



JCSC NEWSLETTER DECEMBER, 2008

HOLIDAY PARTY TIME! DECEMBER 16, 2008 6PM

Everyone, mark your calendars for the festive JCSC 2008 Holiday Party. It will be held again this year at Jaguar Land Rover Colorado Springs, 565 Automotive Drive. Thom and the dealership are generously providing the main course, and everyone is invited to bring their favorite holiday dish to share. So far we have wine/beer, salad, sausage rolls, vegetables, deviled eggs, carrot and chocolate cake, fresh fruit, and potatoes. Come enjoy an evening of fun, camaraderie, excellent food, and holiday cheer. We are inviting the employees from the dealership and their families to share our evening with us.

Please be so kind as to RSVP to Marciann or Ashley at the dealership, 302-1000 so Thom has an accurate count for the main course.

Additionally that evening, we are having a food drive for Care and Share Food Bank. We are having a "Fill the Trunk of the Jag" drive. Care and Share is in more need than ever this year, as the economy hits people in record numbers. Care and Share provides food for those that otherwise would have none. They need non-perishable staples such as powdered milk, peanut butter, canned fruits and vegetables, especially beans, canned meals, canned meats, potato mixes, etc. Let's see how full we can get that Jag!



MEMORIAL

JCSC members were saddened recently to learn of the loss of one of our members. Charles Davidson passed away on November 3, 2008. We will certainly miss Charles, and our deepest and heartfelt condolences go to Renee and their family.

ELECTIONS

At the November 18th meeting, we elected our "new" officers by voting to have those currently holding the offices of President, Secretary, and Treasurer retain those offices for the next year. We are only 1 year old, and we are just starting to get our "footing" with our activities and events, and didn't want to lose momentum. Additionally, Gary Kerkow was elected as Vice President.

Officers for the next year are:

Roy Winton, President

Gary Kerkow, Vice-President

Kelly Nothstein, Secretary

Carolyn McCaul, Treasurer

Thank you to all 4 of you for volunteering to be our officers in the coming year.

Due to feedback received in the survey we had previously sent out, the club decided to have an events committee instead of just one person as a coordinator. The following are on the events committee, which will meet after each monthly meeting. All club members are invited to participate with the committee; the more input we have on our events and activities, the better!

Thom Buckley

Gary Kerkow

Don Yowell

Larenda Hershey

If you can't stay for the Events Committee portion of the meeting, please be sure to share any ideas you may have that you think would be good for the club with any of the 4 people above.

DUES

It's that time of year, you will be receiving your dues notice soon. Please pay as soon as possible, the money is due to the National Club in February.

SURVEY

The survey previously sent out was discussed at our October meeting. We had some excellent input. Everyone that participated said that the location, date and time for the meetings were fine as is, so nothing will change in that regard. Many specifically mentioned that meeting at the dealership was ideal, as it gave them an opportunity to window shop vehicles and visit with employees at the dealership. So Thom, we thank you for continuing your wonderful hospitality by allowing us to meet there. As previously noted, the Events Committee was the result of the survey as well. There was also excellent feedback on activities, and the committee will be taking all suggestions into account as the next year's activities are planned.

Meetings will continue to be held on the third Tuesday of every month, at the dealership. 7 PM is the official start time of the meeting, but occasionally, we will have a "Happy Hour" to visit, snack, and look at new cars starting at 6. You'll receive advance notice of those months with the earlier start time via this newsletter, or by a separate email.

SAVE THE DATE!

December 16th, 6PM, Holiday Party. Remember to RSVP to the dealership.

January 20th, 2009

6 PM start

Pot Luck

Demonstration on Paint Care, presented by Eric Renfro of SBG Technologies.

February 17th, 2009

OFFSITE MEETING

Jim Verhey from ReinCARnation Auto will be hosting the February meeting at his shop. The address is 3630 N. Stone Colorado Springs, CO He is known by several members of our club and they say he does excellent classic car restoration. Please join us for an evening of fun and learning. Those of you restoring or planning to restore Jags, you really shouldn't miss this! **We will need a head count for that meeting as they will be providing light hors d'oeuvres.** Please let Larenda know via email at dpljhershey@msn.com if you intend to come to this meeting.

2009 MEETING SCHEDULE:

Remember, 7 PM start at the Dealership unless otherwise noted.

January 20th 6 PM Start, Potluck & Paint Care Demo.

February 17th 7PM at ReinCARnation.

March 17th Demo on interior care

April 21st

May 19th

June 16th

July 21st 6 PM start, Bar B Que

August 18th

September 15th

October 20th

November 17th

December 15th

The Events Committee and some members sketched out some tentative events in addition to the regular meetings. These are not etched in stone yet, we want to be sure we don't have conflicts on dates with the Denver club, so that our dual members don't have to miss an event at one or the other that they'd like to participate in.

May 2009: Trip to Serenity Springs Big Cat Sanctuary

June 2009: Trip to Bents Fort

July 2009: trip to the Wolf Sanctuary

August 2009: Potentially an overnight trip, destination TBD

September 2009: Trip to Holy Cross Winery in Canon City

October 2009: British Motoring Festival and Concours

PLEASE NOTE: the British Motoring Festival and Concours will be at the dealership, but we will need MANY volunteers to be able to do this. Please watch this newsletter and come to the meetings to learn how you can help.

We also may attend some of the area parades, and have representatives from both JCSC and the dealership, to spread the word of our club and show how much fun it is to own one of these beautiful cars.....and let people know where they can buy one!

See all the fun activities and events you get to participate in as a member of our club??? Be sure to get your dues sent in as soon as you get that statement!