

# Under The Bonnet

Newsletter of the  
**Wasatch Mountain  
Jaguar Register**

February 2021



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## History Corner: WMJR Club Founding In 1976

The Wasatch Jaguar Register was born in 1976, making the club now 45 years old.

Just think back to what the US was like in the Bicentennial Year of 1976. Jimmy Carter and Walter Mondale were elected president, Apple Computer and Microsoft incorporated, the Amityville Horror took place, and Patty Hearst was found guilty of armed bank robbery.

Supersonic Concorde service to Europe began, and the Teton Dam collapsed near



Rexburg ID. Legionnaires' disease kills 29 at a Philadelphia convention, and Viking 2 landed on Mars. *Hotel California* by the Eagles was released, and Chicago Mayor Richard J. Daley died in office.

In the midst of these upheavals an intrepid band of Jaguar lovers formed a local club which evolved into our current chapter of the Jaguar Clubs of North America.

## More On WMJR Founding

Club Historian Ken Borg provides the following list of founding members and their cars (\* indicates still members today):

- *Doug Bennett*, First WMJR President
- *J Jennings*, XK120 OTS (died 2019)
- *Paul Adams*, Series 1 E-type OTS
- *George O'Connor*, XK140 FHC
- *John Hewlett* (Series 1 XJ6)
- *\*Randy Aagaard*, Jaguar restoration shop owner
- *Joe Todd*, Mark II saloon (died 2016)
- *Howard Armstrong*, E-type FHC
- *Grant McCallister*, Mark I saloon
- *Roy Beale* (died 2008)
- *C. W. Brown*, XK150 OTS
- *Ken Shone*, Mark VII saloon
- *Bill Voorhees*, XK150 OTS
- *\*Duane Allred*, Series I E-type FHC
- *\*Ken Borg*, XK140 DHC

The folks and cars in the photo on [page 1](#) are, left to right:

- \* *Doug Bennett*, XK150 DHC
- \* *George O'Connor*, XK140 FHC
- \* ?
- \* ?
- \* *Paul Adams*, E-type OTS
- \* ?
- \* *C. W. Brown*, XK150 OTS
- \* *Bill Voorhees*, XK150

Other members were present without their cars, including Ken and JoAnn Borg, whose XK140 DHC was under restoration. The location is the pond in Sugarhouse Park.

Another Blast From The Past:  
The Allred E-type At An Early Autorama  
With Pit Crew





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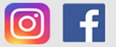
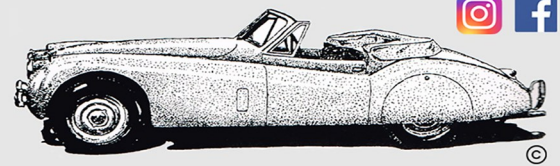


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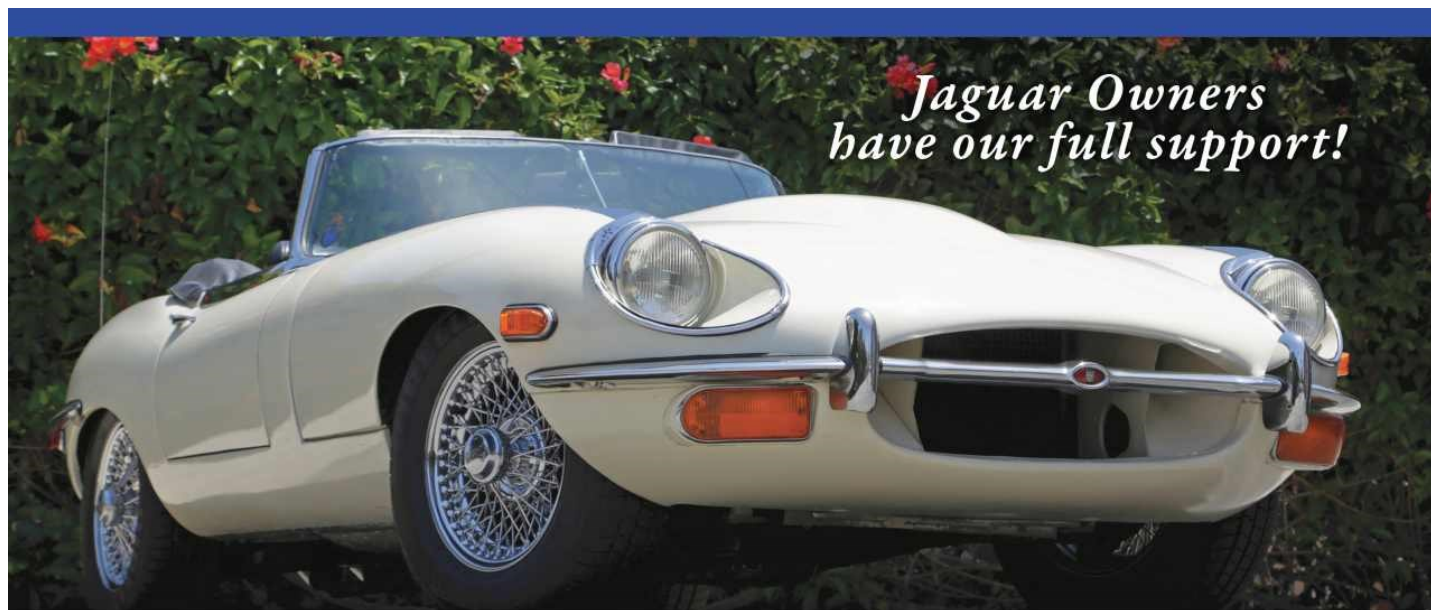
1952 Jaguar XK120



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## 2021 Club Calendar

*Seeded With BMCU Events*

Saturday March 27  
4th Annual Gary Meldrum Memorial Run to Eureka UT

Saturday April 17  
Ogden Canyon / North Ogden Divide Run

Saturday May 1  
Coalville / Chalk Creek Canyon Run

Saturday June 19  
British Field Day

Saturday August 14  
Trapper's Loop Run

Monday September 6  
State Street Cruise

Saturday September 25  
Alpine Loop Run

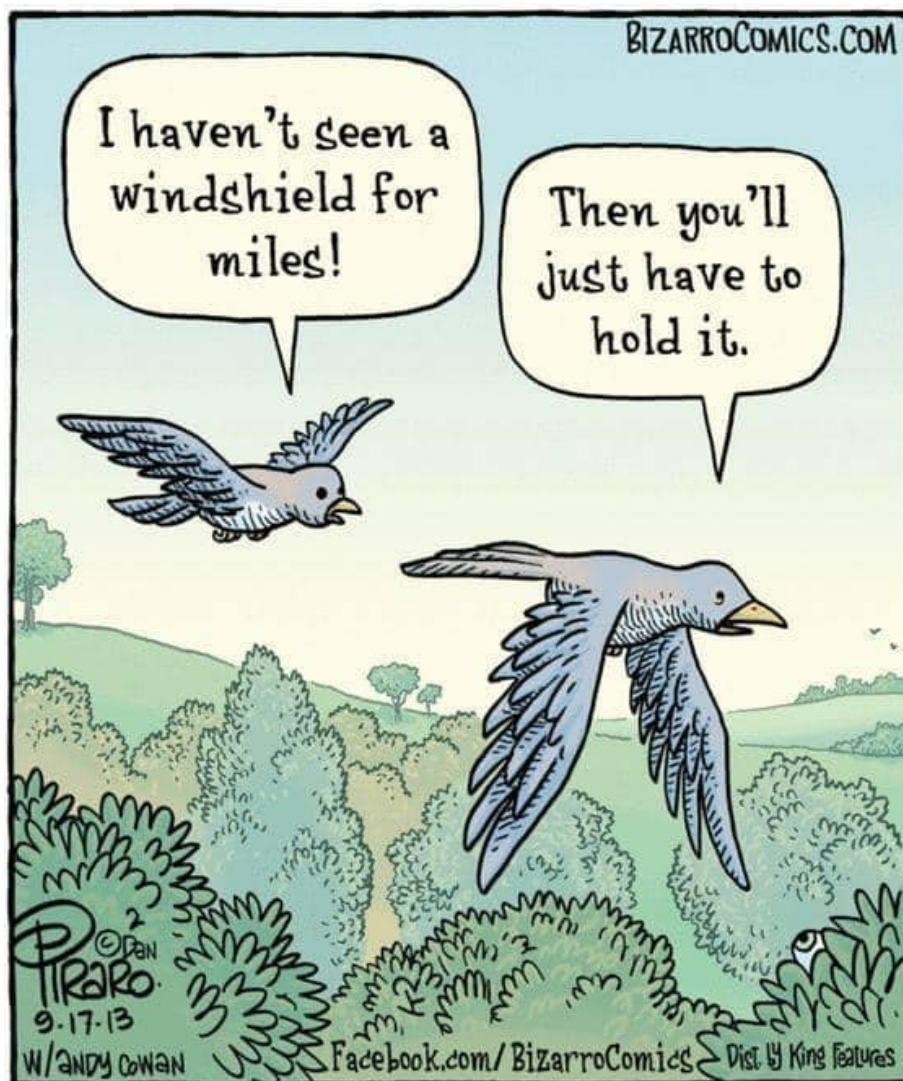
Saturday October 9  
Nebo Loop / Fall Color Tour



## Ongoing

9am—noonish Third Sunday of Each Month  
Park City Cars and Coffee  
Hugo Coffee  
1794 Olympic Parkway, Kimball Junction

WMJR members have a standing invitation to participate in events of the [British Motor Club of Utah](#). Here is their [calendar](#) of events



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Noah Had Whiskers  
In The Ark  
But He Wouldn't Get By  
On A Bench In The Park  
—*Burma Shave, 1934*

