



**MINUTES OF
November 9, 2014
LANCO MG CLUB**

**Fiorentino's Restaurant
Lititz, PA**

Our tenth meeting of 2014 was held at Fiorentino's Restaurant (Lancaster Airport) in Lititz, PA.

1. President Ralph Spayd convened the meeting at approximately 3:05 PM with thirty (30) members in attendance. Eight (8) British cars were driven to the meeting.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Members present included Ralph and Sandy Spayd, Jim and Sally Harbold, Dennis and Carol Blevins, Skip and Ann Partlow, John and Edie Arndt, Gloria and Larry Ciarrocca, Bruce and Sue Hurley, Bruce and Darlene Deisinger, Andy and Kay Myers, Bob and Margaret Arlotto, Tim and Joan Martin, Jack Butler, Bill Butler, Charlie Baldwin, Steve Dellinger, and Margaret Sultner, plus new members Ralph Ludwig, and David and Karen Schultze.

2. Secretary's Report (Steve Dellinger): Steve distributed minutes from the October meeting

3. Treasurer's Report:

- Checking Account: Ending Balance = \$13,021.09
- Savings Account: Ending Balance = \$2,975.02

4. President's Report:

- Ralph distributed an agenda.
- Ralph introduced new members Ralph Ludwig, who has a 1956 Red MGA, and David and Karen Schultze, who have a 1980 Red MGB.
- Trivia Questions – Ralph asked one question: When did the first successful trip over Niagara Falls in a barrel occur? Kay Myers had the correct guess (the actual date was October 24, 1901).
- "End of Year" Name Tag Drawings for two \$50 winners – tickets were handed out to those in attendance (no name tags pulled). Sue Hurley and Ann Partlow each won \$50. A third drawing was held – and Sally Harbold won \$0!

5. Committee Reports:

- BIG (Bob Arlotto) – The date of the 2015 Show is July 12th. Bob is looking for someone to volunteer as a backup Chairperson, if the need arises. The Central PA Food Bank will have a representative at the Annual Banquet to accept the donation check.
- TOB (Larry Ciarrocca) – The final count was 185 cars on the show field. Next year's show will be held on Sunday, August 23rd. Some things will be done differently next year – there will be no "goody bags" or door prizes.
- Website (Dennis Blevins) – No report.

- Membership (Andy Scheggenburger) – No report.
- Green Table (Andy Scheggenburger) – No report.

6. Old Business:

- LANCO Fire Extinguisher Program – Club will reimburse member \$10 after purchase (provide copy of receipt). Ralph will send out a link to the website for ordering
- The proposed meeting schedule for 2015 will include January through April meetings at the Apple Tree Family Restaurant on South Centerville Road in Lancaster. The June meeting will be held at Gilligan's in Harrisburg and the September and November meetings will be held at the Lyndon Diner in York.
- It was reported that some rooms were still available at the host hotel for the MG2015 event, which will be held in Niagara Falls (Canada side) from June 8-12, 2015.

7. New Business:

- Tim Martin and Dennis Blevins drove their Jags in the Lampeter Strasburg Parade.
- Tim and Joan Martin went to Ireland for the Penn State football game – saw lots of MGs, etc.
- Charley Baldwin indicated that the proposed Austin Healey event at Gettysburg in July conflicts with the rescheduled Vintage Races Weekend at Watkins Glen (moved from September due to track repaving). At this point, the annual Watkins Glen Vintage Festival is still scheduled to occur in September 2015.
- NAMGAR's GT-40 event will be held in Frankenmuth, Michigan June 14-18, 2015.
- The MG2016 All Register event will be held June 13-17, 2016 in Louisville, Kentucky.

9. Next month's event is the Annual Banquet on Saturday, December 6th at the Fireside Tavern in Strasburg. The next Club meeting will be at The Apple Tree Family Restaurant on Sunday, January 11, 2015.

The business meeting adjourned at 3:42 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Steve Dellinger