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👉 Meeting Reminder 👈

General Membership Meetings: 1st Tuesday of the month, currently 6:30 pm at Red Robin Restaurant, NW corner Coastal Grand Mall parking lot

Guests Are Always Welcome!

Drive In Events: 4th Saturday of the month (unless otherwise scheduled)

Club Calendar of Events:

www.Google.com/calendar/embed?src=hub1tprs0rneeaa57ejo3197oo0@group.calendar.google.com&ctz=America/New_York&gsessionid=OK

FaceBook:

www.FaceBook.com/pages/Grand-Strand-British-Car-Club/344525917851

24th Harborwalk Festival Car Show

by Bill Unger

We had several GSBCC members representing the British Isles amongst all of the American iron at the Harborwalk Festival Car Show, sponsored by Winyah Cruisers Car Club, and held on May 21, 2011, in Georgetown. Bill and Lisa Unger won a "Class Winner" trophy for their primrose yellow 1969 Jaguar E-type coupe (class "yellow furrin cars"?). A "Class Winner" trophy also went to John James for his BRG 1974 Triumph TR 6 (class "green furrin cars"?). We also had a few members win door prizes as well. Great job! (BTW, John, you can contact Jim Hendricks to pickup your trophy unless he has already put his name on it.) See you at the next gathering!



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New Members

by Jim Hendricks, President

"Welcome Back" to Bob and Myra Levine, owners of Carolina Car Care. And "Welcome Forward" to the following new members:

Harry and Jackie Beeker

🏡 Norwood NC

B 1976 Triumph TR6

B 1979 MGB

B 1980 TR8

✉ hbeeker@carolina.rr.com

John and Kathlyn Waldron

🏡 SC

B 1955 Austin Healey 100-4

B 1973 Triumph TR6

✉ nordlaw@sccoast.net

Ethan and Harry Johnson

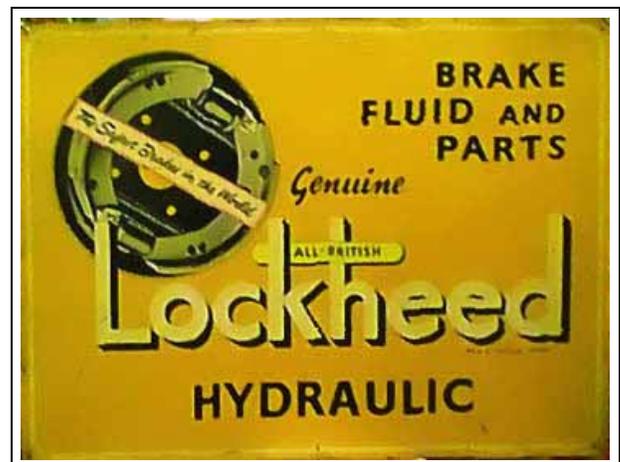
🏡 Surfside Beach SC

B 1971 MGB-GT

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My View Through the Windscreen

by Jim Hendricks, President

Hello Grand Strand BCC Members,

We had a great turnout at last Tuesday's meeting! We almost ran out of room. And on that note we are still looking for a QUITE place with good food and service (heat and air, wait staff) to have our second Tuesday of the month meetings, and any one that has a place in mind PLEASE let us know. Again, thanks for coming and "Welcome!" to our new members.

We also are in need of club members to help with setting up our Forth Saturday of the month Fun Day. If you have any time to help with this PLEASE contact me, Jim Smith, or Rod Smith ASAP.

Well, until next time, keep the shiny side up and the tops down. Jim

Monthly Meeting Minutes

by Felicia Sachs, Secretary

The Monthly Meeting was called to order, Tuesday, June 14, 6:30 p.m. at Red Robin Restaurant. President Jim Hendrick's discussed upcoming events. Treasurer Jim Smith gave an update on the club's financial status and an update on the club's website development. Newsletter Editor Bill Unger gave an update report. Secretary Felicia Sachs presented the May meeting minutes to the membership for approval or changes. The minutes were approved without discussion.

Coming Events Lined Up On the Starting Grid

25-Jun-2011 GSBCC lunch at the Ole' Bull & Bush Pub. Contact Jim Hendricks for info.

25-Jun-2011 "Dillon Frisbie Memorial Car Show" at The Citadel Mall, Charleston. Over 40 classes of cars and bikes. Live entertainment by Eddie Bush and also Billy and the Goats. Venders, kids area, and barbeque pig on the grill by King Street Grille. \$250 cash drawing day of show for all pre-registered cars. For more info visit www.FrisbieRodRun.com.

30-Jul-2011 "Summer Parrot Head Festival", 10am - 6pm, sponsored by La Belle Amie Vineyard. Featuring outdoors live music beginning about noon, food vendors, vineyard tour, wine tasting, and gift shop. Admission charge \$8 with special parking for GSBCC members. Bring a lawn chair or blanket. Driving directions: 2 miles west of SC Hwy. 9 on SC Hwy. 90 at St. Joseph Rd. GPS address: "1120 St. Joseph Road, Little River, SC". For more information, visit www.LaBelleAmie.com or call (843) 399-WINE (9463)

September-2011 Group Get-Together with Cape Fear British Car Club at the Ole Bull & Bush.



Website Update

by Rod Smith

Many of you will recall that we hired someone to build the club's website several months ago. Unfortunately, this young lady found herself over her head. We have recently agreed to hire a graphic artist who works in the marketing department for my company, Coldwell Banker Chicora. His name is Mike Pohlman, and he is very talented, doing all of our design work and on top of the latest technology as well as the needs for search engine optimization (SEO) so our site is easily found.

He is in the early stages of building our website and has been instructed to include the club's calendar (Google), a picture gallery, a place for members' cars and bikes, the club newsletters, and a place for advertisers or sponsors. I also asked him about the possibility of including a Forum, but not sure if that is possible. If you have a specific idea about what we should include in our site, or have seen a really great site that you would like share so that we can include some of the graphics or functionality, please send it to me at jrodsmith@yahoo.com.

Having a website, in addition to our FaceBook page, will give us a much bigger presence on the web, an easy way for everyone to connect to our club and, hopefully, a way to generate new members. Incidentally, if you know of someone who owns a British vehicle, or see someone driving one, please invite them to join us on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at Red Robin, or invite them to contact me, or our president Jim Hendricks to get an application.

There are a lot more Brits out there, and we welcome them to our club!

British Car Wiring

by Jim Hendricks

When you buy a used Little British Car, First Check The Wiring!!! Look for loose or broken wires or wires going in or around any metal. Doing this will save you a lot of time unwrapping a wiring harness and replacing burnt wires. Also, Check Your GROUNDS!!! Clean them up or replace them with new wires. And when attaching them to the body, frame, or motor clean the area to attach to then paint or protect that area when complete. Lucas, Prince Of Darkness is sure to strike!

Touchup Paint Source

by Jim Hendricks, President

I have some Good news for our club members. I am working on a discount with FinishMaster at 1909 Hwy 378 in Conway SC 29527 phone # 248-2506 ask for Kenny. They carry a full line of Aerosol do it yourself paint and primer that has body shop quality. They can MATCH YOUR PAINT CODE AND PUT IT IN A SPRAY CAN for touchup for any out of the way place you need to clean up and paint! I bought a can (Dupont 2K) for myself and it was just under \$20.00 a can. They also have a full line of body tools and prep materials.

Club Stuff For Sale

by Jim Lewis, Club Regalia Chair

Remember that when you purchase any club paraphernalia, the price not only pays for the cost of the item, but any profits will benefit you by helping to offset GSBCC sponsored event expenses. Won't you please give? And give often? Okay, so here are your choices:



T-Shirts \$15

Sweat Shirts \$25

These shirts are top quality USA made Guildan, preshrunk, cool 100% cotton, with a large GSBCC logo on the back and a small GSBCC logo above the left breast pocket.

sizes: Small, Medium, Large, X to XXX Large

T-shirt color: Olde English white

Sweat Shirt color: Morris Garages gray

Driving Caps \$15

Traditional ball cap style which you wear on your head (forwards or backwards) to look "way cool" and to announce your car club affiliation with the GSBCC logo embroidered above the bill.

sizes: only one but it is adjustable

colors: British Racing green, Coventry blue, Morris Garages light gray (all with black bill)



Stickers FREE!

(with shirt or cap purchase)

No, they don't cost a quarter, but it gives you an idea of the size. And get both logos on each sheet. They peel off to apply on the inside of your vehicle's glass without any wetting or other adhesives. But do they ever stick ... even through repeated cleanings! Cheap enough to go in all of the windows in your cars and your house!

I will have all of these items available at all club meetings and events. So purchase them then or give me a call to make other arrangements.

Gots and Wants

1973 MG Midget Engine -- For sale or trade contact Jim Smith for info at (843) 907-0178 or Casper1@sccoast.net.

MGB Autumn Leaf Interior -- For Sale. New from Moss Motors. Selling one or all at half off catalog price. Call Jim Hendricks at (843) 902-0491..



**Southeastern Fall Gathering of the Faithful
Foundry Park Inn & Spa
Athens, Georgia October 14-16, 2011**

Dear Fellow MG Car Club,

The Southeastern MG T Register is hosting the sixteenth biannual "SOUTHEASTERN FALL GATHERING OF THE FAITHFUL" on October 14-16, 2011. The theme, "Classic Cars, Classic City" will be a blast from the past and center around the fun of owning and driving our vintage cars. Would you please add this entertaining Fall weekend event to your event Calendar?

Located in the heart of Athens, our host hotel, The Foundry Park Inn, is a beautiful historic hotel with on-site restaurants and spa. Situated on an ideal location in Athens just steps from downtown, guests can venture easily to shops and restaurants or take advantage of the stellar food and beverage options offered in the hotel's historic Hoyt House.

We hope your club will join us for a relaxing weekend filled with classic cars, classic events, and classic fun!

Classic Cars... Let's dust off those MGs and get them out in public! Join us for an impromptu car show at the drive in, or a more formal showing Saturday morning. Whatever your pleasure, we've got it covered.

Classic Events... Remember the days of picnics, group drives, and the crazy fun of the "fun kana"? We're bringing back these events, along with the popular Valve Cover Races. If you've never driven the obstacles of a "fun kana" or watched someone else drive them, you're missing out! There's nothing like "fishing" from the passenger side of an MG, or zig-zagging between cones, all in the quest for the best time! For those who miss their "pine wood derby" days, the Valve Cover Races are like derby cars on steroids!

Classic Fun... Whether your idea of fun is relaxing in the open air hospitality room, joining a spur of the moment hula hoop contest, or listening to live music at The Melting Point, you won't be disappointed. The 2011 GOF will be a blast from the past!

We are seeking your assistance by requesting you include our event in your 2011 Event Calendar. We appreciate any support of our event you will provide and will forward registration information as soon as it is available.

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Foundry Park Inn & Spa

Reservations: 866) 928-4367 mention SEMGTR
www.foundryparkinn.com

To get the discounted rate of \$112 per night, make your reservations by 9/14/2011. Select your dates on the calendar, then click on the group tab and enter group code SO1014 in the box

The Southeastern M.G. T Register, Ltd.



Membership Application

New _____ Renewal _____

Member Name _____

Spouse or Friend _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip Code _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

If no email address notifications will be by snail mail

Car Information for Membership Directory

	<u>Year</u>	<u>Make/Model</u>		<u>Year</u>	<u>Make/Model</u>
1.	_____	_____	3.	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	4.	_____	_____

MEMBERSHIP DUES \$25.00 annually (January to January)

New members joining after October 1st will be credited for the following year

I give my permission to list my phone and Email address in the membership directory to be accessible to members only. YES___ NO___

I agree to allow GSBCC to publish my photo(s) in print or electronic media including the GSBCC website and facebook page. YES___ NO___

As a member of GSBCC, I agree to hold GSBCC, its Board of Directors, Officers, and organizers of events free from all liability for any accident or injury which may occur in connection with club events

Signature _____ AMOUNT ENCLOSED _____

Date: ____/____/20__

Please make your check payable to: **Grand Strand British Car Club**
And mail to: 1413 Highway 17 South, Unit #193, Surfside Beach, SC 29575
Visit us on Face Book or Contact Jim Hendricks, President at 843-902-0491

Join the GSBCC Today!