



# THE OIL SPOT

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## President's Note

It was great to finally have our “annual” banquet, after skipping last year due to Covid. I think all who attended will agree it was great fun. Be sure to check out Marie Palachuk’s minutes in this Oil Spot for details, for our salute to the officers and board members for the past two years, and the list of your newly elected officers and board members for club year 2022.

I am happy to announce that (nearly) all members wore their name tags at the Banquet.

However, there were a few at the banquet—and a number of you out there (you know who you are)—who are delinquent in their dues for 2022 (\$20 per family—cheap). Every year after the banquet we purge the roster, so don’t let this be your last Oil Spot. Send your \$20 (cheap) to Kevan McCallum. He is in your roster.

We opened our new club year at the banquet with a membership of 75 families, up from 65 families at the last banquet. That puts us at around 140 individuals.

As you’ll note in Kevan’s financial reports in the Oil Spot, we are running a monthly balance around \$4,000.00, compared to around \$3,000.00 at last banquet. We are sound and healthy.

Have you named your LBC?

And most importantly, my personal thanks to all of you who have, and will, step up to coordinate club activities. It is what makes NWBC work—and fun.

Dave Hofstadter

2022 NWBC President

## February 2022 Minutes of NWBC

February 12, 2022 7:40pm

Darcy's Restaurant

Annual banquet commenced at 5:30 with a wonderful turnout of 33 members. The buffet dinner was tasty and everyone took time to socialize and catch up on happenings 😊

Dave Hofstadter called the meeting to order at 7:40pm and gave opening comments:

- A big thank you to Greg Upton and Jim & Maddy Houghton for organizing the banquet.
- We are able to obtain subscriptions to the *British Marque*— a newspaper of things related to British cars. If interested in a subscription, contact Dave for more information.
- More 2021 Britbull shirts have been ordered due to high demand - info will be in the Oil Spot on how to get yours!
- Britbull 2022 will occur on August 14<sup>th</sup> and again be held at Grant Park.
- Reminder to those few remaining... PLEASE pay your dues for 2022

A BIG thank you to the Officers that have served during the past two years (due to COVID no annual meeting/elections occurred last year).

President – Dave Hofstadter

VP – Wayne Burley

Secretary – Marie Palachuk

Treasurer – Kevin McCallum

At Large Board members – Gary High, Bob Flatley, Lynn Martin

Event coordinators were – Greg Taylor, Robert Andrews, Jim Houghton and Bill Puskas

Additional items mentioned include:

- In 2021 we had only 7 driving events, but also a number of informal gatherings including attending several Cars & Coffee get-together.
- It's time to start planning for 2022 drives – if you have any ideas of places to go, or want to lead a drive, please contact Dave.
- Our presence is now active on Facebook – thank you Kevin McCallum

Elections occurred:

Nominations & Votes –

President – Dave Hofstadter (no other nominations) – elected unanimously

Vice Pres – Wayne Burley (no other nominations) – elected unanimously

Secretary – Diane Hofstadter (no other nominations) – elected unanimously

Treasurer – Kevan McCallum (no other nominations) – elected unanimously

At large – \*Bill Puskas 25 votes

\*Top 3 vote \*Kent Green 19 votes

recipients \*Mick Heckathorn 17 votes

are elected Randy Staples 16 votes

Peter Yarbrough 11 votes

Meeting was adjourned at 8:10pm and we commenced with the white elephant gift exchange. 😊😊

Next meeting will be in March with date to appear in the Oil Spot.

Respectfully submitted,

Marie Palachuk, secretary

# 2022 NWBC BANQUET



# My MGBV8 Project - Part 2

By Mark Elmore

So while the engine was at the machine shop, I did some body work.



1) Repositioned the gas fill to the right rear quarter and filled the old filler spot.



2) Removed and filled all the marker lights.



3) Removed and replaced the dash scuttle with a Heritage piece that will allow me to use an older metal dash rather than the padded dash.



4) Made the rubber bumper shell into a chrome bumper by removing



the mounts and adding the necessary mounts for the chrome bumper brackets, front turn fillers and the taillight fillers.

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5) New custom electrical panel.



Contemplating my next move!!

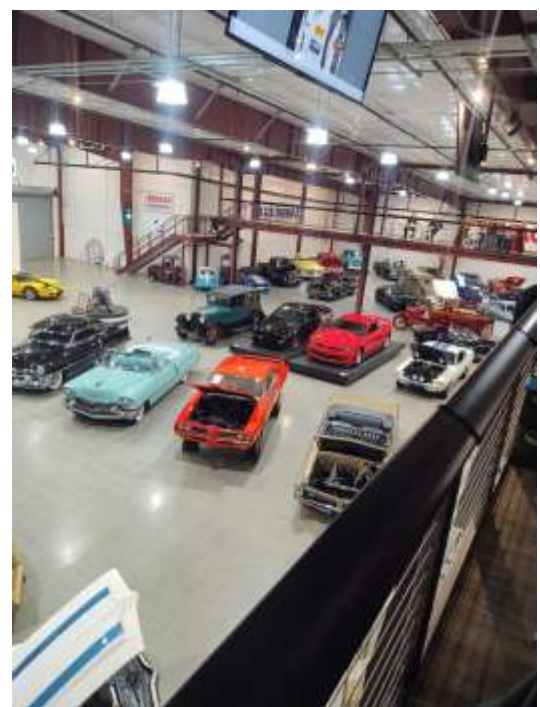
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# CONGRATULATIONS

Greg McKinley

The award was the 2021 1st Place Champion for 1800cc and smaller. The banquet was held at the ThunderDome in Enumclaw WA on January 8, 2022



# Attention Triumph Drivers

## You Can Join the Triumph Register



NWBC is an official chapter of the Vintage Triumph Register. Our new liaison with VTR is Debbie Fisk. She drives a '69 TR-6. If you are a Triumph driver you are eligible to join VTR, which includes the Vintage Triumph magazine, info on Triumph events and other benefits. If you are interested contact Debbie at (916) 281-8718 or [Deborah Fisk@surewest.net](mailto:Deborah_Fisk@surewest.net)

# UPCOMING EVENTS



- Mar 12, 2022 8:30 am NWBC meeting. Best Western Plus  
506 W Appleway Ave, Coeur d'Alene ID 83814  
\$25 per person. RSVP to [wasup@mtaonline.net](mailto:wasup@mtaonline.net) by Mar. 7th
- Apr 09, 2022 8:30 am NWBC meeting. Best Western Plus  
506 W Appleway Ave, Coeur d'Alene ID 83814  
\$25 per person. RSVP to [wasup@mtaonline.net](mailto:wasup@mtaonline.net) by Apr. 4th
- Apr 23, 2022 Car Drive to Ritzville--details forthcoming--Stay Overnight at  
Best Western Bronco Inn--509-659-5000----Rally next day
- Apr 24, 2022 8:00am--Ritzville Gumball Rally  
Ritzville City Park, 850 S Columbia St., Ritzville WA
- May 07, 2022 Depot Day Classic Car Show--Wallace ID--  
<https://www.wallaceid.fun/wallace-events/wallace-car-show/>

***We have a FACEBOOK GROUP !!***

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/603518397696284>



## Northwest British Classics

### Club Financials

January 1, 2022 to January 31, 2022  
Income

Starting Balance 1/1/2022	\$	4,114.83
Member Dues Income	\$	580.00
Member Badge Income	\$	-
BritBull	\$	-
Club Breakfast	\$	595.00
Elections Banquet	\$	400.00
Park Fee Refund	\$	-
Donation	\$	40.00
Sub-Total	\$	5,729.83

### Expenses

Total Best Name Badges	\$	-
Supplies	\$	-
Club Picnic	\$	-
Domain	\$	-
Domain Hosting	\$	-
Government Fees	\$	-
Club Breakfast	\$	628.43
Breakfast Refund	\$	-
Park Fees	\$	272.50
INCCC Dues	\$	-
Insurance	\$	-
BritBull	\$	-
Sub-Total	\$	900.93
Ending Balance 1/31/2022	\$	4,828.90



## **Classified Ads**



**FOR SALE** - 1969 MGB GT - contact Mike Murphy at 509-992-4882

**FOR SALE** - 1962 Triumph Herald 1200 convertible ... contact Jim or Marilyn at 509-979-6824

**1966 Healey MK II BJ** parts looking to find a home. Have rear fender and other small parts. Contact: 208-755-3341

**1955 MG TF**—Available in California. Not restored but complete and drivable. Owner from 60 years ago and never driven much. Contact Wayne at 509-999-9910

**FOR SALE** - 1980 Triumph Spitfire (Red) \$7,999 46K Miles ... Excellent Condition. Contact Jim Zimmerman at [njzim@comcast.net](mailto:njzim@comcast.net)

**FOR SALE** - Assorted Sprite/Midget parts. Contact: Don Beyer at 541-405-9502

## **CLUB DUES**

Family membership for one year is \$20.00. New members pay \$25.00 for the first year which includes club name tags which are worn at club meetings and events  
Send your renewal or initial membership to:

Kevan McCallum  
11409 N McCoy Rd.  
Newman Lake WA 99025

**Dues are due January 1st every year**

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of all makes,  
models, years  
and, yes, condition.

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CAR CLUB  
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Meetings are every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday, except Feb, Aug, & Dec., at 8:30am at the Best Western Plus Coeur d'Alene Inn. Breakfast is \$25/person cash or check at the door.

Visit us at: [northwestbritishclassics.com](http://northwestbritishclassics.com)

Name(s) (include spouse/significant other/family members, etc.):

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Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Initial Dues: \$25.00 per family. Includes two club nametags: Call Greg Taylor (509-891-7850) with names & car types for each nametag. Thereafter: \$20.00 per family annually. Dues are due January 1<sup>st</sup>.  
Make checks payable to: NORTHWEST BRITISH CLASSICS Total amount submitted: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Mail check and completed signed application to: Kevan McCallum  
Treasurer  
11409 N McCoy Rd.  
Newman Lake, WA 99025

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Coeur D'Alene, ID 86816



## Northwest British Classics Club

### Club Officers and other Volunteers

**President:** Dave Hofstadter (405) 826-4405 [davehofstadter@verizon.net](mailto:davehofstadter@verizon.net)

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**Treasurer:** Kevan McCallum

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