

MAY EVENTS

May 16, Thursday, Meeting Night Oklahoma Joe's Barbeque, 6175 E. 61st St., Tulsa, OK 6 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

When you arrive, place your order and let them know you will be in the meeting room. After getting your beverage, take the hallway to the left of the register to the back.

Saturday May 18th HAMBURGER KING. Meet at the Cracker Barrel Restaurant (Tulsa Hills Shopping Center - southeast corner of W. 71st Street and Hwy 75 - 7128 South Olympia Ave) for BREAKFAST at 9:00. I suggest eating a light breakfast because you will want to save room for lunch. Drivers meeting at 9:45 and depart at 10:00. We will take a leisurely cruse to Okmulgee, and go west on the back roads through Castle, Barley, Paden, Prague, Meeker and eventually reach Shawnee. While in Shawnee, we will visit the Mabee-Gerrer Art Museum and the Pottawatomie County Museum. After being enlightened and filled with culture and edification, we will make our way to the Hamburger King Restaurant. Established in 1929 at this very location, they have been serving "old style" hamburgers and other foods for 90 years. Save some room for desert. I can strongly recommend the MONKEY TAIL PIE. After lunch, we will head back to Tulsa and should be back between 4:30 -5:00. Make sure your gas tanks are full, your radios are charges and you have extra batteries. We are going to have a full day.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE: BOB SCHWARZ

Dear NEO Miata Club members.

Please see the following brought to our attention from Connie Mott.

Celebrating the Miata's 30th Anniversary and our 10th year together at Laguna Seca

You may have been wondering what's been going on as you have not heard from us recently...we have been locking in activities for you and building a new platform!

First, it is official. We have a completely new website and new brand. In keeping with our plans to hold future annual events at other iconic tracks around the country, moving forward we have officially rebranded the event as the Miata Reunion, with a new look and feel, but retaining the same awesome experience.

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This year's event promises to be another smashing success, with lots of activities in store for you. Complete event details can be found at the new Miata Reunion website, which is also optimized for mobile applications so you can check information, maps and schedules live on your smart phone during the event.

Registration opens on Saturday, June 15th at 9am Pacific via the "Register" link at the top of the page at the website. Be sure to have your entire info ready, as spots will go fast. We have provided a "What to do checklist" at the website to help.

We encourage you to keep connected with us and with other Miata enthusiasts via Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and our good friends at Miata.net who continue to support our event with our own dedicated forum. Please also subscribe to our YouTube channel to view both historical and new event videos.

We are pleased to welcome all our wonderful sponsors and vendors back again for this huge 30th Anniversary celebration, along with some new ones just joining us this year. Have a browse through the website to look for your favorites. It is the only time every year Miata enthusiasts can enjoy meeting top Miata tuners and builders in person and seeing all their awesome stuff.

And of course as always our special thanks go out to Mazda North American Operations, without whom this event would not have been possible.

See you in October! The Miata Reunion team

PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES: CHERYL MOORE

Club President, Bob Schwarz, called the March meeting of the NEO Miata Club to order at 7:00pm, on April 18th at Ok Joe's Bar-b-que located at 61st and Sheridan. No new guest present to introduce.

Old Business:

Very good time and turn out for the Meet N Eat at Metro Diner hosted by Dugger and Theresa Duncan. Bob mentioned everyone enjoyed the drive and stay at Petit Jean State Park. Some members participated in a play of the legend of Petit Jean. Bob showed pictures and film of the area and play prior to the start of the meeting.

Reports:

Vice President, Ron Coates had no report. Secretary, Cheryl Moore had no report. Webmaster, Alan Doughty had no report. Treasurer, Gary Moore reported \$1209.71 in Checking and \$390.08 in Savings. Activities Director, Linda Schwarz reported some more on the Spring Fling Trip to Petit Jean State Park. Also, mentioned there had been some suggestions for a Membership contest, Take drives to new less

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traveled areas. Changing the way we are doing the door prizes. She ask everyone to please check your email the night before an event for any updates.

New Business:

Rick Fornell mentioned an event at Muskogee, OK. "Party In The Park" April 27, 2019 at Honor Heights Park. You can get a taste of Ok wines and beers along with food from local Muskogee restaurants, and then enjoy the Papilion Gardens in the park.

The club's next drive will be Tuesday April 30,"The Drive to a Legend, a Curiosity and an Interesting Road or Two." May 11, 2019 Saturday, drive Return to Jincy's Kitchen. Moved to June 1st. See Club Calendar Rev April 24th. May meeting will have a Patriotic theme with a special presentation by Bill Curts.

Instead of passing microphone for member introductions, the club had a Show & Tell. Members, who wanted to share, stood up and shared with everyone their hobby or talent.

Door prizes passed out and meeting adjourned.

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