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21st Annual New Orleans
British Car Day



Another British Oil Spill

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2011 CAR SHOW EDITION



Message from Karen Murray, our 2011 BMCNO President.



And the countdown is on..... Only two more weeks until the 21st Annual BMCNO Car Show.

I remember my first car show with BMCNO. Our 1976 Triumph TR6 was 3 colors (blue, primer, and rust), the interior was dreadful, wires hanging out, windshield & dash cracked, and all gauges broken. WE THOUGHT IT WAS BEAUTIFUL!!!!!!!!!! Not only was it beautiful to us, but we had the time of our life at that show and everyone since. Moral of the story - it's not how perfect your car is but how much fun it is sharing with other British car enthusiasts. So, if you have a British car that can run, be towed, or pushed onto the field please register. You will not regret participating.

The board has worked very hard on this show and does have a few surprises in store. Come, participate, volunteer, share, and have lots of fun!!!!!!

Also remember the Friday night "Welcome Reception" at the Hampton Inn on Mounes Blvd. from 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. This is a reception to welcome our out of town guests but has really developed into a "Pot Luck" get together for all of our club members. Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish to share. Generally 50-70 people participate in this event. Everyone enjoys sharing dinner with each other and meeting our out of town guests. The food is delicious, conversations lively, and friendships renewed.

Please find time to volunteer a few minutes at the car show.

Things not to miss at the car show:

New BMCNO Regalia items for sale including T-shirts, cups, wine glasses, tote bags, etc.

Little British Car Company

Tours of Delgado Community College Automotive Department

50/50 Raffle

Snack Table hosted by Bonnabel High School JAG program students.

Characterature artist / cartoonists

Two BMCNO grill badges will be sold at silent auction.

Everything you need for the 21st Annual BMCNO Car Show is contained in this ten page 2011 Special Edition Newsletter. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Karen.murray@cox.net, 504-236-7509 or Rick Huber mlandrick@gmail.com, 225-926-6946.

Thanks and see you there,

Karen Murray



**Message from Rick Huber, our 2011
BMCNO Vice President.**



Greetings fellow little British vehicle enthusiasts (that includes cars and motorcycles)! Our annual car show is just around the corner, and this year should be another great one in the long tradition this club has developed for the last 20 years. I'll make one last appeal for two things - participation and volunteers. For all of you in the club, this is our big blow out, once-a-year opportunity to get our cars out of the garage, on the road and bring them all together in the show. If the cars can't make it, come on out to get together with friends for the camaraderie we enjoy with this wonderful hobby of ours, and get inspired to get your car out of the garage. We have over 64 pre-registrations so far, but my appeal is for you club members yet to register, do it now. You'll find a registration form on page nine of this publication, or on our web site, bmcno.org. Click on the 2011 show, and it's the top left link on that page. Then bring a car to the show or at least plan on attending either the welcome reception on Friday night, or the show, or best of all, both events. We'd love to see you again on show weekend.

The next appeal is for volunteers to help the show proceed smoothly. We have a dozen or so club members that chair different committees or groups with specific activities and responsibilities for the show. This is the group that makes the show work so well. Those chair people need additional volunteers to make sure that their activity is executed to perfection. So far, we have many volunteers already signed up, but there are still volunteer opportunities for one person with Raffle, Regalia, & 50/50 on Saturday, two people with Pre-Registration on Friday night, one person with Registration on Saturday, six people with Parking/Traffic on Saturday morning, one person with P/A & Door Prizes on Saturday, one person with Scoresheet Tabulation and another to help with Awards on Saturday afternoon. The latest volunteer list is posted on the web site. Click on 2011 Show, then in the middle of the page, Volunteer Schedule, to see the list. Let me know what you'd like to help with and I'll update the list. Either call me at 225-926-6946 or email me at mlandrick@gmail.com. See you at the show!

Cheers,

Rick

2011 British Heritage Award by Peter Brauen

The British Heritage award will be given to the most interesting overall display at the **British Motoring Club New Orleans's 19th Annual British Car Day**.



What does that mean?

Well, that is sort of up to the participant:

- While not mandatory, period dress would surely be appropriate. (Come on, we know you have a Kilt or a Morris dancer's outfit somewhere.)
- A full set of tools, brochures, posters, period accessories, fitted luggage, English maps, etc. would be a plus.
- How about an afternoon picnic? (The ladies of the DBE will even have authentic food to go with that.)
- An interesting display of the car's history, or historical significance could be a winner.
- Ever played 'dress-up' with the car itself? That could work too.
- A lot of attention can be garnered with a well placed stuffed animal, or better yet, ten.

- Do you have scale models of your car in more scales than anyone thought existed?

The possibilities are only limited by your imagination, and the criteria are not set.

The intention is to give this award to the display that makes one visitor turn to another and say, **"Did you see that car over there?"**

There has always been one; now we are giving it some recognition.

See pictures for examples.

Peter Brauen

BMC Restorations





Chef's Corner by Karen Murray

It's that time of year to start planning what "wonderful" dish you are going to share with our guests at the Car Show reception on Friday, March 18th. Let's pull out the recipe books and tantalize our guests with exceptional New Orleans cooking.

Don't forget that we need mouth-watering appetizers, casseroles, main dishes, and of course the deserts to the Friday Night Reception!!!!!!!

We want our guest to walk away knowing that better food could not be bought in local restaurants.

Dinner after Show - 6:00p.m. – until (Dutch treat. Sign-up sheet at the registration desk on show day) Landry's Seafood Restaurant, 8000 Lakeshore Dr., New Orleans, LA 70124, 504-283-4733

Thanks and good eating.

Karen

504-236-7509

Karen.murray@cox.net



2011 BMCNO "Another British Oil Spill" T-Shirts are now available!

T-Shirts are available at all area meetings.

They will also be available on the day of the show.

Purchase early. Quantities are limited.

The cost of the shirts are:

S, M, L, XL,	\$12 (pre-sale)	\$15 (day of show)
XXL	\$14 (pre-sale)	\$17 (day of show)
XXXL	\$15 (pre-sale)	\$18 (day of show)

British Motoring Club
New Orleans





March Events

Saturday, March 12 - 4:00p.m. Car Show Goodie Bag Prep Party - 546 Hickory Ave, Harahan, LA. Come help us stuff the Lagniappe Bags and registration packets for the show. Dinner provided for workers.

Saturday, March 12th and Sunday, March 13th. - Golden Oldies Motor Club Car Show; 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Sat., 8:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Sun. Hwy 51S, 1000 Morrison Blvd. Hammond, LA, for details contact: Bruce Savoy 985-320-4826 or www.goldenoldiesmotorclub.com/ (for convoy & parking: John Wells 985-542-1991 or Wally Friloux 985-845-8216) See page 17 for more information.

Tuesday, March 15th - 6:00 p.m. Board/Car Show Committee meeting - Location—Harold O'Reilly's home.

Thursday, March 17th - 7:00 p.m. - Northshore Area Gathering - Abita Brew Pub (*moved date up because of our car show*)

Friday, March 18th - 6:00-9:00 p.m. 21th Annual British Car Day Reception @ Hampton Inn - Elmwood. *Please come and help us welcome our out-of-town guests!* Soft drinks provided by BMCNO , food provided by BMNCO members.

Saturday, March 19th – 21st Annual British Car Day! Delgado Comm. College, New Orleans. Registration 9 am - noon, Judging (popular choice) 12:30 - 2:00 p.m., Awards 4:00 p.m. **Dinner after Show - 6:00 p.m. – until (Dutch treat). Sign-up sheet at the registration desk on show day or contact Karen Murray (504-236-7509) karen.murray@cox.net or Rick Huber(225-926-6946) mlandrick@gmail.com so we can get a count of how many will be there for dinner.** Landry's Seafood Restaurant, 8000 Lakeshore Dr., New Orleans, LA 70124, 504- 283-4733

Tuesday, March 22nd. - Baton Rouge Area Gathering - dinner 6:00 p.m., meeting 7:00 p.m. - Cafe Americaia, 7521 Jefferson Hwy, Baton Rouge

Sunday, March 27th, 2011 2–4 pm. TEA With The D.B.E. You are invited to enjoy Afternoon Tea at Longue Vue House & Gardens, See page 7 for more information.

Tuesday, March 29- 7:00 p.m. GENERAL MEETING—Italian Pie Jefferson Highway

It's not too late to be a Sponsor

With a minimum donation of \$50, you or your business can sponsor a car class of your choice.

For your sponsorship, you will receive:

- free publicity at the show site
- free publicity at the awards banquet
- free publicity on this web site
- free publicity in the BMCNO newsletter.

For a minimum donation of \$400, you can sponsor the Best of Show. Along with above benefits, your company name and logo will be prominently engraved on the Best of Show award.

For more information, contact the Chairman of the Sponsors, Vendors and Donors Committee, Wally Friloux, 985-845-8216, twofrilouxs@bellsouth.net



Grill badges at silent auction.



We have found the last two (2) unsold, custom made, brand new, never been out of the box, **BRITISH MOTORING CLUB OF NEW ORLEANS grill badges**. These badges are being offered for silent auction today only. The **starting price is set at \$35.00 each**. Official starting time for this auction is 8:00 A.M. They will each be awarded to the highest two (2) confirmed bids after the **closing of bidding at 3:00 P.M.** An announcement will be made to the public no later than 3:15 P.M. stating the winning bidder's name and amount offered. Payment for the grill badges is expected at that time.

Bidding procedure will be as follows, place your name, contact information and amount you are willing to bid on the slip of paper provided. Place bid in the box. Listen for the announcements or check back often as the highest bids received will be posted (only the amount bid will be made public at this time, not your name). The highest bids received will be announced over the P.A. system on each half hour after 12:00 Noon.

The British Motoring Club of New Orleans reserves the rights to reject any and all bids for any reason. To change, modify or adjust the rules or cancel this auction at anytime.

Little British Car Co. at the BMCNO British Car Day

Jeff Zorn of the Little British Car Co. has open arms for everyone to visit his tent at the car show on the 19th. Look at all of the wonderful British car items that he has for sale!!!! <http://www.lbcarco.com/>





British Motoring Club New Orleans

21st Annual British Car Day

Saturday, March 19, 2011

At Delgado Community College

City Park Campus

(Orleans Avenue between City Park Ave & Navarre Ave)

On-Site Registration: 9am to noon

Show: Noon to 3 pm

Awards at 4 pm

All British Cars & Bikes Invited

Spectators Welcome

(No charge for spectators!)

For more information contact:

Rick Huber (225) 926-6946

Karen Murray (504) 236-7509

Visit our web site: www.bmcno.org

Host Hotel: Hampton Inn – Elmwood

5150 Mounes Avenue, Harahan, LA 70123 (800) 426-7866 / (504) 733-5646

(Ask for special BMCNO \$99 rate, code “BMC”, available until 2/26/2011)

**Friday, March 18, 2011**

<i>TIME</i>	<i>EVENT</i>	<i>LOCATION</i>
6:00pm - 9:00pm	HOSPITALITY ROOM/RECEPTION	Hampton Inn - Elmwood MAP

Saturday, March 19, 2011

9:00am - 12:00pm	REGISTRATION and LINEUP	DELGADO COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAP
12:00pm - 3:00pm	SHOW TIME - cars MUST remain on the field until 3:00 p.m.	
12:30pm - 2:30pm	JUDGING	
3:45pm	50/50 Raffle Drawing	
4:00pm	AWARDS	DELGADO COMMUNITY COLLEGE
5:30pm - until	Dinner (Dutch treat. Sign-up sheet at the registration desk) <MENU>	Landry's Seafood Restaurant 8000 Lakeshore Dr. New Orleans, LA 70124 (504) 283-4733 MAP

DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE:

Show site is the Soccer Field adjacent to Student Life Center near rear of campus of Delgado Community College. Exit I-610 at Canal Blvd. Go south 1/2 mile to red light at Navarre St. Turn Left. Take Navarre 1/2 mile to Orleans Ave. Turn right on Orleans. Turn right into parking lot at sign. Trailer Parking: on Navarre, turn right into parking lot to left of WYES-TV Studio just before Orleans Ave. Trailered cars MUST go back out to Navarre, right on Orleans and enter the field from the parking lot on Orleans Ave.

HOST HOTEL**Hampton Inn - Elmwood** [MAP](#)

5150 Mounes St.

Harahan, LA 70123

504-733-5646

Ask for special \$99 "British Car Day" rate;

the group code is "BMC".

(special rate offer expires on 2/19/10)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION[New Orleans Restaurants.com](http://NewOrleansRestaurants.com)[New Orleans Official Tourism Website](http://NewOrleansOfficialTourismWebsite)



official entry form

21st Annual New Orleans British Car Day

Saturday, March 19th, 2011 New Orleans, Louisiana

Please print

Name		Guest (for name tag)	
Address			
City	State	Zip	
Telephone	Email		
Club Affiliations			

Cars entered

\$25.00 early registration

\$30.00 after 3-12-2011

	Year	Make / Model / Type	Entry Fee
1			

Additional cars—\$10

2			
3			
4			

Number of T-Shirts:

Advance prices: Size M through XL—\$12. 2XL—\$14. 3XL—\$15

M:	L:	XL:	2XL:	3XL:	Shirt Total:
I plan to attend the Friday night reception with _____ total people.					Grand Total

In consideration of this entry, I waive any and all claims for me and my heirs against the British Motoring Club - New Orleans, Delgado College, their officers and any sponsor of this event for injury or illness which may result directly or indirectly from my participation. I also give my permission for use of my name and/ or pictures in any broadcast, telecast or any other account of this event.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Make check payable to: "British Car Day"

Mail to: Car Day, P.O. Box 73213, Metairie, LA 70033

Field opens at 9:00 am Saturday, March 19th, 2011
Registration and line up from 9 am to Noon.
Voting from approximately 12:30 pm to 2:00 pm
Awards at approximately 4:00 pm

For more information visit our web site: <http://www.bmcno.org>
Rick Huber (225) 926-6946
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BMCNO Membership Application

Print & Mail this form to submit your application.

Name: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail: _____ Occupation: _____

Where did you learn of BMCNO? _____

To what other car clubs do you belong? _____

BRITISH CAR INFORMATION

1st CAR

2nd CAR

3rd CAR

Make: _____

Make: _____

Make: _____

Model: _____

Model: _____

Model: _____

Year: _____

Year: _____

Year: _____

Body Style: _____

Body Style: _____

Body Style: _____

Color: _____

Color: _____

Color: _____

Membership - \$24 per year, July 1 to June 30 (pro-rated the first year at \$2 per month until June 30).

First Year Dues when joining in the month of:

June-\$24	July-\$22	August-\$20	September-\$18	October-\$16	November-\$14
December-\$12	January-\$10	February-\$8	March-\$6	April-\$4	May-\$2

Subsequent years are \$24 due in June.

Enclose your check and return to:

British Motoring Club New Orleans , P.O. Box 73213 , Metairie, LA 70033

"I agree to abide by the rules and regulations as set forth by the Club Officers under The British Motoring Club New Orleans, Inc. Charter and By-Laws."

Signature _____ Date: _____



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