



# The Dashpot

## July 2018

**The OMGC Summer BBQ/Picnic is on Saturday July 21.**

YOU MUST REGISTER TO BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE, so if you have not yet registered, please send a note to Len Fortin at [fortinlgf@gmail.com](mailto:fortinlgf@gmail.com)

**June Meeting News:** This monthly meeting was delayed by one week because there were many club members at the NAMGBR and NAMGAR annual conventions in the USA. The meeting was held at The Glen, in Stittsville.

A few pictures from the Technical Session at Andrew McCue's garage on Thursday, July 12th - Rear Suspension Replacement On 1974 MG Midget. Thanks very much to Andrew and Mike Price and Michael Cooke for the help and encouragement,  
[Click here to see the pictures.](#)

### MG Tune-Up Guide Sheets From John Twist

(from club member Phil Carney who attended the British Mororing Festival in Windsor Nova Scotia where John conducted his famous Rolling tech Session)

Club member Michael Cooke has created a document to help you Fix Non-Self-Cancelling Indicators. Click on this link to read about it.

<http://www.omgc.info/wordpress/?p=14417>

Club member Rorry Harding found a local business that installs and balances tires on wire wheels for \$15

**Kanata Rims and Tire**  
25 Edgewater Ave  
Kanata, Ontario  
613-836-8688

<http://www.kanatarimsandtire.com/>

**ALL BRITISH CAR DAY 2018**  
**About 165 British vehicles were on display at the Britannia Park. Morgan and TVR were Featured Vehicles.**

[Click on this link to see some photos from the day \(mostly MGs\).](#)

### Looking Forward:

July 19  
[Monthly Meeting](#)

July 21  
[OMGC BBQ/Picnic](#)

July 28  
[Canadian Capital Classic Car Show](#)

[Perth Ribfest Car Show](#)

Aug 3  
[Glengarry Highland Games British Car Show](#)

Aug 11  
[Race The Runway](#)

Aug 12  
[Boot'n'Bonnet ABCD](#)  
[ this is recorded incorrectly as July 19th on your OMGC full-colour calendar - update your calendars! ]

Aug 16  
[Monthly Meeting](#)

Aug 25-26  
[An Overnight Driving Event In August \(previously called the Ottawa Valley Jog \(OVJ\)\)](#)

check the website for updates

[Click here on this link to see a huge selection of old automobile movies](#)  
(from the website of the Antique Automobile Club of America)

July 1 was a hot day. It was the day for **The Return Of The Gumball Rally.**

This event has always captured the hearts of OMGCers and The Curnoe's did an outstanding job of bringing back their famous Gumball Rally. Thanks very much to Bill & Joy, and the others who helped set up, and clean up!!

Click of this link to see some pictures:

[http://www.omgc.info/wordpress/index.php/nggallery/2018-photos/Gumball-Rally-\(The-Return\)?page\\_id=4947](http://www.omgc.info/wordpress/index.php/nggallery/2018-photos/Gumball-Rally-(The-Return)?page_id=4947)

**Another Correction To Your OMGC Full-Colour Calendar:**  
**British Invasion at the Hazeldean Mall**  
**is now set for Tuesday, September 11**

The next Regular Monthly Meeting of the Ottawa MG Club is **Thursday, July 19th** at The Heart & Crown Pub in Barrhaven

### **REMINDER:**

[Merrickville European Classic Car Show on Sunday, Sept 23](#)