

# JUNE EVENTS

**06/04 DRIVE & EAT:** How about a drive on Route 66 road to a place I just came back from that has some really good BBQ better than the last BBQ buffet I had a month ago. We will leave from the Route 66 Historical Village at Southwestern Blvd Tulsa by the Big Blue Train in front of the place. Will meet at 9 am and leave at 9:30 for a nice drive down Route 66 to a restaurant Called Butcher BBQ stand I just ate there an all the food was great they are known for the Rib's an Burnt ends. They have smoked Mac n' cheese and several other sides. The weather should be nice top down drive on Route 66 the road is in good shape only construction is a traffic light stop where they are replacing a bridge down to one lane. Other than that smooth sailing. Any questions call or text drive leader Tom Mattox at 918-629-1540

#### Monthly Meeting – TUESDAY, June 14, 2022

Mazzio's Italian Eatery at the Farm, 5119 S. Sheridan Rd, Tulsa, Tuesday June 14 at 5 pm **Buffet from 5 to 6:30.** Call meeting to Order 6:30. When you order please inform the cashier you are with the Miata Club and the Club will pay for the group at the end of the evening. Our private meeting room is in the back on the left with a few steps down.

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE: CONNIE MOTT

ATTENTION: Our next meeting is on the second TUESDAY, JUNE 14th, at MAZZIO's at the Farm, 5119 S Sheridan Rd, Tulsa. Buffet dinner (paid for by the Miata Club) is available at 5 pm with our meeting starting at 6:30 pm. We will be in a private room. Thank you Linda Schwarz for coordinating this.

Tom & Jean Mattox will host a Miata Club Birthday Party picnic on Saturday, June 18 from 4 – 7 pm at Haikey Creek Park, Shelter #3, 11327 S Garnett Avenue, Broken Arrow.

What a wonderful time we had on the 7-Dams drive led by Tim & Linda Bodine. Those twisty curvy roads (both vertical and horizontal) were amazing. Ending the drive with a lovely lunch at the Country Cottage.

Lots of people showed up for a M&E hosted by Ric Fornell at the White River Fish Market in Broken Arrow on May 7. As always everything was absolutely delicious.

I am sorry that I was unable to attend the M&E at Ron's Hamburgers and the light hike at the Keystone Ancient Forest on May 13, hosted by Bob & Linda Schwarz. This hike is now on my bucket list.

Remember, if you have a trip you would like to host, get in touch with me and Alan Doughty to get it on our on-line Events Calendar.

Also, it's time to start thinking of alternatives for our Christmas Party. Bring your ideas to the next meeting.

# PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES: LEE CODY

The meeting was called to order at OK. Joe's BBQ at 6:30 pm. By Club President, Connie Mott. 26 members and 1 guest were present. Birthdays and Anniversaries for May were announced. Desserts were brought by Lee Cody.

#### **OFFICER REPORTS:**

Pres. Connie Mott: No report V.P. Tom Mattox: No report Secretary Lee Cody: No report Webmaster Alan Doughty: Absent Treas. John Hill: Checking Balance \$2202.32 Savings Balance \$390.45 Total \$2592.77 Membership Kim Brownell: New membership list has been updated and sent out. Event Coordinator – Open Please, temporarily send all event info to the President and Webmaster. Thanks!

### PAST EVENTS:

4/23-24 **Overnight Event** hosted by Tom & Jean Mattox at the Lodge at Mt. Magazine, AR was enjoyed by all who attended! 11 people in 6 Miatas attended the event!

5/07 **Meet & Eat** hosted by Ric Fornell at White River Fish Market in Broken Arrow was enjoyed by 22 people! Afterwards many of us went to Braum's to enjoy some ice cream or frozen yogurt!

5/13 **Meet, Drive & Eat + Hike** hosted by Bob & Linda Schwarz at Ron's Hamburgers in Sand Springs and then Keystone Ancient Forest was enjoyed by 19 people in 11 Miatas!

#### FUTURE EVENTS:

5/21 **Seven Dams Drive & Eat** hosted by Tim & Linda Bodine. Meet at Inola Sinclair at 9:45 am, leave at 10 am for a 2 hour dam drive, ending with lunch at Country Cottage in Locust Grove. Rain date: June 4.

#### OLD BUSINESS:

Registration for Miata Reunion in Birmingham, AL. July 29-31 is now open.

Charlie Hermann spoke to Jim Right again about the **NEO Miata Club Show** to possibly be on Saturday, July 9, at Nelson Mazda. Jim said if we wanted to have BBQ sandwiches to give to guests, they will provide the meat.

After much discussion, Mike Cody made a motion and Steve Click seconded the motion to have a **Club Annual Birthday Pizza Party** to be held on Tuesday, July 14, 5 pm at Mazzio's Italian Eatery at The Farm Shopping Center, 5119 S. Sheridan Road in Tulsa. The Club voted and the motion carried. We will meet in the private dining room and a buffet will be provided. The Club will pay for our meals. We will eat at 5 pm, and then we will have our regular monthly meeting afterwards. Thank you to Linda Schwarz & Sonja Curts for searching out places for us!

Also, part of the motion (passed), was to have a **Club Annual Birthday Party Picnic**\_at Haikey Creek Park, 11327 S. Garnett Rd. in Broken Arrow, under the covered pavilion, on Saturday, June 18 from 4-7 pm. Each person is to bring their own picnic meal and then a side dish to share with others. Thank you to Tom Mattox for making these arrangements for us!

#### NEW BUSINESS:

There was some discussion about our **Club Annual Christmas Party** to be held in December. Linda Schwarz checked out Molly's Landing for us and gave us some details. Due to running out of time, nothing was decided for now. Thank you Linda! We will discuss this again at a later meeting.

#### **SPECIAL SPEAKER:**

Tom Mattox brought us a special guest from the OHP! Keith spoke to us about driving safety pointers, radar detectors, safety check stops, carrying firearms, Vanity Tags and paper expiration tags on new vehicles. Keith was very informative, and we really enjoyed him! We hope he'll come back again sometime!

### DOOR PRIZE:

Set of wrenches, won by Bill Curts, who gave it back for another draw, since he already has all of the wrenches he needs. Thank you, Bill! Won by Duane Will. Congratulations, Duane! Steve Click donated the set of wrenches, declining the money from the 50/50 Drawing. Thank you, Steve!

#### 50/50 DRAWING:

\$22. Won by Ruth Will, who gave back all except the \$5. that she had paid for her tickets. Thank you, Ruth! \$39. Went to the Club.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:40 pm.

<u>Personal note from Secretary, Lee Cody:</u> It really blesses my heart, seeing & knowing that we have such generous, helpful, loving & kind people in our Club!!! God bless you all!!!

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