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## Jaguar Club of New Mexico

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# Update on our Club's Judges for this Year



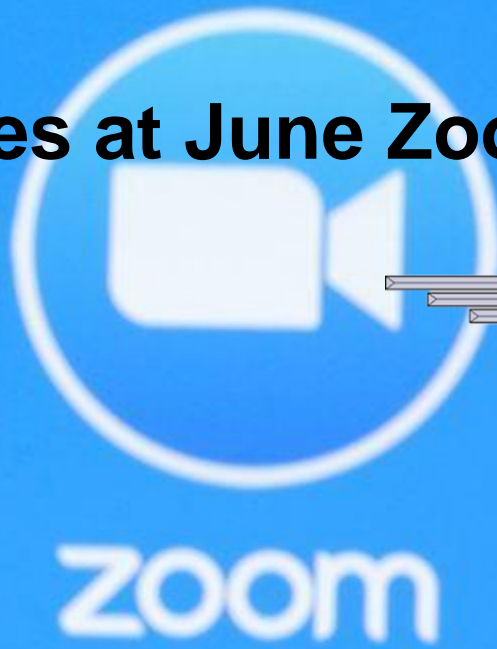
## *JCNM's Chief Judge Emeritus*

Dave Merewether has faithfully served the Jaguar Club of New Mexico as Chief Judge since 2012. He has now been elected Chief Judge Emeritus. Thank you so much for all you have done for the club and continue to do! We appreciate you, Dave!

Dave Merewether at the dedication ceremony for the Thor Missile at Albuquerque's Nuclear Science Museum (left). Lyle Ferrell (below, in his E-Type) will be taking on the responsibilities of Chief Judge beginning this fall.



# Activities at June Zoom Meeting



- Eight members attended our meeting on Wednesday, June 3rd
- All JCNM in-person events were previously cancelled through May 15<sup>th</sup> 2020, according to Governor Lujan-Grisham's Regulations
- A get-together is planned for June 20<sup>th</sup> at Cars & Coffee beginning at 10:30 am. Afterwards, Jaguar club members will drive to *The Range* in Bernalillo to order lunch and then drive close-by to *Rotary Park* for a "social distancing" lunch.
- Club members were encouraged to look out for the *Jaguar Journal Magazine Survey* which is going to be sent out this summer.
- Mike Walton, our membership coordinator, shared that two new members have joined the club: Robert Walters and Lara Aho. Welcome to our club and thank you for joining!

***Congratulations to Jan Gill (right), our new club treasurer!***



- Kudos to Dr. Richard Gill for collecting information for CCC – Car Club without Cars – an extraordinary diversion from the monotony of the quarantined household!

- Lyle emphasized that ten judges had completed Concours Judging Tests this year and that rule books for judges will be available after August 22<sup>nd</sup>. A JCNM Concours is still in the works sometime before August 22<sup>nd</sup>, also. A seminar for judges is also planned for September or October of this year.
- The informal meeting subject “car crashes that I have known,” continued for some time, with Henry Morrison and Richard Gill sharing interesting stories.

### Upcoming Fun Club Events:

- **June 20<sup>th</sup>: Next Scheduled Run June 20<sup>th</sup> 2020:** Meet @ Cars & Coffee @ 10.30am... Run to the Range for Social Distance Take Out Lunch... Open to Invites to Friends & Family (per above)
- **July 1<sup>st</sup> Next General Meeting still likely by Zoom**
- **July 18<sup>th</sup> Skeet Shoot:** Drive Master: Stephen Lee. Details soon



**Steven Lee taking a test drive with a  
salesman at Albuquerque Jaguar Land Rover**

**On August 5<sup>th</sup>** our club will have a General Meeting -- potentially in person

*Please invite your friends, Jaguar owners or not, to our events. All are welcome!*

## President's Corner:

Although John Dias claims that the outlook has been bleak for a long time now, Jaguar Club members have still been able to enjoy Albuquerque's parks for picnicking and enjoying the sun and most have been able to go for an occasional drive. Most of us are finding that Albuquerque's parks are a good substitute for eating in at local restaurants.



Here is John at Netherwood Park (above).



Memories of "Pre-Coronavirus Days" at the Albuquerque Museum Car Show (above, back to front: Dr. Richard Gill, Lyle Ferrell, Tom Graham and Emmery Graham)

# 🎀🎀🎀🎀 Jaguar Trivia! 🎀🎀🎀🎀



Jaguar Cars has been owned by the Indian company *Tata Motors* since 2008.



The XJ220 was launched in 1992. This was Jaguar's first supercar. With a top speed of 217, it was the fastest production car in the world. Only 271 were made.



Jaguar was founded in 1922 by Blackpool engineer, William Lyons as the Swallow Sidecar Company.



Enzo Ferrari described the Jaguar as the most beautiful car in the world



Jaguar models are still designed and manufactured in the United Kingdom—Jaguar Land Rover headquarters are located two hours north of London in Coventry. There are two design centers and three manufacturing plants in Britain that make genuine Jaguar and Land Rover models and parts.



Jaguar's current supercharged V6 actually uses the same engine block as the V8, just with two cylinders blanked off.



The Jaguar XJ220 was the fastest production car in the world, holding its title for 2 years before taken by McLaren F1. The classic Jaguar XK120 was also the fastest car in the world.



Jaguar climate tests all its vehicles in a freezer at -40 degree Fahrenheit for 12 hours. Then they stick the cars into a wind tunnel with air streams that are 0 degrees all while spraying the car with water. This is to ensure that, no matter how cold it gets outside, your Jaguar will run like a dream.



In 2005, Jaguar removed the Leaper from its models in line with the European Union's safety standards for automakers. Customers can still have the Leaper added to their cars for about \$250.



Jaguar's designers have a Virtual Reality Cave with eight cinema-quality 4K projects that help to recreate the interior of the cars so that designers can sit in their designs and get a sense of proportion. It also lets them form 3D models of parts to see how they will work together.



In an effort to make meaner some of its most potent offerings, Jaguar introduced the SVR acronym in 2016 to its F-Type sports car following the Range Rover with the same name. The two cars represented the peak of performance, all courtesy of Jaguar's newly-formed Special Vehicle Operations (SVO) division. SVR: Special Vehicle Racing SVO: Special Vehicle Operations



TV Detective Inspector Morse (played by actor John Thaw) drove a Mark II around Oxford

Can you recognize the correct logo below?

(Hint: check your vehicle or a friends' vehicle in our club!)

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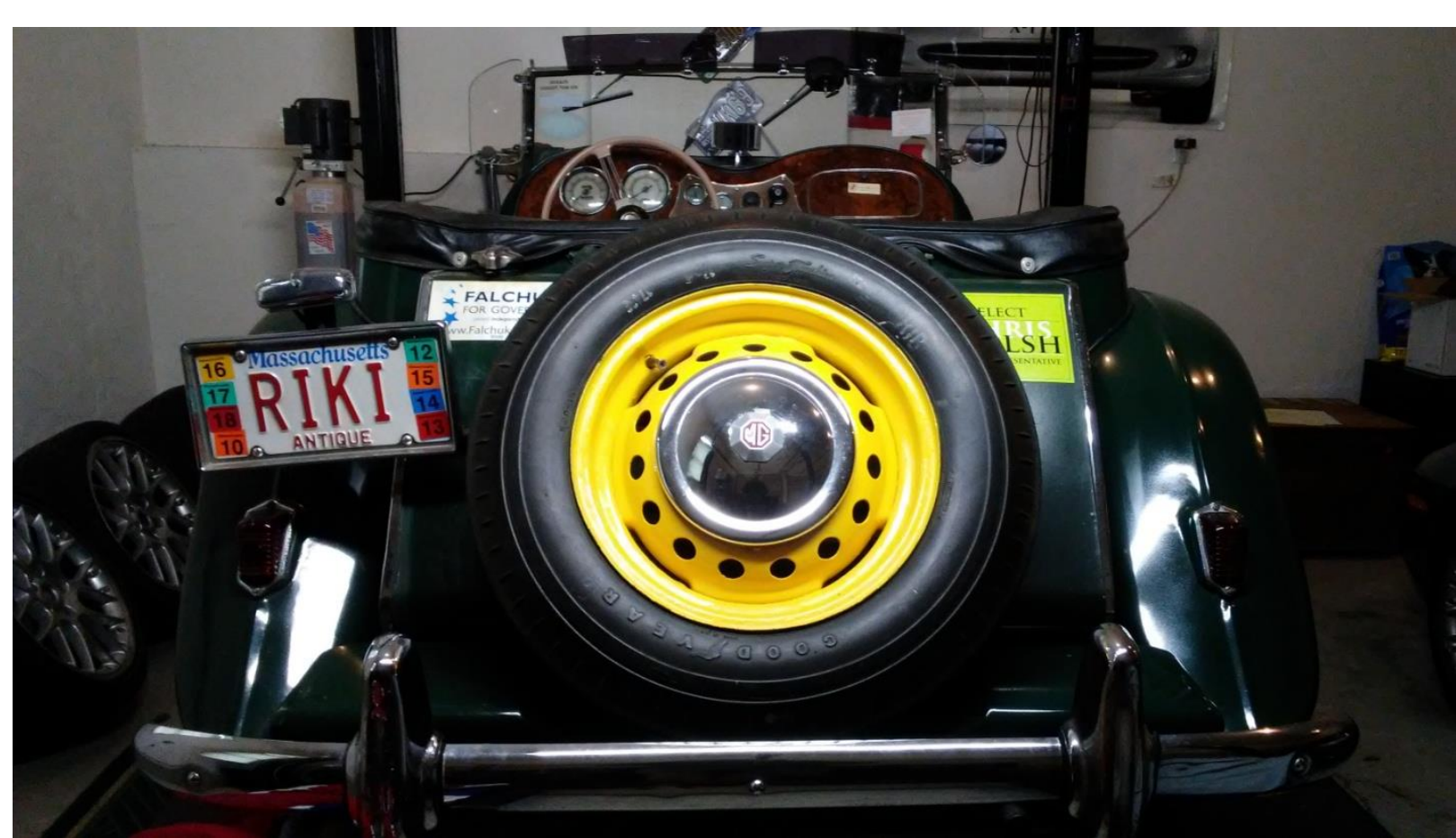


**Enough Already!**



**. . . a short story submitted by club Secretary Richard Gill and our Treasurer, Jan Gill**

“Enough already, my Car has to be garaged this Winter, after 10 years of New England winters,” said Jan, 10 years ago...



“You have to sell the MGTD...”

Coincidentally, not an hour later, a member friend of the Jaguar Association of New England (better known as JANE) put a car lift up for sale, which I instantly bought...

This was Friday; Saturday at the JANE pool party folks were congratulating Jan on her birthday present, which we subsequently installed, allowing for four cars in a three-car garage...

Some said “Why stop there; with two more car lifts you can have a six-car garage?”...

So tempting...



And with our Master Bedroom built above the now four-car garage, we could move out & knock through for a 9-car garage... just sayin'



So, all true, the Explorer moved into the space vacated by the XJR and the XKR went under the MGTD sitting neatly on the car lift.... Everybody Happy...



**Jaguar Club of  
New Mexico  
Automobile  
Events 2020**



**Due to the ongoing  
COVID-19 pandemic,  
events have been put  
on hold until further  
notice!**

**We are having Zoom  
meetings by  
computer. Please  
check your e-mail for  
updates.**





# Automobile Events Calendar 2020



**NEW MEXICO EVENTS: LISTINGS UPDATED 06-15-20**

## **JUNE**

**June 21 – Fathers' Day Car Show** – WalMart, Edgewood – No details, but show is supposed to happen

## **JULY**

**July 4 – Plaza Vintage Car Show** – Santa Fe Plaza, Santa Fe – Open to all – Chris Harris (505)470-0534 or [www.pancakesontheplaza.com](http://www.pancakesontheplaza.com)

**July 11 – Collector Car Appreciation Day**

**July 11 – 2nd Annual Recovery Car Show** – Aztec Church of the Nazarene, Aztec

**July 17-18 – Crimestoppers Show** – McGee Park, Farmington – Johnny D. Adams (505)334-4275

## **AUGUST**

**August 1 – 2nd Annual Special Olympics Car Show Fundraiser** – Holy Family Catholic Church, 562 Atrisco SW, Albuquerque – Sponsored by Knights of Columbus, District 21 – Registration 8-9:30am, show 10am-4pm – Entry \$10 minimum donation – Open to all cars, trucks, tractors & motorcycles –

Adrian [zdsqambler@gmail.com](mailto:zdsqambler@gmail.com)

**August 1 – 4th Annual DeeDee's Golden Ram Car Show** – Riverside Park, Aztec

**August 1-2 – 16th Annual Route 66 Casino Hotel Calendar Car Show** – Route 66 Casino Hotel, I-40 West of Albuquerque – Over 300 Awards and \$1,500 in Cash Awards – 12 Cars picked-photographed for 2021 RT 66 Casino Car Calendar – \$30 Entry – First 200 entries get Package: Event T-

Shirt, Restaurant Discount Coupons and 2 Concert Tickets (Shows to be announced) – Reggie Tibbetts: 505-269-0496 Cell, or [rtibbe@flash.net](mailto:rtibbe@flash.net)

**August 8 – 14th "Donate for Life Car Show"** – Young Park, Las Cruces – Susan Brown (575)496-2627

**August 9 – NMCCC All Clubs Picnic**

**August 15 – 29th Run to Copper Country** – Gough Park, Silver City – Cruz Bustillos (575)574-2186

**August 23 (Tentative) – 36th NMCCC/Albuquerque Museum Car Show** – 2000 Mountain Rd. NW - Albuquerque

## **SEPTEMBER**

**September 5 – Las Cruces Car Council Swap Meet** – Las Cruces – Details TBD

**September 5 – Women Veterans Car Show** – Las Cruces – Open to all – Karen Woods (575)639-1265

**September 11-13 – 37th Annual Collector Car Weekend, Cruise, Swap Meet, Show** – Farmington – (505)947-1653

**September 18-19 – 16th Annual ATHS San Juan Mountain Classic Truck & Vehicle Show** – Riverside Park, Aztec – Harold Pepin (505)320-3595, [oldcat@msn.com](mailto:oldcat@msn.com) or Riley Roland (505)419-

4129 [rroland@q.com](mailto:rroland@q.com) for info

**September 19 – End of Summer Bash 2020: Vol. IV** – Salmon Park, Bloomfield – Registration 9am, Show 11am-4pm – Entry \$25/Vehicles/Motorcycles, \$10/Bicycles, \$25/Vendors – Jody

Gonzales [lowclassics65@gmail.com](mailto:lowclassics65@gmail.com) or [jody.gonzales1@outlook.com](mailto:jody.gonzales1@outlook.com)

**September 19 – Park 'n the Park Car Show** – Cabezon Park, Rio Rancho – 10am-4pm – Free public admission – To register a car call (505) 891-5015 or

visit <https://apm.activecommunities.com/rioranchoparksandrec>

**September 20 – Wounded Warrior Show** – 141 Roadrunner Pkwy, Las Cruces – Open to all – Jr Adams (575)644-5774

**September 25-27 – NMCCC Annual Swap Meet**

## **OCTOBER**

**October 2-3 – 34th Run to the Inn of the Mountain Gods** – Inn of the Mountain Gods, Mescalero – Open to pre '78 – Jerry (915)630-5218 or [www.earlytimesstreetrodders.com](http://www.earlytimesstreetrodders.com)

**October 9-10 – SE NM Regional Swap Meet & Car Corral** – W Hwy 82, 2307 W Main St (old KMart parking lot), Artesia – 8am to Dark – Space 15'x30' \$25 ahead, \$30 at gate – Dorothy (575)746-9477 or Kenny or Nancy (575)622-4350

**October 10 – 17th Annual Los Leones Car Show** – Mesilla Town Hall, Mesilla – Jose Pena (575)644-3747

**October 17 – 2nd Annual Benefit Car Show “Kids Science Café”** – Route 60 Trading Post, Magdalena – As seen on Ch 4-Pay It Forward – James (505)507-7022 [route60tradingpost@yahoo.com](mailto:route60tradingpost@yahoo.com)

**October 24 – Last Chance Fun Run** – Alameda Park, Alamogordo – Open to all – Jack (575)491-9804

**October 30 – Red Ribbon Parade & Car Show** – Dona Ana Elementary School. Las Cruces – Madeline (575)527-9506

## **NOVEMBER**

**November 7 – Veterans’ Car Show** – Veterans’ Home, T or C

**November 21 – Just for the Hell of It Car Show** – Body Works, Las Cruces – Mike Garcia (575)541-5772

## **2021 EVENTS**

**July 13-17, 2021 – National Cadillac/LaSalle Meet** – Marriott Pyramid, Albuquerque – Andy Rogulich (505)459-6242 or [andy@highfidelitymastering.com](mailto:andy@highfidelitymastering.com) – See following:

I am the New Mexico Region Director of the international Cadillac and LaSalle Club. I will be having the Grand National at the Marriott Pyramid Hotel from July 13-17, 2021. I am trying to reach out to others who would like to help us with the judging of the cars. We are estimating 100 Cadillacs will need judging, and unfortunately, our club does not have enough people that take on the volunteer task of judging. If I can get judges, or people that want to learn how to judge, interested in our event, I will have a guy come in that teaches how to judge, and this will be in April of 2021. I'd be happy to talk to you more about this; thank you for your help! Judging is made up of teams with an expert in a particular decade of car heading up the teams. I need to contact our local clubs that do car judging in order to see if I can generate enough interest to get some guys interested in participating in our judging day which will be Saturday July 17, 2021. This is for people interested in becoming a member of the Cadillac club and judging, as the judges are required to be Cadillac club members. They can contact me for more information. Andy Rogulich, (505)459-6242, [andy@highfidelitymastering.com](mailto:andy@highfidelitymastering.com)

## ***OUT-OF-STATE EVENTS***

### **2020. LISTINGS UPDATED 06-15-20**

## **JUNE**

**June 21-25 – Muscle Car Tour** – White Cloud, MI – Don & Sally VanAtta [vanatta@goldcommcable.com](mailto:vanatta@goldcommcable.com) or (231)670-0538

**June 26-28 – 36th Rocky Mountain Nationals** – Colorado State Fairgrounds, Pueblo, CO – Open to pre-'91 – NSRA (719)327-0827 [www.nsra-usa.com](http://www.nsra-usa.com) (Meet may be cancelled; check before you go)

## **JULY**

**July 17-19 – 1st Salt Lake City Nationals** – Utah State Fairpark, Salt Lake City, UT – Open to pre-'88 – Goodguys (925)838-9876 or [www.good-guys.com](http://www.good-guys.com)

## **AUGUST**

**August 6-9 – Street Rod Nationals** – KY Expo Center, Louisville, KY – Open to pre-'91 – NSRA (901)452-4030 or [www.nsra-usa.com](http://www.nsra-usa.com)

**August 8 – Rocky Mountain Air & Ground Show** – Rocky Mountain Metro Airport, Denver Area, CO – [www.collectorcouncil.com](http://www.collectorcouncil.com)

**August 13-15 – Tri-Five Nationals** – Beech Bend Raceway, Bowling Green, KY – Open to Tri-5's – Tri-Five Assn (855)567-1957 or [www.americantrifive.com](http://www.americantrifive.com)

**August 14-16 – 33rd Annual Gunnison Car Show** – Gunnison, CO – Fri Cruise Downtown 5-9pm; Sat Show & Shine, Art Festival, Jorgenson Park, 8am-3pm; Sun Breakfast Cruise, WalMart parking, lot 7:30am – [info@gunnisoncarclub.com](mailto:info@gunnisoncarclub.com) or [www.gunnisoncarclub.com](http://www.gunnisoncarclub.com)

**Aug 17-20 - Grand Indiana Tour** – Holiday Express, Edinburg, Indiana – Tim Howell (317)326-1515 – [Timfriedahowell@gmail.com](mailto:Timfriedahowell@gmail.com)

**August 21-22 – AACA Annual Grand Nationals** – NB Center for American Automotive Heritage, Allentown, PA – [general@aaca.org](mailto:general@aaca.org)

## **SEPTEMBER**

**September 4-7 – Early Iron Show** – Alamosa, CO

**September 11-13 – 23rd Colorado Nationals** – The Ranch Events Complex, Loveland, CO – Open to pre '87 – Goodguys (925)838-9876 or [www.good-guys.com](http://www.good-guys.com)

**September 11-13 – Vail Automotive Classic Show** – Downtown Vail, CO – [www.vailautomotiveclassic.com](http://www.vailautomotiveclassic.com)

**September 13-18 – 75th Revival AAA Glidden Tour** – Saratoga Springs, NY – Bill

Preston [glidden2020@gmail.com](mailto:glidden2020@gmail.com) or (315)539-8235

**September 21-24 – Early Ford V8 Western National Tour** – Alamosa, CO – Sponsored by Hi Country Ford V8 Club – Deanie Kennedy (303)489-3944 or [www.hicountryv8.org](http://www.hicountryv8.org) or [2020EFV8MEET@ecentral.com](mailto:2020EFV8MEET@ecentral.com)

**September 25-27 – 37th Run to the Pines** – Pinetop Lakes Country Club – Open to pre-'73 – Randi Corbin(928)358-9666

**September 25-27 – 28th Lone Star Nationals** – Texas Motor Speedway, Ft Worth, TX – Open to pre '88 – Goodguys (925)838-9876 or [www.good-guys.com](http://www.good-guys.com)

**September 26-27 – Telluride Festival of Cars & Colors Concours** – Telluride, CO – 26th British Concours, 27th Open Class Concours, 26-27th Motorcycle Concours

## **OCTOBER**

**October 1-3 – Pate Swap Meet** – Texas Motor Speedway, Ft. Worth, TX – (713)649-0922

**October 2-4 – 20th Del Mar Nationals** – Fairgrounds, Del Mar, CA – Open to pre-'88 – Goodguys (925)838-9876 or [www.good-guys.com](http://www.good-guys.com)

**October 10 – Truck, Car & Cycle Show** – Pro-Tech Diesel Shop, Anthony, TX – Open to all – Richie Rivera (915)412-7267

**October 10 – 33rd Annual Cars in the Park** – Vets' Memorial Park, Sierra Vista, AZ – Janet Forbes (520)249-9756 or [www.sierravistacarclub.org](http://www.sierravistacarclub.org)

**October 10 – Eastern Fall Nationals** – Hershey, PA – Car Show Only – No Swap Meet – [general@aacra.org](mailto:general@aacra.org)

**October 17 – 14th Annual Classics Car Show** – The Gregory School, Tucson, AZ – Open to pre 2000 – Rotary Club (520)440-4503 or [www.tucsonclassicscarshow.com](http://www.tucsonclassicscarshow.com)

**October 18-23 – VMCCA Western National Tour** – Cottonwood, AZ – Malcom

Stinson [swstudebaker@live.com](mailto:swstudebaker@live.com) or (928)368-7442

**October 21-25 – 43rd Run to the Sun** – Bridgewater Golf Course, Lake Havasu, AZ – Relics & Rods (928)855-0933 or [www.relicsandrods.com](http://www.relicsandrods.com)

**October 30-31 – 44th Western Street Rod Nats** – Ker Co. Fairgrounds, Bakersfield, CA – Open to pre-'91 – Mike Adams (231)487-2790 [www.nsra-usa.com](http://www.nsra-usa.com)

## **NOVEMBER**

**November 3-6 – SEMA Show** – Las Vegas, NV – See SEMA ActionNetwork

**November 7 – 14th Cops & Rodders Show** – Kino Sports Complex, Tucson, AZ – Open to all – Bonnie (520)207-2878 or [www.soazlef.org](http://www.soazlef.org)

**November 20-22 – 23rd Southwest Nationals** – Westworld, Scottsdale, AZ – Open to pre '88 – Goodguys (925)838-9876 or [www.good-guys.com](http://www.good-guys.com)

Sights around Albuquerque during the COVID-19 crisis – and, yes, we were driving in our Jaguars!



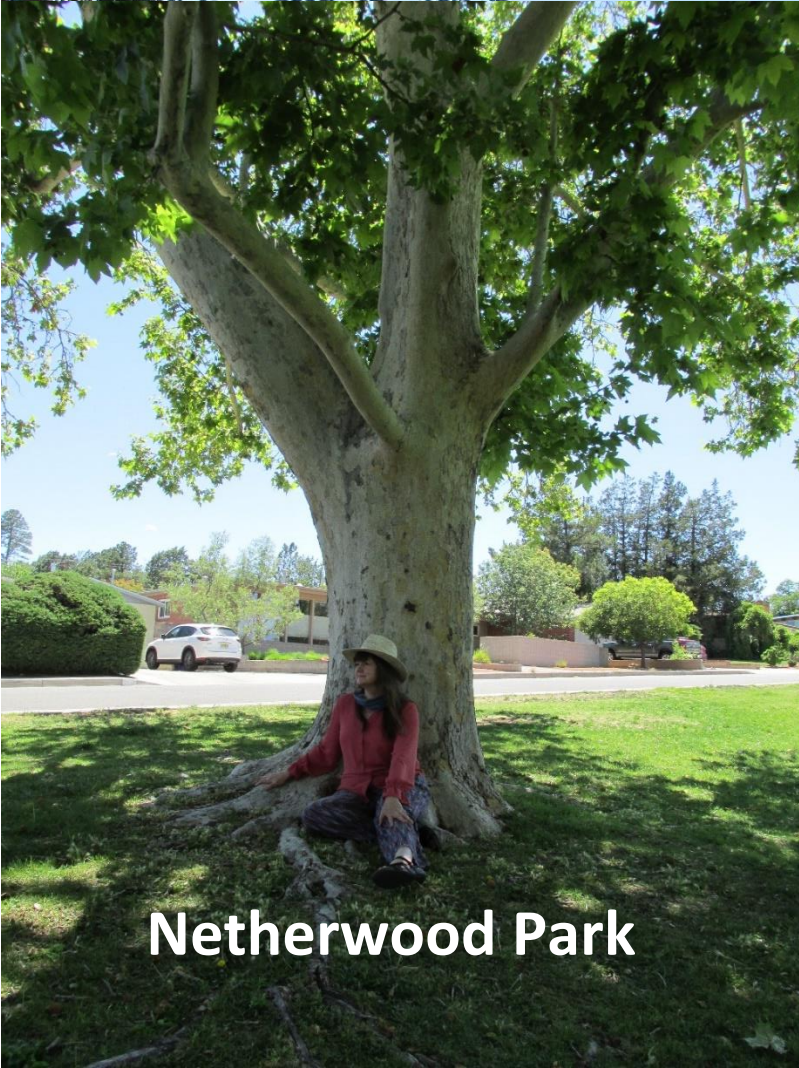
**Netherwood Park**



**Bataan Park**



**St. Paul's Church**



**Netherwood Park**



# Recommended Virtual Trips



There are many videos on YouTube for guided tours through museums to help get you through this time: [blackhawkmuseum.org/video/](http://blackhawkmuseum.org/video/) has Post-War Sports Cars, History of the Ford Mustang, History of the Edsel Automobile and many videos including "The Theory of Automotive Evolution," "Transatlantic Style" and "The

Autonomous Automobile." These are interesting ways to explore without having to break quarantine.

The Lane Motor Museum in Nashville, TN has a collection of over five-hundred vehicles. They have their own YouTube channel at [www.youtube.com/user/LaneLMM](http://www.youtube.com/user/LaneLMM).

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## Important Reminder!

**Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, JCNM's concours has been suspended until further notice! July's meeting will be held Wednesday, July 1<sup>st</sup> using the Zoom app.**

**Please check the JCNA website and your e-mail for updates.**

Regular meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month at 7:30PM. For information, contact Lyle Ferrell.



# JAGUAR

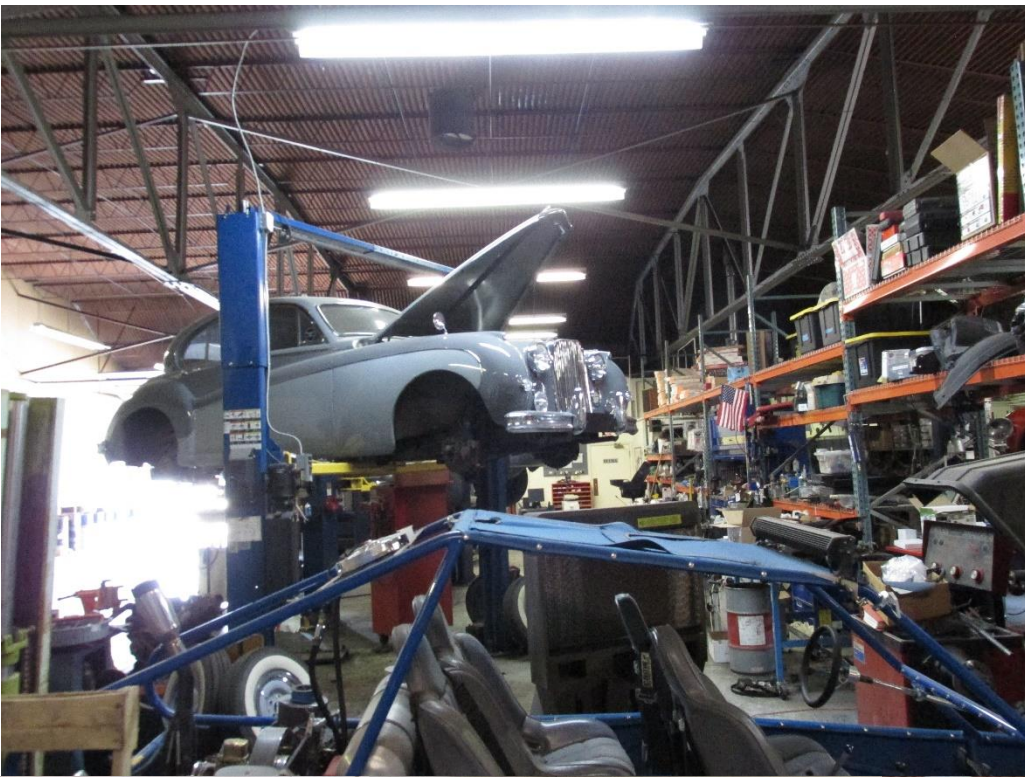






## Club Member Repairs at Dr. J's

Several cars are bringing club members together, indirectly, as they are having repair work done at Dr. J's in Albuquerque: Lyle's grey Mark IX and white XJ6 Series 3, John's dark blue XJ6 Series 2, and Tom's light blue XKE Series 2. You can see these four cars below. Also, note that none of them is wearing a mask!





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