

# Jaguar Jargon



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#### Editor's Note:

The Covid-19 virus continues to affect our lives, wreaking havoc on our daily routines and plans for social activities. JCOP member Dave Gamret provides an update on two upcoming JCOP events, Jaguars at Jacksons and his Topgolf event.

Until we can get together again, Stay Safe ... Hope to see you all very soon! C.W.

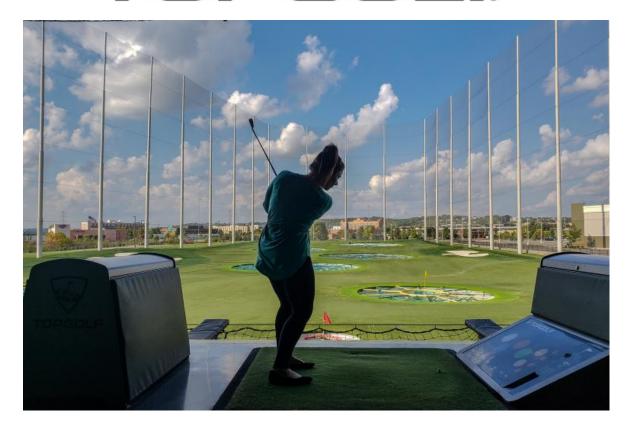
## JAGUARS AT JACKSONS VI(rus)



At this time, the 6<sup>th</sup> annual dinner and display meeting scheduled for Saturday, August 29 will very likely be canceled for this year. The recent rise in case numbers and positive test percentages in Allegheny and surrounding counties has jeopardized the ability to provide a safe environment for our club members. Despite the outdoor seating normally reserved for our club and the social distancing afforded by the parking lot, the risk of transmission among club members, staff and possible outside visitors cannot be eliminated. In addition, continued increases in the number of cases in Washington county may result in mandated restrictions on alcohol sales and restaurant operations similar to those currently in effect in Allegheny county.

In the unlikely event that conditions improve significantly in the next month, we will publish a menu and registration form in the August issue of the Jargon. It is unfortunate that this event will likely be canceled similar to so many others this summer, but the health and safety of our members must be our top priority.

## TOPGOLF



## TO BE RESCHEDULED

Due to the recent increase in Covid19 cases in our area we have decided to postpone our August 16 event to a later date to be determined. At this time the facility remains closed but is planning to reopen soon. They have implemented extensive safety measures including masks and gloves for employees, Plexiglas dividers, a rigorous sanitation schedule for each bay and no-touch food, beverage and payment procedures. While these precautions have even been cited as exemplary by Dr. Rachel Levine, they are certainly not optimal for the full enjoyment of the Topgolf experience. Plus, we have no idea when the recent ban on alcohol sales for on-site consumption in Allegheny county will be lifted. This is a social and entertainment activity, not individual golf practice, and our usual club camaraderie is the key to any successful outing. We will work to reinstate Topgolf to our calendar at the earliest opportunity and hope you will plan to attend this new and exciting event for our club.

# Jaguar Club of Pittsburgh **2020** Events Calendar



Date Event Sponsor

April 4 (POSTPONED) Tech Session at Dan Heit's Garage Dan Heit

May 2 (POSTPONED) Tech Session, Fowler Automotive Street & Track Stu Benson

June 2 (CANCELED) US Steel Plaza Show Dolly Taskey & Cecile Canales

July 12 (CANCELED) Countryside tour, lunch, Mountain Playhouse Scott Drab

August 16 (POSTPONED) Top Golf event Dave Gamret

August 29 (SEE PAGE 1) Jaguars at Jacksons VI Dave & Karen Gamret

September 12 Pittsburgh d'Elegance Concours

Fox Chapel Yacht Club Bryan Williams

September 27 British Cars at Hartwood Jack Terrick

October (TBD) Fall Leaf Tour Pete & Janet Galinowski

November (TBD) 2020 Membership Meeting

December (TBD) Christmas Party

#### **Non-JCOP Events for 2020:**

May 25 (CANCELED) Susquehanna Valley Concours d'Elegance

June 6 (CANCELED) Delaware Valley Jaguar Club Concours d'Elegance

June 25-27 (POSTPONED to AUG. 20-22) Arthritis Foundation Auto Show, Dublin, Ohio

July 16-19 (CANCELED) PVGP racing at Pitt Race

July 25 (CANCELED) British Car Day & Racing in Schenley Park PVGP

August 8 (CANCELED) Jaguar Club of Ohio Concours

September 4-6 Greenbrier Concours d'Elegance

August-20-23 JCNA AGM, Columbia, SC

September 10-13 Watkins Glen Trip

## President's Message



#### By R. Pete Galinowski



July, we've now gone through half the year and have had only one Jaguar Club of Pittsburgh event. When we got together for the dinner at Silvioni's never would I have imagined that would be the last JCOP event for six more months.

Check out updates on our dinner at Jacksons and the rescheduling of TOPGOLF in this issue.

A few days ago I was going between cars in a parking lot when one of the cars caught my attention. I stopped to take a good look at it. It was one of the new F type Jaguars but that's not all — the sides of the car were painted with the color changing paint which shimmers and changes colors when you look at it. A few years from now could you see this at a concours, with the car owner explaining to a judge that it came this way?

Well, we have the summer everyone waited all winter for but not a summer we expected. It will get better. ------ *Pete* 

- 11. In what year did Auto Insurance become available to drivers?
- A. 1897
- B.1890
- C. 1902
- D. 1918
- 12. Harley Earl introduces what feature to the Chevy Cadillac in 1948?
- A. Wheel Wells
- B. Radio
- C. Blinkers
- D. Tail Fins
- E. Side Mirrors
- 13. Why was a national speed limit of 55 mph enacted in 1974?
- A. Increase in automobile accidents
- B. Increase in speeding tickets
- C. Oil Shortage
- D. Increase in city traffic
- 14. When did Chrysler first officially use the "Hemi" name?
- A. 1964
- B. 1954
- C. 1965
- D. 1960

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- 15. What was the first Japanese car to be produced in the United States?
- A. Toyota Camry
- **B.** Honda Civic
- C. Nissan Altima
- D. Honda Accord
- E. Subaru WRX
- 16. What was Henry Ford most famous for?
- A. Inventing the Automobile
- **B.** Inventing Combustion Engines
- C. Development of the assembly line used in mass production
- D. Development of the Ford Mustang
- 17. What video game comes standard in every Saab equipped with a GM Tech II?
- A. Tetris
- **B.** Mario Cart
- C. Centipede
- D. Pong
- 18. What tailgate accessory did the first and second generation Honda CRV's come equipped with?
- A. Beverage Cooler
- **B.** Tailgate Grill
- C. Picnic Table
- D. Porta-Potty
- 19. What was the last automaker to offer cassette players in their vehicles?
- A. Ford
- **B.** Lexus
- C. Honda
- D. Chevrolet
- 20. Bentley, Bugatti, Lamborghini and Porsche are auto manufacturers under what flagship company?
- A. BMW
- B. Jaguar
- C. Volkswagen
- D. Subaru

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#### **ANSWERS:**

- 11. Answer A. The first auto insurance policy is purchased in Westfield, MA in 1897
- 12. Answer D. Harley Earl introduces the tail fin on the Cadillac in 1948 which continue to grace the rear of Cadillacs for another decade.
- 13. Answer C. Oil Shortage. The National Maximum Speed Law (NMSL) in the United States was a provision of the 1974 Emergency Highway Energy Conservation Act that prohibited speed limits higher than 55 miles per hour (90 km/h). It was drafted in response to oil price spikes and supply disruptions during the 1973 oil crisis. While officials hoped gasoline consumption would fall by 2.2%, actual savings are estimated at between 0.5% and 1%.
- 14. Answer A. 1964. Even though Chrysler make engines with hemi heads in the 50s, it wasn't until 1964 when they revived the hemi head design and officially used the "Hemi" name.
- 15. Answer D. In November of 1982, the first American-produced Honda Accord rolled off the assembly line at the Marysville Auto Plant in Ohio, making it the first Japanese car to be produced in the United States. The Accord would prove quite popular. In its first year of production, it became the best-selling Japanese car in the United States a title which it would hold for the next 15 years.
- 16. Answer C. The "Model-T" was the first car to be mass-produced. Henry Ford introduced the assembly line in December of 1908, and as a result he was not only able to mass-produce the Model-T, but was able to offer it to his customers at a much lower price than the competition. By 1913, Ford was producing half of all cars sold in the United States, and by 1927, he had sold more than 15 million Model-Ts!
- 17. Answer D. When using the GM Tech II on a Saab 9-3 SS (I believe this works on 2003-2007 cars) if you go into the Airbag/SRS system submenu, there is a Easter egg that allows the tech to play Pong on the Tech II.
- 18. Answer C. The first and second generations of Honda's winsome compact SUV came with a standard flip-out picnic table. For first gens, there was also an optional shower kit for the back, too.
- 19. Answer A. While the Lexus SC430 came with a standard cassette player until 2010, the very last car to be able to play cassettes was the Ford Crown Vic, which still had an optional player in 2011.
- 20. Answer C. Volkswagen Group sells passenger cars under the Audi, Bentley, the Audi, Bentley, Bugatti, Lamborghini, Porsche, SEAT, Škodaand Volkswagen marques; motorcycles under the Ducati brand; and commercial vehicles under the MAN, Scania, Neoplan and Volkswagen Commercial Vehicles marques. It is divided into two primary divisions, the Automotive Division and the Financial Services Division, and has approximately 340 subsidiary companies.

## **PVGP to Host Waterfront Car Cruise on July 21**

While most of the Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix's 2020 events have been canceled, the PVGP's Waterfront Cruise is still on schedule. It will be held from 4 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, July 21 at the Waterfront in Homestead, in the parking lot along Waterfront Drive.

Cruisers are asked to make a \$5 donation for PVGP's charities.

The event will operate at 50% capacity as per guidelines. Details on safety measures will be posted at **pvgp.org**, where details of other PVGP Driving Events this summer can be found.



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### **2020** Renewal / New Member Application



Membership in the Jaguar Club of Pittsburgh includes membership in the national organization, Jaguar Clubs of North America.

NOTE: The JCOP newsletter, <u>Jaguar Jargon</u>, is sent to members via email in PDF format. If you do not have access to email, please indicate below in the space provided and we will make other arrangements to accommodate you.

The JCNA magazine, *Jaguar Journal*, is mailed on a bi-monthly basis.

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#### <mark>Pandemic Pastimes</mark>

News from JCOP members about how they are spending time during the pandemic.

#### JCOP Member Keeps Making Music During YSO's Unplanned 'Intermission'

#### **By Candy Williams**

When he's not busy caring for his award-winning 1976 Jaguar XJ6L Series 2, one of Dave Hershey's "day jobs" is with the York Symphony Orchestra, where he is Principal Percussionist. (He also operates Hershey Percussion Shop in York with wife Kathy and provides music lessons).

A Jaguar Club of Pittsburgh member — and president of his home club, Sus-





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quehanna Valley Jaguar Club — Dave has had his performance work interrupted by the Covid-19 pandemic. Like many other arts organizations, YSO has had their season placed on hold. While waiting for "Act II" of YSO's season, Dave is one of several musicians posting behind-the-scenes videos to the Symphony Orchestra's website as part of the "YSO Offstage" video series.

In his video, Dave performs Tchaikovsky's Hobby Horse, a composition that is part of Tchaikovsky's Children's Album, which was published in 1878. Check it out at <a href="https://www.yorksymphony.org/yso-offstage/">www.yorksymphony.org/yso-offstage/</a>

#### Share your Experiences!

How have YOU been keeping busy during the pandemic?

If you'd like to share your ideas for making the most of being at home, send them (with photos) to allwrite2@aol.com.

Your fellow JCOP members would love to hear from you. Let's keep in touch via the Jargon until we can be together again! Jaguar Club of Pittsburgh Candy Williams, Editor 222 Karen Drive Elizabeth, PA 15037

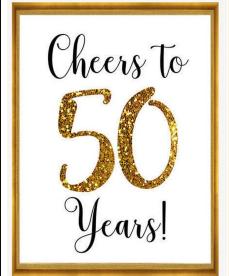
**Upcoming Events:** 

See inside for upcoming Event Information



## Jaguar Club of Pittsburgh to Mark 50th Anniversary with

**Commemorative Grille Badges and Pins** 



The Jaguar Club of Pittsburgh will celebrate its 50th Anniversary in 2021!

To help celebrate this milestone, the club has commissioned a special anniversary Grille Badge and Lapel Pin.

Club members will have an opportunity to preorder them. You must preorder to receive a Grille Badge. No additional Grille Badges will be available.

Bryan Williams will have details in the next Jaguar Jargon!