



Newsletter

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Concours d'Elegance – Chattahoochee Country Club September 26, 2004

The Club's 2004 Concours d'Elegance will be held September 26, 2004 (Sunday) at the Chattahoochee Country Club in Gainesville, Georgia. We currently have 34 cars and approximately 60 people paid and pre-registered. Several other members have said they are attending; therefore, it appears we'll likely have over 40 cars. Some late registrations are expected both from NGJC members and from members of clubs in surrounding areas. Thus far, registrations are about evenly split between the Champion and Driven Division. Some of the cars registered will probably be competing for regional if not national awards, "In fact, I have just learned that the second and fifth ranking Series 1 E-types in the country will be at the concours. This is based on concours scores to date for the 2004 concours season."

The schedule for the day is as follows:

- 10:00 am - 11:00 am** Arrival and placement of cars
- 11:30 am - 1:00 pm** Brunch
- 12:45 pm - 2:30 pm** Judging
- 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm** Awards presentation

You may arrive earlier than the time specified above. If you wish to arrive earlier, give Roy Cleveland a call. There will be a separate room in the country club for our members and guests so we can relax and enjoy the brunch. The country club does request that guests in the main clubhouse wear collared shirts. If you have other questions, call or e-mail Roy.

We could use some volunteers to help tally scoring sheets and to assist with some other duties. If you are willing to volunteer, please call.

If you haven't yet registered but would like to attend, please call Roy and let him know your form is in the mail so he can include you in the count which he gives to the Club for the brunch. We have to give the club a count by September 17. We may not be able to accommodate you for brunch if you just show up on the day.

Directions to the Chattahoochee Country Club were provided in last month's newsletter but if you need a copy, call Roy Cleveland. Alternatively, you may visit the country club's web site at www.chattahoocheecountryclub.com and obtain directions there.

There is a security gate at the entrance to the country club. If the gate is closed when you arrive, press the appropriate button and tell the receptionist that you are with the Jaguar group. If you need assistance or help with directions on the morning of the event, call the country club at 770-536-4461 or Roy Cleveland at 404-218-9717 (mobile). In the event of rain, all registered entrants will be notified by phone or e-mail of an alternate date.



CHANGE IN OCTOBER EVENTS

Since the Jaguar Enthusiast's Club visit to the Southeast is taking place on the same week end on which we had planned to hold our day drive, we have decided to cancel the drive previously scheduled for that week end.



PRESIDENT'S LETTER

'TIS THE SEASON... We are finally at that time of the year, when we have to make decisions as to which of the many Jag related events we can actually attend. The weather will soon be cool enough for even the oldest Jags to be driven in comfort. This month we have the Wine South event on the 17th and our concours on the 26th. The month of October brings the Music City club's concours and the Jaguar Enthusiast's Club event on the 8th, 9th, & 10th and Eurofest on the 15th 16th & 17th. So there is almost no acceptable excuse for not getting to drive our cars and enjoy our friendships with our fellow club members.

I want to take this opportunity to say how excited I am at the level of participation we are seeing from many members. George Haldane and the rally committee are off and running with a good start and Pat Harmon has us trained, certified, and ready to properly judge in any JCNA event. The camaraderie and spirit of cooperation and helpfulness being shown will put us in good shape to host the national event next year and it will take all of us to pull that off.

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I look forward to seeing you at one of the upcoming events.

*Much thanks!
Joe*



NORTH GEORGIA JAGUAR CLUB MEMBER SERVING IN IRAQ

Warren Fox who is a career military officer and is a Colonel in the Marine Corp has just been deployed to Iraq—Fallujah to be precise. Warren tells me that he will have been part of the “Southwest Asia” era of Marines since he participated in both Desert Shield, Desert Storm and now Operation Iraqi Freedom. He spent the last three years as the Senior Operations Officer for the 4th Marine Aircraft Wing (MAW) and has been

focused on planning, deployment and execution of the 4th MAW’s squadrons in support of both Afghanistan and Iraq. I know that all of the club members join me in wishing Warren a successful and safe completion of this tour. Although Warren and DeAnsin have not lived in Atlanta for some time, they were charter members of the club when it was formed and one day we hope they will return to Georgia.



Fifth Annual Norcross British Car Fayre

The merchants of Historic Downtown Norcross will be sponsoring the 5th Annual British Car Fayre on the streets of Old Norcross on Saturday, September 11, 2004.

All British cars and motorcycles are welcome to participate, and registration for the show is free of charge.

Prizes will be awarded by the local merchants. There are a number of fine shops and restaurants nearby. Be sure to bring your folding chairs for when it’s time to rest and chat.

Registration begins at 10:00 AM at the Taste of Britain on South Peachtree Street. This is located across the

street from the Norcross Station Cafe, where the GTA business meetings are held monthly. For directions, see the meeting information elsewhere in the newsletter.

The GTA has had a fine turnout for the previous events - we hope to see you there.

Wine South –September 17 (Friday)

More information about this event was provided in previous newsletters. If you are planning to attend, they have asked us to show up around 6:00 pm and have our cars parked and ready for display by 7:00 pm. The event begins at 7:30 pm. If you bring a car, you will receive free admittance for yourself and one guest (tickets are \$60.00

at the door).

At the present time, we have about fifteen cars committed with several others possible. To reach Gwinnett Cultural Center go north on I-85 for about 12 miles (past Gwinnett Place Mall which is on Pleasant Hill Road) and exit (No. 108) onto Sugarloaf Parkway going west. Turn south on Satellite Blvd. and the

Gwinnett Center is on your immediate right. You may also enter the Gwinnett Center directly off Sugarloaf Parkway just past the intersection with Satellite Blvd. More information www.winesouth.com. Contact George Haldane 770-949-9779 if you would like to display your car, George needs to know who will be there for planning purposes.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR 2004

January 17 – Tech session on paint at Joe Newell's garage in Ellijay

February 21 – Indoor Tech session on detailing a car at Skip Smith's garage in Atlanta

March 11-14 – Amelia Island Concours

March 21 – Indoor Tech Session on the XK engine by Dick Maury of Coventry West

April 17 & 18 – Drive through Nantahala National Forest – overnight club driving event

April 30 – May 2 – Walter Mitty Challenge and Auto Festival at Road Atlanta

May 8 – British Motor Car Day at Chateau Elan. Please contact member of Event Planning Committee or Roy C. if you are going to attend this event

May 15 & 16 – Smoky

Mtn. Jaguar Club concours located at Gatlinburg-Pittman High School, Gatlinburg, Tenn

May 15 - Joint driving event with classic Thunderbird club and visit to Milton Robson car collection near Gainesville – club day driving event

June 13 – Carolina Jaguar Club concours, Salisbury, NC

July 17 – Tour of Wolf Winery near Dhlonega – club day driving event

July 24 - Indoor Tech session on JCNA club rallying – session 1 – Hennessy Jaguar Gwinnett

August 21 – Judges training session for JCNA Concours – Hennessy Jaguar Gwinnett

September 17 – Wine South - Gwinnett Cultural Center.

September 26 - JCNA

sanctioned Concours at Chattahoochee Country Club in Gainesville

October 9-10 – Music City Jaguar Club Concours and visit by JEC members from England

October 17 – EURO 2004 Auto Festival at BMW manufacturing plant near Greer, SC – club event


November 5-7 - Southern British Weekend in Chattanooga, Tenn. – club driving event

November 20 - Business Meeting in the Atlanta area – location to be announced

December 12 - Annual Christmas Party at Vinings Club, Atlanta, GA.

NEW MEMBERS

We would like to welcome our new members since the last newsletter. They are **James and Patricia Eldridge**.

Our membership is now at 81. Membership lists are available to any member by mail or e-mail. If you would like one, call or e-mail Roy Cleveland. 



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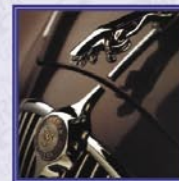
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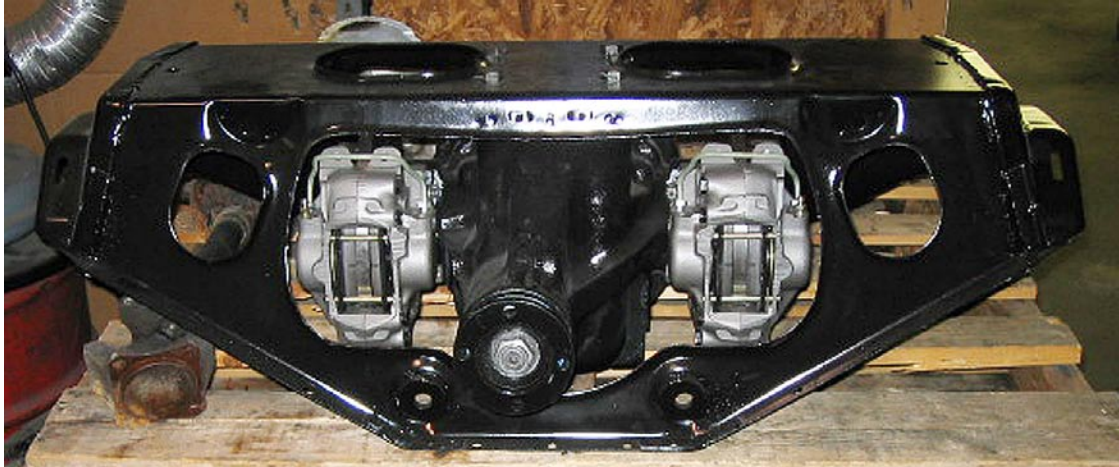


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Congratulations John

Some of our member know I am President of the North Georgia Chapter of the Studebaker Drivers Club. Our International Meet was held in Charlotte this year, June 7th to the 13th. I entered my Aqua Blue '70 Avanti II in the Concours d' Elegance. Over three hundred Studebakers were judged and Avanti's were the largest class with seventy-five. I scored 380 pts of a possible 400 for a first place, we were surprised and elated. I am the fourth owner of my car,

which is well documented. It is a four speed, supercharged 350 ci V8, with A/C.

I am currently restoring a '64 Studebaker GT Hawk. This is a special "package R1", meaning it has the Avanti four barrel V8, disc brakes (Dunlop/licenced to Bendex), 160mph speedo, special tach, and twin traction with traction bars from the factory.
Respectfully Submitted,
John W. Hollier

**Pictures unavailable at
press time this is a
1956 Studebaker
Golden Hawk
JCY**



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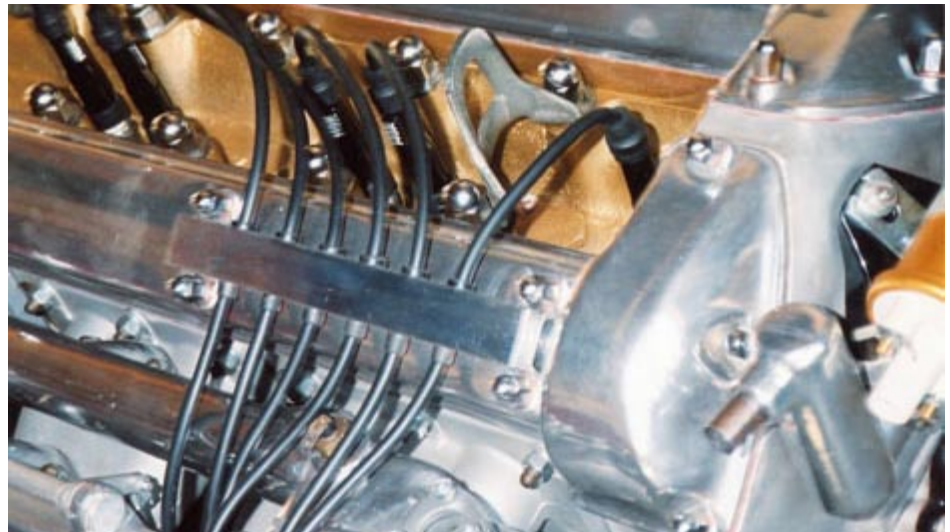
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For those of you who may not be familiar with Franklin, Tennessee, the 2001 JCNA Challenge Championship was held there and it is a well-preserved, picturesque, small Southern town located near Nashville. Winchester is located about 50 miles northwest of Chattanooga just off I-24.

A group from the club is planning to drive up to Franklin on Friday, Oct. 8 and follow the JEC group as they make their way to Winchester on Oct. 10. Anyone who would like to join in with this group or join in this event at some point in the weekend, please call Joe Newell or Roy Cleveland.

There are more details and a concours registration

form in the Music City club's newsletter which can be viewed by going to www.jcna.com (click on clubs, click on the southeast, then click on

the Music City club name, and then click on the current newsletter—Adobe Acrobat is required to open). If you don't have access to the internet, call

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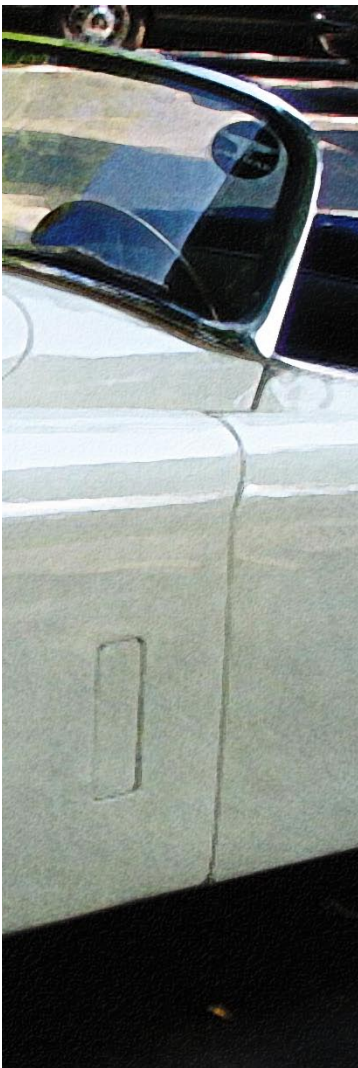


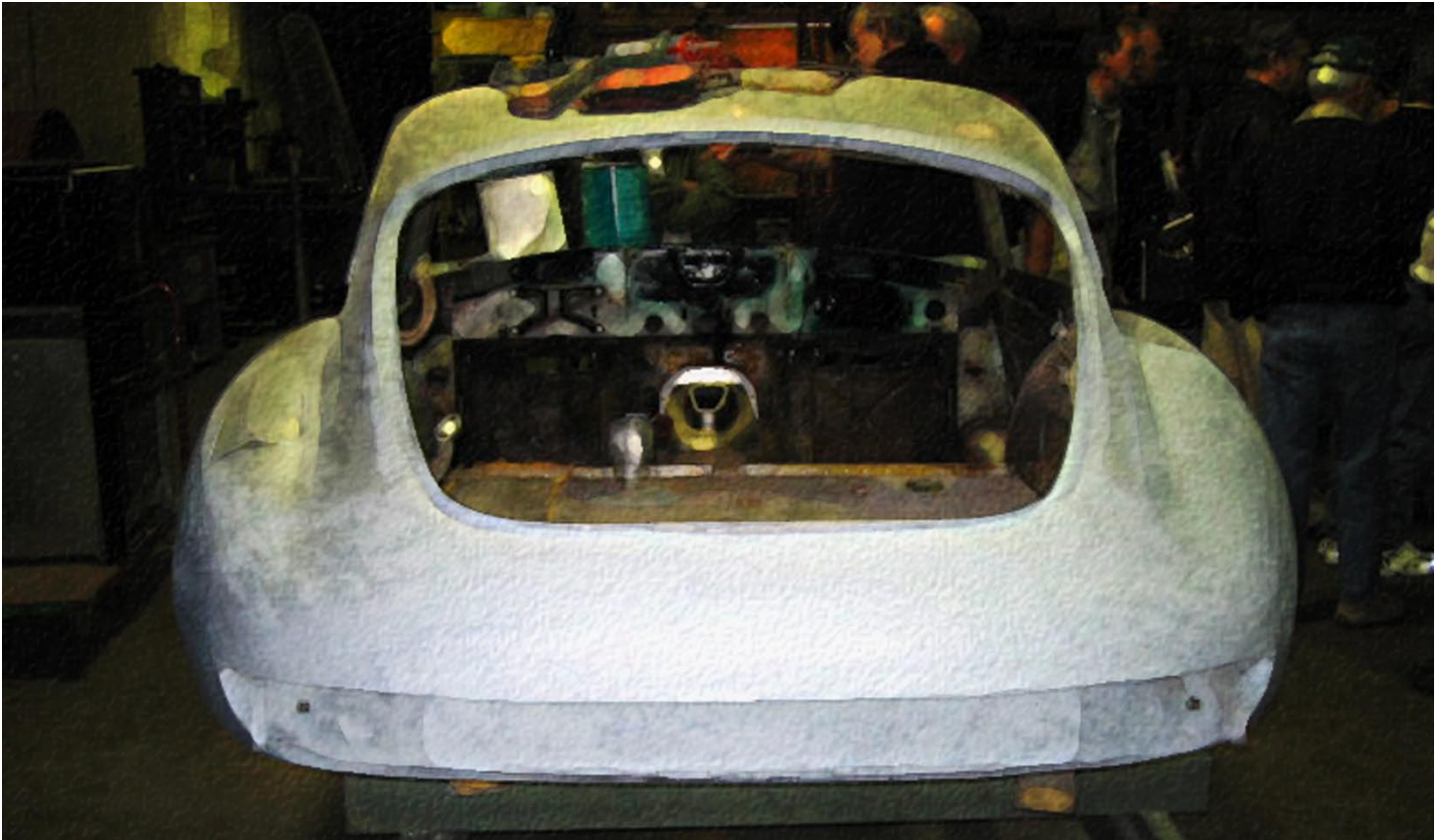
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