

AUGUST EVENTS

August 15, 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

August 17, Drive to Eat: Ric Fornell: We will make a trip to the Urban Station Pizza Restaurant in Fort Gibson. I would like to meet at the QT across from Blue Bell in Broken Arrow at 3:30. Depart at 3:45. Arrive at the Urban Station at 5:30. One hour for dinner and depart at 6:30. Everyone should be home by about 7:15.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE: BOB SCHWARZ

Dear NEO Miata Club friends,

What is it, about GO?

Sometime about six months ago I read an article in a magazine about keeping your youthful physical characteristics and attitude. The article suggested that staying active in the form of traveling, tended to keep one alert, aware and engaged with the world around you.

From https://snarkynomad.com/the-best-of-mark-twains-travel-quotes/

Here is a great quote from Mark Twain:

"Travel is fatal to prejudice, bigotry, and narrow-mindedness, and many of our people need it sorely on these accounts. Broad, wholesome, charitable views of men and things cannot be acquired by vegetating in one little corner of the earth all one's lifetime." – Mark Twain, The Innocents Abroad

Here is a mis-quote from the same site, but I still like it:

"Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things you didn't do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowlines, sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover."

If you have "GO, syndrome", give someone a ride in your Miata and tell them to 'go' see Jeff Lewis and join our club. Or, join our club and watch for one for sale.

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PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES: CHERYL MOORE

Club President, Bob Schwarz called the July 18th. NEO Miata Club meeting to order at 7:00pm at OK Joe's Bar-b-que. Bob welcomed everyone and introduced new club members present: Gil & Marilyn Steidley and Mike & Lee Cody. Other new members are: Evan & Jodi Hudson, Susan & Ross Harris and Elizabeth & Kim Hand. 25 members present.

Reports - Vice President, Ron Coates - no report
Secretary, Cheryl Moore - no report
Webmaster, Alan Dougherty - no report
Treasurer, Gary Moore - Checking -as of 7/18/19 \$922.71 Savings- \$390.11
Birthday Expense - \$285.13

Activities Director, Linda Schwarz - July 29th a Meet & Eat is planned at the Pasta House in Peggs, OK. We will meet at QT hwy 51 & 81st at 3:30, and leave at 3:45, eat at 5 and return by 7:45pm.

Old Business - Bob Schwarz mentioned a reminder that Connie at Hallett raceway has offered free admission for the Saturday, September 7th event and special parking for those Miata members who just want to observe and not participate. Please read the calendar and go to the Hallett website to register to drive the track if you so desire. Bob spoke about our last meetings speaker Joy Avery & her book on Route 66. Next he gave a report on the NW Arkansas 20th Anniversary held on June 27-29th. The Meet & Eat for July 13th. was in Collinsville at the Silver Dollar hosted by Wayne & Ruth Will.

New Business - Linda Schwarz, announced the July birthday and anniversaries of NEO members. Also, there is a sign up sheet for refreshments and/or door prizes for Oct-Nov. President Bob ask members to be thinking of suggestions for Fall drives, Christmas Party and our 30th birthday next year for NEO Miata Club.

Show & Tell , New members - Gil & Marilyn Steidley and Mike & Lee Cody shared with members how each met their spouse and how long they have been together. Linda Schwarz mentioned our Vietnam medal presentation photo was put in the DAR newsletter. Also, her and Bob's daughter won the "Most Amazing Pet" contest for OK Today magazine. Emanda's white German shepherd will be featured in the Sept/Oct issue. Bill Curts shared information on benefits of the K&N air filter and Rick Fornell shared some information about Bridgestone Potenza UHP tires.

Meeting adjourned.

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