



British Motoring Club New Orleans
23rd Annual British Car Day
Saturday, March 23, 2013

**2013 Annual British Car Day
Special Edition Newsletter**



March 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4	5	6	7	8	<u>9</u> <u>Gulf Coast/Ms</u> <u>Meeting—</u> <u>Second Satur-</u> <u>day</u>
10	11	<u>12</u> <u>Board of Di-</u> <u>rectors Meet-</u> <u>ing</u>	13	14	15	<u>16</u> <u>Goodie Bag</u> <u>Stuffing</u>
17	18	<u>19</u> <u>Baton Rouge</u> <u>Area Gather-</u> <u>ing</u>	20	<u>21</u> <u>Northshore</u> <u>Area Gather-</u> <u>ing</u>	<u>22</u> <u>BMCNO</u> <u>Welcome Re-</u>	<u>23</u> <u>BMCNO Brit-</u> <u>ish Car Day</u>
24	25	<u>26</u> <u>General Meet-</u> <u>ing</u>	27	28	29	<u>30</u> <u>Cars For Kids</u> <u>Show</u> <u>Acadania/Lafayett</u> <u>e meeting/cruise</u>
<u>31</u> <u>Easter</u>						

March 09, 2013 Gulf Coast, Ms Meeting Second Saturday Art-walk in Bay St. Louis

March 12, 2013 , Board of Directors Meeting , At Allen Mocklins House

March 16, 2013 , Goodie Bag Stuffing , Starting at 4:00 p.m. Followed by a Movie. Join us for the fun.

March 19, 2013 , Baton Rouge Area Gathering , dinner 6:00 p.m., meeting 7:00 p.m.

Cafe Americain 7521 Jefferson Hwy., Baton Rouge, LA

March 21, 2013 , North Shore Area Gathering , Meeting 7:00 p.m., Abita Brew Pub 72011 Holly Street, Abita Springs,

March 22, 2013 , BMCNO Reception , [Days Hotel of Metairie](#), 3400 South. I-10 Service Rd W Metairie, LA

(800) 455-3417 / (504) 833-8201. Doors open for serving at 6:00 p.m.

March 23, 2013 , BMCNO British Car Day , Delgado Community College, City Park Ave. New Orleans. Registration 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon. Awards at 3:00 p.m.

March 26, 2013 , General Meeting , Meeting 7:00 p.m., Italian Pie Restaurant 5650 Jefferson Hwy. Harahan, LA

March 30, 2013 , Acadania/Lafayette meeting/cruise , Acadania/Lafayette meeting/cruise

March 30, 2013 , Cars For Kids Show , Golden Oldies Motor Club of Hammond. Annual show benefiting Cars For Kids Southern Style Inc and Children's Hospital. The 2013 show will be held at the Hammond Square Mall. <http://goldenoldiesmotorclub.com/gomc/>



"Way Down Yonder"

at the



British Motoring Club New Orleans 23rd Annual British Car Day

Saturday, March 23, 2013

Delgado Community College City Park Campus
Orleans Ave. between City Park Ave. & Navarre Ave.

On-Site Registration: 9 a.m. to Noon

Show: Noon to 3 p.m.

Awards at 3 p.m.

**All British Cars & Bikes Invited
Spectators Welcome at No Charge**

For more information contact:

Don Marpe (504) 394-6343 bdmarpe@att.net

or

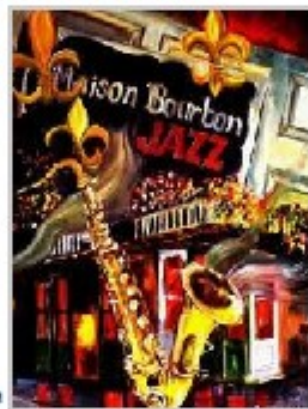
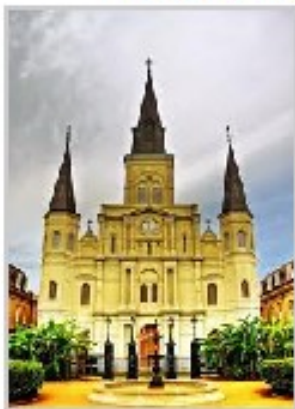
Karen Murray (504) 236-7509 karenmurray@cox.net

Registration form available at our web site: www.bmcno.org

*** Online registration available ***

Host Hotel: Days Hotel of Metairie
3400 South. I-10 Service Rd W
Metairie, LA 70001

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Ask for special BMCNO \$99 rate
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Message from BMCNO 2013 President Karen Murray



And the countdown is on..Only a couple more weeks until the 23rd Annual BMCNO British Car Show.

I remember my first car show with BMCNO. Our 1976 Triumph TR6 was 3 colors (blue, primer, and rust), the interior was dreadful, wires hanging out, windshield & dash cracked, and all gauges broken. WE THOUGHT IT WAS BEAUTIFUL!!!!!!!!!!!! Not only was it beautiful to us, but we had the time of our life at that show and everyone since. Moral of the story - it's not how perfect your car is but how much fun it is sharing with other British car enthusiasts. So, if you have a British car that can run, be towed, or pushed onto the field please register. You will not regret participating.

The board has worked very hard on this show and does have a few surprises in store. Come, participate, volunteer, share, and have lots of fun!!!!!!!

Also remember the Friday night "Welcome Reception" at the Days Hotel 3400 I-10 Service Rd and Causeway from 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. This is a reception to welcome our out of town guests but has really developed into a "Pot Luck" get together for all of our club members. Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish to share. Last year 90 people participated in this event. Everyone enjoys sharing dinner and meeting our out of town guests. The food is delicious, conversations lively, and friendships renewed. Please sit with our guest to make them feel welcome. Also, find time to volunteer a few minutes at the car show.

Things not to miss at the car show:

- ◆ BMCNO Regalia items for sale including T-shirts, cups, wine glasses, tote bags, etc.
- ◆ Little British Car Company
- ◆ Tours of Delgado Community College Automotive Department
- ◆ 50/50 Raffle
- ◆ Break out sessions on British Car History Trivia by Bill Avery and Antique Insurance by Haggerty
- ◆ Lots of magnificent British cars.
- ◆ Purchase one of our beautiful blue car show t-shirts designed by club member Steven Lindsley.

Everything you need for the 23rd Annual BMCNO Car Show is contained in this thirteen page 2013 Special Edition Newsletter. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Don Marpe bdmarpe@att.net (504) 394-6343 or Karenmurray@cox.net, 504-236-7509.

Remember, BMCNO has 250 member cars in the club. We can fill Delgado's field with just our cars. This is your club, so REGISTER AND SHOWCASE YOUR CAR.

Thanks and see you there,

Karen Murray
President, BMCNO



Message from Don Marpe, our 2013 BMCNO British Car Day Chairman.

The 2013 British Motoring Club New Orleans British Car Day is one month away and plans are well in progress. The date is Saturday March

23 and the central grass area of Delgado College has been booked. Wally the weatherman says no need to prep the black top at Delgado. He foresees no rain for the show. The host hotel is the Days Hotel on the I-10 Service Road at Severn Ave. The hotel has secured parking and spots that will accommodate trailers still attached to the tow vehicle. It has a meeting room that will allow the club to bring its own food for the welcome party and it is large enough to support a large crowd of people. The out of town guests can get a special BMCNO rate for the rooms. The path from the hotel to the car show site is almost a straight shot. This should work out great.

The Steve Lindsley designed shirts for the car show are available to purchase. See page 7 for more information on t-shirts.

The awards will have the same design as the t-shirts.

The car show Flyer and the multi fold invitations have been mailed out to all the participants at the last three shows and a reminder to all of the club members will be or have been emailed out. The flyers and invitations have been sent to the various vintage car publications and web sites so if you Google "British Car Shows", our event will show up on almost every web page that you select. There should be no one looking for a car show to go to in March that does not know about ours.

All of the various committees needed for a successful car show have their chairmen and most of the volunteer slots are filled. There will always be extra things that will need to be done, so if you have time on your hands at the show, ask what else needs to be done.

There is one thing that members can volunteer for, that may be one of your "Bucket List Items". Several club members have more cars then they can drive to the car show. If you would be interested in meeting these members at their home and drive that extra car to the show for them, you might get a Little British Car driving experience to check off. Contact Don Marpe (504-812-8611) or if you know one of these members, offer your services to them.

We already have over 50 registrants, which is ahead of last year at this time. If you have not registered yet, you can go to the web site www.BMCNO.org and get the registration forms at that location. There is also a link and a helpful guide to the online registration process. If you need more information about the car show registration process, please contact Don Marpe.

Check out the list of sponsors and vendors that are supporting our show in this special newsletter. Also look at the schedule of events for the show in this newsletter.

Don





2012 British Heritage Award by Peter Brauen



The British Heritage award will be given to the most interesting overall display at the British Motoring Club New Orleans's 22nd Annual British Car Day.

What does that mean?

Well, that is sort of up to the participant:

- While not mandatory, period dress would surely be appropriate. (Come on, we know you have a Kilt or a Morris dancer's outfit somewhere.)
- A full set of tools, brochures, posters, period accessories, fitted luggage, English maps, etc. would be a plus.
- How about an afternoon picnic? (The ladies of the DBE will even have authentic food to go with that.)
- An interesting display of the car's history, or historical significance could be a winner.
- Ever played 'dress-up' with the car itself? That could work too.
- A lot of attention can be garnered with a

well placed stuffed animal, or better yet, ten.

- Do you have scale models of your car in more scales than anyone thought existed?

The possibilities are only limited by your imagination, and the criteria are not set.

The intention is to give this award to the display that makes one visitor turn to another and say, "Did you see that car over there?"

There has always been one; now we are giving it some recognition.

See pictures for examples.

Peter Brauen

BMC Restorations





2013 BMCNO “Rollin on the River” T-Shirts

T-Shirts are available to order at all area meetings. Our shirts are a beautiful blue this year. They will also be available for purchase on the day of the show. **Make checks payable to BMCNO**

Purchase early. Quantities are limited.

Shirts can be ordered and paid for online.

The cost of the shirts are:

S, M, L, XL, \$15 (pre-sale) \$17 (day of show)

XXL \$16 (pre-sale) \$18 (day of show)

XXXL \$17 (pre-sale) \$19 (day of show)



Thanks to Steven Lindsley for another Great T-Shirt design.



It's not too late to be a Sponsor

With a minimum donation of \$50, you or your business can sponsor a car class of your choice.

For your sponsorship, you will receive:

- *free publicity at the show site*
- *free publicity on this web site*
- *free publicity in the BMCNO newsletter.*

For a minimum donation of \$400, you can sponsor the Best of Show. Along with above benefits, your company name and logo will be prominently engraved on the Best of Show award.

For more information, contact the Chairman of the Sponsors, Vendors and Donors Committee, Rick Huber at 225 -926 6946 or mlandrick@gmail.com.

23rd Annual British Car Day 2013 Sponsor Contest

We would like to increase our show sponsorships again this year. We've attached a Sponsor Contest Guidelines document that should explain what you need to do to participate, and also a Sponsor Registration Form and a Show Flyer that you can print and provide to potential sponsors. If you have any questions, please contact Rick Huber at [225 926 6946](tel:2259266946) or mlandrick@gmail.com. Like the guidelines say, please contact Rick before you approach potential sponsors so that he can keep track of who is contacting whom. Our goal is 25 sponsors for the 2013 show. The deadline for getting checks to Don Marchpe is March 15, 2013.

Sponsor Contest Guidelines

Class Sponsorships are \$50 or more. See Sponsor Registration Form for details.

The member who brings in the most sponsors (multiples of \$50) will win First Prize. This will be a nice, unique gift from the club. Last year the winners received a jacket or Van Heusen embroidered shirts.

All club members are eligible to donate \$50 or more, sponsor classes, and enter the contest. All club members who bring in non-member sponsors will have their names put into a drawing for additional prizes. Each member will have their name put in the hat as many times as the number of sponsors (multiples of \$50) they bring in, i.e. bring in one \$50 sponsor and your name goes in the hat once, bring in five \$50 sponsors (or one \$250 sponsor) and your name goes in the hat five times.

If you'd like to approach a potential sponsor, please call or email Rick Huber (225 926 6946 or mlandrick@gmail.com) to put your name on the potential sponsor list. This will avoid more than one member soliciting the same potential sponsor. Please also ask for other donations of door prizes or goodie bag items.

Sponsors may request a particular class and these will be assigned on a first come basis as best as can be done. Classes may have more than one sponsor.

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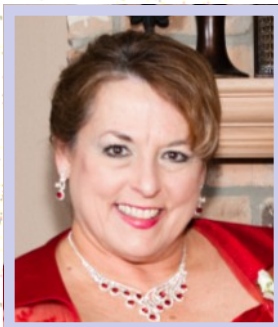
Sponsor Contest Guidelines from page 8

Likely prospects for sponsors:

Local Tavern or Bar
Auto Supply or Repair Services, Auto Dealers
Your bank or credit union
Insurance Agents and Brokers
Real Estate Agents
Beauty Salons or Barbers
Lawn care or pool suppliers and services
Restaurants
Retail Stores
Businesses you regularly patronize

Regular sponsors already planned are not eligible for contest.

Chef's Corner by Karen Murray



**Annual BMCNO Car Show
Welcome Reception
Days Hotel of Metairie
3400 I-10 Service Rd. , Metairie
Friday, March 22, 2013**



It's that time of year to start planning what "wonderful" dish you are going to share with our guests at the Car Show reception on Friday, March 23rd. Let's pull out the recipe books and tantalize our guests with exceptional New Orleans cooking. Serving starts at 6:00 P.M., so please try to have your food at the hotel by 5:30 P.M.

Don't forget that we need members to bring mouth-watering appetizers, casseroles, main dishes, and of course desserts to the Friday Night Reception!!!!!!

We have had 60—100 people attend this event with all food donated by our members. The club will provide drinks and all paper items. The ballroom has been reserved and has a patio opening to the pool area. It is always a fun night but we do need to rely on our members for their generous donations of food.

So....please join us for this Pot Luck dinner to meet and great our out of town guests and to catch up with each other. We want our guest to walk away knowing that better food could not be bought in local restaurants.

Don't forget these important times:

Please bring dishes before 5:30 p.m.

Doors open for serving at 6:00 p.m.



British Motoring Club New Orleans

P. O. Box 73213
Metairie, LA 70033
www.bmcno.org

2013 SPONSOR REGISTRATION FORM

23rd Annual British Car Day – March 23, 2013

Class Sponsor: \$50 or more

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE GOODIE BAG ITEMS, DOOR PRIZES, OTHER AWARDS, TROPHIES or be a VENDOR: Contact BMCNO Representative or Rick Huber, 225-926-6946

SPONSOR

Organization/Company _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Contact Name & Phone(s) _____

Class (if desired) _____

Payment must accompany application

Make checks payable to “British Car Day” & give to a BMCNO representative or mail it with this printed form to:


**BMCNO
P O Box 73213
Metairie, LA 70033**

The deadline for receiving sponsor checks to the BMCNO Treasurer is March 15, 2013.

SPONSORSHIP WILL INCLUDE PUBLICITY ON THE WEB SITE AND AT THE SHOW, PRODUCT OR SERVICE DISPLAY BY SPONSOR (if requested prior to show), TROPHY PRESENTATION, INVITATION TO THE FRIDAY EVENING SOCIAL AND THE SINCERE THANKS OF ALL THE MEMBERS OF BMCNO AND THE CAR SHOW PARTICIPANTS.

BMCNO Representative _____ Date Paid _____ Ck# _____



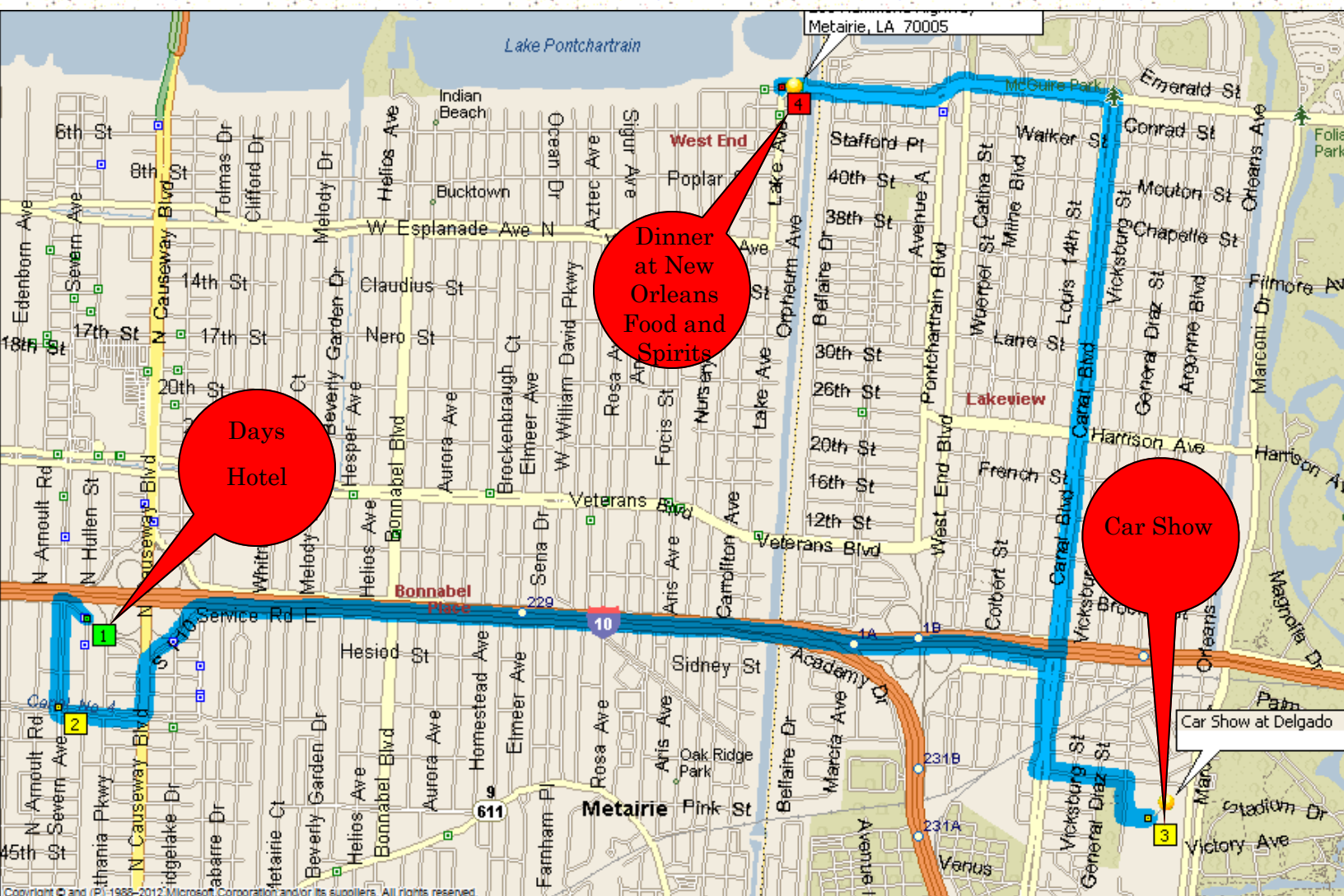
<i>TIME</i>	<i>EVENT</i>	<i>LOCATION</i>
Saturday, March 16, 2013		
4:00 p.m.	Goody Bag Stuffing	546 Hickory Ave. Harahan
Friday, March 22, 2013		
6:00pm - 9:00pm	Hospitality Reception	Days Hotel of Metairie 3400 South. I-10 Service Rd W Metairie, LA 70001
Saturday, March 23, 2013		
9:00am - 12:00pm	Registration, Pictures and Lineup	Delgado Community College
12:00pm - 3:00pm	Show time - cars must remain on the field until 3:00 p.m.	
12:30pm - 2:00pm	Judging	
3:00pm	50/50 Raffle Drawing	
3:00pm	AWARDS	
5:30pm - until	Dinner (Dutch treat. Sign-up sheet at the registration desk) Menu	New Orleans Food and Spirits 210 Hammond Highway Metairie, LA 70005 504-828-2220 

DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE:

Show site is the Soccer Field adjacent to Student Life Center near rear of campus of Delgado Community College. Exit I-610 at Canal Blvd. Go south 1/2 mile to red light at Navarre St. Turn Left. Take Navarre 1/2 mile to Orleans Ave. Turn right on Orleans. Turn right into parking lot at sign. Trailer Parking: on Navarre, turn right into parking lot to left of WYES-TV Studio just before Orleans Ave. Trailer cars MUST go back out to Navarre, right on Orleans and enter the field from the parking lot on Orleans Ave. See map on next page.

Host Hotel
[Days Hotel of Metairie](#)
 3400 South. I-10 Service Rd W
 Metairie, LA 70001
 (800) 455-3417 / (504) 833-8201
 Ask for special BMCNO \$99 rate
 available until 2/22/13
 Plenty of trailer parking available





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0.0	Depart Days Inn-Days Hotel Metairie [3400 S I 10 Service Rd W, Metairie LA 70001, United States, Tel: +(1)-504-8338201] on S Service Rd W [S I 10 Service Rd W] (North-West) 153 yds			3.5	Keep RIGHT to stay on Ramp	0.2 mi Canal Blvd
0.1	Turn LEFT (South) onto Severn Ave	0.3 mi		3.7	Turn RIGHT (South) onto Canal Blvd	0.3 mi
0.4	At near Beverly Knoll, stay on Severn Ave (South) 32 yds			4.0	Turn LEFT (East) onto Navarre Ave	0.3 mi
0.4	Turn LEFT (East) onto W Napoleon Ave	0.2 mi		4.3	Turn RIGHT (South) onto Local road(s)	0.1 mi
0.6	Keep LEFT onto Local road(s)	109 yds		4.4	Turn LEFT (East) onto Local road(s)	131 yds
0.7	Bear LEFT (North) onto N Causeway Blvd	0.1 mi		4.5	At Car Show at Delgado, return West on Local road(s) 131 yds	
0.8	Keep RIGHT onto Ramp	0.2 mi	I-10 W / I-10 E / Baton Rouge / New Orleans	4.6	Turn RIGHT (North) onto Local road(s)	0.1 mi
1.0	Keep RIGHT to stay on Ramp	0.3 mi	I-10 E	4.7	Turn LEFT (West) onto Navarre Ave	0.2 mi
1.3	Take Ramp (LEFT) onto I-10	1.4 mi	I-10 E / New Orleans	4.9	Turn RIGHT (North) onto Canal Blvd	2.0 mi
2.7	Keep LEFT onto I-610	0.4 mi	I-610 E / Slidell	7.0	Turn LEFT (West) onto Robert E Lee Blvd	0.5 mi
3.1	At exit 1A, turn RIGHT onto Ramp	0.2 mi	West End Blvd / Canal Blvd	7.4	Road name changes to N Hammond Hwy [No Hammond Hwy] 0.5 mi	
3.3	Keep LEFT to stay on Ramp	0.1 mi	Canal Blvd	7.9	Road name changes to Metairie Hammond Hwy [N Hammond Hwy] 87 yds	
				7.9	Keep STRAIGHT onto Metairie Hammond Hwy [Hammond Hwy] 120 yds	
				8.0	Arrive 210 Hammond Hwy, Metairie, LA 70005	



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Saturday, March 23rd, 2013 New Orleans, Louisiana

Please print

Mail to: Car Day, P.O. Box 73213, Metairie, LA 70033

Or contact: Karen Murray: (504) 236-7509 karenmurray@cox.net



BMCNO Membership Application

Print this form to submit your application.

Name: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell: _____

E-mail: _____ Occupation: _____

Where did you learn of BMCNO? _____

What other car clubs do you belong? _____

Include information in the Online Web Directory yes____ no____

Please list me as ICE, (In Case of Emergency) willing to render assistance to members who break down in my area. yes____ no____

BRITISH CAR INFORMATION

1st CAR

Make: _____

Model: _____

Year: _____

Body Style: _____

Color: _____

2nd CAR

Make: _____

Model: _____

Year: _____

Body Style: _____

Color: _____

3rd CAR

Make: _____

Model: _____

Year: _____

Body Style: _____

Color: _____

Membership - \$24 per year due July 1st.

Payable as follows:

- ⇒ **Check** payable to "British Motoring Club New Orleans (BMCNO)" and return to:
British Motoring Club New Orleans , P.O. Box 73213 , Metairie, LA 70033
- ⇒ **PayPal** - www.clubregistration.net (click on British Motoring Club at this web site)
- ⇒ **Cash or Check** at any monthly meeting.

All payments need to be accompanied by this completed application form. It is imperative that we have your correct and active email address because this is how all communication is now processed.

"I agree to abide by the rules and regulations as set forth by the Club Officers under The British Motoring Club New Orleans, Inc. Charter and [By-Laws](#)."