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The Newsletter of the Carolina Jaguar Club, Inc.

Next Meeting October 19 2019



- Last chance Oct 27
 Concours North GA.
 Club.
- 2. Plan to be at the
- 3. Hilton Head Island Concours Nov 1-3
- 4. Notify Richard Lloyd Roberts of my plan to attend the November meeting and lunch at Jaguar Cary, Nov 16
- Block out Dec 13-15 for the big Club Holiday gathering weekend.

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Multiple Events To Wrap Up The Year

By Richard Lloyd Roberts, VP Events

Saturday November the 2nd is a beach event at the

Hilton Head Island Concours. Click this link for a complete list of events scheduled for that weekend:

https://www.hhiconcours.com/

We are invited to the Car Club Showcase on Saturday by the officials at the concour . We will have 10 CJC Jaguars on display from Jerry Ellison, Steve Chase, Eric Dunn, Steve Thomas, Ron Kuligowski, Mike Smale, Kevin and Rita Mann, Myself Richard Lloyd Roberts, and Ted Hill.

It is not tool ate to book a room, we have discount rates at: The Hilton Hotel, that information is on our website. Here is a sample of activities available:

FLIGHTS & FANCY AEROPORT GALA

Friday, Nov 1 | 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM

A private Jaguar members dinner jointly attended by CJC members and North Georgia Club members is planned at Red Fish Restaurant, 8 Archer Road, HHI. If you plan to attend contact Richard@monkeysinhats.com and ask him to notify David Kirkman. He needs a headcount. ASAP.

CAR CLUB SHOWCASE

Saturday, Nov 2 | 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

SATISFY YOUR THIRST AFTER PARTY

Saturday, Nov 2 | 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM

AUTOWEEK'S DESIGN AMONG THE STARS

Saturday, Nov 2 | 6:30 PM

CONCOURS D'ELEGANCE

Sunday, Nov 3 | 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

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CAT TALES

TED HILL CJC PRESIDENT

Hope everyone is doing well and looking forward to the fall and the upcoming holiday season. Living around the Lake Norman area it is always a little sad to see the summer season end and to put up the water toys for another year.

There are events and festivities to look forward to in the next few months. Beyond our other planned club activities there is the Hilton Head Island Concours. Our club will be participating by invitation on Saturday, November 2, in the Car Club Showcase. We have ten Jaguars that will represent the Carolina Jaguar Club at the show this year. I have been in contact with Dave Kirkman who has been involved in the Hilton Head event for many years and is a member of the North Georgia Jaguar Club. He is planning a Friday night dinner where both clubs can get together and socialize. It is always a great opportunity to join members of our sister Jaguar clubs and have the chance to get better acquainted with other Jaguar enthusiasts. He is also trying to line up a Jaguar corporate executive to join us Friday evening. I would like to thank all who have volunteered to be a part of this event. Speaking of the North Georgia Jaguar Club, their sanctioned concours will be held October 27th at the beautiful Chattahoochee Country Club. For those of you competing for National and Regional awards this will be the last JCNA concours held in the Southeast region this season.

Coming up very quickly is our annual membership meeting to elect club officers for 2020. We are very fortunate in having candidates for every position except Vice President. The Vice President position is primarily responsible for assisting the President in their duties and conducting presidential duties when the president is not able to attend. In addition the V/P is in charge of planning our monthly club activities. For next year we are asking for volunteers to assist the V/P in these duties. Please give careful consideration as this is a very important position and we need candidates to step forward. The club is also looking for persons interested

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in being part of a road trip committee. Duties to be filled is someone interested in planning routes to be driven and a person to plan tours and places of interest. Although these are not elected positions they are still important in continuing our club's road trip tradition. If you do not plan to attend the November annual elections We are happy to announce that our club membership meeting, you can still vote using the proxy ballot found in this issue.

Our annual Christmas event is our last chance of the year to come together and enjoy the friendships and socializing that makes the Carolina Jaguar Club so special. A dinner at the Speedway Club with a drive around and through the infield for a tour of the Christmas display should make for a very fun evening.

Once again, please consider your service to the club and notify Jerry Ellison, nominating chairman, myself, Richard Lloyd-Roberts or Diane DuFour.

Safe Travels,

Ted



CJC Membership Report

By Kevin and Nancy Willis **Membership Co-Chairs**

continues to increase! We now have 173 memberships, representing more than 300 individuals. We continue to grow because of the great People in the Club. Please join us in welcoming our newest members:

Barry & Pat Smith Cramerton, NC

Mitchell & Rosemary Andrus Mills River, NC

Rusty & Rosemary LaBarre Mooresville, NC

Jim & Maryann Mortimer Matthews, NC

We hope to see you all soon at one of our monthly events!

If you are reading this and are not a member but would like to join the club, please see the membership of this newsletter or visit our application on page website to join at:

Carolinajaguarclub.com



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End of year events (Continued)

Annual Officer elections and meeting.

November the 16th sees our AGM and Officer Elections once again held at the wonderful Jaguar dealership in Cary. We will meet at 10:30 am. Lunch will be provided by our host, Jaguar/LandRover of Cary, The address is 1000 Autopark Drive, Cary, NC.

If you cannot attend you can still vote using the proxy ballot in this issue.

A great opportunity to vote for the club leadership for 2020 and to see the 2020 line up of new Jaguars and Land Rovers. Come early or stay late to test drive a Jaguar or LandRover that you are interested in.

Holiday Party!!!

December is the Holiday party. We are going hold this event in Charlotte on December the 13th 14th leaving the 15th.

Our dinner will be at the Speedway club at the Charlotte Motor Speedway. There will be a special menu for our group. We will also have a drive around the track to admire the special light display. Then you can say you drove your Jaguar at Charlotte Motor Speedway.

On Sunday we have breakfast and say our goodbyes.

More details and menu choices next issue.





Parting Is Such Sweet Sorrow By Don Koepnick, CJC Member

At our 2018 Concours our speaker was Ramsey Potts of RM Sotheby's. His presentation on the auction experience was well received by all in attendance. When the time came for me to part with my 1958 Metropolitan, I decided to give Ramsey a call. I was not sure a Metropolitan, even a pristine one, would be of interest to a highend auction house like Sotheby's. Much to my surprise Ramsey told me that my Met would be a good candidate for auction and that, contrary to popular belief, they usually had selection of under \$30,000 cars at every auction. Ramsey estimated that my Met would bring between \$20,000 and \$28,000, and that with low end cars they require "no reserve" terms. The contract specified a \$600.00 fee for marketing the car and 6% commission on the "hammer price".

The next available auction was two months' away, over the Labor Day weekend at Auburn Indiana. That gave me plenty of time to do the final cosmetic preparation, photograph the car, and get it to the auction site. Ramsey sent me a detailed guide for taking the necessary photographs and said if I had any photos from of the restoration process to send them along too.

At this stage in my life, I decided it would be prudent to ship the Met to Auburn, rather than attempt to drive it or Shortly after the Met left town, I received via Fed-Ex, a trailer it there. My trailering skills have always been suspect and have not improved with age. Sotheby's had relationships with several carriers, and I trusted them to make the arrangements. When the carrier arrived to pick up the Met, I was somewhat surprised to see the Met's



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traveling buddies. Already loaded in the trailer were 2 rare Ferraris, a gull wing Mercedes and a 356 Porsche. The driver said he had two more cars to pick up, a V-16 Cadillac and a Cord. My little Met was way out of its class.

copy of the auction catalog and it was the quality you would expect from Sotheby's. The Met was in the section for Post War American Classics, even though it was built by Austin with all the much-loved Lucas, Smiths, and Girling systems.

The auction began on Thursday and ran through Sunday, with the Met scheduled to cross the auction block on Friday. I arrived at the auction site on Thursday and was happy to find that Ramsey and his staff had the Met in concours condition. There were hundreds of cars being auctioned and walking through the staging areas was like visiting an automobile museum. Cars over 100 years old sat next to late models. A nice selection of Jags was present. The Jag collection ranged from a 1938 SS (which long term members will remember affectionately as

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Parting Is Such Sweet Sorrow (continued)

"Peaches") right up to some XKRs, with just about every model from the 1950's on represented.



It was not just cars on the auction block, but anything related to cars and a couple of unrelated items, like a complete 1950's soda shop. Lots of stuff for your garage, vintage signs, gas pumps, antique tools and so on. All this kind of stuff was auctioned early in the day, with the cars starting around noon.

On Thursday I sat in on the auction for a while, but it seemed like they would never get to the cars. After what seemed like hundreds of neon signs, road signs, and other peripheral automotive items, I finally looked up Ramsey and found out that the car auction would probably not start until 3pm. I had arrived at 8am, it was now 1pm and I just didn't have the desire to sit through two more hours of this. Ramsey assured me that on Friday, the car auction would begin before noon, so I retired for the day.

When I arrived at 9:30 Friday morning. The Met was already lined up outside the door to the auction stage. One hundred cars were on the schedule and mine was number 36. At 11:00 the car auction began. Sotheby's provides a list of each day's auction items. The list gives the lot#, year, make, model, and estimated price range. For the Met the range was listed as: \$20,000 to \$27,000. All the cars before mine were low to mid-priced, all under \$90,000 with the majority in the \$40,000 range. The high dollar cars are always at the end of the auction.

As I was waiting for the Met to enter the auction building, I was writing down the hammer price for each the preceding 35 cars. Things were not looking good. Not even one went for over the high estimate, in fact, only two exceeded the low estimate. Several sold for ½ the low estimate. By the time my Met was rolled onto the stage, I was feeling like I had made a big mistake. Bidding started at \$10,000 and moved quickly to \$14,000 where it seemed to stall. By this time, I was feeling kind of sick. Just as the auctioneer was about to hammer it at 14, a bidder went to 15, then 16, then it stalled again and at the last minute went to \$17,000. Down came the hammer and I started to breathe again. The hammer price is what the seller's final payment is based on. There is a 10% buyer's premium that goes to Sotheby's, so the buyer paid \$18,700 for the Met. Not what I had hoped for, but better than I would have done with a local sale. All in all, it was an enjoyable way to part with a classic automobile.



If you are interested in the results for the Jags, you can find them at: https://rmsothebys.com/en/home/lots/af19 click on the "View Lots" button and change the "all categories" drop down button to "Jaguar"



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Revised CJC Bylaws

By Bill Bingham

The current Board of Directors of CJC has seen a need to update the CJC Bylaws. There are several versions of the Bylaws in print and some confusion has arisen as to what is actually the current version. There are also some inconsistencies in the Bylaws that need correction. Finally, the increasing a positive step forward and recommends the use of electronic media for communication has made some of the provisions of the Bylaws in need of an update.

Over the last several months, the Board has reviewed and discussed the current Bylaws and approved a set of proposed revised Bylaws that it is now submitting to the membership for approval. These proposed Bylaws may be found on the CJC website using this link:

https://tinyurl.com/y4tof6ov

or you may contact President Ted Hill (tedwh2@icloud.com or 704-668-7641) if you wish to receive a copy.

A "Yes/No" provision to vote for approval of the revised Bylaws appears on the absentee ballot in this month's Litter Box and will be on the ballot to be handed out at the November election meeting. The Board believes the revisions of the Bylaws are members vote "Yes" to approve the revised CJC Bylaws.







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Proxy Ballot



Name	
Representing JCNA #	
****	W. T. S.
Carolina Jaguar Club 2020 Officer Elec Absentee Ballot // Proxy Designation	
(Instructions: Complete the blanks above for your Name and JCNA # and place a ONE choice for each office, including any write-in in the blank provided.)	
As a member in good standing of the Carolina Jaguar Club, I, the above-named mas my designated proxy for the Carolina Jaguar Club 2020 Elections and authorized membership number for the following candidates (or write-ins in the blanks) at the you have inserted a write-in candidate other than yourself, you must also send with the person.)	my proxy to cast the vote of my November club meeting. (Note: I
By Laws: Do you approve the revised by-laws of the Carolina Jaguar Club website: Circle one Yes No	as published on the CJC
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Ted Hill	
(write-in)	-
Vice President	
	-
(write-in)	1
Secretary	
Bettye Weaver	
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Treasurer	
Rick Wotring	*
(write-in)	
Newsletter Editor	
Richard Lloyd-Roberts	
(write-in)	
Membership Chair	
Kevin and Nancy Willis	
(write-in)	>
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Committee headed by Jerry Tester	·
(write-in)	-
I understand and acknowledge:	

- 1. I am providing my name and JCNA #solely for identification for my Proxy and he will not disclose how I voted to anyone else.
- 2. Each JCNA # is only entitled to one vote and once I cast my absentee ballot my JCNA # cannot be voted at the November 16, 2019 club meeting.
- 3. My absentee ballot must be RECEIVED by my designated Proxy by 11:59pm on October 31, 2019, whether sent via email (jerlynn@nc.rr.com) OR FAX 910-867-1679 or by snail mail to
 - G. L. Ellison, CJC Nomination Committee, PO Box 41721, Fayetteville, NC 28309-1721.



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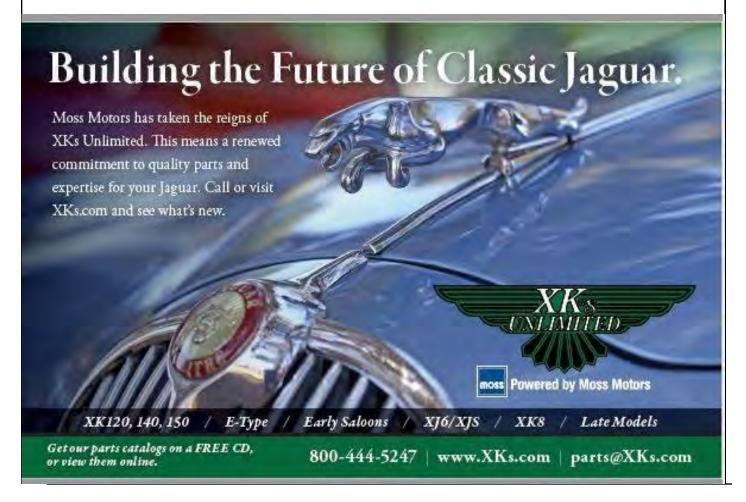
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Please List the J	Jaguar Cars You	Currently Own:
Annual	membership du	es for the Carolina Jaguar Club, Inc., are \$50.00.
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Please attach your check made pa	yable to <u>Carolina</u>	Jaguar Club, Inc., and send it with this application to:
	Kevin and Nancy	
	120 Claverton C	
	Winston-Salem, N	NC 2/104
		Applicant's Signature
		Date;
Note: In accordance with Article club's Board of Directors.	III of the Carolin	a Jaguar Club, Inc., by-laws, all applications are subject to approval by the



Event Calendar

Official CJC Meetings in Bold



Sanctioned Concours Underlined

2019

October 19 EURO AUTO Festival, in conjunction with the NGJC and SC Jaguar Society, we plan on making this a Jaguar dominated event. The 2019 festival will be celebrating the

100th anniversary of Bentley. Greenville, SC at The Preserve at Verdae

October 27 North Georgia Jaguar Club 2019 Concours d'Elegance, Terry L. Mathewson

Ph: (678) 332-7833 Fax: (770) 205-1530 .Chattahoochee Country Club

Gainesville, GA

Nov 1-3 Hilton Head Island Motoring Festival & Concours d Elegance Port Royal Golf &

Racquet Club.

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December 13-15 Holiday Party, Speedway club, Charlotte Motor Speedway plus Holiday light show.

2020

January No official club wide meetings scheduled

February TBD New members welcome and orientation meeting

March **TBD** Official annual Concours Judges Training

TBD April The annual Gathering of British cars and wine at Shelton Vineyards, Dobson, NC

TBD May

June **TBD**

July 23-26 Carolina Jaguar Club annual JCNA Sanction Concours at The Switzerland Inn,

Little Switzerland, NC

TBD August

September TBD

October **TBD**

November TBD CJC AGM and officer elections

December TBD Annual Holiday Event weekend.

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