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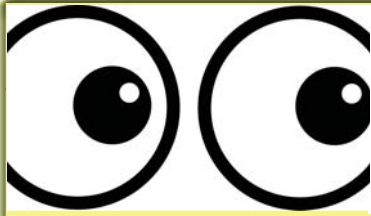
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for the Range Time Wrap-Up

**Accuracy!**

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**\*\*\* See Page 2 for JUNE MEETING LOCATION CHANGE \*\*\***

## June 13<sup>th</sup> Meeting & Activity



### June Membership Meeting & Activity

**Will be held at: 12224 Belden Court  
Livonia, MI 48150**

**From 7:00PM – 9:00PM**

*For the upcoming meeting we will be doing something different.*

Lee Jacobsen, a long time JAGM member has quite a car collection that he stores, restores and plays with, located just 2 1/2 miles from Archie's Restaurant, our normal meeting place.

Lee's collection includes Jaguar, MG, Triumph, Packard and Chrysler. Lee will give us a narration on all the cars in the shop and the kinds of projects that he is working on.

Since many members come to the meeting and have dinner at Archie's, we will have Pizza, salad and pop will be available. Please plan to contribute \$10 towards the cost of the food and drinks.

The address of Lee Jacobsen's Garage is:

**12224 Belden Court, Livonia, MI. 48150**

near the intersection of Wayne and Plymouth Roads.

If you were to start at Archie's Restaurant, you would proceed West 2 miles on Plymouth Road, just past Wayne Road, turn right onto Belden Court and look for the **red** sign saying 'LEE'S PLACE'. (Lee's Tel. # if lost 734-564-7165)



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## *the President's Purr...*

Something Brilliant! is happening as I write this article...another Royal Wedding! Congratulations Harry and Meghan! To see information on the Royal Jaguars, please see these websites:

<https://jec.org.uk/news/2017/jaguars-of-the-royal-family>

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/royal/807175/Queen-car-collection-Jaguars-Range-Rovers-Bentleys-Daimler>

Here on American soil, I've been seeing more and more Jaguars on the prowl. So good to see both older and newer models on the road and parked at the meeting at Archie's last month.

We had quite a few newer members make a return visit. Welcome back – Jim Miller, Ken and Marianna Staples, and Randy and Linh Drexler. I hope you are enjoying the friendship and entertainment that makes up our fun time together.

Thanks so much Jeff Kosko, for working late into the night, to bring the 'History of Jaguar' to all with your presentation. The quiz was especially interesting. I think we all enjoyed it very much. Hopefully this will encourage other members to do the same!

Thanks also to Wendy and Chuck Mueller for providing the fresh picked asparagus as 50/50 raffle prizes. It is always a treat to enjoy this special prize.

To recap the events in June: The Mueller's Steak Fry is Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. If you're planning on attending please call Wendy or Chuck to RSVP, and plan on bringing a dish to pass. Also, hope you've all been able to make your reservations for the June Summer Drive to the UP, and I'll keep praying for good weather.

And for July: The Caravan to Hickory Corners is just around the corner... see how I did that play on words! It's the annual trip to Mad Dogs & Englishmen Car Show – July 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> – which is always a good time and such a treat to spend time with fellow members in a fun and relaxing environment. July will also bring

us the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual **Jags on the Bay** on Saturday the 28<sup>th</sup>. Wine Tasting, sunshine and sand... what more can I say! See more on page 9.

Again, and as always, we continue to need monthly meeting speakers or presenters to keep the meetings lively and fun. If you enjoyed the last meeting's presentation, please consider doing something similar. It's one way to share information and bring some extra enjoyment to the meetings.

Cheers to you both, Harry and Meghan! I bet you both are feeling chuffed. Let's hope there won't be any grockel going on in your future.

Until next we meet... Teresa

## Classic Combination!

**Date: Friday June 1<sup>st</sup> 2018 - 6:30PM**

**Where: Meadow Brook Theater at  
Oakland University  
Wilson Hall, 378 Meadow Brook Road  
Rochester Hills, MI 48309**

Theatergoers who bring classic cars to Meadow Brook Theater at Oakland University on a Classic Car Night receive a discount rate and one free ticket per classic car. Show off your 'wheels,' socialize with fellow car enthusiasts and enjoy great live theater. Participants are encouraged to bring refreshments (*Sorry, no alcohol*) and have a picnic in the parking lot before the show.

**The play is Burt and Me.** Book by Larry McKenna, Lyrics by Hal David, Music by Burt Bacharach.

Classic Cars arrive starting at 6:30 pm., doors open for seating at 7:30 pm., and the performance starts at 8:00 pm. To receive the **Classic Car Night Discount**, reserve your tickets in advance by calling Meadow Brook Theater Group Sales at 248.370.3316.

**Pat and I will be there!** Contact me with any questions or for additional information at 248.650.8755 or [BobMatejek@aol.com](mailto:BobMatejek@aol.com)

Bob

## June Activity - Mueller's Steak Fry

**Date:** **Saturday June 2<sup>nd</sup> 2018**

**Time:** **1:00PM - ?**

**Where:** **Mueller's Apple Orchard  
6036 Lobdell Road  
Linden, MI 48451**

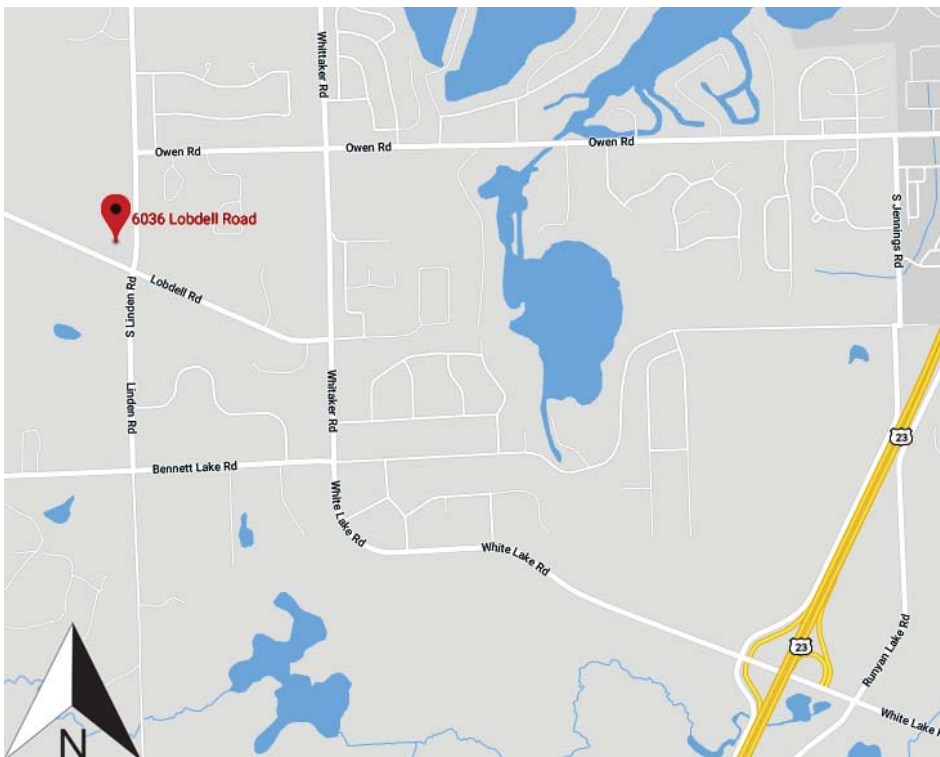


**RSVP by: Wednesday May 30<sup>th</sup>**

Dust off your Jags and give them a chance to enjoy a bit of countryside driving and time with their friends.

Plan to bring a dish to share and enjoy the sunshine, good friends and good eats. Please also bring eating utensils.

Call Chuck or Wendy at 810-735-7676 or email [charles@tcwireless.us](mailto:charles@tcwireless.us) to RSVP - we look forward to seeing you there!



## Summer Drive

All the details are in the May Indicator.

We will be on the road Friday June 22 to Monday June 25.

We will meet at Mackinaw City, travel to Munising for the Pictured

Rocks Boat Tour, then Paradise to see the upper and lower Tahquamenon Falls, then to Sault Ste. Marie for the Boat Lock Tour and back to Mackinaw City.

As of the middle of May there were 13 hotel rooms booked at each location. If you have any questions or need more information, please contact me.

The Magnuson Grand Hotel is holding the block of rooms until 5/23 but the rates probably won't change much. The Baymont in Mackinaw City is holding our block until 6/8.

If you haven't already booked yourself in for the trip, you will really be missing something.

Bob



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# Caravan to Hickory Corners



**When:** July 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018

**Why:** Drive Your Jag ~ Make New Friends!

**What:** Road Trip ~ Barn Theatre Play ~ Ice Cream  
Four Points Hotel by Sheraton ~

**Mad Dogs & Englishmen Car Show ~**  
Ice Cream!!! ~ Road Trip

Check <http://www.fourpointskalamazoo.com/>

Them <http://www.barntheatre.com/>

Out: <http://www.gilmorecarmuseum.org/>  
<http://www.maddogsandenglishment.org>

**Time is Running OUT** Call 866.716.8133 to make  
your reservation at the Four Points Sheraton! (Be sure  
to mention JAGM for the group rate.)

Details & instructions will be emailed directly to  
those who have signed up. Please confirm your room  
reservation and # of tickets you need for the show.

Contact Mike Bailey @ 734-416-3839 or email,  
[jaguarinterests00@yahoo.com](mailto:jaguarinterests00@yahoo.com)

## The schedule is out!

Barn Theatre will be hosting a  
performance of "**Bonnie  
& Clyde**" described as  
"A thrilling romantic  
musical with music by  
Frank Wildhorn. The  
musical centers on Bonnie  
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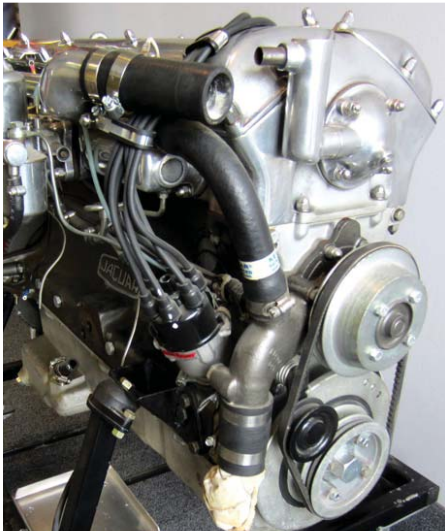
Owner Fran Hall presented his shop and his projects to about 12 interested JAGM members. During the tour he answered many questions honestly, and with a sense of humor. He also shared personal experiences of his racing history and his private car and motorcycle collection.

Everything we saw at the shop was pre-sold, and are cars available at all levels of completion from rolling chassis to turn key car.

Some of the work we saw included

hand laid fiberglass bodies with final color

resin, two Jag models - D-Type & XJ13, suspension parts CNC machined from billet aluminum that could pass for jewelry.



*Special Thanks to Steve Schauder for the great photos!*

# JAGM Takes to the Range



The JAGM was well represented by about 18 hearty souls who came out on a rainy and cool Spring morning.

The experience level among participants ranged from high to first-timer's.



The event started with lunch in the clubhouse and then we proceeded out to the 25 yard range.

After safety instructions, members took to their lanes and enjoyed the opportunity to practice their skills or learn some new ones.



All seemed to enjoy the outing... same time, same place next ... maybe...



## Jags On The Bay

**Date:** **Saturday July 28<sup>th</sup> 2018**  
**Time:** **12:00PM - ????**  
**Where:** 243 Donahue Beach Drive  
 Bay City, MI 48706 248.635.1027  
**RSVP by:** **Tuesday July 24<sup>th</sup>**

Sunsets are highly recommended so come and plan to stay and enjoy the evening view!

Burgers and hotdogs on the grill with all the fixings.

Wine tasting at 1:00PM presented by St. Julian Winery of Frankenmuth, MI.

BYOB, lawn chairs, blankets, towels, picnic baskets, dogs, love of fun and friends, etc.

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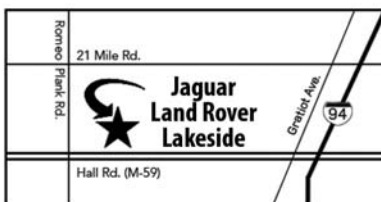
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## U.S. Invades Canada!

O.K., that's fake news – the real story should be JAGM members visit Ontario in large numbers! Let me explain: Louise & I again plan to attend the Ontario Jaguar Owners' Association Concours d'Elegance on August 12, 2018. You may recall Lou's article in the "Indicator" regarding our attendance last year. The OJOA members are a fun group who go out of their way to make us feel welcome.

So, the logistics: Stratford, ON. is 1 hr. 45 mins. from the Blue Water Bridge in Port Huron. We stop there for lunch and a little shopping. The ride from there to the Host Hotel in Waterloo is another 45 minutes. Waterloo features a huge outdoor/indoor market within walking distance of the Hotel. On Saturday PM there is a "meet and greet" at the Hotel which includes an optional casual meal.

This year's event will again be hosted by Allan & Carol Lingelbach on the spacious lawn of their estate in Wellesley, about a 30 min. picturesque drive from the Hotel. OJOA does something unique; in addition to the usual JCNA judged Divisions they have added a "Regularly Driven" class (a daily driver, no pressure class that is very casually judged- paint chips & surface dirt don't count against you). Of course, the typical



"Display" class is also available. Judging begins early & is usually concluded between 12:00 & 1:00. A catered lunch follows the conclusion of judging and the award presentations follow lunch. Even with some additional visiting Lou & I were able to leave for home by about 4:00.

If you would like to join us let me know. If crossing into Canada at another location works better for you that's OK, we could meet up in Stratford or at the Hotel. If you decide to go I'm pretty comfortable promising you will have a great time, and the present currency exchange rate makes this a good deal. Allan assures me we can pay-up when we arrive with Canadian funds to simplify payment of the entry fees.

Complete details regarding the hotel reservation, registration form, and directions can all be found on the OJOA website: [www.ojoa.org](http://www.ojoa.org)

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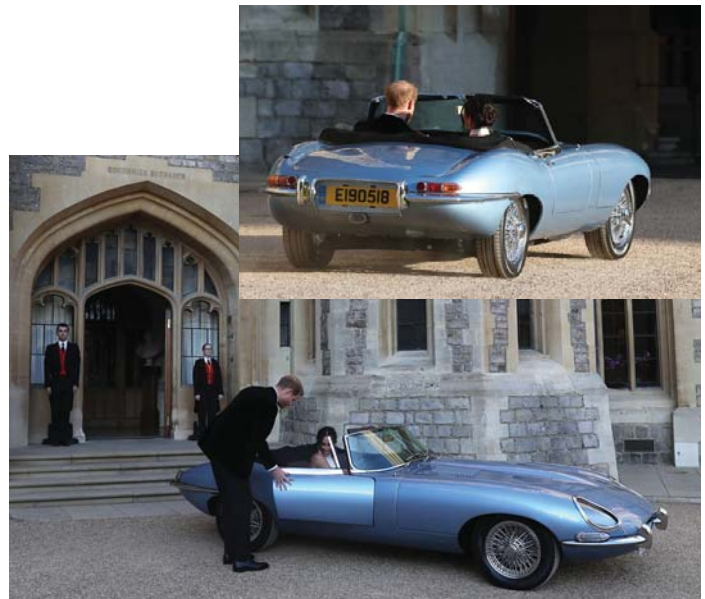
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## Jaguar Hits World Stage

During the wedding day of Prince Harry and Meghan, they left one castle party and traveled to another castle party in a 1968 Electrified Jaguar E-Type. If you look at the rear of the vehicle, you might notice that there are no exhaust pipes.

That's a Concours deduction.

More details are available at the website:

<https://www.townandcountrymag.com/leisure/a20759902/royal-wedding-car-vintage-jaguar-e-type/>

## Activities Calendar

	June	July	August	September
Meeting Activity	<b>Meeting - 13<sup>th</sup> 7:00PM</b> <b>Lee's Garage - SEE PG. 2</b>	Meeting - 11 <sup>th</sup> 7:00PM Archie's Restaurant	No Meeting	Meeting - 12 <sup>th</sup> 7:00PM Archie's Restaurant
Outside Activity	<b>Mueller's Steak Fry</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> 1:00PM - Linden MI</b>  <b>Summer Drive</b> <b>22<sup>nd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup></b>	Caravan to MD&E 7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup>  Jags on The Bay 28 <sup>th</sup> 12:00PM Bay City MI	Concours d'Elegance 25 <sup>th</sup> -Canterbury Village	Mueller's Car Show for Cystic Fibrosis 8 <sup>th</sup> & 9 <sup>th</sup>  Fall Drive 15 <sup>th</sup>
	October	November	December	January 2019
Meeting Activity	Meeting - 10 <sup>th</sup> 7:00PM Annual Charity Auction Archie's Restaurant	Meeting - 14 <sup>th</sup> 7:00PM Archie's Restaurant	No Meeting	No Meeting
Outside Activity	T.B.D.	T.B.D.	Christmas Party Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Awards Gathering T.B.D.



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