



THE OIL SPOT

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President's Note

Weather is getting better every day. Had an outstanding meeting and breakfast at Barlow's in Liberty Lake. Don't forget that you don't have to drive your LBC, but it's always great to see as many of them around the building, making people look and stare at the impressive contributions to driving history. Welcome to James Jones - 1973 MGB. Six cars departed Barlow's after the meeting to go to Newport, Wa. & Oldtown, Id. just to see the idea of two towns on the border together that used to have the same name.

Still waiting on a trip to the Air Museum's and photo shoot at Felt's field. Ritzville coming soon, 30 April, Gumball Rally. \$15.00 to join and get cards for poker hands, to win things at the end of the drive. Some of us are staying at the Best Western Saturday night, and if you plan to do this also, need to make reservations soon for Saturday 29th.

Our next meeting will be at Barlow's again on the 13th of May, 0900. And please let Gregg Upton know if you are coming, so Barlow's can add extra staff.

Have a great rest of month.

Randy Staples



Minutes of NWBC Monthly Meeting

March 11th, 2023

Meeting held at Barlows Restaurant

On April 15, 2023, the breakfast meeting was called to order at 9:30 am at Barlows Restaurant by President Randy Staples, with 32 members present. The minutes from the last meeting on March 11 were approved. The Treasurer's Report was also approved.

There was one new member: James Jones, who owns a 1973 MGB.

Scott Thompson discussed the drive scheduled for that day: Up to Old Town/Newport, which is about a 60 mile drive. The plan was to drive out Trent to Rathdrum and then go up Highway 41 to Newport.

Future Drives and Club Activities: April 30, at 9 am, is the Ritzville Gumball Rally and Poker Run, which is about 170 miles. The plan is to spend Saturday night in Ritzville (The Best Western is recommended). The rally is Sunday. If people want to drive to Ritzville together, we could all meet at Barlows on Saturday, April 29, at about 9 am.

At the last meeting, Peter suggested a photo shoot with a Spitfire as background at Felts Field. We still haven't pinned down a date, but we will try to do it in May. The discussion included a possible visit to the museum at the Coeur d'Alene airport after the Felts Field photo op. We might include a picnic with this outing.

New Business:

May 13: Depot Days in Wallace, ID

May 20: Palouse Hills drive from Connell to Nez Perce.

May 29 -June 1: Port Townsend to Yachats Drive June 18: Car de Land: Fathers Day in Coeur d'Alene August 5: Spokane Highland Games

Next meeting is scheduled for May 13, 9 am, at Barlows Restaurant.

The meeting came to a close at 9:45 am.

Respectfully Submitted from
Jim Houghton

Pics from a recent club drive ...



Here's some Links to some local drives ...

Saturday May 20th ... The local-ish run this coming , the **Palouse Hills Loop Run**.

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<https://www.facebook.com/events/920751722455178/?acontext=%7B%22event%20action%20history%22%3A%5B%7B%22surface%22%3A%22home%22%7D%2C%7B%22mechanism%22%3A%22your%20upcoming%20events%20unit%22%2C%22surface%22%3A%22bookmark%22%7D%2C%22ref%20notif%20type%22%3A%5B%7D%22%7D%22%7D>

Monday May 29th ... The **Puget Sound & North Cascades Loop** event ** note that although it says "Mini tour", this is open to all vintage British vehicles** :

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/16ARdDPThji0Nts7ONQ-7o2tYesfqDGYbfgfp4293-jM/edit>

<https://www.facebook.com/events/854842978924316?context=%7B%22event%20action%20history%22%3A%5B%7B%22extra%20data%22%3A%22%22%2C%22mechanism%22%3A%22your%20upcoming%20events%20unit%22%2C%22surface%22%3A%22bookmark%22%7D%2C%7B%22extra%20data%22%3A%22%22%2C%22mechanism%22%3A%22left%20rail%22%2C%22surface%22%3A%22bookmark%22%7D%2C%7B%22extra%20data%22%3A%22%22%2C%22mechanism%22%3A%22calendar%20tab%20event%22%2C%22surface%22%3A%22bookmark%22%7D%2C%22ref%20notif%20type%22%3A%5B%7D%22%7D>

August 4—6 ... The **Yachats Covered Bridge & Ocean Run**:

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<https://www.facebook.com/events/882538336336391?context=%7B%22event%20action%20history%22%3A%5B%7B%22extra%20data%22%3A%22%22%2C%22mechanism%22%3A%22your%20upcoming%20events%20unit%22%2C%22surface%22%3A%22bookmark%22%7D%2C%7B%22extra%20data%22%3A%22%22%2C%22mechanism%22%3A%22left%20rail%22%2C%22surface%22%3A%22bookmark%22%7D%2C%7B%22extra%20data%22%3A%22%22%2C%22mechanism%22%3A%22calendar%20tab%20event%22%2C%22surface%22%3A%22bookmark%22%7D%2C%22ref%20notif%20type%22%3A%5B%7D%22%7D>



2023 - UPCOMING EVENTS

- Apr 15 NWBC Club Meeting at Barlow's [Moved to this date to not conflict with Easter.]
- Apr 29 Drive to Ritzville (For the Rally the next day). Gather at Barlow's Restaurant (1428 N Liberty Lake, WA 99019) at 10:30am. Depart at 11:00am.
- Apr 30 Ritzville Gumball Rally--Registration is on-site at 8:00am at Ritzville City Part (850 S Columbia St, Ritzville WA 99169) Cruise starts at 9:00am. See flyer in this Oil Spot.
- May 13 Depot Day Car Show—Wallace ID
<https://www.facebook.com/www.npdepot.org>
- May 19 Lost in the 50s Vintage Car **CRUISE** through downtown Sandpoint. Line up at 5:00pm at Sandpoint High School (410 S Division Ave, Sandpoint ID 83864).
- May 20 Lost in the 50s Vintage Car **Show**. Line up begins at 7:00 am, show is 9:30-4:00. Register day of show at 334 N 1st Ave Sandpoint ID <http://sandpoint.org/lostin50s/>
- Jun 22-24 Idaho British Car Club - Summer '23 Tour, Pendleton WA
- Aug 05 Spokane Highland Games. Jim Miller for info 509-466-6168
<https://www.spokanehighlandgames.net>

Ritzville Classic Car Club

2023 GUMBALL RALLY



When- April 30th, 2023 Registration begins at 8 o'clock, cruise starts a 9 o'clock

Where- Starts at the [Ritzville City park](#).

Travel- Cruise will go through small towns and rural areas all on paved roads. Length of trip will be about 170 miles. We will return to Ritzville for prizes and awards.

Poker Run- Cruise will include a poker run with prizes.

Vehicles- Open to all vehicles regardless of age, must be mechanically sound and be insured.



Registration fee is \$15 dollars per car which includes one poker hand, additional poker hands may be purchased at \$5 dollars each. Restrooms will be available along the route. We will have a lunch stop where you can purchase your [lunch](#) or you can bring a lunch with you. If you have [questions](#) you can contact John Hunt at 509-660-0155 or huntjw58@yahoo.com



NORTHERN PACIFIC DEPOT MUSEUM

WALLACE, IDAHO

May 13, 2023

Depot Day Classic Car & Motorcycle Show



REGISTER ONLINE NOW

CLICK HERE

The **NP Depot** is thrilled to announce that you can once again Walk Among the Classics on the Streets of Wallace for the 37th Annual Depot Days.

Every year in May we celebrate the anniversary of the Depot's move, the day before Mother's Day, with the Depot Day Classic Car Show. Vendors on the lawn, cars on the streets, and lots of fun for everyone!

We're glad to be back with Live Music from One Gun and the Long Shots.

Great Events All Day!

Live Music

Food Booths

Crafts & Unique Items for Sale

Registration from 7 to 11 am

Prizes at 3:30 pm

Over 60 Trophies & Prizes

We hope you can come to join the fun, look at the cars, and listen to some great music at the next Depot Day Celebration. It's a great time for all ages! The Depot Day Car Show is a major fundraiser for the Northern Pacific Depot Foundation. Whether you're a Classic Car or Railroad buff, it's a wonderful excuse to come out and show your support for the Depot!



For our 2023 Summer Tour IBCC will be returning to Pendleton, Oregon for the first time since 2017. The dates for the event are June 22 – 24, 2023. Because of the size of our group, we have had to book blocks of 35 rooms at three different motels, the Oxford Suites which will be the tour headquarters, the Holiday Inn Express, and the Best Western Plus. All three locations provide a complimentary

breakfast each morning. When booking reservations please remember to mention you are part of the IBCC group to get the negotiated rate which will hold until May 23rd, 2023.

Oxford Suites – 2400 SW Court Place, Pendleton, OR 97801 – 541-276-6000` : King Bed - \$137 + tax, 2 Queens - \$135 + tax

Holiday Inn Express – 600 SE Nye Ave, Pendleton, OR 97801 – 541-966-6520: King Bed - \$159 + tax, 2 Queens - \$169 + tax

Best Western Plus – 400 SE Nye Ave., Pendleton, OR 97801 – 541-276-2135: King Bed - \$149 + tax, 2 Queens - \$159 + tax

The group from the Boise area will leave Thursday morning June 22nd from the Fred Meyer at 1400 W Chinden Blvd., Meridian, ID. There will be a lunch stop at the Lodge at Hot Lake Springs after which we will proceed on to Pendleton. There will be a reception that evening at Backfire Station in Pendleton.

Friday will be open for people to shop and dine, explore the Pendleton area, or take a planned scenic drive. Some of the local attractions include the Pendleton Underground Tour, Pendleton Round-Up & Happy Canyon Hall of Fame Museum, The Pendleton Woolen Mills Store, The Tamastslit Cultural Center, the Wildhorse Casino, and many others. The scenic drive will be a 140 mile loop through Umatilla County and National Forest.

Saturday we will have our car show at Roy Raley Park in Pendleton and then finish with our banquet and awards ceremony at Hamley's restaurant.

Thank you, and if anyone has any questions please contact me at plbs1234@gmail.com. Best regards, Linda Mascuch

Northwest British Classics

Club Financials

March 1, 2023 to March 31, 2023

Income

Starting Balance 3/1/2023	\$ 4,099.53
Member Dues Income	\$ 119.98
Future Year Member Dues	\$ -
Member Badge Income	\$ 5.00
BritBull	\$ -
Elections Banquet	\$ -
Shirt/Hat	\$ 25.00
BritBull Cash Return	\$ -
Park Fee Refund	\$ -
Donation	\$ -
Sub-Total	\$ 4,249.51

Expenses

Total Best Name Badges	\$ -
Supplies	\$ -
Club Picnic	\$ -
Domain Name/Hosting	\$ -
Quickbooks	\$ 64.86
Government Fees	\$ -
Elections Banquet	\$ -
BritBull Cash	\$ -
Breakfast Refund	\$ -
Club Awards	\$ 73.09
Park Fees	\$ -
Bank Charges	\$ -
Club Shirts	\$ -
BritBull Shirts	\$ -
BritBull Expenses	\$ -
INCCC Dues	\$ -
Highland Games Donation	\$ 100.00
Insurance	\$ -
2022 BritBull Awards	\$ -
2022 BritBull Expenses	\$ -
Sub-Total	\$ 237.95
Ending Balance 3/31/2023	\$ 4,011.56

Income: \$ 149.98
Expenses: \$ 237.95

Join our FACEBOOK GROUP !!

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

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





Classified Ads



FOR SALE - 1968 MGB GT. All reasonable offers considered. Contact: John Solimine, Colfax, WA
solerlab@msn.com

FOR SALE - 1973 Jensen Healey. Call Bob Burmeister in Hauser ID at 760-954-5022. (5/22)

FOR SALE - 1970 MGB. Recently rebuilt engine & carbs. New top, tonneau, upholstery, tires and exhaust. Very straight, well running car. Arizona car so no rust. Small blemishes in the paint. \$8,000. Call Ben at 360-728-6381 or email
ben.compton.official@gmail.com

FOR SALE - MG TD parts: Complete bonnet assembly (L&R sides), both rear fenders, both doors, cowl, and both seats all in good condition. Call or text Byron at 509-209-6166.

WANTED - Triumph gt6.
Contact Norm at: fish4reel01@gmail.com

Email your add to Robert at
robertinidaho@outlook.com

Note: Adds will run for 6 months unless canceled sooner

I have owned several British cars over the years and have a few new and used parts I can no longer use. It includes a used mechanical oil/water gauge I believe fits an XK 120 Jaguar, a NOS complete set of bearings and seals for a 1968 MGB, and about a dozen other assorted items. I am willing to donate them no charge, I just want to find a good home for them. Would you or another member of the club be able to help me?

Thanks,

Dave Cole 509 723-3610



**NEW MEMBERS
WELCOME!**

Our focus is on
British automobiles
of all makes,
models, years
and, yes, condition.

**NORTHWEST BRITISH CLASSICS
CAR CLUB
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

Meetings are every 2nd Saturday, except Feb, Aug, & Dec. Location and times announced by the club president each month. Summer meetings are outdoors and winter meetings are indoors.

Visit us at: northwestbritishclassics.com

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

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Street Address (if different): _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Preferred Phone #: _____ Alternate Phone #: _____

E-Mail for announcements & newsletter: _____

British Cars (Year, Make, Model, other descriptions): _____

WAIVER OF RESPONSIBILITY

I am aware of the hazards inherent with motor vehicle events and specifically release and do indemnify the organizers, supporting sponsors the NORTHWEST BRITISH CLASSICS CAR CLUB, collectively and separately from any and all liability from personal injury or property damage incurred by me or my guests while participating in any NORTHWEST BRITISH CLASSICS CAR CLUB meeting or event. Applications that include minors will be accepted only with a parent's signature and should be signed by the minor also. I have read and agree to this release.

Signature(s): _____ Date: _____

_____ Date: _____

Initial Dues: \$25.00 per family first year, which includes two club nametags. Thereafter: \$20.00 per family annually. Dues are due January 1st.

Make checks payable to: NORTHWEST BRITISH CLASSICS Total amount submitted: \$ _____

Mail check and completed signed application to: Kevan McCallum
Treasurer
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Newman Lake, WA 99025

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