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OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF BRITISH CAR ENTHUSIASTS

JANUARY, 1988

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING -
MONDAY - JANUARY 11, 1988 - 7:00 P.M.
PANCHE'S RESTAURANT - CLOVERLEAF SHOPPING CENTER

JANUARY MEETING

As I write these words I am looking out the window at one of the most beautiful snows Memphis has had in years. The inconvenience seems small and everyone at the office is in an extremely good mood. However, all the media newsmen promise that the bad driving conditions should clear along with the snow and ice by Sunday. Everyone should have a good case of claustrophobia by Monday and welcome the chance to have a reason to venture from the house. So put on your winter coat and join us for some hot mexican food at Panchos in the Cloverleaf Shopping center on Summer at 7:00 P.M. We'll be expecting you.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Everyone in our club cleans up really well. We had a really good turnout of members dressed in their holiday best on December 5th for our annual Christmas party. The party was given by the Variety Club as a thank you for our \$11,000.00 donation to the Variety Club Childrens' Service Center from the proceeds of our MGB raffle. The food was good and plentiful, and the company was great. Mr. Vasser Slate, club manager was on hand to tend bar and make sure everyone was well taken care of - something he does extremely well. We thank him for everything and wish the best of New Years for the Variety Club.

1988 RAFFLE CAR

The Jaguar XJ6 we're raffling at our 1988 car fest is at Jimmy Jones' Aircraft Interiors receiving a new interior as we go to press. It is a beautiful car, one we won't have any trouble selling raffle tickets for. The tickets should be ready really early, and will be distributed as soon as possible so we can get a head start on sales. The car will be brought to a meeting soon so you can see it and get excited about selling tickets.

NATIONAL OFFICER

Our own Thom Anderson has just been elected to one of the two Vice Presidential slots of the Austin Healey Club of America. This is quite an honor, congratulations to Thom. We think it's well deserved!

SHOE

NEW MEMBERS

We'd like to welcome Jerry and Juanita Duncan from Memphis along with their Triumph 1500 Spitfire. We hope you enjoy our club, and we hope to see you at the meeting on Monday night.

WANTS & GOTS -

Wants - There are none. Everyone must be satisfied with what they have.

Gots - John Roberts - 853-2311
Set of aluminum alloy mag wheels for an MGB - \$80.00 for the set.

Monty Monteith - (hm) 601-562-9609
(wk) 901-761-4892

1976 TR6 - less than 10,000 original miles. Very nice and very original. 1st place winner in the 1987 Annual British Car Fest. Red with black interior. \$17,500.00

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 23 - Southaven Car show. Several of us participated in this event last year and had a ball. More details will be forthcoming closer to the event date, but Jimmy Jones is the one to contact if you need any quick details. Mark your calendar and plan to attend.

SORRY

I'm sorry this newsletter is so short, but they are fixing to close our office and force us to to home. We're all really upset. See you on Monday when the snow melts.

HAVE A WONDERFUL 1988!

Post Script: We may have to wing it Monday night. Our president, Lamar McQuirter, left Tuesday morning for a duck hunt in Arkansas and hasn't been heard from since. Looks like he could have just gone to the Peabody.

By Jeff MacNelly

