

### **NOVEMBER EVENTS**

11 - VETERANS DAY PARADE: The club will again participate in the Tulsa Veterans Day Parade. For more information and details,

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November 18, Wednesday, Meeting Night
7 p.m. at Uncle Bucks inside Bass Pro Shops, Broken Arrow, OK
Program: Election of Club Officers

21 - NELSON MAZDA 2016 MX5 LAUNCH PARTY: All club membership are ask to attend to show our support for all Nelson Mazda does for the club. They will have food and drinks as well as activities and door prizes given away going on at the dealership on that day. The party starts at 2:00 pm till 5:00 pm so you can come and enjoy the party for most of the afternoon if you wish. This goes out to all of the club membership even if you have sold your car but paid your dues for the current year you are social member now so we hope you show up for this party.

# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE: TOM MATOX

Well we had our Fall drive down to Queen Wilhelmina State Park on Oct 31,2015 an had twenty to twenty five cars go on the trip. The place is all new from top to bottom the rooms looked great and the food was great the service as well. Those who missed this drive should go down and stay overnight or just to eat sometime. The view is something you don't see most places we go.

We have our club officers elections coming up at the next meeting so start thinking if you want to step up for one of the positions. I'm planning on running again for club president again if elected for another term, We will be looking for a new vice president as Ric Fornell has serviced that position more than once so we need someone to fill his big shoes this next year. The rest of the officer i be leave are going to run again as well but if someone wants there job they should throw their hat in the ring.

Nelson Mazda is going to have a 2016 Launch party on the 11-21-2015, that all club membership are ask to attend to show our support for all Nelson Mazda does for the club. They will have food and drinks as well as activities an door prizes given away going on at the dealership on that day. The party starts at 2:00 p/m till 5:00 pm so you can come and enjoy the party for most of the afternoon if you wish. This goes out to all of the club membership even if you have sold your car but paid your dues for the current year you are social member now so we hope you show up for this party as well as our Christmas Party on December 12 2015 at Nelsons Mazda dealership starting at 6:00 pm where you would have RSVP that how many persons would be attending this party since we will have it cratered so we need a head count. There will be door prizes given out as well as a Dirty Santa gift drawing after we eat. The gift should be around at most \$20.00 per couple or you both as a couple can bring a gift of your own if you attend. This is always a fun time at the end of the year to be with your friends here at the club. Hope to see all of you at the next club meeting so you can vote for officers of your club for the next year. Zoom Zoom.

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# PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES: RON COATES

Club President Tom Mattox called the October meeting of the NEO Miata Club to order at seven p.m. on Wednesday, October 21st. New members there included Bob and Susan Ibanez, Noel and Joni Moore, Sidney and Pat Benge, and Renee' and Tom Pigg. Other introductions were made by the members themselves, they gave information about their cars, tags and other remarks! Gary Deaton, who is a road rally master, visited our meeting again.

Tom Mattox made some announcements about events that happened in the last month. He mentioned the Club Birthday party as well as the drive that Randy Wagner put on. Randy had taken us to the old War Bonnet raceway near Mannford. We ate at the Cross Timbers Cafe, on Keystone Lake then went by the Shell Creek dam, and finished the drive at the Braum's near the Gilcrease Museum. During the President's report, Tom remarked that the group photograph we had planned to take at the 25th Club Birthday Party did not happen so we were going to take it at the end of the meeting. President Mattox reminded everyone that elections are coming up at the November meeting, and to feel free to let us know if you would like to be an officer in the club, we need volunteers.

Ric Fornell, Vice President made the announcement that elections are coming up next month, and if anyone would like to be an officer, please let someone in the group know of your interest. Ric said he had been Vice President for the last two terms, and was wanting a rest from it. Club Secretary, Ron Coates announced that we now have 87 members in the club. Andy Anderson, Club Treasurer, announced that Pierre Smith was undergoing back surgery the next day. Andy also reported that the cash balance of the club is \$1,950.71.

Earl Larkin told the club about what was then an upcoming drive to the Queen Wilimena Lodge on Halloween. He provided a lively description of what to expect on that drive. Former Club President Bill Curts explained a bit about the club magnets that have the logo on them. They are \$25 per set and they look great on the cars when we are on the drives. He also mentioned that the place we used to get our monogrammed shirts done was taken over by the son of the prior owner, Yvonne passed away, so we will still be using Yvonne's Monograms in Broken Arrow. Bill also reported that he would like to try to do the Guthrie Oklahoma Christmas trip again on December 5th.

Bob Schwarz and Dave Laughrey had some announcements about the Veterans Day Parade. This newsletter will be coming out just before the parade, IF you plan to participate, and have not yet told anyone that you are going to...PLEASE call Ron Coates at 918-637-1964, so that he can get you in touch with the parade directors for the Miata club.

Nelson Mazda's liaison and sales representative, Jeff Lewis explained that he is planning to help organize an event with our club to promote the launch event of the 2016 MX-5's. Jeff also said Nelson was giving the club a check to help the club with expenses for the Veterans Day Parade!

Linda Schwarz was kind enough to provide some cupcakes as door prizes. After the prizes were given and Tom adjourned the meeting, a group picture was taken by Bob Schwarz to celebrate our 25th year as the North East Oklahoma Miata Club.

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