

The Rear View Mirror

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OCTOBER EST
NEXT MEETING A PICNIC AT
BAKER'S BUFFALO CREEK WINERY
WACO/FALLSTON ROAD

October 2020

Broad River European Motor Club

Shelby, North Carolina 28150

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PICNIC MEETING OCTOBER 1ST BAKER BUFFALO CREEK VINEYARD & WINERY

Our monthly meeting will be a picnic at Baker's Buffalo Creek Winery, on the Waco Fallston Road, Lawndale, NC. The Tasting Room will be open at five to enjoy some of their wines. Charles and Ann Edwards will be our hosts as Jim Morgan cooks the hot dogs and hamburgers. Here is the physical address
3521 Fallston-Waco Rd, Lawndale, NC 28090

E-mail JIM MORGAN IF YOU WILL BE COMING TO THE PICNIC.

Please send Jim Morgan an e-mail that you will or will not be attending the picnic. Jim's e-mail address is jimmorgan1954@charlotte.twcbc.com. Please respond by Tuesday, September 29 by noon.

IS IT A EUROPEAN CAR?



Will and Jane Salter arrived at the picnic in this unusual automobile. The name on the hood was Figaro – it must be Italian because the car is named after the Barber of Seville.

As BREMC members started to exam the car, they noticed Japanese lettering on the license plate and, when they looked under the hood, there was a one-liter Nissan engine. The Figaro was built in Japan by Nissan in 1991-92. Only 20,000 cars were built, and all were right-hand drive. Here is a link to an article about the car. https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nissan_Figaro#:~:text=The%20Nissan%20Figaro%20is%20a,all%20with%20right%20hand%20drive. Will wanted to point out to members that he has European cars as well. He owns 1964 Triumph TR4 and a 1992 BMW 525i and the 1992 Nissan Figaro (not European but looks it)

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear BREMC Members and Friends,

It is the end of September and the dog days of summer are almost over. We have been lucky to get some cooler air this year; it is beginning to feel like fall.

As I look out our big front window, I can start to see the leaves changing colors. For Curt, that means it is time to reseed the yard. And for me, the end of the gardening season has arrived. I am ready for a break and having my weekend to do other things.

I have put together a nominating committee for finding officers for next year. Please let them know if you would like to run for office.

Curt is planning on organizing a Fall Fun Drive for November 14 and the New Year's Day Drive, January 1, 2021. Something to think about – Do we want to make the Fall Drive the meeting for November?

We met at our house for the last meeting and would like to thank everyone who came and brought something to share.

The next meeting is Thursday, October 1st and will be at Baker Buffalo Creek Vineyard and Winery. The hamburgers and hotdogs with plates, cups, and silverware are provided by the Club, and the ladies/gentlemen will be bringing sides and dessert. I will have my deviled eggs (maybe Paige will have BP). Drive your sports car with the top down if the weather permits.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone on Thursday.

Missy

“Asking someone else to drive your sports car is like asking someone else to kiss your girlfriend.”
– Amit Kalantri, Wealth of Words

Written communications to the Club may be sent to
John Long, Treasurer, Broad River European Motor Club
105 Hancock Crossing Lake Wylie, SC 29710

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 jsweller@aol.com

BREMC OFFICERS & COMMITTEES

President – Missy Holland*
 Vice President – Alan Teague*
 Secretary – Jack Weller
 Treasurer – John Long
 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- Skip Wise
 Newsletter – Jack Weller
 Publicity – Jack Weller for Car Show
 Regalia & Accessories – Alan Teague
 Technical Director – Iverson Smith
 Website – Doug Carlisle

* Executive Committee Member

EVERY SATURDAY

**MORNING WEATHER CO-OPERATING
 COFFEE, CARS & CONVERSATION**

**Most of these Gatherings Are on Hold until
 Permitted by State Pandemic Plan**



**YOU ARE INVITED TO COME ON A SATURDAY MORNING TO
 LILY BEAN COFFEE SHOP
 ON THE COURT SQUARE – SHELBY, NC
 GROUP MEETS FROM 8 am TO 10 am**



CHARLOTTE CARS & COFFEE

First Saturday of the Month
 Cars & Coffee Charlotte, NC

CARS & COFFEE OF THE UPSTATE

Fourth Saturday of the Month
 Postponed Until July 27

Visit them on Facebook at

<https://www.facebook.com/CarsCoffeeUpstate?fref=ts>

Cars & Coffee of the Upstate – Greenville, SC

BRITS & BREW CHARLOTTE

No data as to when the event will return
Olde Mecklenburg Brewery

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

2020 Meetings / Events Calendar

Updating our Calendar for 2020.

**Due to the COVID Pandemic & State Regulations, most events have
 been postponed or canceled. If a web site is listed, check the web
 site to see if the show is still active.**

DATE	Meeting / Event
JANUARY	2019
1	BREMC New Year's Day Drive
2	BREMC Monthly Meeting
FEBRUARY	
6	BREMC Monthly Meeting
MARCH	
5	BREMC Monthly Meeting
APRIL	
2	BREMC Monthly Meeting
18	The Gathering Shelton Vineyards https://triumphclub.org/wordpress/index.php/the-gathering/
25	BREMC European Classic www.broadriveremc.com
MAY	
7	BREMC Monthly Meeting
TBD	BREMC FUN DRIVE
16	Lake Lure Spring Boat & Car Show
15-17	Carlisle Import Car Show/Autojumble Carlisle, PA http://www.carlisleevents.com/carlisle-events/carlisle-import-and-performance-nationals/default.aspx
20-24	National Triumph Registry of America National Meet Dillard, GA http://triumphregistor.com/tra-national-meet/
23	Southeastern British Motorcar Owners Club Great Scot. Furman University in conjunction with Greenville Scottish Games http://www.sbmoc.com
JUNE	
4	BREMC Monthly Meeting
6	Fun Drive to Valdese Trail of Faith – Bring a Picnic Basket
11-14	Highlands Motoring Festival Highlands, NC NEW FORMAT https://highlandsmotoringfestival.com/
JULY	
4	INDEPENDENCE Day Parade – LATTIMORE
9	BREMC Picnic Baker's Buffalo Creek
AUGUST	
6	BREMC Monthly Meeting
SEPTEMBER	
	BREMC Monthly Meeting Moved to Saturday September 12
12	The Auto Lawn Party – Hickory Cancelled until next year. http://www.theautolawn.com/ to register.
12	September Meeting at Curt & Missy Hollands 6 th Annual Picnic by the Pond Bessemer City, NC
26	MG's on the Green Harrisburg, NC 9 am to 3 pm http://www.metroinamgcarclub.com/mgs-on-the-green.html Cancelled
26	Autumn in the Mountains BCCWC Cancelled at Mountain Inn & Suites – Flat Rock, Flat Rock NC https://www.bccwnc.org/events/2020-autumn-in-the-mountains-car-show/
OCTOBER	
1	BREMC Monthly Meeting at Baker's Buffalo Creek Winery
3	Britfest at the Market Common Myrtle Beach- http://grandstrandbritishcarclub.com/
17	Euro Auto Festival. The Preserve at Verdunville, NC http://www.euroautofair.com/
17-24	Hilton Head Bermuda
22-24	Charlotte, NC http://www.charlotte-autofair.com/
24	Gardner Webb University Homecoming Parade, Boiling Springs
23 - 31	Hilton Head SC-Concours D'Elegance http://www.hhiconcours.com/
TBD	Shelby Senior Center Halloween Car Show
NOVEMBER	
5	BREMC Monthly Meeting
14	BREMC FALL FUN DRIVE
DECEMBER	
3	BREMC Christmas Party
20	SHELBY CHRISTMAS PARADE https://uptownshelby.com/events/christmas-parade

Minutes of the September 2020 BREMC Monthly Meeting

We met at the home of Missy and Curt Holland on Saturday, September 12. 28 members and guests were present.

Missy called the meeting to order. Page Morgan returned a blessing, and we enjoyed a wonderful picnic.

Minutes for our August meeting were approved as they appear in the newsletter.

Our October meeting will be at Baker's Buffalo Creek Vineyard and Winery and will be held Thursday, October 1, with the Club providing hamburgers and hot dogs and members asked to bring a side or dessert to share.

Missy reminded the Nominating Committee of Jack Weller, Skip Wise, and Bob Cabaniss that they are asked to have a slate of officers to present at our October meeting.

Curt is working on a Fun Drive for Saturday, November 14. More details to follow.

No further new or old business, Missy adjourned the meeting. Minutes compiled by Jack Weller, Secretary

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FACEBOOK PAGE**

**MISSY SHARES BARN FINDS, UPCOMING FUN
DRIVES, EVENTS, ACTIVITIES PROJECTS**

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

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

This gives us more people reading about the Club.

7TH ANNUAL PICNIC ON THE POND HURRICANE HONEYS OPEN THE MEETING WITH A TOAST



CLUB MEMBER CHUCK STRICKLAND IS OPENING A NEW FACILITY AS PART OF UPTOWN MINI STORAGE. BE PART OF THE RIBBON CUTTING ON OCTOBER 1 AND COME TO THE PICNIC OR VISIT THEIR OPEN HOUSE ON OCTOBER 2ND.

THE CAR CORRAL

RIBBON CUTTING & GRAND OPENING

OCTOBER 1
4:00-5:30 PM

Join us and Uptown Mini Storage for a Ribbon Cutting Celebration on Thursday, October 1, 2020 4:00 p.m. until 5:30 p.m. Also mark your calendars for an Open House on Friday, October 2, 2020 from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.

Uptown Mini Storage has located their new storage office and "Car Corral" at 1528 S. Lafayette Street, Shelby, NC. Refreshments will be served.

Uptown Mini Storage has served Cleveland and surrounding counties for 28 years. Locally owned and operated. Exceptionally clean and secure.

Over 1200 Climate and Standard Units to meet your personal and business storage needs.
Ample outdoor parking for vehicles, RV's boats, etc.

New Fall feature - "Car Corral" Climate Control Indoor Parking for cars and motorcycles
New office location - 1528 S. Lafayette Street, Shelby, N.C. (old Fred's building).

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