



# MG Car Club—Florida

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Dearest Club Members:

We are now in the wonderful month of February. The weather has been great for our driving pleasures.

**Heads Up!!!!** BIG Celebration of **OUR CLUB'S 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY-**  
**SUNDAY**, May 22, 2016, **PICNIC** at Palm Bay Park. Details to follow soon.

Would like to Thank all those who helped organize the trip to the Navy Seal Museum, and all those attending. We had a marvelous turnout and want to Thank Mike Guido and his group of mini's that joined us! Mrs. Mac's Filling Station made for a great lunch although I apologize for the few who carried on to another restaurant we were quite an overload!



This month's event is McKee Gardens Motorcar Exhibit, February 13<sup>th</sup>, Vero. They will have Extinct Motorcars that are no longer produced,

Pontiac, Dodge, Austin Healy, etc. Also will be “Stickwork Sculptures” and the “Roar of the Dinosaur”. There will be a small entry fee to get in the gardens, \$12.00. North group is meeting at the Rockledge McDonalds, leaving 8:00a.m. meeting up with south group at the Burger King in Melbourne, US1 and Silver Palm, leaving there at 9:00. Lunch can be at the gardens or Mrs. Mac’s Filling Station, or Panera’s in the Miracle Mall. When we gather we can discuss a lunch plan.

Everyone plan on attending-this is one not to miss.

Thanks to Norm Ridgely for helping to arrange this event..



March’s event will be “Celebration of Cars” in Wickham Park, Saturday, March 5, 2016. We are planning on meeting at the Ethan Allen on US1 north Melbourne and then all driving into park together. Dave Alexander will keep me posted on that so everyone get yourselves registered and let’s have a relaxing afternoon, showing off what we have!

Link to the show flyer/Registration:

<http://spacecoastvettes.com/assets/2016-flyer-rev-4.pdf>

It was mentioned that members would like a roster as to who is in our club. Should there be anyone not wanting to be listed, please let me know, for everyone will receive a roster soon. Lets get those dues paid up

so we can all be listed. Thank you all for keeping up your membership and helping to keep our club going.

Went to a luncheon regarding the Mark Pieloch's Muscle Car Museum. Planning on opening in October, hoping to get our club in for a tour. All monthly events and idea's are welcome by all.

Have spoken with Bill Antonetz, with Reflections Car Club. They are looking for sponsors for Space Coast Honor Flight Program. Should the club or anyone like to help sponsor the program, Bill can be reached at 321-725-3648. Show will be Saturday, May 28<sup>th</sup> at Holy Name of Jesus Church, Indialantic. Our own Len Coppold has been honored previously!

**Birthdays this month are:**

|                 |         |                 |                |
|-----------------|---------|-----------------|----------------|
| Ritva Bowman    | Feb. 1  | Vickie Miller   | Feb. 1         |
| Joyce Wuensch   | Feb. 1  | Robert Belanger | Feb. 8         |
| John Connarroe  | Feb. 14 | Saul Klein      | Feb. 17 (78!!) |
| Leigh Lynch     | Feb. 19 | Diane Conarro   | Feb. 27        |
| Roger Jusseaume | Feb. 28 | Dave Alexander  | Feb. 27        |

**Anniversaries:**

|                        |         |
|------------------------|---------|
| Frank & Helen Kingston | Feb. 2  |
| John & Sharon Spadaro  | Feb. 12 |

Much Congratulations on another year to you all, make everyday like it's your last!

Just want to finish off with great thanks to all of you. We are not a club without each other. Keep Safety fast and look forward to seeing you all on February 13<sup>th</sup>.

Happy Valentines Day!

Your President,

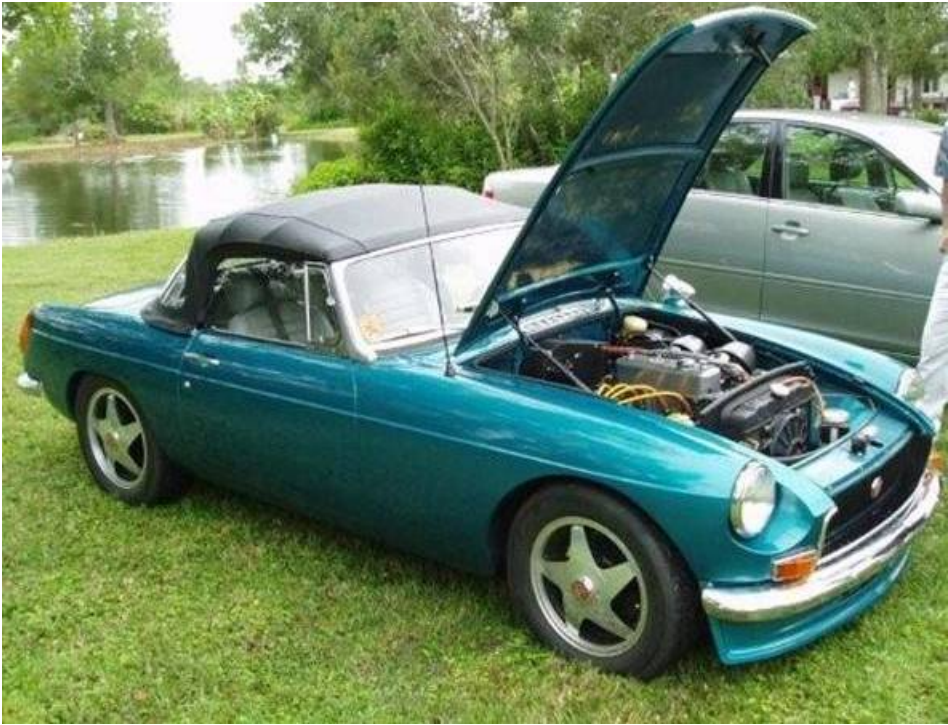
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