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Newsletter of the

Wasatch Mountain Jaguar Register

June 2013



WMJR on the web:

www.WMJR.org

British Field Day 2013 Liberty Park, Saturday, June 15 9 AM - 3 PM

British Field Day (BFD) will be held at Liberty Park again this year. All British cars and bikes in any condition from 100-point restorations to works in progress or an old daily beater are welcome. All area British car/bike clubs are invited to participate. Call your fellow club members and get them to the event!

There will be a road course set up on a closed access road inside the park. It promises to be as noisy and challenging as in previous years!

Liberty Park has many amenities including one of the largest and best play-grounds in the city, the Tracy Aviary and a small amusement park with a Ferris wheel and merry-go-round. Even if your family doesn't share your passion for LBCs (little British cars), there will be plenty for them to do while you are getting your fix!

The Salt Lake Arts Academy, a public charter school with emphasis on the arts, will be providing volunteers to assist with the event so the organizers can have more time for some fun, too! Publicity for BFD is being handled by the Salt Lake Community Network.

The SLCN is a non-profit neighborhood advocacy organization that functions as an umbrella group for Salt Lake City Community Councils. The community councils are neighborhood organizations that provide input from residents to city government.

Food will be California style with a bold Asian influence including Asian tacos, sliders, and salads plus chicken fingers with a plum-ginger sauce, a cheese quesadilla, and hot dogs for the kids, all at reasonable prices by CHOW HAUTE ASIAN CUISINE ON THE GO. The CHOW Truck will be inside the event.

Liberty Park is located between 500 East & 700 East and 900 South & 1300 South. The BFD

event will be held in the northeast quadrant of the park. Enter off 1300 South and drive east and north about a quarter of the way around the park. You will see the event on the left.

Registration starts at 8 AM. We hope to have most bikes and cars in place by 9 AM. We encourage folks displaying vehicles to try to stay until 3 PM, but if you can only make it for a couple of hours, that is fine, too! The registration fee is \$10 per bike or car. The maximum registration fee is \$20/registrant regardless of the number of cars or bikes they bring. A \$5 donation is requested per adult visitor admission. Kids 12 and under are free.

Check out the BFD website at www.britishfieldday.com For more information, please email Bill Davis at: wld3rd@gmail.com, or Jon Hermance at: jhermance@earthfax.com

-Jon Hermance





LIBERTY PARK

SATURDAY

JUNE 15, 2013

9AM - 3PM

22ND ANNUAL

BRITISH

FIELD DAY

THE CARS ARE BEAUTIFUL TO SEE ...
BUT IT'S GREAT TO WATCH THEM

\$5 DONATION FOR CHARITY KIDS ARE FREE! RUN!

ON THE GRASS IN BEAUTIFUL, SHADY LIBERTY PARK

BRITISH CAR
AND MOTORCYCLE
SHOW AND RALLYE

LOTS FOR EVERYONE AT LIBERTY PARK!

COURSE

GOOD FOOD! THE CHOW TRUCK

www.britishfieldday.com

2013 Classic Sports Car Show & Tour
July 27th from 10am to 2pm Cars in place by 9:30am
On lower Main Street North of 7th Street
Park City, Utah
July 28th for the Tour

The BAHC Bonneville Austin Healey Club and WMJR Wasatch Mountain Jaguar Register will once again be sponsoring this event with the British Motor Club of Utah members will be invited as well. Registration of sports cars are \$12 each until July 10th after which the cost will increase to \$15. The maximum number of cars we can register this year will be 60 on a first come first serve basis, so get your reservations in now.

The Wasatch Back tour will be on Sunday will be at no cost, details later. Please send me \$12 per car using the registration form on the following page (\$15 after July 10). Make your checks payable to BAHC.

Also any things you could donate for the raffle after the show would be appreciated. Please bring them the day of the show. We also welcome the help the WMJR will contribute this year — both financially and by volunteers. If you can volunteer for a one hour shift please advise Ken Borg and we will coordinate the assignments. Tasks include traffic control, registration, and ballot counting.

Susan and I will be hosting a BYOB social at our home at 2040 Mahre Drive, Park City, Utah, before dinner from 5pm to 6:30pm for any BAHC & WMJR members, with those staying in Park City on Friday July 26th particularly invited. Let me know if you plan to attend so we will know how many to expect. Jim Revel, email: jimrevel@aol.com

Grandpa's Beard
Was Stiff and Coarse
And That's What
Caused His
Fifth Divorce

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Classic Car Show Registration July 27, 2013 10AM to 2PM

BAHC & WMJR Classic Sports Car Show \$12.00 \$15.00 after 7/10/12

Jim Revel 2040 Mahre Drive Park City, UT84098

Eaglewood Festival of Speed

July 2nd, 2013, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm (Exhibitors come at 6:00 pm) Eaglewood Golf Course 10th Hole On Eagle Ridge Drive, North Salt Lake, UT

Bring all interesting and unusual vehicles to display. The public is invited to come and see, talk, take pictures, and enjoy the evening.

This year we'll have South Davis Metro Fire trucks in addition to oodles of amaz-

ing private vehicles. The yellow helicopter will again Food available at the Eaglewood Café. I hope to arrive and depart in full flourish.

see you all and many more there.

Free, Informal, No Registration.

This venue is spectacular on the side of the northern Wa- Bruce Oblad, Organizer, bruce.oblad@gmail.com satch Range.



It's just for fun. Pass this notice along. This is NOT a concours so if your pride and joy vehicle is a little rough, that's okay. clean it up a little and bring it on



A Message From The Queen

To the citizens of the United States of America from Her Sovereign Majesty Queen Elizabeth II:

In light of your failure in recent years to nominate competent candidates for President of the USA and thus to govern yourselves, we hereby give notice of the revocation of your independence, effective immediately. (You should look up 'revocation' in the Oxford English Dictionary.)

Her Sovereign Majesty Queen Elizabeth II will resume monarchical duties over all states, commonwealths, and territories (except North Dakota, which she does not fancy). Your new Prime Minister, David Cameron, will appoint a Governor for America without the need for further elections.

Congress and the Senate will be disbanded. A questionnaire may be circulated next year to determine whether any of you noticed. To aid in the transition to a



British Crown dependency, the following rules are introduced with immediate effect:

1. The letter 'U' will be reinstated in words such as 'colour,' 'favour,' 'labour' and 'neighbour.' Likewise, you will learn to spell 'doughnut' without skip-

ping half the letters, and the suffix '-ize' will be replaced by the suffix '-ise.' Generally, you will be expected to raise your vocabulary to acceptable levels. (look up 'vocabulary').

- 2. Using the same twenty-seven words interspersed with filler noises such as "like' and 'you know' is an unacceptable and inefficient form of communication. There is no such thing as U.S. English. We will let Microsoft know on your behalf. The Microsoft spell-checker will be adjusted to take into account the reinstated letter 'u" and the elimination of '-ize.'
- 3. July 4th will no longer be celebrated as a holiday.
- 4. You will learn to resolve personal issues without using guns, lawyers, or therapists. The fact that you need so many lawyers and therapists shows that you're not quite ready to be independent.

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Guns should only be used for shooting grouse. If you can't sort things out without suing someone or speaking to a therapist, then you're not ready to shoot grouse.

- 5. Therefore, you will no longer be allowed to own or carry anything more dangerous than a vegetable peeler. Although a permit will be required if you wish to carry a vegetable peeler in public.
- 6. All intersections will be replaced with roundabouts, and you will start driving on the left side with immediate effect. At the same time, you will go metric with immediate effect and without the benefit of conversion tables. Both roundabouts and metrication will help you understand the British sense of humour.
- 7. The former USA will adopt UK prices

on petrol (which you have been calling gasoline) of roughly \$10/US gallon. Get used to it.

- 8. You will learn to make real chips. Those things you call French fries are not real chips, and those things you insist on calling potato chips are properly called crisps. Real chips are thick cut, fried in animal fat, and dressed not with catsup but with vinegar.
- 9. The cold, tasteless stuff you insist on calling beer is not actually beer at all. Henceforth, only proper British Bitter will be referred to as beer, and European brews of known and accepted provenance will be referred to as Lager. South African beer is also acceptable, as they are pound for pound the great-

est sporting nation on earth and it can only be due to the beer. They are also part of the British Commonwealth - see what it did for them. American brands will be referred to as Near-Frozen Gnat's Urine, so that all can be sold without risk of further confusion.

- 10. Hollywood will be required occasionally to cast English actors as good guys. Hollywood will also be required to cast English actors to play English characters. Watching Andie Macdowell attempt English dialect in Four Weddings and a Funeral was an experience akin to having one's ears removed with a cheese grater.
- 11. You will cease playing American football. There is only one kind of proper football; you call it soccer. Those of

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Event Calendar

Saturday, June 15, 2013 British Field Day—See pp. 1-2

Tuesday, July 2, 2013 Eaglewood Festival of Speed—See p. 5

July 2013 Miller Motorsports Park Go Karting

Friday—Sunday July 26-28 Park City Concours, Bonneville AH Club See pp. 3-4

> August 2013 Tech Session & BBQ

> > September 2013 Luau At Cadys'

October 2013 Hallowe'en Party

November 2013 **Planning Party**

December 2013 Christmas Party

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you brave enough will, in time, be allowed to play rugby (which has some similarities to American football, but does not involve stopping for a rest every twenty seconds or wearing full kevlar body armour like a bunch of nancies).

- 12. Further, you will stop playing baseball. It is not reasonable to host an event called the World Series for a game which is not played outside of America. Since only 2.1% of you are aware there is a world beyond your borders, your error is understandable. You will learn cricket, and we will let you face the South Africans first to take the sting out of their deliveries.
- 13. You must tell us who killed JFK. It's been driving us mad.

- 14. An internal revenue agent (i.e. tax collector) from Her Majesty's Government will be with you shortly to ensure the acquisition of all monies due (backdated to 1776).
- 15. Daily Tea Time begins promptly at 4 p.m. with proper cups, with saucers, and never mugs, with high quality biscuits (cookies) and cakes; plus strawberries (with cream) when in season.

God Save The Queen!