

AUGUST EVENTS

<u>8-1-2020 Saturday Meet & Eat</u> at 4 p.m. Uncle Paco's Mexican Grill located in The Plaza Shopping Center at 8222 E 103rd St. Tulsa, OK. It's on the East side of Memorial across from Costco. Hosted by Renee' & Tom Pigg: <u>Please RSVP Renee' at 918-960-1575 by July 30th.</u>

<u>8-4-2020 September 4th is the Deadline for 18th Annual Miatas at Hallett</u> discount registration. The event is September 4th and 5th 2020. Please go to the link below for <u>discount registration for people who have driven at Hallett before</u> and the complete description of the event and for regular registration. https://tinyurl.com/y57rcu5q

<u>8-8-2020 Saturday Greet & Eat</u> at Big Whiskey's at 4532 E 51st St, Tulsa, OK 74135 at 1 pm. It's about a block and a half West of 51st and Yale on the south side. Hosted by Dugger & Teresa Duncan. Dugger would like a good indication of how many will attend, so text him on 8-6 2020 at 918-629-5806.

<u>8-15-2020 Saturday August 15</u>: How long has it been since you had that great and wonderful HAMBURGER or CHEESEBURGER with fries or onion rings on the side and that special beverage with your special friends at a place that overlooks a lake?? Well! That's too long!! Join us! We will meet at the Quick Trip in Broken Arrow (across from Blue Bell Ice Cream plant) at 8100 E Hwy 51, Saturday August 15, at 8:45 a.m. Drivers meeting at 9:00 a.m. and departing soon thereafter. We should arrive and start placing our orders just after 11:00 a.m. After our meal we will take an eventful drive around the lake and wind up at Braum's next to Blue Bell for that Ice Cream cone at about 2:30 p.m. Hosted by Bill & Sonya Curts at Soda Steve's.

August 20, Thursday, Meeting Night

Oklahoma Joe's Barbeque, 6175 E. 61st St., Tulsa, OK

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

5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Call to order at 6:30 p.m.

We may be limited to 50 people and we will practice social distancing in Pager Hall meeting room. Please notice the new meeting time, due to new closing hour of 8 p.m.

<u>8-29-2020 Saturday</u> Drive, Lunch, Wheels Museum, etc. We'll drive to Galena (Ga..lee..na), KS for a visit to a really interesting area. Here are some highlights: Galena is the chief lead ore. Galena (the towns latest name), was the site of an 1877 lead ore discovery in southwest Kansas. Galena is on Route 66. We'll <u>meet at the QT at 81st St and HWY 51, in Broken Arrow at 9 a.m.</u> across from the Blue Bell Ice Cream plant. Drivers meeting at 9:15 and depart at 9:30. We'll get right there via I-44 with a pit stop after 50 minutes, at Will Rogers Arch, so please have your Pike Pass. We'll visit the Tri-State Corner, where Missouri, Kansas, and Oklahoma meet. You can stand in three States at once, on a plate in the ground. We'll have lunch in the Sweet Creek Diner and Bakery and do a little tour of Galena. We'll travel west on old Route 66, to the Rainbow Curve Bridge, near Riverton, to see

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and cross Bush Creek on the only remaining "Marsh Arch" Bridge (after designer J.B. Marsh) on Route 66, built in 1923. It is on the National Register of Historic places. We'll go to the Decades of Wheels Car Museum in Baxter Springs, birth place and former home of a famous Art Teacher. Adult admission \$5. This is an all-dayer. Drive leaders, Bob & Linda Schwarz.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE: LINDA SCHWARZ

Greetings Members,

From time to time, we get phone calls with questions about "Where can I get this or that", or "What can I do about" a particular problem? We have a treasure trove of information available. You can start with our website at neomiata.com. Go to the tab "Garage", then to 'Miata Resources' and you will find the table of contents to choose what you need. For the latest, most current advice come to a meeting! One of our club's primary goals is to discuss and exchange information like this.

Bob recently shared about his purchase of four Michelin Pilot Sport A/S (A/S means "all-season") 3+, and is quite happy with them. Ric shared that he likes his Bridgestone Potenza's. There are several different Potenza's so attend a meeting and let us discuss this. Jerry likes his Vredestein Hypertrac's. All highly rated tires.

How you intend to use them was another discussion. Do not get a "Summer Tire" unless you only intend to use them in the "SUMMER" (those are not good for "WINTER"). Speed rating is another consideration. Go to "Tires" in the table of contents on the website where all tire the numbers are explained. Good stuff. Price, etc.? You will have to shop around. Warranty is another consideration.

Do you need a good mechanic? Bill Curts uses this mechanic. He's listed under Miata Mechanics on our "Garage" tab. Miata Mechanic Specialist Bill Medicine Crow Automotive Repair

Do not forget about our 20% discount coupon that comes with our monthly Newsletter, from Nelson Mazda for parts and labor (except oil changes and tires).

Hope to see you at our August 20 meeting. The room is large enough you can "social distance" yourself and still enjoy getting out.

PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES: CHERYL MOORE

Club President, Linda Schwarz called the July 16th, 2020 meeting to order at 6:30pm at OK Joe's Barb-que. Linda welcomed everyone to the meeting and introduced new members, Mark and Kim Brownell from Muskogee, OK. Mark and Kim drive a 2016 Soul Red Miata soft top. The mike was passed around for members to introduce themselves and give a car tip or other tip they would like to share. Birthdays and anniversaries were announced for month of July. Also, Steve Click mentioned that Ruth Will had a fall and seriously injured her shoulder area.

Officer Reports

<u>Vice President</u>- Bob Schwarz reported the Kiosk at Nelson Mazda has been restored and looks nice. Also, two new possible members from new Miata purchase.

<u>Secretary</u>-Cheryl Moore - reported the Club still has available assorted sizes of the club's 30th. anniversary t-shirts.

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<u>Treasurer</u>-Gary Moore reported the Checking account- \$921.92, Savings- \$390.23 with a Total of \$1,362.15 in club account.

Web Master-Alan Doughty - No report

Activities Director-Lee Cody reported the club has free miscellaneous Miata gear and shirts available to current and new members on the display table. The June 13th Drive to Eat hosted by Mike and Lee Cody to Harvest House in Kansas, OK. was well attended. Good time by all. Lee reported on June 26th.several members met at the Hide Away Pizza on Memorial before going to a meeting at the Nelson Mazda dealership regarding the NEO Club's Kiosk display. On July 10, 2020 Charlie and Peggy Hermann hosted a Meet N Eat at 2:00pm at Jason's Deli on 15th Street in Tulsa. Great turnout. Lee mentioned the Drive to Eat picnic scheduled for this weekend July 18th. at Rick Fornell's at Lake Eufaula. Drive will be led by Gary & Cheryl Moore. Details on website.

New Business

Lee announced Bob & Linda Schwarz will host a Sunday Drive to Eat, July 26th to Local Flavors restaurant in Haskell, OK. Details of time and meeting place on NEO calendar. On August 15th Bill & Sonja Curts will host a Drive to Eat to Soda Steve's located by Finn & Feather Lodge on Lake Tenkiller. Details of time and meeting place on NEO calendar. The upcoming Miata's at Margaritaville scheduled on 9-24,25,26,27,2020 still has reservations open. Please call ASAP if you would like to attend. In regards to that event Bill Curts announced there is a <u>variety musical</u> scheduled near the lodge the first night 9/24/20. He took a show of hands of those interested in attending the musical so he could reserve tickets.

Linda Schwarz informed members that the "Thank You" card we signed to Nelson Mazda for the reinstallment of the club's kiosk was delivered. Bob Schwarz shared with members an informative video on installing brake caliper covers.

Drawing for the 50/50 tickets was won by Steve Click. Steve donated his winnings to Rick Fornell to help with food expenses for picnic at Rick's. Treasurer, Gary Moore also donated the club's 50/50 earnings of the evening on behalf of the club.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30pm.

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