[wsweller@aol.com](mailto:wsweller@aol.com)**

**HURRICANE HONEYS  
Keep the second Friday in November open.**

**GARDNER WEBB UNIVERSITY  
HOMECOMING PARADE –  
VEHICLES FROM BREMC MEMBERS**

