

# The Rear View Mirror

News about BREMC -- Any ideas for the newsletter?

Send an e-mail to Jack Weller with your suggestions

February 2019

Broad River European Motor Club

Shelby, North Carolina 28150

febrUARY 7<sup>TH</sup>  
NEXT MEETING  
ANGEL'S RESTAURANT  
BESSEMER CITY, NC

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## MEETING FEBRUARY 7<sup>TH</sup> ANGEL'S RESTAURANT BESSEMER CITY

We will hold our monthly meeting at Angels Resturant in Bessemer City. We will continue to plan for the BREMC European Classic Car Show on Saturday April 27<sup>th</sup> The meal will be served at 6:30pm Angels Restaurant

**Address:** 101 E Virginia Ave, Bessemer City, NC 28016

**Phone:** (704) 629-4586

Visit them on Face Book

<https://www.facebook.com/Angels.Bessemer.City/>

### E-MAIL DINNER RESERVATION

Please e-mail Jim Morgan that you will be attending to help in the planning by **TUESDAY NOON, February 5<sup>th</sup>**

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

### BROAD RIVER EUROPEAN CLASSIC SHOW ON LINE REGISTRATION IS LIVE

For those of you who want to get your car in the the BREMC Broad River European Classic Show, head to our website and register your car today. You have two options.

1. Download the form, fill it out and mail to the Club.
2. Use the fillable PDF form and Paypal to register on line.

Here is the link to our website registration form

<http://www.broadriveremc.com/>

Then Click on Green Bar to take you to the forms.

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear BREMC Members and Friends,

Winter came with a vengeance this week. It finally stopped raining and the temperatures are way too cold

for me. I hope everyone is managing to stay warm.



A group of club members came to the house one

weekend after the last meeting and helped Curt and I remove the engine from the Spitfire.

And as Curt's project tend to go, so are mine now. This will not just be an engine rebuild, but he has taken apart the spare OD transmission I got with the car. I am looking forward to driving with the top down in the future and having better gear-splitting performance.



If you have a car project in mind, let the club members know and you too can have lots of help.

The February meeting will be at Angels in Bessemer City. We are trying something new. I love the food and hope you will enjoy the unique atmosphere.

Looking for to seeing you all Thursday!

Missy

A guy knows he's in love when he loses interest in his car for a couple of days. -Tim

Allen

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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 [wseller@aol.com](mailto:wseller@aol.com)

## BREMC OFFICERS & COMMITTEES

President – Missy Holland\*  
 Vice President – Alan Teague \*  
 Secretary / Treasurer – Cindy Carlisle \*  
 Immediate Past President, -- Jim Morgan \*  
 Car Show Co-Directors – Jim Morgan & John Salazar  
 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

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  
 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 at  
 Old Mecklenburg Brewery

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

## 2019 Meetings / Events Calendar

The 2019 Calendar is updated as Events are sent to be posted.  
 2018 Events are listed in yellow awaiting a 2019 event date verification.

DATE	Meeting / Event
<b>JANUARY</b>	
2019	
1	BREMC New Year's Day Drive
11	BREMC Monthly Meeting
<b>FEBRUARY</b>	
7	<b>BREMC Monthly Meeting</b>
<b>MARCH</b>	
7	BREMC Monthly Meeting
<b>APRIL</b>	
1	TO BE ANNOUNCED
4	BREMC Monthly Meeting
13	Clifford's Army Rescue
13	The Gathering Shelton Vineyards <a href="http://www.triumphclub.org/Gathering/index.html">http://www.triumphclub.org/Gathering/index.html</a>
27	BREMC European Classic <a href="http://www.broadriveremc.com">www.broadriveremc.com</a>
<b>MAY</b>	
2	BREMC Monthly Meeting
4	Brits at the Battleship British Motor Club of Cape Fear <a href="http://www.bmccf.org/events/2018-bmccf-car-show-brits-battleship/">http://www.bmccf.org/events/2018-bmccf-car-show-brits-battleship/</a>
17-19	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>
25	Southeastern British Motorcar Owners Club Great Scot Furman University in conjunction with Greenville Scottish Games <a href="http://www.stmcc.com">http://www.stmcc.com</a>
<b>JUNE</b>	
6	BREMC Monthly Meeting
1-2	VIR HSR Historic vintage race <a href="http://virnow.com/events/historic-sportscar-racing/">http://virnow.com/events/historic-sportscar-racing/</a>
7-10	Highlands Motoring Festival Highlands, NC <a href="https://highlandsmotoringfestival.com/">https://highlandsmotoringfestival.com/</a>
19-21	Triumph Registry National Meet in Blowing Rock, NC See John Long for details <a href="http://triumphregister.com/tra-national-meet/">http://triumphregister.com/tra-national-meet/</a>
<b>JULY</b>	
4	INDEPENDENCE Day Parade – LATTIMORE
11	BREMC Picnic
<b>AUGUST</b>	
2	BREMC Monthly Meeting
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	
5	NO BREMC Monthly Meeting
8	The Auto Lawn Party – Hickory <a href="http://www.theautolawn.com/">http://www.theautolawn.com/</a> to register.
6-9	Auto Fair – Charlotte, NC <a href="http://www.charlotte-autofair.com/">http://www.charlotte-autofair.com/</a>
14	September Meeting at Curt & Missy Hollands 5 <sup>th</sup> 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 <a href="http://www.metrolinamcgarclub.com/mgs-on-the-green.html">http://www.metrolinamcgarclub.com/mgs-on-the-green.html</a>
<b>OCTOBER</b>	
3	BREMC Monthly Meeting
6	Britfest at the Market Common Myrtle Beach- <a href="http://grandstrandbritishcarclub.com/">http://grandstrandbritishcarclub.com/</a>
13	Autumn in the Mountains BCCWC at Asheville Outlet Mall
19	Euro Auto Festival The Preserve at Verdae Greenville, NC <a href="http://www.euroautofestival.com/">http://www.euroautofestival.com/</a>
26	Shelby Senior Center Halloween Car Show
<b>NOVEMBER</b>	
7	BREMC Monthly Meeting
1-4	Hilton Head SC-Concours d'elégance <a href="http://www.hhiconcours.com/">http://www.hhiconcours.com/</a>
09	BREMC FUN DRIVE
<b>DECEMBER</b>	
5	BREMC Christmas Party
15	SHELBY CHRISTMAS PARADE <a href="https://uptownshelby.com/events/christmas-parade">https://uptownshelby.com/events/christmas-parade</a>

## Broad River European Motor Club January 10, 2019 Meeting Minutes

The Broad River European Motor Club met on January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019, at the Cleveland Country Club. There were 24 members present.

The meeting was called to order by Missy Holland. The minutes were approved as read.

We had seven cars participate in the Shelby Christmas Parade. This included Bill and Phyllis Plowden, Jim Morgan, Joanne and Jeff Cox, Bryon Gragg and his elf, Miles, Jeff and Dawn Dreibus, Skip and Lynn Wise, with Miss Cleveland County Fair riding with Barb and Jack Weller.

We had a GREAT third annual New Year's Day drive to the Lake Lure area. There were twenty participants. Thank you, Curt Holland and Randy Dillingham, for planning this event. We had beautiful weather and NO SNOW!

The executive board will meet to discuss monies for our donations this year.

### CAR SHOW ACTION ITEMS

Our European Car Show plans are underway. Missy called for a list of past donations for John Salazar. The brochure needs to go out by the 21st of January.

Jack Weller will be doing our publicity.

Mac McCuen will do the "Save the Date" brochures.

Cindy Cabaniss will update our web page and add our new sponsors.

Mac McCuen will handle parking layout.

Cindy Carlisle will do the day of registration and Treasure Teague will do pre-registration.

Our layout will begin at the corner of Graham and Washington streets and be in front of the Don Gibson Theatre to the road beside the Webley including the parking lot behind Fidelity Bank.

The Best of Show from our last Car Show will be on the poster this year. We will also have an original art work poster this year.

Our next meeting will be at "Angel's" in Bessemer City. The cost of the meal will be around \$13.00 per person. This is a try for a new meeting venue.

Teddy Bear and Friends will be at the new North Shelby School for a tour and good food on January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019, for those interested.

Allen Teague still has a few bar badges left for you to purchase if interested. They are \$35.00 dollars apiece.

See you at Angels Restaurant in Bessemer City in February.

Respectfully submitted,

Cindy Carlisle, Secretary / Treasurer

### VISIT OUR FACEBOOK PAGE

USE THIS LINK TO LIKE

**BROAD RIVER EUROPEAN MOTOR CLUB  
FACEBOOK PAGE**

**WE SHARE UPCOMING FUN DRIVES  
EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND PROJECTS  
AND INTERESTING BARN FINDS**

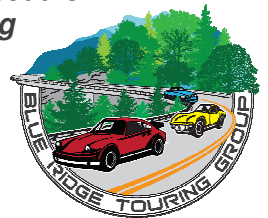
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1512058148828961/>

To get our information in front of more people, when you go to FB, LIKE the article and then SHARE with your friends.

This gives us more people reading about the Club.

### Blue Ridge Tour Group Shares activities on [www.brtg.us](http://www.brtg.us)

As we assembled for our New Year's Day Fun Drive, Bryson Kiser, Newton, shared about the newly formed *Blue Ridge Touring Group*.



Contact Bryson at [brysonkiser@charter.net](mailto:brysonkiser@charter.net) for more information about this new venture.

## In Our Thoughts & Prayers

### Gordan Dedrick



John Long shared the following information about Gordan Dedrick, who passed away in November after losing his battle with cancer. Here is a link to his obituary.

<https://www.mlfordsons.com/notices/Gordan-Dedrick>

Gordan was a longtime member of the *Triumph Club of the Carolinas* and visited our meetings with John as they shared a love for TR3's.

His wife, Carole, would like to sell the TR3 and the trailer that they used to take it shows. The following is the write-up provided and some pictures.

### 1959 TR3A FOR SALE ~ \$28,900

We have owned this car since 2007. A bare metal repair and re-spray back to the original black color was completed in December .2009.



Parts replaced or refurbished include:

An original heater was acquired and restored.

Original horns were acquired.

A Hi-torque starter was installed

New dash knobs and glove box fittings.

New metal floors, battery box, lower front fenders, and dog legs were welded in.

Correct oil, temperature, and ammeter gauges were acquired.

Fuel gauge was refurbished.

Many large and small parts were re-chromed from bumper over-riders to gauge bezels.

Carburetors were rebuilt and new stainless-steel throttle rods were installed.

Rack and pinion steering conversion was installed.

New stone guards.

Complete seat rebuild, including springs, a new driver's seat pan and rails.

Complete new interior and carpet.

Monza exhaust

An after-market fiberglass hardtop is included.

New tires recently installed and serviced by Hendrix Wire Wheel  
All mechanics up to date.

A new mohair top, boot cover, and tonneau cover from John Skinner in England were made and installed locally in November 2018. Please note, a few of the photos taken prior to November last year do not show this gorgeous new canvas.

The car has won many awards, including Best in Show at the Gathering. The Triumph was shown, by invitation, in the 2014 Pinehurst Concours d'Elegance. This is a great-looking, performing, drive/show car.

**Call 704-779-7662, or email [ded32746@gmail.com](mailto:ded32746@gmail.com).**

## CUSTOM TRAILER FOR SALE



I have a car trailer for sale, that we used to tow our TR3A. It's a handmade trailer and is easy to load and tow. Length is 13.5', width is 7'. A spare tire holder was recently welded to the trailer (spare tire is included). The trailer has ramps that attach to the front of the trailer for storage when towing. A winch and all tie downs are included.

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## WEATHER MAY BE COLD

## IT'S ALMOST CAR SHOW SEASON



# 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 27<sup>th</sup>. 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 February meeting to keep the preparations for the show moving. Details of who has volunteered in the January Minutes page 3 of the Newsletter.

## 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

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