



**MINUTES OF  
April 12, 2026  
LANCO MG CLUB**

**Centerville Diner  
Lancaster, PA**

The fourth meeting of 2026 was held at the Centerville Diner in Lancaster, PA.

1. President Ralph Spayd convened the meeting at approximately 3:08 PM, with twenty-three (23) members in attendance. Thirteen (13) British cars were driven to the meeting.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Members present included Ralph Spayd, Connie Reeve, Bonnie and Larry Mellott, Steve Dellinger, Pam Preston, Jim Harbold, Rich Trexler, Joe Clark, Rob Perlis, Rich Larrick, Al Little, Deb Eckert, Andy Schneggenburger, Dennis Blevins, Gloria and Larry Ciarrocca, Gregg Swartley, Margaret Sultner, Charlie Baldwin, Sue and Bruce Hurley, and Aaron Wolfe.

2. The fourth name tag drawing of 2026 was conducted. The selected member (Rob Perlis) was in attendance and won the \$40 pot. As a result, the pot will reset to \$10 for the drawing at the May 2026 Meeting.

4. President's Report:

Upcoming events:

- 04-15 06:30pm Ice Cream Night Fox Meadows – 2475 W. Main St. Ephrata
- 04-18 09:00am Dills Celtic Festival Meet at Sheetz in Dillsburg Cost: \$15
- 05-02 10:00am CCC – Jim Mack's
- 05-15 09:00am Carlisle Import
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- 05-17 03:00pm Club Meeting at Centerville Diner
- 05-20 06:30pm Ice Cream Night – Dairy Queen 1740 Roosevelt Ave. York
- 05-23 Noon KBCC at Union Jacks Pub – MUST RSVP through the Keystone website.
- 05-30 02:00pm Nissley Music – Joe Cooney and Friends – Acoustic Cover Band  
140 Vintage Drive, Bainbridge, PA

5. Secretary's Report (Steve Dellinger):

- March 2026 Minutes were distributed.

6. Treasurer's Report (Gloria Ciarrocca):

- The Checking Account Ending Balance was provided.

7. Standing Committee Reports:

- WEB Update (Dennis) – A member, John Cathey, passed away and his wife is looking to sell his MGB. Dennis will add the info to the website.
- Membership (Larry) – 144 members.
- Car Shows (Charlie) – April list is on the website. He hasn't yet started the May list.
- Road Trips (Gregg) – No report.

- Tech Squad (Jim, Bruce, Steve, Emory) – No inquiries last month.
- TOB – 8/16/26 (Andy/Steve D) – Eventbrite will be active shortly. Posters/flyers are being finalized. Food/Ice Cream truck arrangements are being finalized.
- Club Liaisons (Pam/Ian) – Nothing to report.

8. Old Business:

- Dave Markel Car Collection Trip (Bruce H) – Saturday, June 27<sup>th</sup> selected as the date. Bruce will provide more information at the May Meeting.
- BoD Meeting Recap – The Budget, TOB and future of the Club were all discussed at the BoD Meeting held after the April Club Meeting.
- Food for the Carlisle Import Show (Pam) – Email Pam if you are attending and are interested in getting a box lunch.
- Movie Night at the Prestons'. The date is Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup>. The new F1 movie is being considered.

9. New Business:

- Octagon Spares TOB donation – They donated a collection (set) of drawings.
- We need a newsletter (Ralph) –
  - Consider contracting with a 3<sup>rd</sup> party to produce a bi-monthly or quarterly Club (electronic?) newsletter.
  - We will need 3 or 4 “editors” to write articles.
- Dues increase – No action at this time. The BOD will continue review/discussion over the upcoming months.

10. “Round the Table” Member Recap:

- Ralph S. is looking to purchase a TR8 and has a local Triumph club in California assisting him in evaluating potential cars. The TVR is headed to the Classic Auto Mall for sale.
- Sue H. reported that Jon Arndt made it through surgery OK and is rehabbing.
- Jim H. is considering renting out space/equipment at his shop. He also reported on his good experience of selling cars through Hemmings.
- Andy S. needs more photos of British and European cars for the posters/flyers. Steve D. will look for more from previous shows.
- Larry Mellott reported that this year’s car show at Harmony Grove Church will be on September 19<sup>th</sup> (rain date on the 20<sup>th</sup>).
- All Little had a MG trivia question: How did Cecil Kimber get killed? (train wreck)
- Gregg S. reported that the engine and transmission are in the MGB!
- Pam P. reported that Proper Noise in Reading will be having Coffee, Cars & Conversation on 5/24, 7/12, 8/09 and 10/04; K & T is having a swap meet on 5/02 @ 9 AM; The Bill Smith Car Show at the AACA Museum is on 6/20.
- Bruce H. reported that the Treasured Motorcars Open House (in New Freedom) is on 4/25.

11. The next meeting will be on May 17<sup>th</sup> at the Centerville Diner at 3:00 PM.

The business meeting was adjourned at approximately 4:20 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

*Steve Dellinger*