

# THE GASLINE

# Brandywine Motorsport Club, Inc.

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August 2010

#### **BMC MEETING**

Tuesday, August 3rd @ Matilda's Restaurant, Rte 896, Newark, Dela. 6:30 P.M. dinner / 7 P.M. Meeting

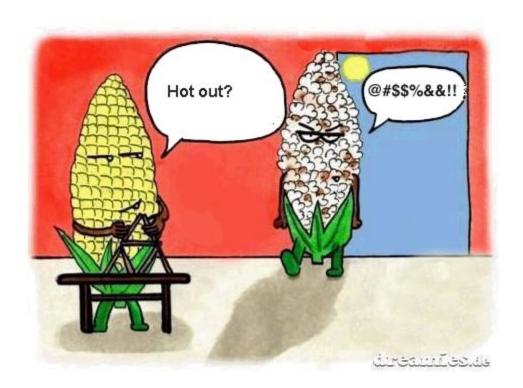
#### **Chair Chatter**

I hope this month finds everyone handling the heat; the high temps make it hard to enjoy outdoor activities. Keep BMC member, Dan McIntosh in your thoughts over the next few weeks. Dan has embarked on a journey across the USA in his newly restored Triumph TR3. He is driving across America to help promote The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society's mission to cure blood cancers. Dan lost his wife, Bernice McIntosh, to lymphoma and he has decided to travel across the country to raise funds and awareness of these blood cancers. Dan was driving his car at the last autocross as a pre-trip test for the car. I encourage BMC members to help support Dan. Check out the website at: <a href="https://www.de.llsevent.org/coasttocoastforacure">www.de.llsevent.org/coasttocoastforacure</a>. We look forward to having him share his experiences when he returns home.

The August 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting will have more from our Webmaster, Shawn Dewey, on the details of how our website is progressing. He may also have a race report from Grand Am race weekend, where he qualified 6<sup>th</sup> in class in a field of 29 cars. We will also be having our 3<sup>rd</sup> autocross in just a few weeks on Saturday, August 14<sup>th</sup>. We need to figure a way to bring out some Ice Cream for Ed.

Tell your friends and bring out others that may be interested in joining the club. See you on the  $3^{rd}$ . *Chilling Out*,

Paul Alderman



# BMC Meeting Highlights 6 July 2010

The BMC General Meeting, held at Matilda's Restaurant, was attended by 17 members and one guest.

*Treasury:* Willis Weldin reported a balance of \$5,780.50. *Membership:* Willis Weldin reported that we currently have 62 members, with two new members.

*Rally:* Dave Teter reported on a rally he attended and noted that he now has the maximum of 100 National points.

AutoCross: Dave Dabell reported that the June 26 at the Glasgow site had 34 cars on a very hot day. Asphalt temperatures at 127°F. Three clubs attended: BMC, PCA, and BCC. The event was attended by two PCA-National execs.

*Gasline:* Correction was made on the cost of the PCA meeting buffet. Articles for the Gasline were solicited.

*Old Business:* Shawn Dewey has info for BMC web site. In the future, those responsible for activities will be able to add items to the website. There will be unlimited space for photos.

*Social:* Paul Alderman stated that we need a Social Chair. Discussed the possibility of a group event at Mid-Atlantic Grand Prix go-kart track.

*Program:* Crazy4Carz.com's Steve Gray and Jimmy Biggs discussed their car event video business and web site.

Respectfully Submitted by Kathe Worrell, Secretary. Condensed, and Edited by Jim Irons .

#### **New BMC Members**

Welcome to new BMC members Peter Hayes, Gregory Rogers, and Peter and Annie Renzetti.

#### **Rally Notes**

Rally activity that I am aware of seems to be going slower and slower as the summer wears on. Of course, we have no activity of our own just now. The nearest one is the weekend of August 7th and 8th, with South Jersey Region staging an event on each day. Both events employ a Tour Rally course like the March Lamb's. It's less than an hour drive to the start location in Jersey. If interested, get in touch with me for more info.

My recent activity includes a trip to St. Louis for a pair of National events. We finished 6th on the Course event and 4th on the Tour event; just a so-so result. Dave Teter

#### **2010 BMC Executive Committee**

Club Chair – Paul Alderman Secretary – Kathy Worrell Treasurer/Membership – Willis Weldin II Autocross Chair – Dave Dabell Rally Chair – Dave Teter Gasline Editor – Jim Irons Property Custodian – Marilyn Alderman Member-At-Large – George Alderman

#### **Proud Parent**



### **Photos From New Jersey Motorsports Park - July 17 2010**





**BMCMember Shawn Dewey Driving in Continental Tire Challenge Race** 



**Continental Tire Challenge Race Field** 



**Rolex Grand Am Daytona Prototypes** 



# **AUTOCROSS III**



## **Delaware Region PCA & Brandywine Motorsport Club**



### **SATURDAY AUGUST 14, 2010**

Keene Elementary School
200 LaGrange Ave.
Glasgow Delaware 19702
One traffic light east of Rte 896 on Rte 40
Behind YMCA



Setup 8:30 AM Registration 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM

Entry Fee: \$25 – PCA & BMC Members: \$20 Trophies awarded by Class

#### Rules

- NO OPEN EXHAUST Effective muffler required.
- Approved helmet, seatbelts, and valid drivers license required. Loaner helmets will be available.
- Vehicles must pass safety and technical inspection.
- All contestants, workers, and guests must sign a *release and waiver of liability*. Parent/guardian signatures required for those under 18.
- All cars are welcome to compete. SCCA Solo 2 Rules and Classifications will generally be followed. We reserve the right to modify/interpret these rules to suit the spirit of the competition.

To register and reserve your car number or more info contact:

Dave Dabell or George Alderman

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302-834-9706 302-373-2111

Provide your name, contact info, preferred car number, make, model, and year of car. We will confirm by email or phone.