

BSMGAC Annual Planning Meeting and Potluck Report

April 30, 2025 was a cool day with overcast skies and I was the only one brave enough to drive an MG (but it was my MGB roadster instead of one of the MGAs). It did not rain and the heater worked well. In any case, Roy Crane hosted this year at his house in Wilmington, MA. We had a good turnout of participants including the MG T-Party folks. We met at noon and had lots of good things to eat starting with snacks and then several hot dishes and sandwiches followed by desert. We spent the time catching up with friends and enjoying the company of MG enthusiasts. Charles Dyer and I started the business meeting at around 1 pm and we went through the standard agenda items such as membership and treasury numbers. Both clubs are getting a bit smaller but our revenues continue to be adequate. Since the British Marque Car Club News is being discontinued soon we discussed the dues again. We will maintain dues at \$20 per year for the BSMGAC and the MG T-Party is going to only have one dues structure going forward. We had nominations again (as we do each year) but there were no nominations and the leadership team will remain the same:

President: Jack Horner

Vice President: John Gill

Treasurer/Membership: Judy Pruitt

NAMGAR Rep: Jack Horner

Do please let me know if anyone wants to step up and lead the club or take over any of the other positions since many of us have been leading the club for a long time.

We then went through the activities proposed for this year. Many of these are activities our clubs participate in but which we do not control. I will be sending out emails in advance of events to notify club members and also posting them on our website: www.bsmgac.org

The first event is our Spring Tech Session and Lift Day on April, 26, 2025 with a rain date of May 4, 2025. This will be at 74 Nutting Rd Westford, MA starting at 10 am.

The second event is NAMGAR Drive Your MGA Day on May 3, 2025 I will be sending out an email about this drive.

There is a Open House and Tech Session at British Body and Coachworks in Fitzwilliam, NH on May 3 starting at 9 am.

The MG T-Party is planning a drive to Zorvino Winery in Sandown, NH on May 17, 2025 and a visit to Cape Ann Museum and lunch on the waterfront in Gloucester, MA on May 31, 2025 (more details to follow on both these events)

I will not add all the events just now, but this will get us started for the driving season. Do keep an eye on your email and on the website for more details. It was great to see so many club members for our social gathering. Thanks to you all for bringing great food! And thank you, Roy, for hosting! I look forward to seeing many of you at this year's events.

Pictures from the meeting:

