

British Motoring Club New Orleans Morris Gazette

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Delgado Scholarship recipients with Assistant Professor Automotive Technology George Torlage.

Saturday, January 23, 2016 Baton Rouge Cruise

Middendorf's Run Sunday, February 21st.

BMCNO 2016 British Car Day T-Shirts and Polo Shirts are available for pre purchase.

**President's Message by Ronnie Palmisano, BMCNO President**

I want to wish all of you a happy and prosperous New Year.

It's now January 2016 and another year for BMCNO members to get together and have fun.

The BMCNO Board has many exciting events planned through the end of 2016.

There will be cruises and drives, restaurant events, our car show, participation at other club car shows, and more!

The first event of the year will be the Baton Rough Cruise in January followed by the Middendorf's Run in February.

Then in March its our 26th annual BRITISH CAR DAY SHOW. Start getting your cars ready for the show. Take a look at our volunteer schedule on the website and see where you might be able to help. Also, this is now the time to ask employers, vendors, etc. for goodie bag and door prize donations. See article on page 28.

Then it's crawfish time at Bogue Falaya state park.

Yes, I have said this before. For you to get the most out of BMCNO I encourage you to do the following 3 things. These are:

1. Attend more club events. We have so much fun and it always ends up with Great Food!
2. Attend more club meetings. Come and meet your fellow members.
3. Enter your car in our car show. We need members to show their cars at our annual car show. It's a lot of fun. Yes it always ends with GREAT Seafood at a local restaurant after the show.

So you see it's about fun, knowledge, friendship,

and GREAT FOOD! What more can we ask for.

For those of you who do not participate, I encourage you to join the fun in 2016.

Member involvement is what I will be promoting again this year. Pitch in and help us make 2016 our best year yet!

Below is a list of number of members who attended club sponsored events. **This doesn't include non sponsored events such as out of town car shows. This also doesn't include the monthly area meetings.** Wow! 706 members attended 16 events and cars and coffee. This is GREAT!

MONTH	ACTIVITY	# OF PARTICIPANTS
January	Feliciano Cruise	15
February	Middendorf's	48
February	Wounded Warrior	36
March	Goody Bag Stuffing	32
	Welcome reception	74
	Car Show BMCNO Members	84
	New Orleans Food & Spirit Dinner	45
April	Jean Lafitte	11
May	Crawfish Boil	42
June	Houma drive	11
July	Catfish Charlies	21
August	Anniversary Party - Rock 'n' Bowl	43
September	Tech Session	9
October	Cruisin' the Coast	25
November	E.E. Reynolds Drive	27
December	Christmas Party	63
Monthly	Cars and Coffee North Shore	120

TOTAL 706

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This is my last year as BMCNO President and also Karen's last year as Vice President. I will not be running next year for office. I need to devote my time to the newsletter.

SO.....Start thinking about running for office!

I hope to see you soon.

Ronnie Palmisano
BMCNO President / Newsletter Editor

*January, 2015*

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28	29	30	31 New Years Eve		2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9 Gulf Coast Area Gather- ing
10	11	12 Board of Di- rectors Meet- ing	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20 Baton Rouge Area Gather- ing	21 Northshore Area Gather- ing	22	23 Baton Rouge Cruise Acadania Meet- ing/Cruise
24	25	26 General Meet- ing	27	28	29	30
31	<p>FREE PIZZA AND SOFT DRINK TO MEMBERS AT NEW ORLEANS AREA (Harahan) and BATON ROUGE AREA <u>JANUARY</u> MEETINGS.</p> <p>FREE PIZZA AND SOFT DRINK TO MEMBERS AT GULF COAST AREA, NORTSHORE AREA AND LAFAYETTE AREA <u>FEBRUARY</u> MEETINGS.</p> 					

Jan 09, 2016 - Gulf Coast Area Gathering

Second Saturday, Art walk in Bay St. Louis Baptist Church

Jan 12, 2016 - Board of Directors Meeting Karen and Ronnie's home

Jan 20, 2016 - Baton Rouge Area Gathering Dinner 6:00 p.m., Meeting 7:00 p.m., Louis DeAngelo's Italian Restaurant, 13686 Coursey Blvd, Baton Rouge, LA

Jan 21, 2016 - Northshore Area Gathering Casual Meeting 7:00 p.m., Abita Brew Pub, 72011 Holly Street, Abita Springs, LA 70420

Jan 23, 2016 - Acadania Meeting/Cruise Acadania Monthly Gathering, Contact Dave Hayden Area Coordinator for details

Jan 23, 2016 - Baton Rouge Cruise

Departing times from each of the satellite locations is 8:30 am. - All convoys and Baton Rouge Group meet at CC's Coffee House, 7960 Jefferson Hwy, Baton Rouge, LA 70809 (225) 926-2511 at 9:00 to 9:30 a.m. for coffee. We will leave CC's at 10:15 am.

- Metairie departs promptly from Cafe Du Monde, 4700 Veterans Memorial Blvd at 8:30am. Come early for coffee and beginets.
- North Shore departs promptly from Claiborne Hills Shopping Center at 8:30am. Baton Rouge Groups meet at CC's at about 9:00 - 9:30am or so
- Gulf Coast and Acadiana - check with area coordinators please or just meet at CC's at about 9:30 or so.

Jan 26, 2016 - General Meeting Meeting 7:00 p.m., Italian Pie Restaurant, 5650 Jefferson Hwy., Harahan, LA

**What's happening???? by Vice- President Karen Murray****AND WE ARE OFF....**

2016 is shaping up to be very busy year and we hope that many of you can participate in the upcoming events. We are known to have a very active club.

With that said our first event is scheduled for January 23rd. Join us for the Baton Rouge Cruise which is lining up to be a fun packed day. Many cars are committed to participate **so don't be left out. Check out page 8 for all of the details and info on this event.** Hope to see many of you on Saturday!!!

Our next event draws a large crowd for delicious food, great driving, awesome conservation and a chance to finalize the Annual Car Show preparations.

Middendorf's Annual Lunch—Sunday, February 21st. at 12:30 p.m.

This year a later lunch has been scheduled to allow time for browsing or shopping at the **antique shops and Farmer's Market in Ponchatoula.** We always try to do this after Middendorf's but everyone is generally too tired and just want to go home and sleep.

Convoy info:

- North Shore: 10:30 a.m. Scooter's Madisonville
- New Orleans: 9:30 a.m. Morning Call City Park on Veterans for café au lait and beignets and then on to Ponchatoula
- Baton Rouge: 9:30 a.m. Bass Pro Shop
- Mississippi Gulf Coast group please contact Peter Brauen for information

Hope to see everyone at Middendorf's on the February 21st.

MARCH is our Annual Car Show.

Dates to remember:

Saturday, March 12th—Goody Bag Stuffing 4:00 p.m. All donations must be collected before this date.

Friday, March 18th—Welcome reception for everyone at the host hotel Ramada of Metairie, 3400 S. I-10 Service Rd., by Causeway, Metairie. We still need plenty of food for the Friday night Welcome Reception. The doors open for serving at 6:00 p.m. so please try to have your food there on time. Come and join everyone in welcoming our out of town guests and spending time with each other. This year we are also inviting our sponsors to the dinner. Last year 90 people attended the Friday night reception.

Saturday, March 19th

26th Annual Car Show

Schedule of Events

On-site registration	9:00 a.m. till 12:00 noon
British Breakfast	8:30 a.m. till 10:30 a.m.
Bill & Violet Nix 's House	
79 N. Park Pl.	
Show time (cars must remain on the field)	Noon—3:00 p.m.
Judging (Popular Choice)	12:30 p.m.—2:30 p.m.
British /American Tea	2:00 p.m.—3:00 p.m.
Ladies only	
Awards	3:00 p.m.
New Orleans Food & Spirits Dinner (Dutch treat)	5:30 p.m.

*Calendar at a glance*

Month	Event	Date	Time	Place	Contact
January	Gulf Coast/Ms Meeting	Sat. 9th		Second Saturday, Art-walk in Bay St. Louis Baptist Church	Peter & Melissa Brauen
	Board of Directors	Tues. 12th		Karen & Ronnie's	
	Baton Rouge Meeting	Wed., 20th	6:00 dinner 7:00 meeting	Louis Deangelo's Italian Rest. 13686 Coursey Blvd. 70817	Rick Huber
	North Shore Meeting	Thurs. 21st	6:00 dinner 7:00 meeting	Abita Brew Pub 72011 Holly Street, Abita	Cliff Hughes
	Acadiana/ Lafayette	Sat. 23rd.			Dave Hayden
	Feliciana Cruise	Sat. 23rd.		See newsletter for info	Milton Franklin
	General BMCNO Meeting	Tues. 26th.	6:00 dinner 7:00 meeting	Italian Pie Restaurant, 5650 Jefferson Hwy., Harahan, LA	Board of Directors
February	Gulf Coast/Ms Meeting	Sat. 13th		Second Saturday, Art-walk in Bay St. Louis Baptist Church	Peter & Melissa Brauen
	Board meeting	Tues.	6:00 – 8:30 p.m.	Jack and Audrey Kennedy	
	Middendorf's	Sun. 21st		See newsletter for info	Karen Murray
	Baton Rouge Meeting	Wed., 17th	6:00 dinner 7:00 meeting	Louis Deangelo's Italian Rest. 13686 Coursey Blvd. 70817	Rick Huber
	North Shore Meeting	Thurs. 18h	6:00 dinner 7:00 meeting	Abita Brew Pub 72011 Holly Street, Abita Springs	Cliff Hughes
	Acadiana / Lafayette	Sat. 27th			Dave Hayden
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	Goody Bag Stuffing	Sat. 12th.			BMCNO Board
	Board Meeting	Tues. 15th.	6:00 – 8:30 p.m.	TBA	
	Baton Rouge Meeting	Wed., 16th	6:00 dinner 7:00 meeting	Louis Deangelo's Italian Rest. 13686 Coursey Blvd. 70817	Rick Huber
	North Shore Meeting	Thurs. 17th.	6:00 dinner 7:00 meeting	Abita Brew Pub 72011 Holly Street, Abita Springs	Cliff Hughes
	Welcome Reception	Fri. 18 th		Ramada Hotel - I-10 Service Road and Causeway	Karen Murray
	Annual BMCNO Car Show	Sat. 19th	8:00 a.m. - till	Delgado Community College	BMCNO
	Club Dinner after Car Show	Sat. 19th.	5:30 p.m.	New Orleans Food & Spirit Rest. 210 Old Hammond Highway	Karen Murray
	Acadiana /Lafayette	Sat. 26 th			Dave Hayden
	General BMCNO Meeting	Tues. 31st.	6:00 dinner 7:00 meeting	Italian Pie Restaurant, 5650 Jefferson Hwy., Harahan, LA	Board of Directors



December Meeting minutes

We didn't have a meeting in December. Therefore there are no minutes. However we had a Great Christmas Party.

Rouge Gatherings by Rick Huber



Twelve of us got together on December 16th for our monthly meeting at Deangelo's at 13686 Coursey Blvd. We had just found out that day that our friend and member from New Roads, Wayne Pangburn, had just died. So we reminisced about Wayne and those of us who had been friends with him talked about his life and his membership in the club with his red TR4. Bill said the doctor mentioned in his obituary was his cardiologist too, so Wayne got 10 good years from when he first started having heart trouble. We'll sure miss him, but we'll be happy to welcome his son, Brian and his family to the club.

Milton got another one of his British bikes friends to join us. Don Webber is quite a character, a BR attorney best known in our circles for building a P-51 Mustang in a shop on Capital Heights Ave. He drives mostly Porsches now, but he added a few colorful stories to our gathering.

Rick talked about the Christmas party which was well attended and fun as usual. Milton talked about the upcoming Baton Rouge cruise - he and Annette have already made the run and Rick and Bobby will make it in January before the scheduled club event on January 23rd. See the article about that event. Milton is trying to round up as many MGAs as we can get for this year's event. Rick talked about member appreci-

ation pizza night in Baton Rouge on January 20th, and took orders for the group's favorite pizza. Milton and Tom talked about the Barber Museum just outside of Birmingham, which is the location of a club trip planned for later this year. Watch the newsletter for the schedule for this event.

We all said so long to 2015 and wished each other a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Don't forget the January 23, 2016 Baton Rouge

FREE PIZZA AND SOFT DRINK TO MEMBERS AT NEW ORLEANS AREA (Harahan) and BATON ROUGE AREA JANUARY MEETINGS.

FREE PIZZA AND SOFT DRINK TO MEMBERS AT GULF COAST AREA, NORTSHORE AREA AND LAFAYETTE AREA FEBRUARY MEETINGS.



Cruise. See page 8 for more details.



Free Pizza & drink to all BMCNO members.

We will treat BMCNO members to free pizza buffet and a soft drink.

Free pizza and soft drink to New Orleans area and ~~Baton Rouge~~ area members attending the JANUARY meetings.

Free pizza buffet and soft drink to Gulf Coast area members, Lafayette area members, and North Shore area members attending the FRBURARY meetings.



New Coordinator named by Board of Directors



Milton Franklin has been voted by the BMCNO Board of Directors as the new Motorcycle Coordinator. Milton lives in the Baton Rouge area as is very instrumental in organizing motorcycle runs. He also works very diligently to increase the number of motorcycles in our car show. His interest lie not only in riding these bikes but also in helping and teaching how to fix them. If anyone is interested in join-

ing our club or participating in a BMCNO event with a BRITISH motorcycle please contact Milton.



Thank you to Milton for his hard work on behalf on BMCNO and for agreeing to accept and work this new position.



January 23, 2016 Baton Rouge Cruise by Rick Huber

At the BR meeting on Nov 18th, we decided to repeat our 1st Feliciana Cruise (I think this is 5th or 6th one). We will leave CC's on Jefferson Highway around 10:15 AM. To Old Scenic and Hwy 68.

We will stop at Feliciana Cellars for tour and wine samples (www.felicianacellars.com).



Then to Jackson Museum site where Greater BR Model Railroaders are open for all on 2 and 4 Sat of each month. They now occupy 2 buildings ra-



ther than 1 and have vastly expanded tracks. The passenger steam engine may be running on site track but can't count on that. Railroaders site is www.greaterbrrailroaders.com. I have made contacts and will pass these along should you want.

Will get out of there about 12:30 and on to a new and scenic route back to Hwy 61 near Rose-mound and on to Magnolia Café.

We will finish up lunch and be leaving about 2:30-3PM for home destinations.

We will do this on January 23, 2016, which is 2 weeks prior to Superbowl weekend to jive with BR railroaders group.

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Please attend this event! **It's lots of fun.**

Please call or email me if you have any questions.

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Chef's Corner.....by Karen Murray, Vice President BMCNO



Chef's Corner

By Karen Murray

Many, many thanks to those members who attended the Christmas Party and brought such mouthwatering meals. We did not have one morsel of food left after the party. Not only are we good cooks but good eaters as well. We really enjoy sharing our favorite dishes with everyone else.



And...speaking of sharing our delicious recipes it is that time of **year again.....**

Annual BMCNO Car Show Welcome Reception

Ramada Metairie

3400 I-10 Service Rd. , Metairie

Friday, March 18, 2016

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 18th. 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 had a tremendous amount of desserts at our Christmas Party. Which is great for Christmas!!!! Please bring more appetizers, casseroles or main dishes to this event as people have been traveling all day and really need something to stick to their ribs and empty stomachs.

We have had 70—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 greet 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.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Middendorf's Cruise

Sunday, February 21st, 2016

See February BMCNO newsletter and or email for more information.



2015 BMCNO Christmas Partyby Karen Murray, Vice President

Saturday, December 5th was the BMCNO Annual Christmas Party held at the Ramada / Metairie Hotel again this year.

What fun the 63 participants had with all of the delicious food, great door prizes, and amazing entertainment.

Five Delgado Scholarships were awarded this year with each winner present and Mr. George Torlage Representing Delgado Community College Automotive Division.

The club has presented scholarships for the past 9 years but this years award winners were the best we have ever had.

Each winner was seated at a table with club members to enjoy great car conservation. During the night the winners were asked to tell us something about themselves. What moving speeches. All were not only articulate but funny and extremely moving at the same time.

Every participant commented to me on how impressed they were with these young people. We wish them much luck and happiness in their future endeavors.



Also, 2015 Board of Directors members were recognized for their hard work and presented with a small thank you from the club. Retiring member Don Marpe was presented with a gas pump trophy for his years of service and dedication to the club.

After 2015 board presentations the 2016 Board of Directors was presented. This board has 2 new members Tom MicMillian, member at large and Mark Greensfelder our new treasurer. Congratulations to the new board and good luck with the coming year.

Finally it was time to raffle off the door prizes. The club collected 165 pounds of food for Second Harvesters and 30 people went home with fun prizes.

I could not end this article without a big THANK YOU to the best entertainment we have ever had — Menda Hayden (pictured above) as our own clown specialists. She helped make us all feel like kids again at Christmas.

Everyone had a great time and not a morsel of food was left!!!!





2015 BMCNO Christmas Party continued...





2015 BMCNO Christmas Party Pictures





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2015 BMCNO Scholarship Winners from Delgado Community College Automotive Program pictured with Mr. George Torlage, Assistant Professor of Motor Vehicle Technology. Pictured L to R : Austin Stefan -(Missed a perfect score from the judges by 1 point), Sean Newton, Jeremiah Johnson, Devlin Paz and Nathaniel Whitford. Congratulations to these fine young men.





2015 BMCNO Christmas Party Pictures





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Above is Karen Murray our BMCNO Vice President. Karen is also our activity and procurement coordinator. She is standing with some of the items that she picked up here and there to use for door prizes and give away items at this years Christmas party.



Roger Nagy's Memorial Drive and North Shore Cruise by Cliff Hughes

This event was planned after member Roger Nagy passed away weeks ago. As a fitting tribute to his passion for LBC's, BMCNO decided to plan a memorial run in his honor.

The contributions that Roger made to our club were many, but his claim to fame were his famous chocolate chip cookies. Another passion of his was volunteering to bake bread in the wee early morning hours, (5AM) at St Joseph's Abbey in Covington. The "Pennies for Bread" project that Roger was involved with baked the bread and distributed it to charities all across the New Orleans metro area.

The early morning gathering of 23 BMCNO members for our drive commenced with a shaky beginning. Rain clouds were present at about drive time. Not good at all, as Rick Huber called and cancelled because of rain in Baton Rouge.

We met at Claiborne Hill shopping center in Covington, and proceeded to the St. Joseph Abbey, about 15 minutes away. St Joseph Semi-

(Why not?).

We spent an hour at the gift shop, and then we returned to our cars. It took only 15 minutes to cruise to member John Baldwin's man cave in Covington.

There, we talked cars for about an hour with John and John JR.

All 23 BMCNO members were treated to a display of beautiful and expensive cars, mostly foreign, with a few domestic marque's to make this visit interesting.

The garage was spotless, with John Jr admitting that they completed a clean up @ 2AM early this morning.

Former owner of Tourist Trophy Garage, Elliott Evans, along with George Torlich from Delgado Automotive were guests to help spread stories from back in the day.

After inspecting all of John's cars, we caravanned over to Friends Restaurant on the Tchefuncte River in Madisonville to do what we do best EAT!!!

I wish to thank all of you that participated in this tribute to Roger. He contributed much to this club and will be sorely missed by all who knew him.

Thanks to BMCNO for the donation to "Pennies for Bread", Rogers favorite charity. Roger's wife Charlotte thanked us for the contribution and the tribute to Roger.



nary and Abbey was rebuilt in 1952, after the original church was replaced. The seminary now housed 120 students studying to become Catholic priests. A quick tour of the church was followed by a walk through the beautiful and serene campus. Not only do the seminarians bake bread, they also build cypress coffins, which they sell all over this area.

After completing a visit to the church and grounds, and the cafeteria (very special), the ladies dragged the men over to the gift shop.





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Peter Brauen



Calling all British Motorcycle Owners

It has been suggested that the club work to increase the number of British Motorcycle owners. If anyone knows someone who owns a British Motorcycle please contact them about participating in our club.

Milton Franklin, Baton Rouge, is interested in organizing motorcycle events for owners of British Motorcycles. Harley groups are always cruising the roads so we would like to start British motorcycle cruises. We would also like to increase the number of motorcycles at our Annual Car Show. So...let's start looking for British motorcycles to give our business cards and brochures too. If you need more please contact Milton at densalprop@cox.net.



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**Club Resource Library**

Although our Club Resource Library is still growing, the items that we do have are all excellent and available to all members.

Currently there are many items available. These include service manuals and how to books and videos.

We will be bringing the library to the area meetings.

See the February newsletter for your meeting location and date. We plan to shift

locations every 30 days.

If there are any other titles you would like to have, then let me know.

Rick Huber

**Club Resource Library****Club Resource Library**



BMCNO Membership Application

Print this form to submit your application.

Name: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Address: _____ Birthday day _____

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:
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⇒ 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](#)."

Name _____ Date _____



British Motoring Club New Orleans 26th Annual British Car Day

Saturday, March 19th 2016

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 3:30 p.m.

All British Cars & Bikes Invited

Spectators Welcome at No Charge

For more information contact:

Don Marpe (504) 812-8611 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 at BMCNO.ORG

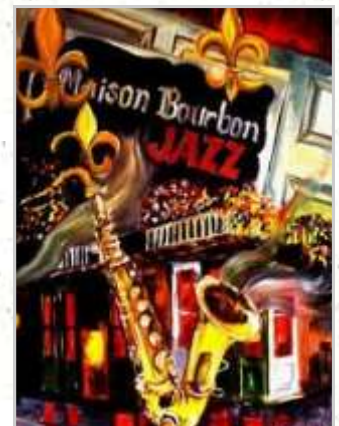
Ramada Inn

3400 South. I-10 Service Rd W,

Metairie, LA 70001

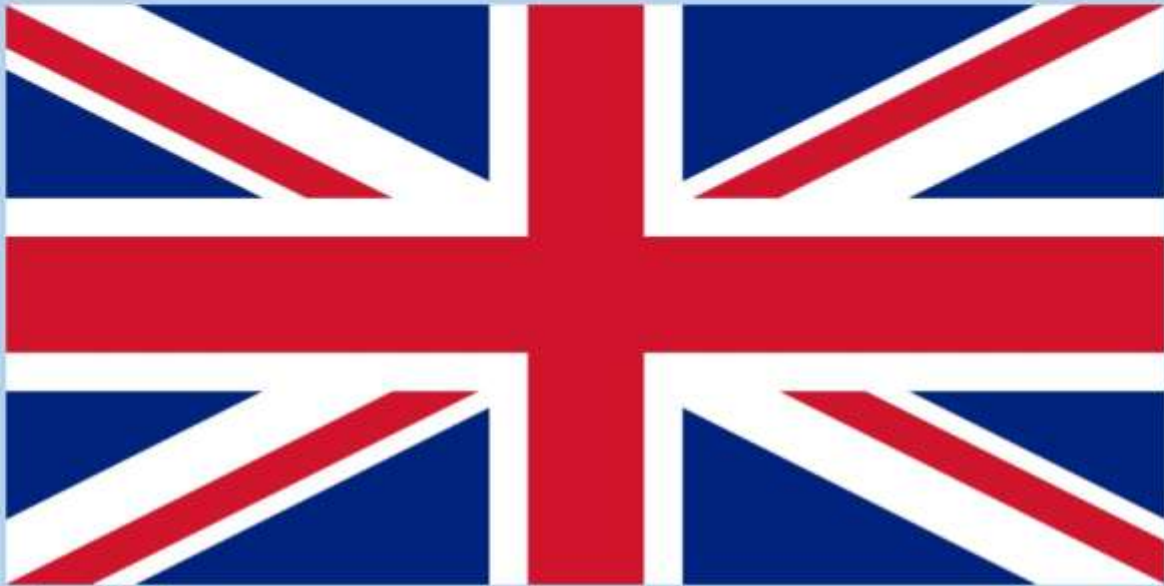
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Ask for special BMCNO room rate
available until 3/4/16



You are cordially invited to attend a free very

"British Breakfast"



March 19, 2016 (8:30 a.m. till 10:30 a.m.)

You will dine on Coffee, Tea, Scones and other.

Hosted by

Bill & Violet Nix

79 N. Park Pl., New Orleans, LA

(2 blocks from the Delgado Show)

You must come and tour their garage!

Please join them for this event!!!

British Motoring Club New Orleans

Cordially invites

Ladies to an

American / British Tea Party



Honoring all ladies attending the Annual BMCNO Car Show

Date: Saturday, March 19, 2016

Place: Delgado Community College

Time: 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

British (Hot tea), American (Southern Ice Tea), and desserts will be served.

Favors and Door prizes



2016 BMCNO British Car Day T-Shirts



CAR SHOW SHIRTS!!!

Our 2016 shirts this year are gold with a black sketch of an old gas station with antique British cars around.

If you are interested in ordering a collared (Polo) shirt or long sleeved pull over sweat all orders must be in by January 31st. They must be preordered.

So... if you are interested in purchasing a collared shirt or pull over long sleeve sweat shirt you must order before January 31st. Extra shirts will not be ordered. Contact Karen Murray to place your order. Collards and long sleeve sweat shirts are \$22.00 (S-XL) and (\$24.00) above.

We will again order t-shirts and have them at club events or meeting for you to purchase. Left over t-shirts will be sold the day of the show. In order to guaranteed the size you want buy your t-shirt early. They will also be available for purchase on the day of the show

The cost of the T-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)

We have 155 members in our club therefore if everyone purchased just one shirt we will have a sell out. Remember, ladies do wear these shirts at our car show and for out of town shows as well. It would be really nice if more ladies purchased a shirt for the day of our show.

Make checks payable to BMCNO

26th Annual British Car Day

2016 SPONSOR SOLICITATION GUIDANCE

We will not have a sponsors contest for this year's show. We still encourage all members to solicit sponsors for the show but want to target sponsors that get some benefit from the exposure at the show. If the sponsor has the potential to sell a product or service to a British Car owner / club member, than they are a good target. Examples and past sponsors are shown below. We do not want this to just be about getting money for the show so that we can give that money away as scholarships. We want the sponsors to know that they received some benefit for their sponsor money.

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

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.

Likely prospects for sponsors:

Regular sponsors already planned

Auto Supply or Repair Services,

Brian Harris Mini

Auto Dealers

BMC Restorations (member)

Restaurants

Mardi Gras T's

Retail Stores

Gulf Coast Jaguar Club

Businesses you regularly patronize

Euro Fest

Little British Car Company
(member)

Baldwin Motors



British Motoring Club New Orleans

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

2016 SPONSOR REGISTRATION FORM

26th Annual British Car Day – March 19, 2016

Due Date March 12, 2016

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) _____

Sponsor Amount _____

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

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# _____



BRITISH MOTORING CLUB NEW ORLEANS

2016 TENTATIVE SPONSOR CLASS LIST

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Aston Martin

Austin-Healey 100, 100-6 & 3000 (1953-1963)

Austin-Healey 3000 (1964-1968)

Austin-Healey Sprite & MG Midget

Display Only Class (Trailers, Restorations, For Sale) - NO TROPHIES

Empire Sports Classic (pre-1989)

Empire Sports Modern(1989 and newer)

Jaguar Sedans

Jaguar Vintage & Classic Sports (Pre-1974)

Jaguar Modern Sports (1975 and newer)

Jaguar XJS

Jaguar XK8/XKR

Longest Distance Driven

Lotus

MGs Pre-War

MG TC, TD, and TF

MGA 1500

MGA 1600

MGB/C Chrome Bumper (1962-1969)

MGB/C Chrome Bumper (1970-1974)

MGB Rubber Bumper (1975-1976)

MGB Rubber Bumper (1977-1980)

MGB/C GT

Mini Cooper, Classic (1959-2000)

Mini Cooper, Modern (2002 and newer)

Modified Class (Race cars, Engine swaps, significant mods to British vehicles)

Motorcycles

Preservation Class (Near Original Condition)

Rolls Royce & Bentley

Rover

Saloons (small)

Saloons (large)

Triumph TR2, 3, 4 & 250

Triumph TR6 (1969-1973)

Triumph TR6 (1974-1976)

Triumph TR7 & 8

Triumph Spitfire & GT6

**Official entry form****26th Annual New Orleans British Car Day****Saturday, March 19th, 2016 New Orleans, Louisiana**

Please Print

Name	Guest (for name tag)	
Address		
City	State	Zip
Telephone	Email <small>e-mail for Entry Receipt</small>	
Club Affiliations		

Cars / Motorcycles entered

\$25.00 early registration

\$30.00 after 3-12-2016

	Year	Make / Model / Type / Color	Entry Fee
1			

More than one car—add \$10

2			
3			
4			
	"Show layout and classes based on registration"		

M:	L:	XL:	2XL	3XL	Shirt Total:
I plan to attend the Friday night reception with _____ total people.					Grand Total
I plan to attend the Saturday British American Tea 2:00 p.m-3:00p.m. with _____ total people. FREE— Ladies Only.					

Special Pre-Order Show T-Shirt Pricing: Size M through XL \$15. size 2XL \$16. 3XL \$17 (Show Price \$2 more per shirt)

In consideration of this entry, I waive any and all claims for me and my heirs against the British Motoring Club New Orleans, Delgado College, their officers and any sponsor of this event for injury or illness which may result directly or indirectly from my participation. I also give my permission for use of my name and / or pictures in the BMCNO newsletter, any broadcast, telecast or any other account of this event.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Payment by PayPal or Credit Card available: [HTTP://www.clubregistration.net](http://www.clubregistration.net)

Make check payable to: "British Car Day" Mail to: Car Day, P.O. Box 73213, Metairie, LA 70033



PRESS RELEASE

CONTACT: Mike Marsh

[601.946.1950](tel:601.946.1950)

Mike_Marsh@bellsouth.net

Natchez Hosting Euro Fest Classic European Auto & Motorcycle Show

The Euro Fest Classic European Auto & Motorcycle Show, combining European engineering and beauty with Southern hospitality, will create an exciting, inaugural automotive and motorcycle event in Natchez on April 9, 2016.

As part of Natchez's Tricentennial Celebration, Euro Fest will be a free, fun, family event held on the bluffs of the Mississippi River on the beautiful grounds of Rosalie Plantation. The show will open to the public at 10:00 a.m. with the awards presentation at 4:00 pm.

Car owners with rare and significant European automobiles and motorcycles, twenty five years and older, are expected to participate from several southeastern states. Also expected are regional European auto clubs conducting a Showcase Corral of their members' newer autos.

For more information or to enter your vehicle for consideration, please visit www.euro-fest.net.





NAMGAR GET TOGETHER EVENT

MG2016.GT-41

June 13-17, 2016

Organized by North American Council of
MG Registers
Louisville, KY

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

Join the North American MMM Register, the New England MGT Register, the North American MGA Register, and the North American MGB Register for four fun-filled days of MG camaraderie. Louisville is home of the “**Louisville Slugger**” (the official baseball bat of major league baseball), Churchill Downs (where the “**most exciting two minutes of sports**” is held each May), and is the source of 1/3 of the world’s supply of bourbon. Louisville will have something to offer to everyone in attendance.

Louisville is centrally located for the majority of the host registers’ members. The mid-week event will allow for travel to and from Louisville on weekends! Contracts have been secured with a group of seven hotel properties (essentially across the street from each other) that will meet your budget and expectations.

Plan to arrive in Louisville on Monday afternoon as you will not want to miss our opening ceremony that evening at Churchill Downs, home of the Kentucky Derby. (This event will have limited seating, so register early!).

For more information, visit:

www.mg2016.com

**South Central VTR Regional****The Oklahoma Run • April 20-24, 2016**

SOUTH CENTRAL VTR REGIONAL 2016 “THE OKLAHOMA RUN” APRIL 20-24 NORMAN, OK

On April 22, 1889, President Benjamin Harrison authorized the Great Land Run for "white settlement" to be established in what had previously been Indian Territory in central Oklahoma. At high noon an estimated 50,000 individuals charged off by wagon, horseback and on foot at the firing of the canon at

Fort Reno signaling the start of the Land Run. This event, to award the "Unassigned Lands", attracted homesteaders from near and far to lay claim to the 160 acre tracts that were available by personally staking out your claim. This resulted in overnight tent cities in Oklahoma City, Stillwater, Kingfisher, El Reno, Guthrie and Norman, Oklahoma.

On behalf of the Central Oklahoma Vintage Triumph Register car club, we encourage you join us in our own "Oklahoma Run" while attending the 2016 South Central VTR Regional to be held in Norman from April 20 through April 24. You may know that Norman is situated just north of the South Canadian River and about 15 miles south of Oklahoma City. Lodging and many of the planned events are being conducted at the Marriott Conference Center which has 964 guest rooms. The conference center is located at 2801 East State Highway 9 on the southeast side of Norman and provides a beautiful relaxed setting. If you like pleasant Triumph drives with interesting scenery then this is the place for you. We are planning several fun events with the Oklahoma Run as our theme. All of our events will take place in the surrounding Norman area so please join us so that you can meet old friends and maybe even some new ones while enjoying our fine Oklahoma hospitality.

Dave Hogan

2016 South Central VTR Regional Chairman

david.l.hogan1@gmail.com or 405- 227-8467





Red River Triumph President's Message

Hello Friends,

On behalf of all Texans, The Red River Triumph Club extends to you a very hearty welcome to the 2016 Vintage Triumph Register Convention. With unforgettable sunsets, scenic landscapes rising from the rolling plains, to the heights of majestic Guadalupe peak, there is much to explore and enjoy in our great state.

We have selected the Lake Texoma area as our venue. Located north of Dallas/Ft Worth metropolitan area and bordering the Texas – Oklahoma state line, Lake Texoma offers over a 1000 miles of shoreline wrapping around 89,000 acres of sparkling fresh-water. Our host hotel, Tanglewood Resort, is nestled on Lake Texoma and offers the finest accommodations, meeting areas and activities surrounded in a country setting and scenic views.

This year's convention offers a full schedule. You will find many familiar events, like scenic drives and gimmick rallies, as well as some new events. In addition, autocross on a converted WWII airfield and a planned Concours plus antique airplane fly-in are just a few of the interesting points of this convention.

October is a great time of the year as you maneuver your Triumph through North Texas, where you will find the self-guided drives taking you through scenic areas around

the lake and the events to be a challenge. It is always good to see so many come to the convention given all the demands on our time. But even with the planned schedule we have put together, there should be enough time to relax and explore what the area has to offer. Our hope is that you enjoy your Triumph, renew acquaintances, and exchange a few stories. After all, that is what this time is for!

I would like to thank the many RRTC club members and local city leaders that made this event possible. Please join me in thanking them for all of their efforts.

We hope you find this program useful as it will give details of the events, history, and places of interest around Lake Texoma. I encourage you to contact any of the RRTC members with any questions or concerns.

Welcome to Texas and I look forward to visiting with each of you.

*Bigger in Texas,
Better in a Triumph!*

Sincerely,

Michael Sabelhaus
President
Red River Triumph Club

Go to <http://vtr2016.org> for more information

