

The Rear View Mirror

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NOVEMBER 1ST
NEXT MEETING
CLEVELAND COUNTRY CLUB
SHELBY, NC

November 2018

Broad River European Motor Club

Shelby, North Carolina 28150

Volume X Number 09

MEETING NOVEMBER 1ST AT CLEVELAND COUNTRY CLUB

We will hold our monthly meeting at the Cleveland Country Club this month. We will discuss potential officers for next year, the proposed layout for the April BREMC European Classic to be held April 27 and the Shelby Christmas Parade on December 15. The meal being served at 6:30pm. Please let Jack Weller know if you will or will not attend the meeting. Address: 1360 East Marion Street Shelby, NC

E-MAIL DINNER RESERVATION

Please e-mail Jack Weller that you will be attending to help in the planning by **TUESDAY NOON, October 30th**. Jack's e-mail address is wsweller@aol.com

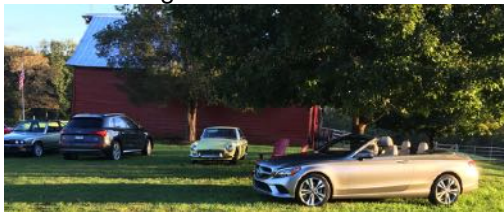
WE ENJOYED RIBS AT BAKER'S BUFFALO CREEK WINERY & VINEYARD

A special THANK YOU to Anne and Charles Edwards for hosting our October meeting. The St Louis style ribs were great and were complemented with BBQ from Alston Bridges.



It was a fun night. John and Belkes Salazar

showed off their newest addition. We did do a little business as we looked



at an alternate site for the BREMC European Classic Show on South Washington Street by the Don Gibson Theatre. See article on page 6 for more details.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear BREMC Members and Friends,

Welcome to November. Yes, I know this is the month where we sit back and express our gratitude for the many blessings in our life but I'm not going to engage in that exercise in this message. I don't think I will be at the meeting on November 1 as I have been given a court assignment in Franklin, NC. This is the part of the state where if you head south and cross the state line you are in Georgia. There are lots of things to do in Franklin: hike, bike, fly-fish, enjoy scenic drives, listen out for banjo music and visit waterfalls. I hope to have some time to hold court as well. Franklin is also known for its gem shops. Page will not be on this trip. It looks like a great place for a club drive except it's located just west of *You Can't Get There From Here*, NC. I'll tell you about it in December.

OK I lied. I am going to talk about some things that make me thankful. I am thankful that we are the kind of Club that holds a fun car show and then takes the proceeds of that car show and makes some people's lives a little better. I am thankful we have a location for the Classic next spring that will not interfere with the street and sidewalk work around the court square. The Don Gibson Theater has indicated it wants to participate by showing some "car" movies. I'll stay on top of that with Stan Lowery. Law enforcement has also indicated that would be willing to set up some demonstration vehicles, activities, etc. that will assist in drawing people to us.

I am thankful we have club members who pitch in and make the Classic work. Our needs right now include club members to head up committees that look after: promotion for the show; pre-registration and registration; parking; raffles; and logistics. Also, we need members to make up the committees to make it all happen. Please be prepared to offer your services at the meeting on November 1 at the Cleveland Country Club. Hopefully someone will have sign-up sheets.

Finally, I'm thankful that this is the end of the message (and I'm sure you are, too).

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 20th 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

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 – *To Be Determined*

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

MORNINGWEATHER CO-OPERATING COFFEE, CARS & CONVERSATION

Impromptu Summer Car Show at Lilly Bean on a Saturday



YOU ARE INVITED 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>

2018 Meetings / Events Calendar

The 2018 Calendar is updated as Events are sent to be posted.
2017 Events are listed in yellow awaiting a 2018 event date verification.

| DATE | Meeting / Event |
|-----------|---|
| JANUARY | 2018 |
| 1 | BREMC New Year's Day Drive |
| 11 | BREMC Monthly Meeting |
| FEBRUARY | |
| 1 | BREMC Monthly Meeting |
| MARCH | |
| 1 | BREMC Monthly Meeting |
| APRIL | |
| 1 | BREMC AT BMW TEST FACILITY SEE ARTICLE ON PAGE ONE FOR MORE DETAILS |
| 5 | BREMC Monthly Meeting |
| 14 | Clifford's Army Rescue |
| 21 | The Gathering Shelton Vineyards http://www.triumphclub.org/GatheringIndex.html |
| 28 | NO Broad River European Classic www.braceriveremc.com |
| MAY | |
| 3 | BREMC Monthly Meeting |
| 5 | Brits at the Battleship British Motor Club of Cape Fear http://www.bmccl.org/events/2018-bmccl-car-show-brits-battleship/ |
| 12 | BREMC CLASSIC FUN DRIVE SEE DETAILS ON PAGE FOUR OF NEWSLETTER. |
| 18-20 | The BMW Vintage (for specified older Bimmers) Asheville & Hot Springs, NC --- http://www.atthevintage.com/ SOLD OUT |
| 18-20 | Carlisle Import Car Show/Autojumble Carlisle, PA http://www.carlisleevents.com/carlisle-events/carlisle-import-and-performance-nationals/default.aspx |
| 26 | Southeastern British Motorcar Owners Club Great Scot Furman University in conjunction with Greenville Scottish Games http://www.sbmoc.com/year-2018-2019-2020-2021/ |
| JUNE | |
| 7 | BREMC Monthly Meeting |
| 1-2 | VIR HSR Historic vintage race http://virmoc.com/events/historic-sportscar-racing/ |
| 7-10 | Highlands Motoring Festival Highlands, NC https://highlandsmotoringfestival.com/ |
| 19-21 | Triumph Registry National Meet in Blowing Rock, NC See John Long for details http://triumphregister.com/tri-national-meet/ |
| JULY | |
| 4 | INDEPENDENCE Day Parade – LATTIMORE |
| 12 | BREMC Picnic at Baker's Buffalo Creek Winery |
| AUGUST | |
| 2 | BREMC Monthly Meeting |
| SEPTEMBER | |
| 6 | NO BREMC Monthly Meeting |
| 8 | The Auto Lawn Party – Hickory http://www.theautolawn.com/ to register. |
| 6-9 | Auto Fair – Charlotte, NC http://www.charlotte-autofair.com/ |
| 15 | September Meeting at Curt & Missy Hollands 5 th Annual Picnic by the Pond Bessemer City, NC |
| 29 | Lake Lure Euro Classic at Rumbling Bald Resort at Lake Lure, NC |
| 29 | MG's on the Green Harrisburg, NC http://www.metrolinamcgarclub.com/mgs-on-the-green.html |
| OCTOBER | |
| 4 | BREMC Monthly Meeting at Baker's Buffalo Creek Winery Britfest at the Market Common" |
| 6 | Myrtle Beach- http://grandstrandbritishcarclub.com/ |
| 13 | Autumn in the Mountains BCCWC at Asheville Outlet Mall http://www.bccwnc.org/autumn-in-the-mountains-british-car-show/ |
| 20 | Euro Auto Festival The Preserve at Verdae Greenville, NC http://www.euroautofestival.com/ |
| 27 | Shelby Senior Center Halloween Car Show |
| NOVEMBER | |
| 1 | BREMC Monthly Meeting |
| 1-4 | Hilton Head SC-Concours d'elegance http://www.hhiconcours.com/ |
| 10 | BREMC FUN DRIVE |
| DECEMBER | |
| 6 | BREMC Christmas Party |
| 16 | SHELBY CHRISTMAS PARADE https://uptownshelby.com/events/christmas-parade |

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

Broad River European Motor Club

October 4, 2018 Meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order by President Jim Morgan after a delicious meal at Baker Buffalo Creek Winery and Vineyard.

Thanks to Charles and Ann Edwards for allowing us to meet here and to Charles for some Great Ribs! A special thanks to Jack and Barb Weller for arranging to have our meeting here. Also, thanks to Jack for picking up the BBQ from Alston Bridges.

President Jim also said Thanks to Jack for another great newsletter and he is hoping everybody is saving the "Presidential Post" each month.

Please leave \$10 per person on the table to help cover cost of ribs that Charles prepared for us and for BBQ and sides provided by Bridges.

The City of Shelby has issued a permit for next year's car show. They strongly encouraged considering other locations than the Court Square due to continued construction on uptown city streets. The big work on streets will be done. However, they will be working on sidewalks, etc. Presently, we are considering the area in front of Don Gibson Theater and City Hall plus using Fidelity Bank parking lot will be our best location. Fidelity Bank has given their approval. Stan Lowery at Don Gibson Theater says no concerts that night and he would be happy to play car movies all day. There is also a bar inside for libations. Jim would like a committee to go look at the area. There are 2 restaurants within a block and half. Food trucks are also a possibility. DATE is April 27, 2019... the last Saturday in April.

Page Morgan gave a Cruise Report from the Hurricane Honeys, who were sporting their matching t-shirts tonight. She says next year's cruise date will probably be 2 weeks later. Missy Holland said they were looking at an 8 day cruise leaving on a Saturday, returning on the following Sunday. Destination - St. Thomas, St. Martin, San Juan. Ladies, be thinking about joining the Hurricane Honeys!! Also considering a Couples cruise.. A Viking River Cruise or an Alaskan Cruise. That would be awesome.

Page also said they are planning an Auxillary Meeting to the Melting Pot in Charlotte. Transportation to be provided. More details to follow.

Jim welcomed our guests, Ron & Neena ... visiting Jeff and Joanne Cox from PA. They're on their way to Texas.

John Salazar has a new 2019 Mercedes. This was purchased after the sale of his white Mercedes. Beautiful!

Jeff & Dawn Dreibus reported on recent Car Show at Rumbling Bald. Randy was there with his Porsche, Louis Freeman with his MGA and several other members also. They said it was a very nice day. It's the same as Rock Barn had been in the past. Jeff & Dawn encouraged more to try to attend next year.

John Long "broke his plane", but he and Bob Cabaniss are working on getting it fixed up.

Curt Holland is working on some Drives for us. More details to come in email, but

3rd weekend in October heading north towards Mt. Mitchell. A discussion about a possible 2 day drive, but voted for 1 day drive instead.

2nd weekend in November West to Tryon/Saluda area.
And then, of course, the 3rd Annual New Years Day drive.

Jack Weller asked for help with the GW Homecoming Parade on October 13. In the past, the Corvette Club has helped, but they are not available this year. Convertibles are preferred. This is a very short parade. If you participate, you may attend the football game for free. Please let Jack know if you can help out.

Jerry Bumbaugh reminded everyone of the upcoming Aldersgate Apple Butter Festival on October 27. There will also be a Car Show there. Park your car for free.

Bob Cabaniss discussed the Senior Center Car Show, which many of us have attended the past several years. He will be unable to attend, but his wife, Cindy, will drive Porsche over. He will also contact Senior Center to ask them to rope off an area for us.

Jim Morgan dismissed the meeting.

Cindy Cabaniss, fill-in Secretary

VISIT OUR FACEBOOK PAGE

TAKE A MINUTE AND USE THIS LINK TO LIKE THE BROAD RIVER EUROPEAN MOTOR CLUB FACEBOOK PAGE
ONCE YOU LIKE THE PAGE -GET UPDATES AS THEY APPEAR AND INFORMATION IS ADDED.
CLICK ON THE THUMBS UP SYMBOL OR WORD "LIKE" TO LIKE THE PAGE
TO LEARN MORE ABOUT UPCOMING FUN DRIVES
EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND PROJECTS AND INTERESTING BARN FINDS
BY VISITING & LIKING OUR FACEBOOK PAGE
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1512058148828961/>



Table Rock Sports Car Club Shares activities on FB at

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

They have several drives scheduled in July.
Thanks to Randy Wright for his work in making this information available.

Folks were in Hickory to be part of Auto Lawn Euro Classic Car Show. Jeff Dreibus supplied these pictures. See more on FB on BREMC page.

SAVE THE DATE
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16
UPTOWN SHELBY
CHRISTMAS PARADE

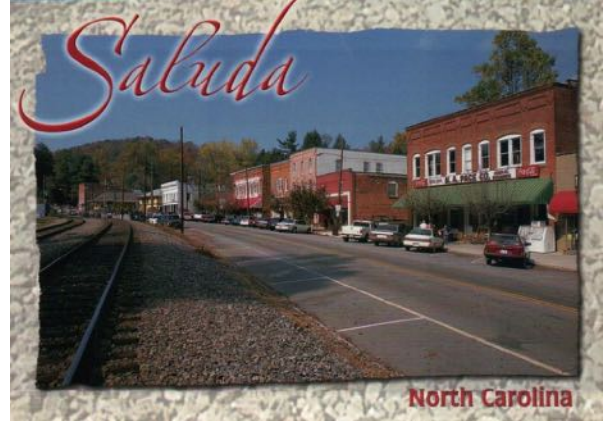


WE NEED YOU THERE FOR THE RED CAR, GREEN CAR, WHITE CAR PATTERN.

AUTUMN DRIVE PLANNED

Curt Holland has offered an Autumn Drive for Saturday, November 10.
Here is Curt's descriptions of the drive.

NOVEMBER Drive:



Planned for the second weekend in November, this drive will Gather and depart 10ish from Shelby (Aldersgate or Ingles) Drive 74 west and exit on NC108 at Columbus, and head south to Tryon. In Tryon get on NC176 toward Saluda (fun road!) In Saluda find parking (1st Baptist church), see and visit town, and walk to lunch (BBQ?) After lunch take 1105/Mountain Page Rd south, to old Hwy 25 south. At hwy 11, exit off hwy 25 and head east on scenic 11. Travel hwy 11 to Cowpens National Battlefield for our final gathering location. Photo op? Depart Cowpen Battlefield at your leisure.

NEW YEARS DAY DRIVE:



There would be no Dec drive, but the third annual New Year's Day drive route will be planned soon. If you'll recall the heart endured and survived near 0 degree temperatures last year! Stay tuned for these details, but put it on your calendar!

GARDNER WEBB UNIVERSITY HOMECOMING PARADE

**BREMC provides classic vehicles for the
Gardner Webb Homecoming Court.**



The 2019 Homecoming Court rode in the Homecoming Parade in eleven classic cars – 8 European and three Corvettes.

Micha Martin,
GWU
Homecoming
Coordinator,

shared, “We are so appreciative of Broad River European Motor Club coordinating the cars for the parade. The members of the Court all appreciate the fact that they are riding in a classic car and want to Thank each of you for being their transportation.



Some how we all arrived early and we waited in the pre-assembly area by the Broyhill Ropes Course. Thank you to Club members Alan Teague, Alan Roebuck, Ivars Lilianstein,, Skip Wise, Mac McCuen, Bob Cabaniss, Jerry Bumbaugh, and Jack Weller.

REMEMBER NOVEMBER 11



SENIOR CENTER CAR SHOW SATURDAY OCTOBER 27 TIME TO SHARE SOME TREATS

We were well represented at the Neal Senior Center Car Show. Thanks to Dawn Dreibus for taking these shots of some of the unusual cars on display at the show – you will recognize a few BREMC folks in the pictures.



TIME TO START TO PLAN FOR 2019 BREMC EUROPEAN CLASSIC CAR SHOW

In a few short weeks, the New Year will be upon us and we will be scrambling to complete items for our show on Saturday, April 27th. The City of Shelby will still be involved in their Uptown Renovations. Here is a proposed site for our show that features the Don Gibson Theatre and parking along tree lined streets.

2019 BREMC EUROPEAN CLASSIC CAR SHOW SITE

CITY WOULD BLOCK OFF SOUTH WASHINGTON STREET IN FRONT OF DON GIBSON THEATRE AND THE CITY PARKING LOT ON EAST GRAHAM STREET. AREA A & B

FIDELITY BANK WILL ALLOW US TO USE THEIR PARKING LOT AS LONG AS WE DO NOT BLOCK ACCESS TO THE ATM FROM LAFAYETTE STREET. AREA C

POTENTIAL FOR OVER 175 CARS.

REGISTRATION WOULD BE ON SOUTH WASHINGTON STREET BY CITY HALL.

OTHER VENDOR / SPONSOR TENTS IN SAME AREA



To get you thinking about the different tasks that make up the show, here is the start of a list that some folks have led in the past – sign-up tonight or before our December meeting to help get the planning for the show started.

2019 BREMC EUROPEAN CLASSIC CAR SHOW COMMITTEES

| | |
|---------------------|--------------------------|
| SHOW DIRECTOR (S) | PRE-REGISTRATION |
| SPONSORS | PUBLICITY |
| SAVE THE DATE CARD | BASKETS / 50-50 RAFFLE |
| CAR CLUB LIAISON | MOTOR CYCLE LIAISON |
| SIGNAGE | SECURITY / PORT-O-JOHN'S |
| REGISTRATION DAY OF | SET-UP DAY OF |
| PARKING DAY OF | CLUB TENT SET-UP MANNING |
| ANNOUNCER | TEAR DOWN AND CLEAN-UP |