

# **Monthly Meeting**

Join us the second Monday of every month for a lively conversation about past events, upcoming events and rides. We meet at: Market Street Pizza 871 n.Market Street, Redding at 7:00pm.

Come early for dinner or a drink!

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# Upcoming Events

Next meeting, Monday February 8th, same Bat time, same Bat location! :)



# We had our planning meeting...

on Monday the 11th. Later in this issue of the newsletter I will list the rides/events we have suggested.

Our meeting was called to order at 7:00pm promptly by our leader Sue Kerr. There were only 16 members present at our annual planning meeting.

Charley Fitch gave the Treasurer's Report indicating we have a bank balance of \$735.70 not including a pending deposit of annual dues. He reported that as of this evening we have 39 paid club members. Remember...dues are now due and will be past due after our February meeting. Still only \$20 for the full year.

While Charley had the floor he gave an update on the progress of the Club TR-6 project. The car is still plagued by the same running issues as previously reported. This has proven to be a very difficult issues to correctly identify and fix. One thought being examined now focuses on the possibility that the fuel pump is producing too much pressure. A pressure regulator is going to

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I need members to contribute articles, photos, ride reports, stories, ANYTHING for this news letter!

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Under old business Jim and Jodie White reported to Sue that their new house in Brookings Oregon is closing escrow today! Congratulations to them. They wish to continue to be members through 2016.

New business...Sue reported that there will be a Safety Seminar at Benton Airpark regarding drones, integrating them into the NAS (National Air Space), safety and regulations. Should be interesting, although not directly related to British Cars.

The remainder of the meeting was dedicated to our 2016 planning. The meeting was adjourned at 8:15pm.

# Proposed list of events/rides for 2016

Feb. 14 - Valentine's Day Ride and Lunch; Evert Dale

March 4-6 - SCCA Races at Thunderhill Raceway Park

April 9 - Local member's Shop Tour; Jim Smith

April 11 - Kevin Kay/Martin Hveem Shop tour and Monthly Meeting

April 17 - Stoneyford Wild Flower Tour; Evert Dale

April 22 - Kool April Nites Cruise

April 23 - Kool April Nites Car Show

May 9 - Funkhana/Club Meeting; Deb Furtado

May 14 - Maxwell Car Show

May 15 - Dixon Car Show

May ??? - Benton Air Park 1950s airplane display; Mark Pion

June 4 - Old Time Blue Grass concert, Cedar Crest Brewery and Winery in Manton

June 11 - Woodley Island Car Show, Eureka, CA

June 18 - Pottsville Old Time Celebration

June 19 - Antique Tractor Pulls, Grants Pass Museum

July 9 - Bucks Lake Ride, all day event; Ron David

## Calendar of events cont.

July 17 - Lassen Park Ride and Pic-Nic; Charley Fitch

August 8 - Hot Dam Tour and Club Meeting; Sue Kerr

August 13 - Annual BBQ at Moranda's in Del Rio

August 21 - Hat Creek/Power House Tour; Evert Dale

September 10 - Hot Rods & Hogs Show and Shine, Cottonwood, CA

September 11 - Big Bend Power House Tour; Evert Dale

September 17 - Durham Harvest Festival and Car Show

October 2 - BBQ in Lake Almanor hosted by the Smith's

October 29 - Annual Cemetery Tour; Tammy Daubs

December 4 or 11 - Annual Christmas Party

These are the rides and events suggested during the meeting. More information will be released as needed as each event approaches. If during the year you have any other ideas or want to put on a ride or event let us know.

# Submitted by Debbie Burton...

Happy New Year! The Burtons are back on our feet ~ a great way to start the year. Since we were homebound for a bit during the holidays I did some cleaning out at my desk and found the attached 45 Lessons of Life.

This was written by Regina Brett, 90 years old, of Plain Dealer, Cleveland, Ohio.

"To celebrate growing older, I once wrote the 45 lessons life taught me. It is the most requested column I've ever written. My odometer rolled over to 90 in August, so here is the column once more."

- 1. Life isn't fair, but it's still good.
- 2. When in doubt, just take the next small step.
- 3. Life is too short enjoy it.
- 4. Your job won't take care of you when you are sick. Your family and friends will.
- 5. Pay off your credit cards every month.

- 6. You don't have to win every argument. Stay true to yourself.
- 7. Cry with someone. It's more healing than crying alone.
- 8. It's OK to get angry with God. He can take it.
- 9. Save for retirement starting with your first paycheck.
- 10. When it comes to chocolate, resistance is futile.
- 11. Make peace with your past so it won't screw up the present.
- 12. It's OK to let your children see you cry.
- 13. Don't compare your life to others. You have no idea what their journey is all about.
- 14. If a relationship has to be a secret, you shouldn't be in it.
- 15. Everything can change in the link of an eye. But don't worry, God never blinks.
- 16. Take a deep breath. It calms the mind.
- 17. Get rid of anything that isn't useful. Clutter weighs you down in many ways.
- 18. Whatever doesn't kill you really does make you stronger.
- 19. It's never too late to be happy. But it's all up to you and no one else.
- 20. When it comes to going after what you love in life, don't take no for an answer.
- 21. Burn the candles, use the nice sheets, wear the fancy lingerie. Don't save it for a special occasion. Today is special.
- 22. Over prepare, then go with the flow.
- 23. Be eccentric now. Don't wait for old age to wear purple.
- 24. The most important sex organ is the brain.
- 25. No one is in charge of your happiness but you.
- 26. Frame every so-called disaster with thee words "In five years, will this matter?"
- 27. Always choose life.
- 28. Forgive but don't forget.

- 29. What other people think of you is none of your business.
- 30. Time heals almost everything. Give time time.
- 31. However good or bad a situation is, it will change.
- 32. Don't take yourself so seriously. No one else does.
- 33. Believe in miracles.
- 34. God loves you because of who God is, not because anything you did or didn't do.
- 35. Don't audit life. Show up and make the most of it now.
- 36. Growing old beats the alternative dying young.
- 37. Your children get only one childhood
- 38. All that truly matters in the end is that you loved.
- 39. Get outside every day. Miracles are waiting everywhere.
- 40. If we all threw our problems in a pile and saw everyone else's, we'd grab ours back.
- 41. Envy is a waste of time. Accept what you already have, not what you need
- 42. The best is yet to come.
- 43. No matter how you feel, get up, dress up and show up.
- 44. Yield.
- 45. Life isn't tied with a bow but it's still a gift.

### From Bill Becker...

Barney Gaylord is the "MGAGURU" and in mid-2014 sold his home, packed up, and has been traveling around the country In his MGA. I just found this out and emailed him. He has offered his expertise to any of our members who may be having a problem or have a question about their LBCs.

You can follow his follies at http://mgaguru.com/mobile



Barney Gaylord 1958 MGA with an attitude http://MGAguru.com

Well, that's it for this month. See you at the meeting.

Charlie Daubs

