

OTTAWA



The Dashpot

Almost Summer Edition - June 2016

The first day of Summer isn't here yet, but the OMGC has already had a bunch of driving events & pretty reasonable weather. In this edition of **The Dashpot** newsletter, you can peek at some of the past events & plan to participate in future events for both drivers & navigators.

May Meeting News:

A few more Long Distance Awards from the British Car Council were presented to club members for their driving distances in 2015. If you have not yet recorded your opening mileage in the OMGC online database, please act quickly and enter your opening mileage for 2016. (if you had previously recorded your open/close numbers in the database, they will automatically carry over). [Click here to learn about the BCCI LDAs and get a form for the 2016 driving season.](#)

Welcome to these new club members who have joined recently:
Barry & Elizabeth (Biz) MacDonald

[All British Car Day in Ottawa is set for Saturday, July 16 at Britannia Park.](#)

Volunteers are needed for such roles as food services, set-up, parking, registration, gate duty, etc. We ask for just 1 hour of your individual time, at some point during the day, to help with the event.

Please send a note to [Barry Paulson, OMGC - ABCD Rep](mailto:abcd@omgc.info), at abcd@omgc.info

[Full-colour calendars were issued to folks who renewed their club membership.](#)

Looking Forward:

**Watch for news updates
on the arrival of the
Aussie Travelers in
Ottawa**

June 18:

[Merrickville House &
Garden Tour MG Display](#)

June 21-22:

[Trans-Canada Travelers
come to Ottawa](#)

June 25:

[Combined OMGC/OVTC
Winery Visit Event](#)

July 10:

[Merrickville Cruise &
Shop](#)

July 16:

[All British Car Day at
Britannia Park](#)

July 17:

[OMGC Summer Picnic in
Wakefield](#)

July 29:

[Glengarry Highland Games
British Car Display](#)

Super Weekend

Cheapo-Cheapo 2016

Grand Event

This was a really super weekend and a grand event. Friday was quite a warm day to travel to the Eastern Townships, but well worth the drive when we arrived and saw the hotel was displaying the OMGC banner at the front entrance. The staff were friendly; the facility was top-notch; the meals were superb. Lots of things to see and do on Saturday in the local region. Everyone seemed to have a wonderful time (even those that did experience a bit of MG mechanical difficulty). A big round of applause and a very warm Thank-You to Bill Bradley and Robert Lloyd-Rees for making the arrangements and doing the planning. Great Job!

[Click here to see some photographs of the event.](#)

**The next monthly meeting of the Ottawa MG Club
is on [Tuesday, June 21st](#)
at [Biagio's Italian Kitchen!](#)**

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Technical Session Update

Club member Andrew McCue again hosted a wonderful Tech Session in his home garage (its quite a nice place to hold such sessions). Club member Michael Cooke conducted some thrust bearing replacements to eliminate a clunking noise. [Click here to see pictures.](#)

Membership Renewals

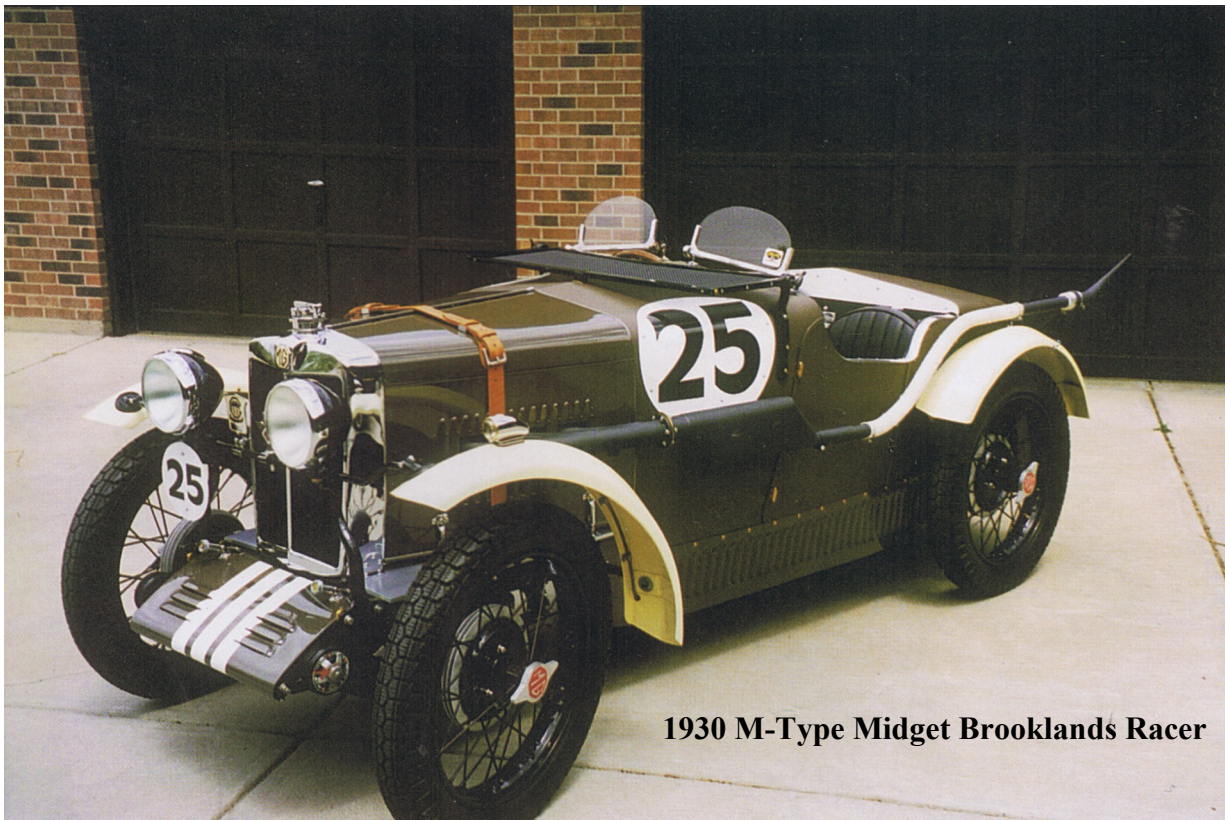
OMGC membership renewals for the 2016/2017 season can be paid at the June meeting. The cost of renewal is \$35 and the best way to renew your membership is by PayPal. Go to the Ottawa MG Club web site and login to renew your membership via PayPal. Alternately, send an email to status@omgc.info and you'll receive an automated reply containing a link to pay via PayPal.

Membership directors Robert Giroux & Jonathan Adams will be accepting cheques (\$35 payable to The Ottawa MG Club) or cash at the April club meeting.

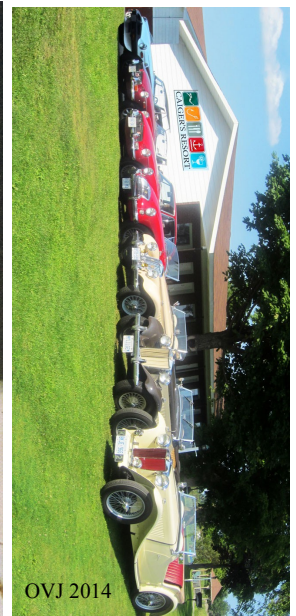
Those not able to attend the meeting should please mail their cheque to:

OMGC Memberships, 29 Rideaucrest Drive, Ottawa, On, K2G 6A4.

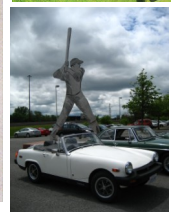
When you renew your membership, you will receive your copy of the 2016-2017 OMGC full-colour calendar.



1930 M-Type Midget Brooklands Racer



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MG Show & Tell At Medex

On Thursday, June 9th, a bunch of OMGCers displayed their cars at the Extendicare Medex on Baseline Road. A good variety of MGAs/MGBs were parked in the grassy areas alongside the walkway so residents could easily view and enjoy the vehicles. There was lots of interest. Thanks to all participants. [Click here to see some pictures.](#)