

NOVEMBER EVENTS

11/11 TULSA VETERANS PARADE: Details to follow.

11/17 SKIATOOK VETERANS PARADE: Details to follow.

Monthly Meeting – Thursday, November 17, 2022

Oklahoma Joe's Barbecue, 6175 E. 61st St., Tulsa, OK, **6:30 pm. – 7:30 pm.**Members gather at 5:30 pm. for food and conversation

When you arrive place your order and let them know you'll be in the meeting room.

After getting your beverage take the hallway to the left of the register to the back.

11/?? REBA'S PLACE, ATOKA, OK: TBA. Reba will be opening her new restaurant & store this fall in the old Masonic Lodge building. Hosted by Linda & Bob.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE: CONNIE MOTT

The Tulsa Veterans Day Parade is on November 11. You should be receiving an email with the specifics of time and where to meet.

The Skiatook/Sperry American Legion Post 131, which I am a member of, is having their Veterans Day Parade on Saturday November 12. I will be sending out a group email after our Post meeting on November 1st with specifics. Please respond to that email if you are interested in participating.

Our next meeting will be on November 17 at Oklahoma Joes. We will be voting on a slate of officers by closed ballot. Be sure to come and be part of the election process. Results will be announced at the close of the meeting.

The Annual Christmas Party is at 12:30 pm on December 10 at the Country Cottage in Locust Grove. Bring a wrapped gift valued at \$25 for the dirty Santa gift exchange.

Zoom Zoom!

PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES: LEE CODY

The meeting was called to order at Ok. Joe's BBQ at 6:30 pm by Pres., Connie Mott. Connie announced birthdays and anniversaries for the month. Desserts were brought by Steve Click for Ruth Will. Thanks Steve!

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Treas., John Hill - Checking Bal. \$1819.64 Savings Bal. \$390.51 Subtotal \$2210.15 - 20.00 Door

Prize = \$2190.15 \$2.00 Ser. Fee

Checks: \$20.32 Door Prize

\$183.37 Magnetic Signs Deposit: \$50. From last meeting

PAST EVENTS:

9/17 – Meet & Eat at Ruby Tuesday, hosted by Tom & Renee Pigg was attended by 5 people.

9/21 – Meet, Drive & Eat, hosted by Mike & Lee Cody to visit Jean Mattox in Barnsdall and then on to Woolaroc Museum and then to lunch at Midway Café in Bartlesville was attended and enjoyed by 16 people in 8 Miatas and a Pathfinder. After lunch some of the attendees went on to see the Winganon Space Capsule and then to Braum's in Claremore.

10/5 – Meet, Drive & Eat, hosted by Tim & Linda Bodine went to Chanute, KS. to visit Howard's Big Boy Toy Museum in Chanute, Dalton's Gang Defenders Museum & Brown's Museum and eat at Sunflower Soda Fountain & Café in Coffeyville. 10 Miatas took the trip & a great time was had by all! 10/08 – NEO Miata Club First Annual Car Show and Cookout at Nelson Mazda, hosted by Nelson Mazda & Darryl & Regina Jones was a great success! We had 24 Miatas on display with 30 members & many guests and employees attending. Lots of great food was brought and grilled on site and served to all who came. Everyone had a great time of eating, visiting and showing off their cars! A great big thanks to Nelson Mazda and all who helped and/or attended!!! We hope to be able to continue this each year!

10/12 – Meet, Drive & Eat, to OSU Culinary School in Okmulgee, hosted by Bill & Sonja Curts, was attended by 24 people in 14 Miatas. As always, the food was great! Afterwards, 9 people in 5 Miatas went on to Braum's for ice cream! (Imagine that! I wonder who's idea that was?!)

FUTURE EVENTS:

11/?? – Meet, Drive & Eat, to Reba's Place in Atoka in the Old Masonic Lodge building, hosted by Bob & Linda Schwarz, has been put on hold until further notice.

11/17 – NEO Club Meeting at OK. Joe's BBQ at 6:30 pm. We will be having elections by written ballot! Come early and eat and visit too!

Also, please, bring a check for \$25. to reserve your seat for the Christmas Party on Dec. 10 at 12:30 pm at Country Cottage in Locust Grove! If you pay in advance and you come to the Party, the Club will pay for your meal and the \$25. will cover your 2023 Membership. If you pay in advance & say it's for the Party, and you do not attend the Party, your money will be forfeited. A motion was made by John Hill, seconded by Ric Fornell and passed by majority vote to accept these arrangements, as it has been in the past. You can still pay in advance for your Membership, but you must indicate to John (our Treas.) that it is only for your 2023 Membership.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1. Christmas Party at Country Cottage in Locust Grove at 12:30 pm, hosted by Tim & Linda Bodine. Explanation of payment is above. If you wish to participate in the Dirty Santa, bring a wrapped gift valued at \$20. to \$25.
- 2. City of Tulsa Veteran's Day Parade, hosted by John Hill & Bill Curts, is Friday, Nov. 11. Please, let John know if you plan to attend. He will have more info after Nov. 2nd. Alan Doughty will put out an email stating what he needs for the signs.
- 3. B.A. Veteran's Day Parade, hosted by Charlie Hermann, will not be attended by the Club, as they never got back with him.
- 4. Skiatook Veteran's Day Parade, hosted by Connie Mott, is Saturday, Nov. 12 at 11 am. Meet at the Skiatook H.S. at 10 am for line-up. Please, let Connie know if you plan to attend.
- 5. Veteran's Celebration is at Hallet Nov. 12, 9 am to 4pm. Contact George Walker for more info.
- NEO 2023 Officer Election process (Mike Cody)
 Oct. Mtg. 2nd Nomination of Candidates

Nov. Mtg. - Ballots marked, counted by 2022 Officers and announced at the end of the meeting.

- 7. NEO Magnetic Signs Tom Mattox announced that they are in, and we got them for half price! Thanks, Tom!
- 8. Clean up the River and get free advertising for the Club Tom Mattox announced that it may continue for next Spring.

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1. Nelson Mazda called Connie with a complaint that people had used their 20% off coupon when buying parts that they had not had installed at Nelson. Connie, George & Tom will meet with the owner to discuss the issue and see what they want to do to resolve it.
- 2. Tom Mattox asked for reimbursement for ink cartridges he uses for printing name badges. A motion was made by Ric Fornell, seconded and passed by majority vote.
- 3. Mike Cody announced who had been nominated for Officer positions.

CAR TALK:

Ric Fornell gave a very informative talk on Internal Combustion 101. SUCK-SQUEEZE-BANG-BLOW!!! If you were there, you should know what that means!

DOOR PRIZE:

\$20. QT Gift Card was won by Connie Mott. Congratulations, Connie!

50/50 DRAWING:

\$75. Was collected from the sale of tickets. \$38. was won by Jim Norwood and \$37. went to the Club

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30 pm.

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