



# The British Connection

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## President's Message

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To those who celebrate, Happy St Patrick's Day. Trivia, What British car was built in Ireland? answer below .I'm sure you have seen the flier Bob sent out regarding our first event of the year, this will be March 19, we will leave in front of Walmart at 10am for a short drive to the Pioneer Settlement off of RT40 in Barberville, those not wanting to do the drive can meet us there between 10:30 and 11:00, then afterward we go

for lunch at the Essex Restaurant near the St Johns River, this is a "CASH ONLY" restaurant, Remember this is open to all cars. We are still planning more events before the heat of summer; please anyone who would like to chair an event let me know. Good and Welfare, last report from Joyce, Richard Heckathorn is doing well, prayers still needed for Bob and Bettys Grandson, British car built in Ireland was the DMC DeLorean which was built in North Ireland UK. Keep Calm and Keep Motoring.

*Frank*

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## 2016 Dues are due

## Other stuff



**A:** *The 1962 Chevrolet Impala SS 409. Did it in 4.0 seconds.*

**Q:** *What pre-MY2000 U.S. production car has the quickest 0-60 mph time?*



**Q:** *What's the only car to appear simultaneously on the covers of Time and Newsweek?*



**A:** *The Mustang*

**Q:** *What was the lowest priced mass produced American car*



**A:** *The 1925 Ford Model T Runabout. Cost \$260, \$5 less than 1924.*



# BARBERVILLE

PIONEER SETTLEMENT  
Discover Yesterday Today

**Join us for the first tour of the year. We will meet in the parking lot in front of DeLand Walmart 1699 N. Woodland Blvd. DeLand, FL (see map) Saturday March 19<sup>th</sup> in time to leave by 10:00am; we will have a short drive to the Pioneer Settlement in Barberville.**

**Entry fee is \$8.00ea or \$7.00ea for seniors (60+), Vets and groups of 5 or more.**

**We will spend about 1 1/2 to 2 hours there. Afterwards those wishing to have lunch together will drive on to the ESSEX House, near the St. Johns River, note they accept cash only (no credit or debit cards).**

**Please reply with the number going so we don't leave anyone behind.**

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## All British Car Show

Please come and join us for the 32nd Annual British car show on April 2, 2016 at Mead Gardens in Winter Park Florida.

For more information call Diana at (407) 657-7825  
or visit our web site at  
[www.allbritishcarclub.com](http://www.allbritishcarclub.com)

Austin Healey - Morgan - Triumph - MG - Jaguar

Diana is asking for help parking from those that are planning on attending the show. They are trying a new approach to parking show cars and will need more parking help than past years. If you are planning on attending and would like to help, call Diana for more information.

# Celebrations

By: Gene



*~ March - On like a Lion - Out like a Lamb ~*

## *Birthdays*

<i>Burt Martin</i>	<i>March 2</i>
<i>Kevin Lemire</i>	<i>March 4</i>
<i>Deana Moore</i>	<i>March 10</i>
<i>Judy Goudy</i>	<i>March 22</i>
<i>Jim Lubinski</i>	<i>March 29</i>
<i>Joe Schandle</i>	<i>March 30</i>

## *Anniversaries*

<i>Jerry &amp; Mimi Peck</i>	<i>March 3</i>
<i>Dave &amp; Deana Moore</i>	<i>March 27</i>
<i>Mike &amp; Gene Schoonmaker</i>	<i>March 30</i>

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## 2016 ABCC Upcoming Activities

**MARCH 19 - Tour of the Pioneer Settlement and Lunch**

**APRIL 17 - Sunday - Sundaes. Gemini Springs**

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### Cars Wanted:

Jaguar, XK-XKE, MG-T series, MGA, Triumph TR-2 -3-4-250 Mercedes 190, 220, 230, 250, 280SL, Porsche 356, 911, 912, 914, Austin Healey, Riley, Alfa-Romeo, Singer, Mustang 1964-1967, Ford Model-T -A, Karmann Ghia, Volvo P1800. Steve's British Connection 630-553-9023, Cell 708-772-5404, Email [sbcinc@aol.com](mailto:sbcinc@aol.com). Actively buying cars for over 20 years, any condition, fast payment and pick-up. Generous finder's fees.

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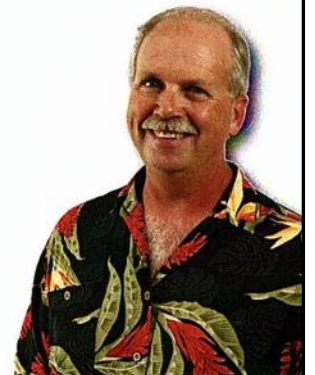
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## UPCOMING EVENTS

- MARCH 3-6, 2016 Spring Vintage Classic (SVRA) Sebring Raceway, Sebring, FL - [www.svra.com/](http://www.svra.com/)
- MARCH 5, 2016 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Strawberry Festival Car Show. Ocala, FL - <http://www.habitatocala.org/#!car-show/c957>
- MARCH 11-13, 2016 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Amelia Island Car Show. Amelia Island, FL. - [www.ameliaconcours.org](http://www.ameliaconcours.org)
- MARCH 12, 2016 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Festivals of Speed Omni Amelia Island Plantation. Amelia Island, FL - [www.festivalsofspeed.com](http://www.festivalsofspeed.com)
- MARCH 16-20, 2016 Sebring Support races. Sebring, FL - [www.imsa.com](http://www.imsa.com)
- MARCH 17-20, 2016 SVRA Amelia Island Vintage Grand Prix (SVRA) and car show. - Fernandina Beach, FL - <http://www.svra.com/>
- MARCH 19, 2016 Mobil 1 12 hrs of Sebring. Sebring, FL. - [www.imsa.com](http://www.imsa.com)
- MARCH 19, 2016 New Orleans British Car Day. New Orleans, LA - [www.bmcno.org/](http://www.bmcno.org/)
- MARCH 19, 2016 ABCC Tour of the Pioneer Settlement. - Club event**
- MARCH 20, 2016 SCCA SOLO II (Autocross). DeLand Airport, DeLand, FL - [www.cfrsolo2.com](http://www.cfrsolo2.com)**
- MARCH 25-27, 2016 Daytona Beach Spring Car Show and Swap Meet. Daytona Beach, FL - <http://www.turkeyrun.com>
- MARCH 26, 2016 Wheels Across the Pond. Jupiter, FL - [www.wheelsacrossthepond.com](http://www.wheelsacrossthepond.com)
- APRIL 2, 2016 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual British Car Show "Meet & Greet, Meade Gardens Winter Park, FL - [www.allbritishcarclub.com/](http://www.allbritishcarclub.com/)**
- APRIL 3, 2016 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Festivals of Speed. St. Petersburg, FL - [www.festivalsofspeed.com](http://www.festivalsofspeed.com)
- APRIL 8-10, 2016 Barrett-Jackson Auction. South Florida Fair Grounds. Palm Beach, FL - [www.barrett-jackson.com](http://www.barrett-jackson.com)
- APRIL 14, 2016 Morgan Owners Group Spring Meet. Summerville, SC - [www.mogsouth.com](http://www.mogsouth.com)
- APRIL 16, 2016 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Brits on the Bay. Pensacola, FL - <http://pbca1.com/show.htm>
- APRIL 15-17, 2016 New Smyrna Beach Balloon Fest. New Smyrna Beach Air Port, New Smyrna Beach, FL - <http://seasideballoonfest.com>**
- APRIL 17, 2016 Sunday - sundae. Gemini spring DeBary, FL - Joint ABCC and CFTR club event.**
- APRIL 21-24, 2016 GOF South Golden Jubilee. Ocala, FL - [www.gofsouth.com/](http://www.gofsouth.com/)**
- APRIL 25-29, 2016 "Return to Paradise". Key West, FL - [www.kwbcc.com/](http://www.kwbcc.com/)
- APRIL 20- 24, 2016 Spring Carlisle. Carlisle, PA. - (717) 243-7855 - or- [www.carsatcarlisle.com](http://www.carsatcarlisle.com)
- APRIL 21-24, 2016 "Walter Mitty" Challenge Road Atlanta (HSR). Braselton, GA. - [www.hsrace.com](http://www.hsrace.com)
- MAY 7-8, 2016 SCCA SOLO II (Autocross). Daytona International Speedway, Daytona Beach, FL - [www.cfrsolo2.com](http://www.cfrsolo2.com)**
- JUNE 13-17, 2016 MG 2016 GT-41 Louisville, KY - <http://www.namgar.com/>**
- AUGUST 4-6, 2016 "The Roadster Factory" Summer Party. Armagh, PA - <http://www.the-roadster-factory.com/>**
- OCTOBER 3-7, 2016 2016 VTR National Convention. Pottsboro, TX - [www.vtr2016.org/](http://www.vtr2016.org/)**



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To encourage the preservation and enjoyment of all of British cars

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[www.volusiabritishcars.com](http://www.volusiabritishcars.com)

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