

SBMOC Monthly Members Meeting – Saturday, Feb. 5, 2022

The Grapevine Restaurant, Boiling Springs SC

President Dennis Bromley opened the meeting and welcomed more than 35+ members to the breakfast meeting.

Treasurer's Report, Karen (K.T.) Thomas:

Jan. 31, 2022 balance in all accounts is \$6,383.04. During the month income was received for memberships; expenses were for Pay-Pal transaction fees. The complete Treasurer's Report is posted on the members-only section of the website.

Events: (more info on website re upcoming events)

- Jan. Noggin & Natter in Gaffney; thank you Jerry and Brenda for organizing.
- Jan. 15 - The anniversary of Battle of Cowpens was attended by several members. Thank you Karen KT Thomas for organizing.
- **UPCOMING EVENTS:**
- Thurs., Feb. 10 - Drive your Triumph Day (or other LBC) – depart the Spinx station at Routes 11 & 14 at 9:30 am. Drive through Tryon and to Saluda (not straight up 176...) 45 minute/25 mile drive followed by lunch in Saluda if you wish.
- Thurs., Feb. 17 - 8:30 a.m. - B'fast at Strawberry Hill
- Thurs., Feb. 24 - 6:00 p.m. N&N at Plankowner Brewing, Rt. 109 in Boiling Springs. Good brews and food by Dray satellite kitchen. Drop in; no rsvp needed.
- Oyster Roast - mark your calendars for April 16 at Bill & Becky McCall's in Tryon
- **Sat., March 5 - SBMOC ANNUAL MEETING - Golden Corral, S'burg.** B'fast buffet paid by club for all SBMOC members in good standing—you must have paid your 2022 dues prior to the meeting (dues payments cannot be made at the meeting.)

<https://sbmoc.com/become-a-member-or-renew/>

Car Shows & Events: see website for details

- March 3-6 - Amelia Island
- March 12 - March to Greatness Car Show, Boiling Springs HS
- April 2 - Carolina British Classic Car Show - Columbia, SC
- April 22-24 - The Gathering, Dobson, NC
- April 30 - Car show at Tryon Intl. Equestrian Center
- May 28 - the Great Scot!

The Great Scot - Sam's report:

- We will use the Scottish Games' registration platform for Great Scot registrations. Sam has a flier promoting the Great Scot!--contact him if you're going to a show and can take some to distribute.
- A volunteer sign up sheet was passed around; contact Sam if you didn't see it or have any questions.
- Additional ramps will be made before the show; Sam has asked Games organizers to assign 8 helpers to place ramps at the show.
- We are planning to offer a Challenge Coin (most likely generic so that it can be used multiple years) to participants with the SBMOC grill badge graphic on one side.
- A judging committee will be formed.
- 5 cars will be needed to constitute a class; 15 total classes expected; Jaguar is featured marque.

Election of Vice-President and Secretary - Dennis Bromley opened the floor for additional nominations for the Vice President position for a two-year term effective March 1, 2022. Harvey Thomas was nominated at the January 8, 2022 meeting; there were no additional nominees. By a show of hands, Harvey Thomas was unanimously elected Vice-President. Congratulations, and thank you, Harvey! There were no nominations for

the position of secretary at the January 8, 2022 meeting and there were none today. With Laura Converse's 2-year term ending with this meeting, the position is unfilled.

50/50 - Won by Sebastian DiMauro. Thank you ticket-master Roy Atkinson.

Larry's Diaz's real-life tech tip - when you're changing oil, squirt some in the oil port on the back of the generator....it might just save you the "adventure" of having a noisy/sizzling generator act up when you're 400 miles from home and still a few hours from your destination! Thankfully Larry and Donna's trip to Florida in the MG had a happy ending.

Notes by Laura Converse