

The Morris Owners Association of California

presents

THE ALL BRITISH CAR MEET - 1985

Los Angeles, California

Sunday, October 6, 1985

HERE IT IS AGAIN! The third annual All British Car Meet in the greater Los Angeles area. Every year, hundreds of cars cover the field, brought by members of 20 clubs, representing famous marques including Jaguar, MG, Triumph, Austin-Healey, Rolls-Royce, Bentley, Sunbeam, Lotus, Morgan, BMC Mini, Metropolitan, Morris and others.

This is NOT a Concours d'Elegance, where cars must come up to any pre-set standards, but instead a gathering of the faithful, who love their British beauties despite hard-to-raise tops, parts shortages, and oily driveways. Your car need not be in show condition and can even be unfinished. We have off-field parking for trailers and support vehicles if that's the only way your car can make it. There are awards for club participation, longest distance travelled, and the People's Choice.

The Meet will take place in WOODLEY PARK in Van Nuys. To get there, exit I-405 just north of I-101 onto Burbank Blvd. going west. Turn right onto Woodley Avenue, and watch for the signs on your right. The meet will be behind the water reclamation facility, the cornfield, and the cricket pitch, adjacent to the archery range. The event is free to all spectators, so bring a picnic and the whole family for an All British day in the sun!

for info call 213-399-5060 (until 8/15 ONLY)
or 415-566-6103 (any time)



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Membership dues are \$12.00 per year. For Applications and additional information write to the club address or call one of the officers listed above.

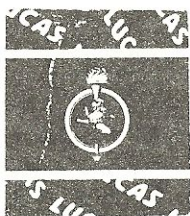
NEXT MEETING:
Tues. August 13
HUNAN Restaurant
near the corner
of 16th and Camelback

The DCTRA meetings are scheduled the second Tuesday of the month and meet at the above restaurant, 7:00 p.m.

Ready Strip

Our fellow DCTRA member Mike Walton has the local franchise for REDI-STRIP, located on First Street in Tempe. He can remove tough paints, rust; both hot and cold dips available for restoring those valuable TR'S. Contact him at 968-9702, discounts for club members too!

The Prince is fading



The PRINCE is fading into the sunset (as we know, not for the first time!) but FOR GOOD. Unless you patronize LUCAS for aircraft equipment, your love affair will be but a memory. For more details, see you August 13 at Hunan's.

HOT PARTS

George Wilcox of the Central Coast Triumphs had the white leather side curtains, crank and wire wheel with Michelin tire stolen from his TR-3. If anyone hears of such parts for sale they are urged to call him at (805) 966-5230.

CORRECTION:

In the previous newsletter the "cooler attacks" were mistakenly blamed on Jeff Felker. To preserve reputations and place the responsibility where it properly lies, be it known that Jeff Bailey was the true perpetrator.

Auto Sales Tax

Don't forget that there is a long road to travel to get rid of that tax on private auto sales. We need those petitions completed and returned. For anyone available to assist the petition drive at various public events around the valley, call ERIC JOHNSON at 998-5057 or 244-6410 for the schedule of events and volunteer your time.

Collectibles

NOS TSOA Badges --New original Triumph Sports Owners Association car badges, blue and white enamel on chrome, \$7.00 includes shipping. Contact BILL SOHL, 29 Netcong Rd., Budd Lake, NJ 07828 (201) 691-8116 --after p.m.

VTR Car Badges --Beautifully struck in three colors on steel, with the official VTR emblem, \$10 includes shipping. Send check payable to VTR to: KEN McPHAIL, 9628 Hazelton, Redford, MI 48239.

TRA CAR Badges --3 1/2" in dia., heavy, attractive cast bronze, \$15 includes mounting tab. Send check or money order to : TRA, 5650 Brook Rd., NW, Landcaster, OH 43130.

VRT Jacket Patches --exact match to the car badge and decal. This patch is a beautiful blue, red, silver black and white. This is project of the Delaware Valley Triumphs and the cost is only \$2.50. Order yours today from JIM WALSH, 1535 Allentown Rd., Lansdale, PA 19446.

CAR DOCUMENTATION

\$7.50 can get you all the correct information about you TR 2 or 3. Send your check along with the firewall commission number to VTR, Attn: TERRY TELKE, 4498 Ridgeview Dr., Egan MN 55123. Please allow 60 days for data to be returned.

On the Block

TRIUMPH STAG, 1973, never out of Arizona, never seen rain. Less than 30K, Original bill of sale, both tops, soft only out of well two times, absolutely pristine! Five original alloys, no marks, SOHC V8, purpose designed for this car only, 3 liter. Twin carb, upgraded to European electronic ignition, engine just freshened o include timing case by top STAG SPECIALIST in West. A/C, KPS, kPB, PW, AT, Tilt wheel, independent suspension all around, original dealer installed stereo, Mallard blue, black soft top. Shows well (99 points in open class Jag Owners Club annual concourse at Biltmore in Phoenix). One of last STAGS into U.S.; fine, rock solid GT, rarer than contemporary Mercedes SL and seats four adults in comfort with safety of T-form roll-over bar as standard. Phone Mr. Sharp, 602-966-9322 evenings

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PETE and BEV are "selling our" a portion of their collection of TR's and parts. Need something? Call 993-9442 and leave message.

1968 XKE 2+2, one-owner Jaguar is looking for a new home. The car is complete and operational with lots of spare parts. This toy must go to make room for the completion of the restoration of the TR-3.
HUGHES, 899-1030.

—Delta Deals Delightful Ditties

BOB SCHALLER has found another deal. DELTA MOTORSPORTS has a special sale on TR water pumps, from the '59 Herald to the '80 Spitfire 1500, and many other models too. Sale ends August 31 or while supply last.

Fun Planner

Aug. 15-18 --Vintage Triumph Register national convention somewhere near Chicago. (Is there life east of Las Vegas?) A West Coast convention should be planned for 1986. At the rate the national convention is moving west, it will be in California by 1998.

Aug. 24-25 --Monterey Classic Car Races. If planning to go make hotel reservations today.

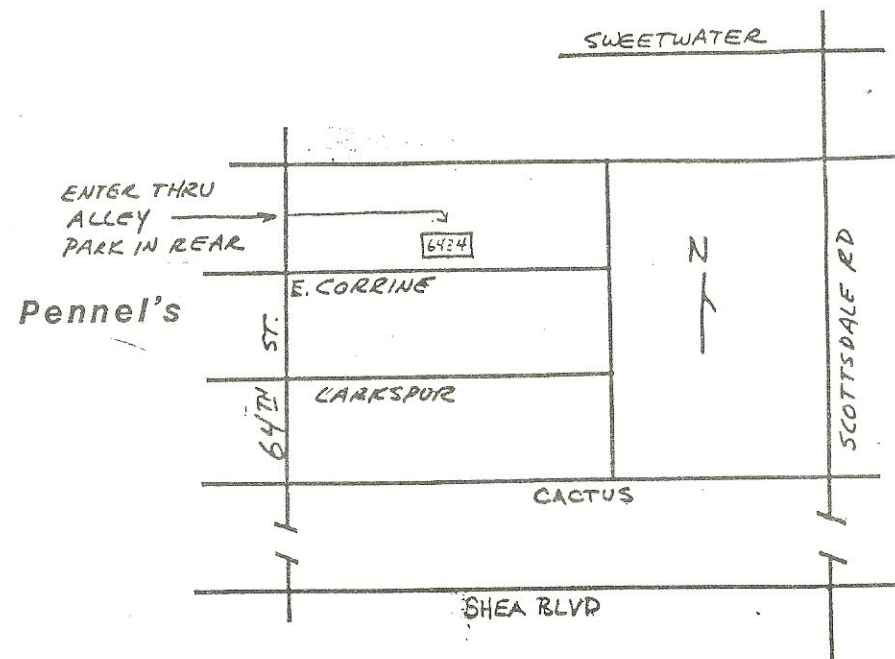
Sept. 8 --Sixth annual San Diego British Car Day at Dos Pico County Park near Ramona. This is a really fun day. At 1983's event Keith Lyon won a trophy for farthest attendance.

Sept. 15 --Preping a TR For Touring. Check the map below for details. And if you happen to be in California stop by and enjoy Moss Motors' Day in Goleta.

October --Possible Triumph convention sponsored by Triumph Register of Southern California.

Dec. 14 --Christmas Party.

Proper Prep for Touring TR's



Membership Report

by

Tom Pennell, Membership Chairman

--New

I am proud to announce that as of July 31, 1985, DCTRA encompasses 69 members, all owners and aficionados of Triumph motorcars. When founding the Club, I expected growth, but the rate has exceeded my wildest hopes. We're still growing and I would like to welcome the following new members:

Richard Browne	62 TR4
Mike Craig	One of the Afficionados
Jimmy Eriksson	73 Stag
Barry and Debbie Green	72 TR6
Shirley and Roy Greenwood	Garage full of British machinery
Dave Hanson	58 TR3A
Chuck and Dorothy Liebich	72 and 71 TR6's
Joe and Mary McCarthy	TR3A with funny paint job
Robert and Ann Miller	59 TR3A
Edwin and Nadine New	68 TR250
Tom Piper	Spitfire Racer
Bryan Pratt	79 Spitfire
Kevin Richmond	72 Spitfire
Harry Sables	80 TR7 (our first TR7)
Joyce Thompson	65 TR4A
Chuck Wright	59 TR3A

--Responsibilities

As we grow, one of our most important tasks is maintaining the old guard. We don't want to lose those members who have been with us and whose company we have enjoyed. We've been a little lax in publishing lists of whose dues are due, so here goes for the current month. (By the way, with the new dues structure where everybody pays \$12.00 in January, This chore will go away.)

MEMBER(s)	AMOUNT DUE (DOLLARS)
Richard Angle	7
Eric Bremer	7
Vicki Burke	7
Jim and Marcia Chadsey	6
Steve and Terry Cooke	6
Ed Deering	9
John Foley	7
Clyde and Coleen Gray	8
Steve and Sandy Kientz	9
August Lopez	6
Greg Lund	8
Bob and Caroly Morey	8
Duane and Pam Olson	12
Ken and Nancy Reed	4
Bill and Jean Riddle	7
Margaret and Dennis Weyeneth	6
Paul Wolf	6

C'mon, folks, get with the program. We don't want to lose you.

Tom P