



RBCC Rolling News

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May Lunch

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Our next Lunch is set for :

DATE: May 14, 2022

PLACE: Redwood Rotisserie and Grill, 860 Plumb Lane, Reno, NV

TIME: 11:30 am (no cruise this time)

MENU CHOICES:

– **1/4 lb Rotisserie Chicken**, Mac and Cheese, French Fries, and Cole Slaw; –

– **1/4lb Rotisserie Tri Tip**, Mac and Cheese, French Fries and Cole Slaw; –

– **Baja Fiesta Salad**, warm rotisserie chicken, corn salad, black beans, avocado pico de gallo, cheddar cheese corn ships on iceberg lettuce and sriracha dressing; –

– **Chef Salad**, pulled chicken, ham, tomato hard boiled egg, cheddar and white cheese with white balsamic dressing.

Any soft drink, Iced tea, Coffee.

COST: \$25.00 per person, tax and tip, tax and tip included.

RSVP: Required by Wednesday, May 11, 2022

kgulash13@gmail.com with your food selection(s).

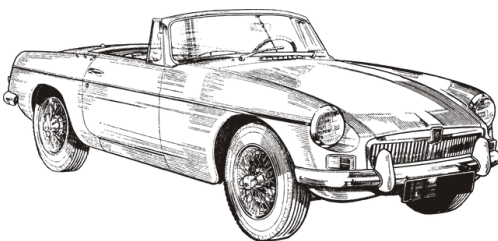
Ray Hiett will be leading the group for the luncheon. Any additional questions should be directed to Ray at 775-843-4815 or rrhiett@hiett@gmail.com

Are you driving your LBC to Dixon for the Show? Peter is gathering folks who want to drive together on Sat. , May 22, 2022 If this is you, please contact Peter at pmgulash@charter.net or 775-622-7053

For a great listing of upcoming car events, Dennis Tholen has shared: “Reid’s List” classic.car.activist@gmail.com

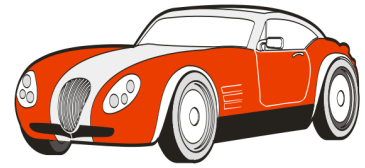
Our Trip to Yerington

Great trip to Yerington and Sherry's. Our trip took us up Geiger Grade to Virginia City, through Six Mile Canyon at a quick clip that had me hanging on for dear life, onto US Hwy 50 West to Weeks cutoff, to 95 A south and into Yerington. Lunch was wonderful and were able check in with Sherry and see how she was doing. If you are interested in buying a restaurant, Sherry's is for sale.



MG MGB Spyder (MK1)





We had 35 folks and 19 LBCs. Hope you enjoy the photos. Thank you again to Dennis Tholen and Lawson Fox.

Tonopah– The trip we missed

Easter Weekend the club had been invited to join our sister club from Las Vegas on a trip to Tonopah. Unfortunately I do not think anyone was able to go. Our weather was pretty crummy on Saturday. Fortunately for us a few members have been on trips to Tonopah and here are their stories.



Tale by Dennis:

Back in the 50's (yes some of us are old enough to remember them) the Nevada Sports Touring Association (NSTA), which later became the SCCA club, would meet up at the old Army Air Corp training camp with the Las Vegas Club just east of Tonopah and hold a gymkhana on the old airfield. Today part of the airport still exists, with several old hangar buildings still standing. Anyhow, we all camped out at the airfield and had a great time. I still had my Austin Healey and did pretty good if I do say so myself (I can say that as none of you current members were there!) We did this for two or three years, but it went by the wayside for some reason of which I do not know. I was living in Alaska shortly after the last meet, so I wasn't around to find out why it stopped. It is nearly right in the middle of the two cities, 3 hrs 44 min from Reno (modern speeds as shown on Google Maps) and 3 hrs 12 min from Las Vegas.

That's 228 miles from Reno. Got to add time, as our group could probably travel 60 mph, not the posted 70. did some math, looks like Google used 65 as a guide for time, so it would still be less than 4 hours at 60. Belmont, 'ghost town' about 50 minutes from Tonopah, is a terrific spot to visit. The Courthouse is a famous place. All paved roads.



Thank you Dennis Conly for a great trip down memory lane.

Photos by Lawson Fox



Tale by Lawson:

My wife and I took a trip there about this time last year as our first trip following Covid. We had a good time. The Mizpah seemed nice. The Mizpah restaurant served simple food but it was very good, including a great breakfast. Maybe the best hamburger I have ever had. We had another dinner there and as I recall it was very good too. The bar was nice and poured generous drinks.

We stayed across the street at the Belvada Hotel. It is a very fresh total rebuild of a 6-story hotel creating a boutique hotel experience that would stand up in any major city right there in Tonopah. There is a BBQ restaurant a few blocks from the hotels. We found the craft beer to be very good but the food there was just OK. Being southerners, BBQ has to be good to get our attention. A Corvette club on their way to drive Route 66 showed up when we were in this restaurant. They were staying at the two story motel across from the restaurant. Though the staff was stressed, they got everyone served.

The Mizpah, Belvada and BBQ place are all owned by an apparently very rich couple that has decided to revitalize Tonopah. They are not sparing any expense and this has created some cool venues.

To the south in Goldfield there is a folk-art exhibit of old cars, trucks and buses planted in the ground and painted in bright paint. Kind of a neat side show. There is a historic WW2 airfield nearby off to the east that was fun to visit. Nothing formal there, just cool. There are a couple of "ghost towns" within 30 miles or so that are a fun daytrip.

Thank you Lawson Fox for some fun information.

RBCC Events

- **Saturday, May 14, 2022** Redwood Rotisserie and Grill, 860 E. Plumb Lane, Reno, NV
- **Saturday, June 11, 2022** Graeagle Meadows Clubhouse Restaurant, 6934 Hwy 89, Graeagle, CA
- **Monday, July 4, 2022** Fourth of July Pot Luck in Virginia City
- **Saturday, July 23, 2022** Club Car Show at Dave Kingman's house in Glenbrook.
- **Wednesday, August 17, 2022** Sky Peaks Car Show after Coffee. 1520 Sky Valley Dr.
- **Saturday, September 10, 2022** Pot Luck at Washoe Lake State Park
- **Saturday, October 15** Reno British Car Club Show at Rancho San Rafael Regional Park, Reno, NV
- **Breakfast at Mimi's every other Wednesday.** The next ones are May 11 and 25, 2022.

Other Events

- **California Healey Week-2022** May 9-May 13, 2022
Cathedral City, CA
- **All British Field Meet/All Brit Run Whistler** May 21, 2022
Vancouver
- **Dixon Car**, Dixon, CA May 22, 2022
- **Sierra Cascade Street Rodders** June 4, 2022
Plumas Sierra County Fairgrounds, Quincy, CA scsrnorcal@mail.com
- **North American MGA All Roads Lead to GT-47!** June 6-10, 2022
Colorado Springs, Colorado

(Other events continue on next page)

Other Events

- **Yerington's Main Street Car Show** June 17-19, 2022
Main Street, Yerington Call Sylvia 775-781-5780 or sbanta@dinisluckyclub.com
- **ID British Summer Tour 2022,** June 23-26, 2022
Twin Falls, ID
- **GoF West 50th Event** June 27-July 1, 2022
Santa Ynez Valley
- **Order of the Eastern Star Downtown Revival** July 9, 2022
- **Western Washington All British Field Meet** July 23, 2022
Saint Edward State Park, 1445 Juanita Drive NE, Kenmore, WA 98028
- **All Triumph Drive In ATDI** August 18-21, 2022
Olympia, WA Hosted by TYEE Triumph Club (Washington Club), ATDI (British Columbia Club) and PTOA (Oregon Club) It is a great drive which takes you through Canada, Oregon and Washington.
- **All British Field Meet, Portland OR** September 9-11, 2022
- **ID Field Meet Southwest 2022** September 18, 2022
Village in Meridian
- **Triumphfest San Diego 2022** September 8,9,10, 2022
Event Headquarters will be The Dana on beautiful Mission Bay
Web address: Triumphfest2022.com

Looking For:

- Dennis Tholen is looking for a Triumph TR8. If you know of one or have one that you would like to sell please contact Dennis at dltholen@charter.net
 - Larry Zerwig is a member of the Valley British Auto Club in Fresno, CA. He would like to inquire if any of our MGA, MGB, or Magnette owners are planning to go to NAMGAR 47 in early June. His Beloved Navigator has declined to go with him but doesn't want him going solo across that distance. They have a daughter that lives in that area and she would like him to attend a special event for her that weekend prior to the June 6-10 dates of GT-47. His plans right now are to leave the Fresno area May 31 or Jun 1, go over the Sierra to US 395, meet with any others at Carson City, then head east on US 50. If you are planning on attending the show please contact Larry at ljzmga61@aol.com (L not 1 in email address)
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Vendors

Need something done that you can't do, check out these folks.

Mark Thomas, (traveling mechanic) 817-602-6485

Dave Logan, (traveling mechanic) 925-425-9230

Marty Enterprises (manufacture rebuilder), Ray 503-357-5640 Oregon

Tim Dickey, Integrity Automotive (full service shop) 775-351-2500

Wellman's Upholstery 775-331-7105 Reno

Terry Davidson at Classic Restoration (Upholstery) 775-331-3533

Ray's Tire Exchange (tire removal) 775-329-1106 Reno

Sierra Wheel Repair (can fix pitted chrome wheels) 775-815-1980

Ayres Brake and Alignment 775-331-4553, Sparks

AIMS Restoration (machine shop), Tyler 775-359-8866 Sparks

ABC Lock and Glass, Debbie 775-331-5308 Sparks

Brite Glass 775-827-6767 Reno

Concours Body Shop, Susan, 775-329-4557 Reno

ABC Plating, Rick, 775-358-2929 Sparks

Car Chrome Decals 416-550-1906 carchromedecals@gmail.com

Lyon Craft, Kevin, (engraving) 541-633-6109

Engravers of Reno (name badges) 775-786-0776

Greenbrae Trophy Center (name badges) 775-358-8305

North American Embroidery (large logo for jackets) 775-322-8600

Canoe Hill Design and Embroidery, Carole, 775-846-5427 Sparks

Auto Repair Manuals www.Auto-Repair-Manuals.com,

[www. AutoRepairManuals.biz](http://www.AutoRepairManuals.biz), Michael, 989-839-4877

Industrial Finishers, 3865 Mira Loma Dr., Suite 102 775-729-4274 Touch-up and
Paint matches

Woody's MG Parts, Doors, windshields, rear ends, transmissions, Woody Williams
775-364-4978, Yerington

**Thank you Brian Kahler, Norm Peterson and Peter Gulash
for our fantastic flyer to announce the "Reno British Motor Show" found on the next**

Reno British Motor Show

October 15, 2022

On the Grass @ Rancho San Rafael Park

For Show Registration visit <http://renoallbritish.org>

Contact: (775) 622-7053

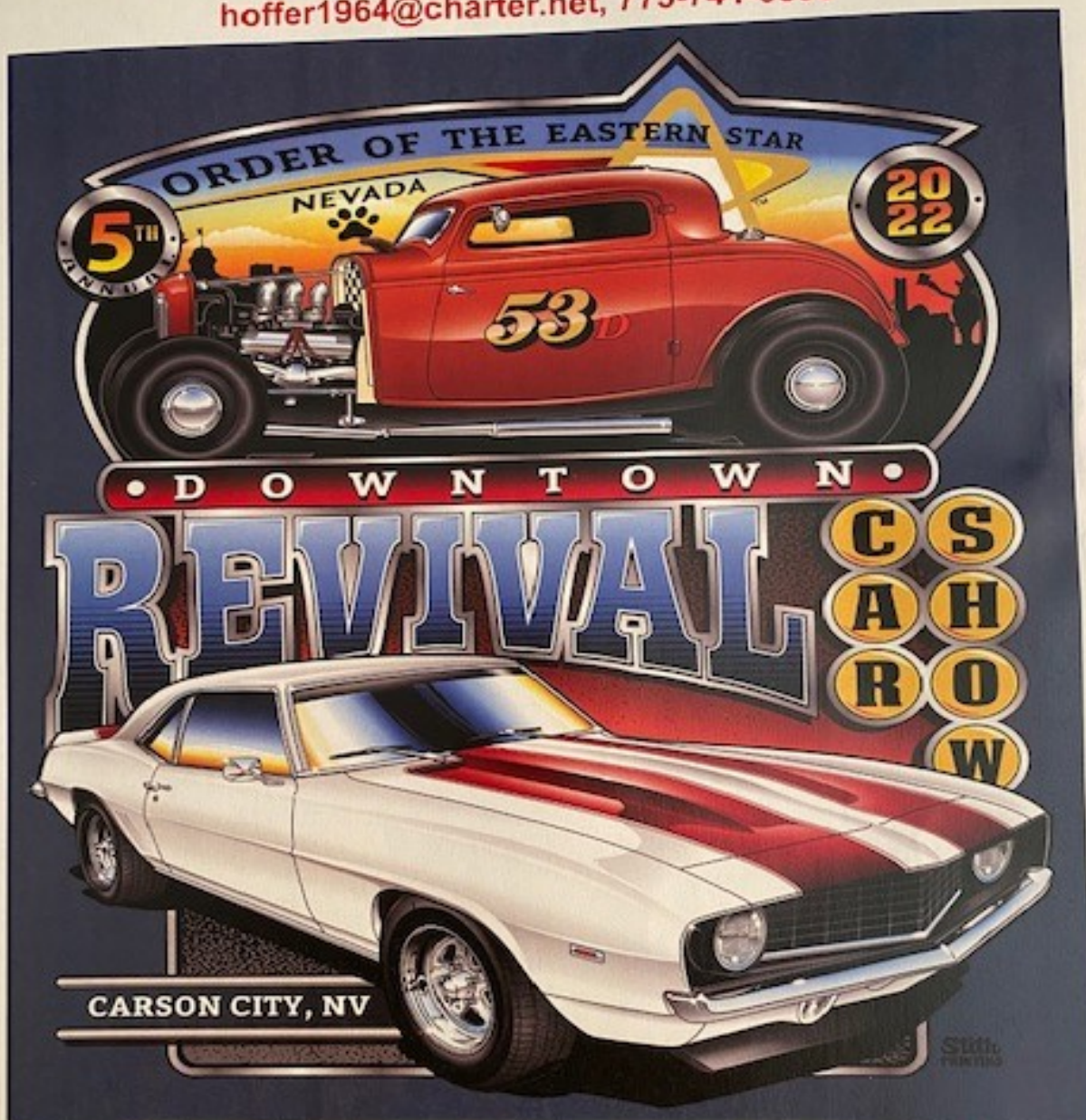
Local High School to benefit from event.



OPEN TO ALL MAKES AND MODELS DOWNTOWN CARSON CITY, NEVADA

JULY 9TH, 2022 9AM-2PM

hoffer1964@charter.net, 775-741-0899



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