



# MORRIS GARAGES INFORMER



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It's Gotta Be Fun"

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## Rendezvous 2007

*By Dave Tietz*

It was a good trip to Tallahassee and the Big Bend MGs Rendezvous 2007 event on October 12-14. Our group (the Rauchs, Tietzes, Canarellas, McCarrolls, and Glenn Lenhard) traveled in 5 cars uneventfully



on a gorgeous Friday to the hotel (some 250 miles). We checked into the Ramada Inn, registered with the Host Club, enjoyed a GREAT hospitality room, and some get-togethers with old friends (Tennessee-based Club members Arnie & Sue Anderson were there too). BBQ was served and more conversation. Then off to bed.

Saturday started with a car show at 10:00 (our Club did very well with awards). We will list the awards in this or in a future newsletter. Glenn Lenhard held a Tech Session

where he diagnosed some participants' cars and made some in-field adjustments to the delight of all spectators. At 2:00 it was time for the event's signature, the "Canopy Road Run" which was a bright and sunny, beautiful drive through some country roads to Bradley's



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### New Web Site

[www.fsmgcc.com](http://www.fsmgcc.com)

### Newsletter Editor

Dennis J. Magee

It is the policy of this editor to review all articles submitted and make changes as necessary.

Country Store, which is a genuine "old-timey" store that even had some "old-timey" products for sale. My favorite was their "hot" sausage, with the works, on a very fresh bun... Delicious!

We got back to the hotel about 4:00 and after a nap, got ready for the Banquet and the "Outrageous Shirt Contest" (another signature feature of this event).



The Banquet was held at the Ramada. The food was good (chicken or beef) and we watched a slide show of pictures taken of the event. After dinner all the raffle items were, well, raffled off, with Dianne & I getting the "Grand prize" of a three day, two night stay at the Coral Springs Marriott Hotel Golf Club & Convention Center. We get two rounds of golf, two tickets to the Ft. Lauderdale Antique Car Museum, and our car detailed! Every member of our club attending won at least a great item, mostly baskets of food and wine. Dianne & I won a nice wine basket too. I have to go to this event next time! But, that's not all. We came in first and second in the Outrageous Shirt Contest too! I, as a bada\_\_ biker (which I really am, under my cool, calm exterior), and Dianne with her



“witchy” shirt, tiara and orange and black feather boa accessory (OK, we went a little beyond just outrageous shirts).

A good time was had by all.

## Hidden in Corn Maze

*By Bruce Rauch*

On Saturday, October 20, Dave Tietz led a caravan of mixed-marque automobiles on a lovely country ride up to Zellwood, Florida where about a dozen of us



negotiated the Long & Scott Farm Corn Maze. The cornstalks were green, tall, healthy and full of ripe ears of corn (don't touch it!) and it was good fun. After some shopping at the Farmer's Market, we drove on into Mt. Dora and enjoyed a great lunch and good



fellowship at Jeremiah's Bar, a good pick recommended by FSMGCC friend Pam Vosler. Bert Rauch's brother Dick & wife Joyce came with us and

another brother, John came over from Palm Coast to eat with us. Yes, they all look related! Some members stayed to shop in Mt. Dora, after lunch.



## The Florida Suncoast MG Car Club Board of Directors Meeting Summary October 03, 2007

President, Steve McDowell, called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. and established the quorum. In attendance were Board members Steve McDowell, Barrie Carson, Bruce Rauch, Dennis Magee, Dave Tietz, Jim Kearney and Vera Kearney (standing in for Gail) & Glenn Lenhard as well as several Members of the Club...

Secretary's Report: A motion was approved to accept the July 05, 2007 BOD minutes as printed in the Informer.

Treasurer's Report: Dave Tietz reported that the Club currently has a favorable balance. The Board decided that the CD should roll over with all interest for another 6 – 9 months, whichever gets the most favorable interest. A motion was approved to accept this report.

The “British Marque News” is up for renewal in January 2008. Steve McDowell suggested raising the dues to \$30 a year which would defray some of the cost of the paper. The dues increase will be brought before the General Meeting on October 10, 2007.

### Membership Report:

Barrie Carson stated that there are currently 99 member families. The Board approved all new applicants since the last BOD meeting in July.

### Regalia:

Barrie Carson said that he plans to make more \$10

blue Club t-shirts. The Board agreed to take 4 to the Rendezvous 2007 as well as a larger item to be donated from our Club to the Raffle. Bruce Rauch will get this ordered and sent to the Big Bend Club before the Rendezvous 2007 event on Oct. 12-14.

Activities:

**October 12 – 14th** – Rendezvous 2007 hosted by The Big Bend Club in Tallahassee

**October 20th** – Scenic drive to Mt. Dora for the Long & Scott Farms Corn Maze & lunch at Jeremiah's.

**October 27th** – All British Car Show & Auto Jumble – Crest Lake Park, Clearwater

**November 17th** – 8:00 am, First Watch, 520 Tampa Street, Tampa, hosted by Harry & Dot Britton, followed by 10:00 am tour of TBPAC.

**December 1st** – Largo Christmas Parade 4:30 pm – theme "Christmas around the World" – need host

**December 9th** – FSMGCC Christmas party hosted by Kathy & Steve McDowell

**January 19, 2008** – The British Motor Trade Association Car Show & Seminars -contact Glenn Lenhard.

**February 2008** - Driving event to be announced

**March 16, 2008** – Winter Haven Art Festival and European Car Show – contact Dennis Magee

April 2008 - Solomon's Castle Tour, Ona, Florida (see [www.solomonscastle.com](http://www.solomonscastle.com)) – need host

Breakfast Club:

**October 27th** – Acropol Restaurant, 1170 Starkey Road, Largo, hosted by Gail & Glenn Lenhard followed by a caravan to the All British Car Show. 8:30 am

**November 17th** – 8:00 am, First Watch, 520 Tampa Street, Tampa, hosted by Harry & Dot Britton, followed by 10:00 am tour of TBPAC.

Speakers:

March meeting - Dennis Magee with old racing movie film clips.

April or May -Jean Magee's friend will come and talk on Hurricane Preparedness

Newsletter: deadline is October 20th.

Old Business:

Winter Haven Art Festival & European Car Show, chaired by Dennis Magee. He distributed copies of a poster for the Ridge Art Association. He had some digital copies made for advertising. The judges for the event will include: Dennis Day, Marion Brantley, and possibly Tom DuPont.

New Business:

It is that time again when we must elect new board members. Those members willing to stay in present positions are:

Secretary: Gail Lenhard

Treasurer: Dave Tietz

Membership: Barrie Carson

Regalia: Barrie Carson

Fellowship: Bert Rauch

Activities: Bruce Rauch

Newsletter: Dennis Magee

Board Member: Jim Kearney

We need a President and Vice President. Barrie Carson is considering one or the other.

A motion was approved to recommend this slate (when complete) at the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Vera Kearney (for Gail Lenhard, Secretary)

## The Florida Suncoast MG Car Club Monthly Minutes Summary October 8, 2007

In President Steve McDowell's absence, Vice-President Barrie Carson called the meeting to order at 7:45 p.m. and introduced guest, Kevin Upor. Kevin has three MG's.

Secretary's Report: A motion was approved to accept the September 12, 2007 minutes as printed in the Informer.

Treasurer's Report: Bruce Rauch, reporting for Treasurer Dave Tietz, stated that the Club has a favorable balance. The CD was renewed for eight months at the best interest rate.

Membership Report: Barrie Carson stated that the Club currently has 99 member/families and has application for one more.

Regalia: Barrie will print another run of the blue MG tee shirts (with "It's gotta be fun" on the front and a large Club logo on the back), selling for \$10.00 each. It was agreed that the Club will also take some of these shirts to Rendezvous 2007 in Tallahassee for the Raffle as well as a basket of Griot's car cleaning products.

Past Activities: September 15th - The Irish Pub event had a great turn out. See details in October Newsletter.

October 6th –Dream Factory of Florida “Dream Rides Car Show” in Gibsonton from 4-7 p.m. The Dream Factory is committed to making dreams come true for critically and chronically ill children. All proceeds went directly to the foundation. There were 2 cars from our Club: Steve McDowell’s new Miata & Bruce Rauch’s MGB.

Future Activities:

**Oct 12-14:** Rendezvous 2007 at the Ramada Inn in Tallahassee hosted by Big Bend MGs; a caravan has been arranged leaving the Bay area Friday morning to arrive by mid-afternoon.

**October 13th:** The old Meeting House in Tampa (was closed now reopened) invited us to come and bring our cars. Just show up and they will give you a cup of coffee and an ice cream cone.

October **20th** –A drive to Mt Dora to experience the Long & Scott Farms Corn Maze.

**October 27th** – Breakfast Club Event at Acropol Restaurant, 1170 Starkey Road, Largo prior to All British Car Show in Clearwater, hosted by Gail & Glenn Lenhard, at 8:30 am.

**October 27th** – All British Car Show & Auto Jumble, Clearwater’s Crest Lake Park hosted by the Bay area Austin Healey Club

**November 11th:** St. Petersburg Yacht Club Vintage Auto & Cycle Show, 11 Central Avenue, St. Petersburg; 9: am to 3:30 PM - 1979 vehicles and older - \$15.00 registration. Trophies, Music, Drawings, Food & Drinks - Questions? Call Bill Waters, 727-580-1804

**November 17th** – Join Dot & Harry Britton at The Tampa Bay Performing Arts in downtown Tampa at 8:00 a.m. for breakfast and a behind the scenes tour of the facility. Harry has arranged for the Club to park at the TBPAC center. The group will walk a few blocks to First Watch Restaurant for breakfast, returning to TBPAC by 10:00 a.m. for a guided tour.

**December 1st** – Largo has asked us to join their Christmas Parade at 4:30 pm. At this time, St. Petersburg is not going to have a parade.

**December 9th** – Christmas Party & Installation of Officers hosted by Kathy & Steve McDowell

**Jan 19, 2008:** British Motor Trade Association trade show and conference at the Holiday Inn Sunspree Resort in St. Petersburg. This is a meeting of the major parts suppliers and British auto technicians in the USA involving seminars, noted speakers and a British car show. For information contact Glenn or Gail Lenhard at: 727-521-9890 or Glenn@GlennsMG.com

Newsletter: Dennis had requested that all articles be submitted by October 20th.

Old Business: Glenn Lenhard has worked hard on the Nominations for the 2008 elections and presented the following slate:

President:	Bob Cannarella
Vice President	Glenn Lenhard
Secretary	Gail Lenhard
Treasurer	Dave Tietz

Board:

Steve McDowell,	Jim Kearney
Dennis Magee,	Bill Forshay

Bruce Rauch rotates off the Board this year but will remain as Activities Director.

Bert Rauch will remain as Fellowship Leader.

Dennis Magee will continue with the Newsletter

A motion to accept the slate by acclamation was approved. No further balloting is required for the 2008 Officers.

Dues are due in January. The Board had discussed raising the cost to \$30 for the year to include cost coverage of the “British Marque” newspaper we are receiving. A motion was passed to change dues to \$30.

The Club agreed to hold meetings here at Primo’s Pasta & Ribs Restaurant until further notice. The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Vera Kearney, for Gail Lenhard, Secretary

## November 2007 Fellowship

### November Anniversaries:

November 1	William & Dorothy LaRosa
November 4	Lee & Therese Roberts
November 9	Michael & Kristine Weatherby
November 12	Gregg & Darlene Miller
November 13	John & Nancy Nick
November 19	Jim Brasier & Nicole Lussos
November 25	Ted & Marilyn Badger
November 25	Lowell & Joyce Lutz

### November Birthdays:

November 1	Bill Forshay
November 5	Tim Kelly

November 6 Lori Adornato  
 November 8 Glenn Lenhard  
 November 13 Irbye Giddens  
 November 15 Richard Weintraub  
 November 22 Stewart Swihart  
 November 24 Martha Bryant  
 November 24 Ken Hayes  
 November 24 Marilyn Holman  
 November 25 Sue Anderson  
 November 25 Mark Kelly  
 November 26 Anne Gehlson  
 November 26 Ron Rosen  
 November 27 Sue Broadhurst

We have learned that Member Bob Parlamen, husband of Donna, died October 4, 2007. Bob was in the Pinellas County Sheriff's Department before retiring and moving to Homosassa, Florida. A card of condolence was sent to the family.

A sympathy card was sent to Brian Adornato's family upon the death of his mother.



**Nov 11:** St. Petersburg Yacht Club Vintage Auto & Cycle Show, 11 Central Avenue, St. Petersburg; 9:am to 3:30 PM - 1979 vehicles and older - \$15.00 registration - Trophies, Music, Drawings, Food & Drinks - Questions? Call Bill Waters, 727-580-1804

**Nov 17:** The Tampa Bay Performing Arts Center tour, Tampa, FL - Join Dot & Harry Britton at 8:00 AM for breakfast at First Watch then a 10:00 AM tour of the TBPAC - free parking at the TBPAC, 1010 N WC McInnes Place (just off N. Ashley Drive and W. Tyler St.)

**Dec 01:** City of Largo Holiday Parade, 4:00 PM, Pinellas School Board Parking lot at 4th St. SW and 4th Ave. SW - All cars must be decorated - Theme is "Holidays Around the World" - Our Club is a British Christmas - Please RSVP to Bruce & Bert Rauch by Nov. 20, 2007 at 727-576-9474 or brauch1@tampabay.rr.com

**Dec 09:** FSMGCC Christmas Party & Installation of Officers hosted by Kathy and Steve McDowell

**Jan 19, 2008:** British Motor Trade Association trade show and conference at the Holiday Inn Sunspree Resort in St. Petersburg. This is a meeting of the

major parts suppliers and British auto technicians in the USA involving seminars, noted speakers and a British car show. Conference admission is \$40.00 - For information contact Glenn or Gail Lenhard at: 727-521-9890 or Glenn@GlennsMG.com

**Feb ??:** A driving event to be announced

**Mar 16:** Winter Haven European Car Show and Art Festival

**Apr ??:** Ride to Ona, Florida to tour Solomon's Castle

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### Little British Car Company

By Dennis J. Magee, CPM, Editor

Jeff Zorn, owner of the Little British Car Company and Dennis J. Magee, Winter Have European Car Show Director have announced that the Little British Car Company will be the premier and only vendor (car related) permitted at the Winter Haven Art Festival and European Car Show on March 16, 2008. Mr. Zorn is a member of the Florida Suncoast MG Car Club and announced his support for the club and the Winter Haven European Car Show and wished the club great success. It is hoped that members will show our support at the show.

**Christmas Party**

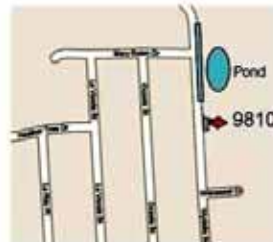
**December 9, 2007**

**4:00 PM**

9810 Wydella ST, Riverview, FL 33569

Hosted by Steve and Kathy McDowell  
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Please do not park on any grassy area.

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**MENU:** Buffet style, we'll be providing Ham, Turkey, Cold Cuts and Cheese, Drinks (all non alcoholic), and chips.

**WHAT TO BRING:**

1. Each person to bring a gift to exchange around \$10.00. Marked "Male", "Female", or "Either". These will be placed under the tree and we'll do a lottery style call out for you to pick up a present.
2. Also bring a dessert or side dish to feed about 8 people (please email or call with your selection).
3. A dry good/canned food as a donation to the Ronald McDonald House Charities.

v/r  
 Steve and Kathy McDowell

# Christmas Parade

Saturday, December 01, 2007 at 4:00 PM

**Where:** City of Largo, line-up at the Pinellas School Board Parking lot at 4<sup>th</sup> ST SW and 4<sup>th</sup> Ave SW beginning at 3:00 PM

**Theme:** Holidays Around the World – we are “A British Christmas”

**Decorations:** All vehicles must be decorated...occupants optional – Our group must be identified so that we can be judged.

NO CANDY, BEADS OR OTHER ITEMS MAY BE THROWN FROM VEHICLES.

**Awards:** Best of Show

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3<sup>rd</sup> place trophy & \$100 cash

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to restaurant two blocks from Tampa Performing Center, and return at 9:45  
for tour.**

**Contact Dot Britton for information, (813) 973-1618.  
Please R.S.V.P. Email Harry Britton [utslumg@verizon.net](mailto:utslumg@verizon.net)**

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Sunday, November 11, 2007

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For further information contact Dennis Magee, MagAoidh at [dmagee@ij.net](mailto:dmagee@ij.net) or 727-385-1188



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**New Meeting Location**  
**Primo's Pasta & Ribs 3580 Ulmerton Rd**  
**Clearwater, FL**  
**Phone: (727) 573-7656**

## Upcoming Events

**November 11: St. Petersburg Yacht Club  
Vintage Auto & Cycle Show**

**November 14 : Regular Meeting, 7:30 pm—  
Note New Location**

**November 17: The Tampa Bay Performing  
Arts Center tour, Tampa**

**December 01: City of Largo Holiday Parade,  
4:00 PM**

**December 09: FSMGCC Christmas Party &  
Installation of Officers**

**January 19, 2008: British Motor Trade  
Association trade show and conference**

**Next Meeting is November 14th**

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