NEO Miata Club 2023 Events Calendar 11/25/2023 Revision

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PLEASE NOTE: Revisions are highlighted in **YELLOW**. Upon each subsequent revision, the old **NEW EVENT YELLOW HIGHLIGHTING** will be removed. If you don't check the calendar frequently you must reexamine the upcoming events to be fully apprised. If items are changed and occurred in the past, they will not be highlighted, rather **identified.

Please refer questions & comments directly to the drive leader. If you would like to lead a drive or suggest a drive, contact our "Events Officer" or a club officer.

The drive leader is there as a guide and cannot be responsible for you or your car on any club drive. You are responsible for your actions on all drives. If you choose to go on a club drive, you must follow "Rules of the Road" and give 100% of your attention to the cars around you 100% of the time. Please read "Rules of the Road" on the website frequently. You must be willing to follow the drive leader's directions. All club drives require good followers for the safety of participating drivers.

If you want to schedule an Event please send the details to our "Events Officer" or a club officer and specify in the subject line 'NEO Miata Event'.

JANUARY

Monthly Meeting – Thursday, January 19, 2023

Oklahoma Joe's Barbeque, 6175 E. 61st St., Tulsa, OK 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Members gather at 5:30 p.m. for food and conversation

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Bring \$25.00 for your 2023 Club dues.

01/21 MEET & EAT: Las Parrillas, Catoosa. We will hosting a Meet & Eat on Saturday, January 21st at 2 pm at Las Parrillas. The address is 509 S. Cherokee St., Catoosa, OK. 74015. Hosts: Lee & Mike Cody

<u>FEBRUARY</u>

Monthly Meeting – Thursday, February 16, 2023
Oklahoma Joe's Barbeque, 6175 E. 61st St., Tulsa, OK 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
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02/18 SONIC BLAST: Short drive followed by lunch at a Sonic Drive-In. **Meet at Town West Shopping Center, W Skelly Dr, Tulsa, OK 74107 at 12:30PM.** Drivers Meeting, then drive to Sonic. Recommended: Steak & Bacon Grilled Cheese. Hosts: Charlie & Peggy Hermann and Mike & Lee Cody

MARCH

03/09-10 REBA'S PLACE - ATOKA, OK:

March 9, 2023

We'll meet at the Braum's across from the QT at Hwy 51 and 81st St. Broken Arrow, OK at 08:15. Drivers meeting at 08:30 and depart at 08:45. Our first planned pit stop will be in one hour at the Flying "J" in Checotah.

Reba's Place, Atoka, OK for lunch

We do not have reservations, it will be first come, first served and we will be seated in small groups. We will order from the menu not a set menu. We will see and do other points of interest in the area. Suggestions welcome.

Overnight in Ardmore

at the Hampton Inn, 410 Railway Express St. 580-490-9011. Alternate choice which is next door: Comfort Inn & Suites 410 Railway Express, Ardmore, OK 73401 580-798-3200. Everyone makes reservations for themselves. Feel free to stay anywhere you like.

March 10, 2023

Lunch at Smokin' Joe's Rib Ranch, Davis OK. Dessert at Arbuckle Mountain Fried Pies, Davis OK. We will see and do other points of interest in area. Suggestions welcome.

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03/25 SONIC BLAST: We'll meet at QT at 8100 E. Hwy. 51 at 12:15 pm & leave at 12:30 pm to go to Bixby Sonic, 15098 S. Memorial Dr. Arrival about 1 pm for lunch. Leaders: Mike & Lee Cody

03/27-31 ARK ENCOUNTER: 10 Miatas on a 5 days & 4 nights, road trip to the Ark Encounter in Kentucky.

APRIL

04/06 BOARD MTG: Ted's Café Escondido, 3202 W Kenosha St, Broken Arrow, OK 74012, USA, 2:00 PM.

04/12 SONIC BLAST: Sonic Drive-Inn,19305 E Admiral PI, Catoosa, OK 74015. Hey everyone, next Wednesday is going to be a beautiful sunny and 80 degrees. Tops down day. Let's meet at Sonic 193rd. and Admiral to eat at 1:00 pm. Afterwards we will take a short drive and maybe Braum's. Thanks Mike

Monthly Meeting – Thursday, April 20, 2023

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<u>MAY</u>

05/13 NEO/NELSON MAZDA CAR SHOW: SETUP: 9:30am OPEN: 10am – 2pm. Nelson is providing food, NEO members WILL cook & serve, bring cookies and snacks. Nelson will have new MX5s to display. Members will have space to show off their car(s).

05/17 SONIC BLAST: We will be meeting at our favorite QT on HWY 51 and 81st Street at 11:30 and traveling to the Sonic in Tahlequah for lunch and a little gab. Hoping that Mr. and Mrs. Laws can meet us there along with anyone else that lives in that area. After the Drive anyone can go as they please. If you travel back with Mike, and he is not pressed for time I am SURE Braum's in Wagoner will be in the Drive. Also the weather looks iffy but in our favor. Peggy and myself will be leading the Drive. Hosts: Charlie & Peggy Hermann.

Monthly Meeting – Thursday, May 18, 2023

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05/20-23 RAIL EXPLORERS USA: Our mission: To ride "RailExplorers USA" at Boone, IA (North of Des Moines, IA) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z0VRTmCPZIc Drive Saturday morning, 5/20, half way, Overnight: Atchieson KS. Drive Sun. 5/21 to Boone. Overnight & **ride Monday May 22nd at 10 am**. Overnight, Monday, Boone. Tuesday: Everyone free to do as u wish. Or do something on the way back. Book ASAP and let us know you have done so. Hosts: Linda & Bob S. Book the ride at: https://www.railexplorers.net/book/boone/results?date=2023-05-22&riders=8&start=2023-05-20

JUNE

06/03 MUSIC IN THE PARK: Muskogee Community Band concert. A ride to Honor Heights Park in Muskogee and enjoy a picnic supper and free concert by the Muskogee Community Band. We'll meet at the **Brahms in Broken Arrow, 20200 E. 81st St.** (You can gas up at the QT across the street.) **Departure time is at 5 PM.** Bring a picnic supper, blanket and/or chairs, and bug spray to sit and enjoy the band playing in the park. The program is "Let's Dance," and participants are asked to participate. The band begins playing at 7:00. We will arrive about 6:00 to find a place to park, congregate in a good place, and enjoy a meal. We will return to the BA Braum's at the conclusion of the concert. Please text **Robin Ferrell at 918 688-3755** if you are joining us. A head count is always helpful.

06/14 SONIC BLAST: Sitting here enjoying the sun and thinking of a top down drive. Let's make it happen! When June 14th we will meet at 11:30 at our favorite QT Hwy 51 and 81st Street, we will leave at app. 11:45 for the Sonic on Okmulgee Street in Muskogee arriving around 1ish for a little food and talk. There are some Members that Live in that area and we hope to see you all there. Hosts: Charlie & Peggy Hermann

Monthly Meeting – Tuesday, June 15, 2023

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06/16 MEET & EAT & DRIVE: We will meet at Jason's Deli, 8321 E 61st St, Tulsa, OK 74133, at 11:45 for lunch and visit. Afterwards we will drive to the Adult Care Center and arrive approximately 1:00, where we will park our cars and allow the elderly people to come out and look at our beautiful

cars. Kate's friend Lexys said they would really love it. We will be there for about an hour, then we will find a place to cool down. MAYBE BRAUMS LOL!!!! Hope there will be great participation, they thought it would be nice for Father's Day weekend. Host: Lee & Mike C.

06/17 Club Birthday Drive: We will meet at our favorite meeting spot QT on Hwy 51 and 81st Street at 10:15AM and leave at 10:45. We will meet up with Rick at the Flying J in Checotah at app. 12:15 for a potty break and refill on gas if needed, at 12:30 Rick will lead us on a drive around some interesting views of Lake Eufaula. We will return to Capt John's restaurant by 2:00PM that is when the owner has set up a time for us. ONE last thing, make sure you text me at 918-428-6020 or Email me at **cherm1949@gmail.com** by June 12th so I can give Rick a head count for the Owner of the restaurant. Hosts: Charlie & Peggy Hermann

<u>JULY</u>

07/08 "OUT YOUNDER" DRIVE: Come join us! Meet for breakfast at Apple Barrel Cafe - HWY169 & (116th) HWY 20, 8am, Depart between 9-930am. HWY 20 thru Skiatook to J Vine hill Road - go North to Avant. Catch Hwy 11, Go thru Barnsdall. Hang a right at Nelagoney - this road will take us back out to hwy 11. Take to HWY 60. Pawhuska - probably our first pit stop. (Honk and wave at PW Mercantile). Go west on Hwy 60 to Ponca City. Stop again - probably top off fuel if needed /pit stop. West out of Ponca to 177 North to Blackwell. Take a good look as we pass thru we will be back for lunch! From Blackwell to Deer Creek Mercantile - Stay appx 1 hour - then back to Blackwell for late lunch . Hwy11 East towards Kaw City- next up - scenic view of Kaw Lake as we go across Kaw lake to Shidler. Shidler HWY 18 to Fairfax(pit stop) to HWY 20 to Hominy- Thru Hominy to Skiatook. There is a Sonic and a taste freeze in Skiatook we can do our final stop. This will be an all day drive . We will take our time and enjoy the day. Bring your radio and NEO magnets! Zoom zoom......See you soon! Hosts: Charlie & Peggy Hermann, Darryl & Regina Jones

Monthly Meeting – Thursday, July 20, 2023

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07/22 MEET & EAT: Meet and Eat at the Old Town Cafe in Sand Springs. Located at 207 N Lincoln Ave, Sand Springs, OK 74063, arrival time 1:30pm. Host: Mike Cody

AUGUST

08/11-12 SHAWNEE BALLOON FESTIVAL: Overnight Drive to Shawnee for Balloon Festival hosted by Darryl & Regina Jones and Charlie & Peggy Hermann. Meet at Sam's, Tulsa Hills at 1 pm on Friday the 11th.

Monthly Meeting – Thursday, August 17, 2023

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08/19 DRIVE & EAT: Drive & Eat on Saturday August 19 to Lookout Kitchen, Sequoyah State Park in Hulbert, OK. We will meet at Inola Sinclair at 11:30 am and leave at 12 pm.

08/30 DRIVE & EAT: The Canebrake, south of Wagoner, OK. It's Hamburger night. Don't forget your radio and magnetic signs. We'll meet at the QT parking lot at HWY 51 and 81stSt, Broken Arrow, at 3:45 pm. to depart at 4:15. We'll arrive at 5 pm. at Canebrake. We'll need a head count, so let us know if attending. RSVP by Monday the 28th by 6 pm. for our reservation. Hosts: Linda & Bob S.

SEPTEMBER

Monthly Meeting – Thursday, September 21, 2023
Oklahoma Joe's Barbecue, 6175 E. 61st St., Tulsa, OK, 6:30 pm. – 7:30 pm.
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09/23 MEET & EAT: Meet & Eat on Saturday September 23 at I Don't Care Bar & Grill in Catoosa, at 1 pm.

OCTOBER

POSTPONED! - 10/05 BOARD MEETING: 1:00 pm, Shanghai Avenue Super Buffet, 803 N Aspen Ave, Broken Arrow, OK 74012, USA. **2:00 pm Club MEET & EAT** following Board meeting.

CANCELED - 10/09-10/12 TEXAS TOUR: Four days touring Southwest Oklahoma and Texas. OCTOBER 9TH MONDAY - (265 miles app.): Meet at Reasor's, Jenks at 8:50am. On the road at 9:00am, heading to Southwestern Oklahoma, destination Lawton, OK. Lunch! Next, Wichita Mountains National Wildlife Refuge and take in views from atop [https://www.fws.gov/refuge/wichita-mountains]. Onward to Wichita Falls, TX. for overnight respite. Hosts hotel: Baymont by Wyndham, 4510 Kell W Blvd, Wichita Falls, TX 76309, 940-247-2820. Other hotels nearby, chose your comfort level. **OCTOBER 10TH TUESDAY - (214 miles app.):** On the road and headed Southwest to the National WASP WWII Museum (Women Airforce Service Pilots), located in Sweetwater TX [[http://waspmuseum.org/]]. Entry to the museum is FREE. Onward to Abilene, TX. for overnight respite. Hosts hotel: La Quinta Inn by Wyndham, 3018 Catclaw Dr, Abilene, TX 79606, 325-238-4185. Other hotels nearby, chose your comfort level. OCTOBER 11TH WEDNESDAY - (265 miles app.): On the road and headed Northeast to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, located in Ft Worth, TX [https://www.bep.gov/visitor-centers]. Tour is FREE. Onward to Ardmore, OK. for overnight respite. Hosts hotel: La Quinta Inn by Wyndham, 2602B Rina Park Rd, Ardmore, OK 73401, 580-226-0100. Other hotels nearby, chose your comfort level. OCTOBER 12TH THURSDAY - (146 miles app. to Eufaula): On the road and headed Northeast-North toward HOME. Stop in Eufaula, OK. at The Eufaula Herb Shop of club member Rick Fornell. Continue on shortest route home.

10/14 MEET & EAT: October 14th (Saturday) @2:00 pm. White River Fish Market, 1105 E. Kenosha, Broken Arrow, OK. Host: Alan Doughty

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10/21 DRIVE & EAT: Southern Belle Restaurant in Heavner, OK. Don't forget your radio and magnetic signs. We'll meet at the QT parking lot at HWY 51 and 81st, Broken Arrow, at **8:30am** and depart at 9:00. We'll arrive at 11:15am. We'll need a head count, so let us know if attending. **RSVP if possible before Thursday October** 19th so we can reserve our event with the restaurant. Hosts: Peggy and Wayne Roth.

10/31 BOARD MEETING: 1:00pm, Shanghai Avenue Super Buffet, 803 N Aspen Ave, Broken Arrow, OK74012, USA.

NOVEMBER

11/10 TULSA VETERANS PARADE: NEO MIATA CLUB participates. Details to follow.

11/11 SKIATOOK VETERANS PARADE: kiatook Veterans Day Parade, Saturday November 11, 2023. Parade starts at 11 am. Line Up at the Skiatook High School Parking Lot at 10 am. Free Spaghetti Dinner Provided by the Post 131 Auxiliary at the American Legion Post after the parade. Connie Mott will fill out the registration form for the club to participate in the Parade. Possible local drive afterwards being planned by Regina.

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11/18 DRIVE & EAT: Short drive followed by lunch at The Midway Cafe in Bartlesville, OK. Hosts: Charlie & Peggy Hermann and Mike & Lee Cody

DECEMBER

12/03 INOLA CHRISTMAS PARADE OF LIGHTS: School @ 4:15pm. Line up @ 4:30pm at the Inola High School. Parade Starts @ 5:30pm. Candy can be thrown during parade.

12/09 ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY: The Club Christmas Party will be held at the Country Cottage Restaurant, 6570 State Hwy 82, Locust Grove, OK 74352, at 1:00 pm. We will meet at the Inola Sinclair at 12:00 noon. There will be a dirty Santa activity, with a \$25 limit, so be planning for that.

12/16 CHRISTMAS LIGHTS-MEET & EAT: Meet at Sami's Southern Kitchen & More at 626 N. Mission Sapulpa at 4:30pm for dinner. After dinner we go walk the Christmas Chutes in downtown Sapulpa. Then we drive to see some Christmas lights, locations to be decided at dinner. If you would like to drive to Sami's as a group, meet at the Reasor's parking lot in Jenks at 3:45 Hosts: Peggy & Charlie Hermann

Other Miata Clubs

The Lone Star Miata Club has a list of other Miata Clubs worldwide and in the USA, which can be accessed at: http://internetcarclubs.com/Clubs/CarClubMainPage.aspx A wealth of information including a national events calendar, http://forum.miata.net/vb/calendar.php? month=4&year=2017&c=1&do=displaymonth

Also see: http://miata.net/