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## OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF BRITISH CAR ENTHUSIASTS

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MONDAY NOVEMBER 20 AT  
LEONARD'S LEAN RIBS ON FOX PLAZA DRIVE - 7PM

### THE OCTOBER MEETING

Was held on October 16th. Fest chairman Randy Balogh provided a general debriefing on the Fest's weekend activities. A drawing was held for door prizes left over from the Fest. Fest photographer Bill Womack, who took pictures of all judged cars, offers 8 x 10 prints for \$15.00. We had to bid a sad farewell to Bill and Nica Rabek, who are returning to their old Atlanta area stomping grounds. Hate to see you go, guys, stay in touch.

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### THE SIXTH ANNUAL BRITISH CAR FEST

Is history. Look, you may tap your toes to tunes from Newport Pagnel, act on orders from Abingdon, comply with commands from Coventry, or even warble to Warwick melodies; there was something there for everybody. Fest chairman Randy Balogh, who did such a bang up job in making the event the success it was, was to have provided an article on the Fest itself. He had it all set to bring to me for printing but, I swear this is the truth, his dog ate it! Just before he was getting ready to walk out the door. SO, there'll have to be a rewrite for next month cause printing deadline is here now. ANYWAY, Randy extends his personal thanks to all of you who worked so hard in making this event come together; you can be proud of your efforts.

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### LITTLE KNOWN FEST FACTS

Probably an understatement to say she's still a little sensitive about this, but hey, some things are just too good to keep quiet. Seems that Jim Hofer heard that we were running low on soft drinks for the hospitality room and, being the good guy he is, asked wife Georgeanne to run to the store and pick up 15 two liter bottles of assorted drinks. Good ole George reappeared a little later with, yes, you guessed it, 15 CASES of assorted 2 liter bottles, LOOSE bottles; 120 LOOSE bottles; filled up the whole rear of that Bronco! George said she thought maybe she overbought as she paid some \$120.00 and watched them being loaded up. This was confirmed when she told Jim. Well, they weren't all quite consumed; some were sold to snickering friends and club members, with the rest hauled to the Hofer household where they may yet repose in the basement. If you need any drinks, see George; ask her to take you to her liter.....

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### WINGS AND WHEELS

Fly in, drive in show was held October 21st at Twinkletown airport, Walls, MS. Proceeds went to charity; Jimmy Jones was a big wheel in this endeavour; he was probably glad to see BSCC represented by the likes of the Bedenbaughs, Hofers, Haleys, Ryans, Billmeiers, Colemans, Duncans, McQuirter, Hargis', Roberts'. A good time was had by all; some fine old aircraft as well as autos showed up. Jimmy says they are trying to make this an annual event, so it should prove to be a fun time.

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### JAGUAR MARQUE NOVEMBER PICNIC

And a little Alfa shall lead them.....Meeting at Audubon Park, about 17 British cars followed him (he had the only map and directions) to Carol and John Poynor's new farm out near Moscow. Wow; 75 beautiful rolling acres with only the garage yet completed. Garage, ha! This Taj Mahal of carports measures 54 x 72 and is partitioned into parking, work, and storage areas, and has a complete, full bathroom worthy of most houses. That ain't all; a LARGE living area is under construction on, yes, the second floor. An automotive tinkerer's dream.....Anyway, about 50 folks showed up with goodies for the community table and enjoyed a great feed. Our hosts had even rigged up a hay wagon. Both Carol and John cranked up the Case tractor and provided rides for those weary of pitching horseshoes or toasting marshmallows. Something for everyone.....Thanks Poynors; we had a super time; I have a feeling you'll be stuck with us again.

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THE NOVEMBER BOARD MEETING

Was held on November 9th. Plans for and progress on the Fest commemorative magazine were discussed. Nominees submitted thus far for club officers were recorded and will be listed in the election section of this newsletter.

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IT'S ELECTION TIME !

Club officers for the 1990 calendar year will be elected at the November meeting, so it is important that you attend and exercise your voting rights. Below is a ballot sheet with the names of nominees received thus far by the board. If you have any additional nominees, simply add that name on the appropriate line, and turn in this sheet when you arrive at the meeting.

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BALLOT

\*\*\*\*\* NOMINEES RECEIVED THUS FAR \*\*\*\*\*

PRESIDENT HIRAM SHEPARD

VICE PRESIDENT JIM HOFER

TREASURER JACK REYNOLDS

RECORDING SECRETARY JANEY REYNOLDS

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY / NEWSLETTER EDITOR EWING HALEY

HISTORIAN GEORGE CALLOW

MARQUE LEADERS

MGB TCM BEDENBAUGH JAGUAR JOHN POYNOR, GARY WHITING

AUSTIN HEALEY JON THOMAS TRIUMPH CHIP HANBACK

EMPIRE CHARLES ROBERTS

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PARTY TIME PARTY TIME PARTY TIME

By now you should have received your invitation to the ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY. The important date is Friday, December 1, at The Supper Club-Coach House Inn, 1262 Union Ave. There will be a real live band, and a good time WILL be had by all. RSVP, please, to either Kittie (hostess with the mostest) Hadskey, 754-7458, or to the Variety Club's Mr. Slate, 274-2220.

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WANTS AND GOTS

WANT

Bill Womack needs winter home (garage or something) for a Jag MK II so body work can continue. Cash or some sort of trade considered.

GOT

79 MGB, CA car, recent clutch, front end, top, green paint. Offers over \$3000  
Keith Olson 377-1839

Club still has Fest T shirts (M only), \$7.50, hats, \$3.00, posters, ?, Bobby or Kittie Hadskey 754-7458.

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WOMAN WALKS INTO BAR CARRYING DUCK UNDER ARM.  
BARTENDER: YOU CAN'T BRING THAT PIG IN HERE!  
WOMAN: THAT'S NOT A PIG; IT'S A DUCK!  
BARTENDER: I WAS TALKING TO THE DUCK.