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## November 14th, NGJC Business Meeting Time to Renew Jag Club Membership for 2021 December NGJC Holiday Party Cancelled

### LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

We are fortunate to have dedicated members, really the foundation of our club, that have agreed to continue in their present positions in 2021. John Baxa has served as our newsletter editor for many years and I always look forward each month to the informative and creative articles he finds; Lynn Cunningham keeps our club treasury in good order; Dick Maury, Past National JCNA President, maintains our club web site, and Dr. John Hollier keeps the minutes from our meetings. Terry Mathewson, Concours V.P. and Philip DiTrolio, Club Chief Judge, overcame multiple obstacles on the way to our club hosting one of our best concours in October. I cannot thank all of the above enough for their wise guidance and keeping our club moving forward during this past year.

In closing it has been my pleasure to serve as club president these past two years and I only ask that we all continue to support the elected club officers as we find new and exciting adventures and interesting roads to drive.

*Travel Safe,  
David Kirkman*



### Welcome new member

Randy Muecke  
of  
Big Canoe, GA



### 2020 NGJC Concours

*Submitted by Dave Kirkman*

Despite a tumultuous year that witnessed multiple car events cancelled, and overcoming a late change in venue, Concours VP Terry Mathewson and Chief Judge Philip DiTrolio were able to organize one of our better Concours. Entrants from six states, plus our own club members, registered for the event. Even an overnight rain and morning sprinkles did not dampen the enthusiasm and the Jaguars were spectacular. The judging was done in a timely manner (thank you judges) and the awards presented to the owners.

A big thank you to our club members who came early to help with the Operational Vehicle Inspections, hand out entrant packages, and assist in class parking. Sue Taylor and Karen DiTrolio made sure the judging sheets were filled out correctly and Lynn Cunningham and John Baxa compiled the scores.

I also want to thank all of our club members who came out and joined us to celebrate all things Jaguar Thank You Guys,

Now that our 2020 "COVID" Concours is in the proverbial rearview mirror, I want to take this opportunity to thank each of you for all your help in putting on a truly great event yesterday. After Dave tricked me into accepting this position (I kid, I kid!), I quickly realized this is something I could never accomplish without the support and guidance you all provide. There are so many moving pieces that must come together to pull this off – thanks to each of you, it worked! The response from attendees has been overwhelmingly positive and it appears everyone had a great time.

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## North Georgia Jaguar Club Business Meeting Changed To Saturday, November 14th

Please plan on attending our annual meeting which has been scheduled at 10:30 AM on Saturday, November 14th at the same location as the recent Concours. This is an important meeting for our club as we will be electing officers, determining our event schedule for next year and hoping to get your ideas on how to make our great club even better. All members are invited to participate.

Meeting Time: 10:30 AM  
Georgia Expo Mfg. Corporation  
3355 Martin Farm Road  
Suwanee, GA 30024

### Election Of Club Officers For 2021

*Submitted by Dave Kirkman*

It is the responsibility of the outgoing club president to recommend a slate of officers to be voted on by the club's membership. Nominations can also be made for the various individual club offices. To date none of our club members, other than

those on the ballot, have approached me about seeking nomination to any of the official club offices.

Club President: John Yates  
Activities Director: Open  
Concours VP: Terry Mathewson

Concours Chief Judge: Philip DiTrolio  
Treasurer: Lynn Cunningham  
Secretary: Dr. John Hollier  
Newsletter Editor: John Baxa  
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*Ballot on Page 7*



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## Time to Renew Jag Club Membership for 2021

*Submitted by John Baxa*

The 2021 membership dues for NGJC of \$54 are due by January 1. If you are going to renew your membership for 2021, please mail your dues by the middle of December. If you know you are not renewing, a quick e-mail to John Baxa [jwbaxa@mindspring.com](mailto:jwbaxa@mindspring.com) would be appreciated so that our e-mailing of the roster to JCNA will not be delayed. We have to send a roster to JCNA with dues payments for each member on the roster in early 2021 so it is very important that we have all our dues collected by January 10.

There are now three ways to pay: by check, major credit card, or by PayPal. **Please note that you do not need to have a PayPal account to pay by credit/debit card.** If paying with PayPal, please go to [www.ngjc.us](http://www.ngjc.us) and click on the **Membership** tab at the top of the page and follow the directions.

If paying by check, please make your check payable for \$54 to the **North Georgia Jaguar Club** and mail it to

John Baxa, VP  
Membership

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Roswell, GA 30075

If your payment does not reach us by January 10, you will be dropped from

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# Massachusetts Voters Approve Ballot Measure Expanding Open Repair Data In Blow To Auto Industry

By Tina Bellon (Reuters)

Voters in Massachusetts on Tuesday, Nov. 3, overwhelmingly passed a ballot measure forcing automakers to provide expanded access to mechanical and electronic repair data and allow independent shops to repair increasingly sophisticated technology.

The decision delivers the first significant win in a fight over who will control the \$390 billion U.S. auto data aftermarket in the digital age.

Unprecedented advancements in modern cars and crash avoidance systems such as automatic braking have prompted many automakers to limit information and warranties to only parts and repairs from authorized dealers to ensure safety and privacy. They say such data is complex and sensitive, and argue that repairs to modern cars require extensive training by those with proprietary technology.

Independent repair groups have rebuked those restrictions as an attempt to seize control of the lucrative repair market and a way to force consumers into more expensive manufacturer-affiliated dealer shops. They are also concerned by automakers increasingly pushing for wireless repair data transfers, which will limit third-party access.

"This referendum...means that despite advances in technology, owners will be able to have their repair data shared directly with their trusted independent shops," Bill Hanvey, president and CEO of the Auto Care Association said in a statement, adding the group worked with cybersecurity experts to ensure privacy during data transfers.

*Under the state's ballot measure, approved by 75% of voters, on-board diagnostic and mechanical data will have to be made available via an open-platform app for 2022 vehicle models and beyond.*

Automotive Innovation in a statement said the measure presented real risks to the security of customers' vehicles.

"Automakers have made available all the diagnostic and repair information that is needed to service a vehicle safely and securely," Bozzella said.

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Automakers including General Motors, Ford Motor Co, Toyota Motor Corp, Honda Motor Co and Nissan Motor Co had opposed the Massachusetts ballot initiative.

John Bozzella, President and CEO of the U.S. industry trade group Alliance for

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# 2020 NGJC Calendar

Submitted by Dave Kirkman

## NGJC EVENTS: November

M	T	W	T	F	SAT	SUN
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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## NGJC EVENTS: December

M	T	W	T	F	SAT	SUN
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

■ Club Event  
■ Other Event

■ Holiday

### JANUARY 2020

Nothing planned

### FEBRUARY 2020

Feb 15, Saturday – Valentines Lunch, Pearl Lian, Duluth, GA

### MARCH 2019

March 22, Sunday – First Spring Drive – D. Kirkman

March 28, Saturday Roswell Motoring Festival, Roswell City Hall – Roswell, GA

March 28-29, Saturday-Sunday SVRA Historic Races – Road Atlanta, Braselton, GA

### APRIL 2020

April 19, Sunday – Spring Drive Canton GA

sponsor Dave Kirkman

April 24-26, Friday-Sunday, HSR Walter Mitty – Road Atlanta, Braselton, GA

### MAY 2019

May 24, Sunday Late Spring Drive, sponsor Dave Kirkman

### JUNE 2020

June 28, Sunday, June Club Drive. Dawsonville, GA -

D. Kirkman  
Cancelled – Peachtree Corners Festival & British Motorcar Day – Peachtree Corners, GA

### JULY 2018

## Summer Drive TBD

### AUGUST 2019

August 15, Saturday - Judges Training, Suwanee, GA – P. DiTrolio

### SEPTEMBER 2020

September 11-12, Mountain Motoring Tours, Highlands, NC  
September 12, Saturday – Atlanta British Car Fayre – Norcross, GA  
Sept 17-20 Peachtree MG Registry British Car Festival, Dillard, GA  
Saturday, September 26, Fall Drive - D. Kirkman

### OCTOBER 2020

October 7-10 Thursday-Sunday, Motul Petit LeMans – Road Atlanta, Braselton, GA

October 25, Sunday - NGJC Concours d'Elegance – Gainesville, GA – T. Mathewson, P. DiTrolio

October 30-November 1, Friday-Sunday Hilton Head Concours – Hilton Head Island, SC

### NOVEMBER 2020

November 14 Saturday, 10:30 AM NGJC Business Meeting - Ga Expo, Suwanee, GA

### DECEMBER 2020

December NGJC Holiday Party

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## NGJC Concours d'Elegance Results from October 25th (Provisional)

Class	Member	Car Entry	Score
<b>C2/120:</b> XK 120 (1948-54)	Patrick Hergenroeder	1949 XK 120 OTS, Silver	100.000
<b>C4/150:</b> XK 150 (1957-61)	Don and Paula Beck	1960 XK 150 DHC, Brithis Racing Green	100.000
<b>C5/E1:</b> E-Types, Series 1 (1961-67)	James Strickland	1961 E-Type S I DH, Bronze	100.000
<b>C5/E1:</b> E-Types, Series 1 (1961-67)	Craig M Gustin	1967 E-Type OTS, Red	99.600
<b>C8/SLS:</b> Early Large and Small Saloons: MK VII, MK VIII, MK IX, MK 10, 420G, (1950-70), MK 1 (2.4 & 3.4), MK 2 Series (2.4, 3.4, 3.8 liter, Daimler V8), 240, 340; S-Type 3.4S, 3.8S, & Jaguar and Daimler 420 (1955-69)	Jim and Marilyn Davis	1960 Mark IX, White	98.440
<b>C12/JS:</b> XJ-S/SC (1976 - 1991 Pre-Facelift) Coupe, Cabriolet, H&E Convertible, Convertible, XJR-S Le Mans, XJR-S Jaguar Sport.	Steve and Mary Ann Thomas	1988 XJ-SC, Silver	99.840
<b>C14/K8:</b> XK8 Coupe and Conv. (1996-2006), XKR (1999-2006)	Philip and Karen DiTrolio	2004 XK8, Ebony	100.000
<b>C14/K8:</b> XK8 Coupe and Conv. (1996-2006), XKR (1999-2006)	Ted Hill II	2004 XKR Portfolio, Jupiter Red	99.990
<b>C19/EJ:</b> XF Sedans (2008-On), XJ Sedan (2010 [as 2011 model year] – On), XE (2016 Model Year)	Howard Meyers	2014 XF, Silver	99.960
<b>C20/F:</b> F-TYPE (2013-On)	Richard and Lisa Sims	2017 F-Type Coupe, Dark Gray	99.930



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Class	Member	Car Entry	Score
<b>D1/PRE:</b> All Classics (Pre-XK engine) and XK 120, XK 140, XK 150	Marvin and Paula Floren	1954 XK 120 OTS, Red	9.973
<b>D3/E2:</b> E-Types Series 1.5 (1968) and Series 2 E-Types (1968-71)	Terry L. Mathewson	1969 E-Type S II 2+2, Red	9.840
<b>D4/E3:</b> Series 3 E-Types (1971-75)	Joe and Betty Newell Jr	1973EE-Type, Red	9.994
<b>D6/XJ:</b> XJ6/12 Series 1 & 2, Saloons and Coupes (1968-79); Series III XJ6, XJ6 Sovereign and XJ6 VDP (1979-87); Series III V12 and V12 VDP (1979-92)	Tim Jett	1969 XJ6, Silver	9.902
<b>D10/K8:</b> XK8 Coupe and Conv. (1996-2006), XKR (1999-2006)	Joe and Betty Newell Jr	2002 XKR 100, Black	9.993
<b>D10/K8:</b> XK8 Coupe and Conv. (1996-2006), XKR (1999-2006)	Rick Watts	2004 XK8 Convertible, British Racing Green	9.968
<b>D11/XK:</b> New XK and XKR Coupe and Conv. (2007-On)	Dave P and Kathy S. Morgan	2009 XKR Convertible, Shadow Gray	9.996
<b>D11/XK:</b> New XK and XKR Coupe and Conv. (2007-On)	Craig Kerins	2013 XKR, Shadow Gray	9.992
<b>D12/J8:</b> XJ8/R Sedans (X308) (1998-2003), XJ8/R Sedans (X350 Alloy) (2004- 2009)	David Gourlay	2002 XJ8, White	9.982
<b>D16/P:</b> F-PACE (2016-On), E-PACE, I-PACE (2018-On)	Michael and Karen Meyer	2019 F-Pace S, Black	9.995
<b>D16/P:</b> F-PACE (2016-On), E-PACE, I-PACE (2018-On)	Michael Tranovich	2019 F-Pace, White	9.988
<b>S2/MOD:</b> Modified	Ivan and Myrna Ruiz	1952 XK 120 OTS, White	9.987



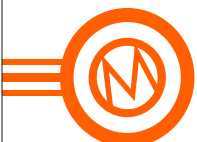
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## 2020 NGJC Concours

Submitted by Dave Kirkman

In the interest of propelling this energy forward, I will be reaching out to you again soon regarding our 2021 Concours d'Elegance. I am especially interested in any suggestions you might have to make next year's event even better still. I would like to see either a pre-Concours function, or perhaps a more formal awards dinner following the event. Would anyone consider a "destination" event, perhaps Barnsley Gardens or possibly some other location in North Georgia? Let me know your thoughts.

Because we hold our event towards the end of the year, we have a unique opportunity to attract some really fine Jags from other clubs, and I believe we can work together to structure our Concours to appeal even more to those Entrants who are chasing those last minute scores.

Again, my sincerest and most heartfelt thanks to everyone for all your participation, support, and guidance!  
Philip DiTrolio



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## Time to Renew Jag Club Membership for 2021

Submitted by John Baxa

the renewal roster which we send to JCNA. If you rejoin later, we have to reinstate your membership which takes the time of people who are doing all this voluntarily. Do your part and make your payment when you read this.

In making your decision on renewal, you should consider the following tangible benefits of club membership:

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The nominating committee has recommended the slate of officers listed below for 2021. If you wish to vote for the entire slate of officers listed, check the space listed below the names. If you wish to vote only for certain individuals, circle those for whom you wish to vote. If you wish to write-in names for any position, simply write in the name of the person for whom you wish to vote in the blank provided beside the title of the office.

Office	Committee Recommendation	Write-in Votes
President .....	John Yates	_____
Vice President.....	(Open)	_____
Vice-President for Concours .....	Terry Mathewson	_____
Vice-President for Activities .....	(Open)	_____
Vice-President for Membership .....	John Baxa	_____
Concours Chief Judge .....	Philip DiTrolio	_____
Treasurer.....	Lynn Cunningham	_____
Secretary .....	John Hollier	_____
Ralleymaster.....	Dave Kirkman	_____
Newsletter Editor.....	John Baxa	_____
Newsletter Publisher.....	John Yates	_____
Webmaster .....	Dick Maury	_____
Member-at-large.....	Bill Flavelle	_____

I wish to vote for the entire slate of officers recommended by the nominating committee.

Member Signature (optional) \_\_\_\_\_ JCNA Number (required) \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail this ballot to: John Hollier, 178 River View Road Blairsville, GA 30512  
Drjohnod86@gmail.com

Or

Bring this ballot with you to the NGJC business meeting on November 14, 2020. The meeting will start at 10:30 AM.