

- **10 Feb 25**—Annual **Drive Your Triumph Day**, in honor of the birthday of Sir John Black. Get your TR out for some photos and email them to event organizer Rye Livingston, Triumph Travelers Sports Car Club, at driveyourtriumphday@gmail.com and to the *Exhaust Notes* editor.
- **16 Feb 25—Polar Bear!** SLTOA's traditional first drive of the New Year. Meet at the Westport parking lot along Westport Plaza Drive, between the Fee Fee Rd and Progress Parkway entrances around 10:30 AM. Driver's meeting at 10:45, cars roll at 11:00, end of run lunch at the Wildwood Pub & Grill, 17253 New College Ave.
- 18 Feb 25—Monthly SLTOA meeting, Lazy River Grill, 631 Big Bend Rd, Ballwin
- 18 Mar 25—Monthly SLTOA meeting.
- 23 Mar 25—SLTOA Where's Spring?! Drive, details TBA.
- 20 Apr 25—Annual Triumph-MG Challenge, in association with the Horseless Carriage Club of Missouri Forest Park Easter Concours. Details to follow.
- **23-26 Apr 25—South Central VTR/Triumphs on the Brazos**, in Bellmead (Waco) Texas, celebrating 60 years of the Spitfire Mk 2. Hosted by the Red River Triumph Club; host hotel is the Holiday Inn & Suites. More to follow, monitor <u>https://redrivertriumphclub.org</u>.
- **16-20 Jun 25—TRA National Meet**, in Kalamazoo, Michigan. Host hotel is the Holiday Inn & Suites, Kalamazoo, more info at <a href="https://www.triumphregister.com/national-meet">https://www.triumphregister.com/national-meet</a>.
- **15-19 Jul 25—VTR National**, hosted by the Minnesota Triumphs Sports Car Club in LaCrosse, Wisconsin. Celebrating the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the TR4A, host hotel is the Radisson Hotel LaCrosse, monitor <u>www.mntriumphs.org/vtr2025/</u>.
- **29 Aug-1 Sept 25—2025 Kastner Cup**, Lime Rock Park, Connecticut. Sponsored by The Friends of Triumph, info at <a href="https://kastnercup.com">https://kastnercup.com</a>.
- **2-5 Oct 25—6-Pack Trials**, 'Moonshine On the Mountains," at Fontana Dam, North Carolina. Info at <u>https://jimholewka.wixsite.com/trials2025</u>.
- **5-8 Oct 25—Vintage Triumphest 2025**, hosted by the Triumph Club of Southern California in Buellton. Celebrating the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the TR3, host hotel is the Santa Ynez Valley Marriott, monitor <u>https://www.triumphclubsocal.com</u> and <u>https://www.facebook.com/Triumphest/</u>.

#### **St Louis/Metro East LBC Events**

- 30 Jan 25-MG Club of St Louis RUBCO, Silver Pancake House, 9983 Manchester Rd, 9-11 AM
- **17 Feb 25**—MG Club of St Louis **Tech Session No. 2**, It's Alive Automotive, 11714 St Charles Rock Rd, 5:30-7:30 PM. Polishing your car and other improvements, come early for dinner!
- 23 Feb 25—Jaguar Association of Greater St Louis Rallye to Jefferson City, for a private tour of the state capitol, ice cream and more.. Meet at the StL Bread Company, 16508 Manchester Rd, Wildwood at 8:45 for registration, coffee and a bagel, lunch will take place at Oscar's Classic Diner in Jeff City. Please RSVP to Jim Hendrix at jhendrix@curtispack.com (314)406-2481 or Phil Taxman at ssjagman@aol.com (314)761-5913.
- 27 Feb 25—MG Club of St Louis RUBCO, Golden Oak Pancake House, 7289 Watson Rd, 9-11 AM.
- 1 Mar 25—JAGSL Coffee, Coffee and Cars, at Just Jags, 7113 N. Hanley Rd, 9 AM-12 noon. Talk cars, have coffee

- **10 Mar 25**—MGCStL **Tech Session No. 2**, at It's Alive Automotive, 11714 St Charles Rock Rd. Polishing your car and other improvements, 5:30-7:30 PM, come early for dinner!
- 16 Mar 25—MG Club of St Louis annual Pinewood Derby, at Bar-K, 4565 McRee Ave, St Louis, 1-4 PM.
- **17 Mar 25**—MGCStL **Tech Session No. 3**, at Past & Present Auto Supply, 2020 S Old Highway 94 #3725, St Charles, 6-7:30 PM. Bob Bentzinger will talk about auto electricals.
- **22 Mar 25**—JAGSL **It's Alive Tour/Tech Session**, 11714 St Charles Rock Rd. Meet around 9:30, tour begins at 10 AM and Jeff will serve lunch.
- **19 Apr 25**—Annual Gateway Healey Association **Wash-Up/Tune-Up**. Traditional pre-Forest Park Concours gathering at Keith Bester's garage, 115 N Sappington Rd, Kirkwood. More to follow.

### **Regional LBC Events**

- **29 Mar 25—New Orleans British Motoring Festival**, on the north shore of Lake Pontchartrain in Covington, Louisiana. Host hotel is the Holiday Inn Covington, 45 Louis Prima Drive, 3.6 miles from the Covington Trailhead event site. Info at <a href="https://www.bmcno.org/2025-british-motoring-festival/">https://www.bmcno.org/2025-british-motoring-festival/</a>.
- **30 May-01 Jun 25—2025 Champagne British Car Festival**, 34<sup>th</sup> year, in Bloomington, Illinois. The festival includes Sunday's all-British car show, with Jaguar serving as this year's featured marque. Other activities include a British pub reception, Cars & Coffee, guided drive, boot sale, banquet and silent auction. Online registration will go live in February, in the meantime call up <a href="https://iflbcc.club/2025-champagne-british-car-festival-celebrates-its-34th-year-in-central-illinois/">https://iflbcc.club/2025-champagne-british-car-festival-celebrates-its-34th-year-in-central-illinois/</a> for more information. Hosted by the Illinois Flatland British Car Club, SLTOA will send a contingent.
- **27-28 Jun 25—Brits At the Post**, hosted by the Greater Ozarks British Motoring Club. At the American Legion Post 639, 2660 S Scenic Drive, Springfield, Missouri. Show opens at 9 AM, awards at 2:30 PM, food and drink provided by Boy Scout Troop 1890. More details to follow, in the meantime monitor <u>https://gobmccarshow.com/</u>.
- **7-8 Sept 25—Heartland All British Car & Cycle Meet**, in Merriam, Kansas. Hosted by the Kansas City Triumphs Sports Car Club. Info at <a href="http://www.heartlandallbritish.com/index.html">http://www.heartlandallbritish.com/index.html</a>.

# Vintage Racing

- **11-13 Apr 25**—Heartland Vintage Racing/National Auto Sport Association MidAmerica **vintage racing** at Ozarks International Raceway, 29211 MO 135, Gravois Mills. JAGSL's Phil Taxman will compete in his E-Type FHC. Info at <a href="https://ozarksinternationalraceway.com/event/nasa-midamerica-2025-1/">https://ozarksinternationalraceway.com/event/nasa-midamerica-2025-1/</a>.
- 24-27 Apr 25—2025 The Mitty, hosted by Historic Sportscar Racing (HSR) at Michelin Raceway Road Atlanta, Brazelton, Georgia. Ten featured races, car club corrals, vendors and more. Info at <a href="https://www.roadatlanta.com/hsr-mitty">https://www.roadatlanta.com/hsr-mitty</a>,
- **15-18 May 25—Road America May Speedtour**, hosted by Sportscar Vintage Racing Association (SVRA) at Road America, Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin. Monitor <u>https://svra.com/events/</u>.
- **12-15 Jun 25—Indy Speedtour**, hosted by SVRA at Indianapolis Motor Speedway, Indiana. Monitor <a href="https://svra.com/events/">https://svra.com/events/</a>.
- 19-22 Jun 25—Mid-Ohio Speedtour, hosted by SVRA at Mid-Ohio Sports Car Course, Lexington, Ohio. Monitor <a href="https://svra.com/events/">https://svra.com/events/</a>.
- **17-20 Jul 25—WeatherTech Vintage Weekend with Brian Redman**, Road America, Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin. This year's featured marques are historic Formula 1 cars; other events include an invitational for historic US Road Racing Championship (USRRC) cars. Info at <u>https://www.roadamerica.com/weathertech-vintage-weekend-brian-redman</u>.
- **12-14 Sept 25—Ariens Art on Wheels**, presented by the Vintage Sports Car Drivers Association (VSCDA) at Road America, Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin. Info at <a href="https://www.roadamerica.com/ariens-art-wheels-vintage-weekend-vscda">https://www.roadamerica.com/ariens-art-wheels-vintage-weekend-vscda</a>.

### Competition

- **16 Mar 25**—St Louis Region SCCA **Autocross/Solo Novice School**, Family Arena. Registration and brief driver's meeting at 7:30 AM, \$125 entry fee. Non-SCCA members will need to pay a \$20 weekend membership fee at the time of online registration. Attendance limited to 24 students, registration up and operating 1 February, call up <a href="https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/2024-st-louis-solo-novice-school-family-arena-scca-154387">https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/2024-st-louis-solo-novice-school-family-arena-scca-154387</a>.
- **30 Mar 25**—Boeing Sports Car Club **Autocross**, first of nine events, Family Arena, St Charles. Grab a helmet, show around 9-9:30, \$50 for six runs. For more information or to get on the email list, contact Racer Steve at sshab@yahoo.com.
- **11-13 Apr 25—SCCA Road Racing Extravaganza** at World Wide Technology Raceway, including Majors road racing on Saturday and Sunday. Info at <u>https://www.stlscca.org/road--racing-extravaganza-april-11-12-13-at-world-wide-technology-raceway/</u>.
- **13 Apr 25**—St Louis Region SCCA **Autocross No. 1**, Family Arena, St Charles. Be in line for check-in by 8 AM, \$45 early registration (\$55 for late registration), plus \$20 non-member weekend membership. Call up <a href="https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/">https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/</a> for info/fees/requirements.\_
- **27 Apr 25**—Boeing Sports Car Club **Autocross No 2**, Family Arena, St Charles. Grab a helmet, show around 9-9:30, \$50 for six runs. For more information or to get on the email list, contact Racer Steve at sshab@yahoo.com.
- **2-4 May 25**—St Louis Region SCCA **TireRack Street Car Shootout and Autocross/Solo No 2**, Family Arena, St Charles. Call up <u>https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/</u> for info/fees/requirements.\_
- **6-8 Jun 25—69<sup>th</sup> WeatherTech Chicago Region SCCA June Sprints**, Road America, Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin. Details at <u>https://www.roadamerica.com/weathertech-chicago-region-scca-june-sprints</u>.
- 8 Jun 25—St Louis Region SCCA Autocross/Solo No. 3, Family Arena, St Charles. Call up <a href="https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/">https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/</a> for info/fees/requirements.\_
- **22 Jun 25**—Boeing Sports Car Club **autocross No 4**, Family Arena, St Charles. Grab a helmet, show around 9-9:30, \$50 for six runs. For more information or to get on the email list, contact Racer Steve at sshab@yahoo.com.
- **29** Jun 25—St Louis Region SCCA Autocross/Solo No. 4, Family Arena, St Charles. Call up <a href="https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/">https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/</a> for info/fees/requirements.\_
- **13 Jul 25**—Boeing Sports Car Club **Autocross No 5**, Family Arena, St Charles. Grab a helmet, show around 9-9:30, \$50 for six runs. For more information or to get on the email list, contact Racer Steve at sshab@yahoo.com.
- **20** Jul 25—St Louis Region SCCA Autocross/Solo No. 5, Family Arena, St Charles. Call up <a href="https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/">https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/</a> for info/fees/requirements.\_
- **8 Jun 25**—St Louis Region SCCA **Autocross/Solo No. 6**, Family Arena, St Charles. Call up <u>https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/</u> for info/fees/requirements.\_
- **10 Aug 25**—Boeing Sports Car Club **Autocross No 6**, Family Arena, St Charles. Grab a helmet, show around 9-9:30, \$50 for six runs. For more information or to get on the email list, contact Racer Steve at sshab@yahoo.com.
- **14 Sept 25**—St Louis Region SCCA **Autocross/Solo No. 7**, Family Arena, St Charles. Call up <a href="https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/">https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/</a> for info/fees/requirements.\_
- **27 Sept 25**—Boeing Sports Car Club **Autocross No 7**, Family Arena, St Charles, on Saturday. Grab a helmet, show around 9-9:30, \$50 for six runs. For more information or to get on t7e email list, contact Racer Steve at sshab@yahoo.com.
- **28 Sept 25**—St Louis Region SCCA **Autocross/Solo No. 8**, Family Arena, St Charles. Call up <a href="https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/">https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/</a> for info/fees/requirements.\_
- **5 Oct 25—61<sup>st</sup> SCCA National Championship Runoffs,** Road America, Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin. Details at <a href="https://www.roadamerica.com/sccca-national-championship-runoffs">https://www.roadamerica.com/sccca-national-championship-runoffs</a>.
- **19 Oct 25**—St Louis Region SCCA **Autocross/Solo No. 9**, Family Arena, St Charles. Call up <u>https://www.stlscca.org/autocross/schedule/</u> for info/requirements.\_

- **26 Oct 25**—Boeing Sports Car Club **autocross No 8**, Family Arena, St Charles. Grab a helmet, show around 9-9:30, \$50 for six runs. For more information or to get on the email list, contact Racer Steve at sshab@yahoo.com.
- **16 Nov 25**—Boeing Sports Car Club **autocross No 9**, Family Arena, St Charles. Grab a helmet, show around 9-9:30, \$50 for six runs. For more information or to get on the email list, contact Racer Steve at sshab@yahoo.com.

## Other

- **9 Feb 25—Belleville Automotive Swap Meet**, at the Belle-Clair Fairgrounds, 200 South Belt East, Belleville. General admission \$4.00, open 6 AM-1 PM. For info including vendor spaces, call Kevin Kulp (618)616-8715.
- 19 Apr 25—Cars & Coffee/Amp Up should resume, 13901 Manchester Rd, 8-11 AM.
- 20 Apr 25—Horseless Carriage Club of Missouri Forest Park Easter Concours, incorporating the annual MG-Triumph Challenge. Details to follow.
- **21-29 Jun 25—The Great Race 2025**, St Paul, Minnesota to Lake Murray, South Carolina. The route includes an overnight stop in Springfield, Illinois, more to follow.

St Louis Region Car Shows and Cruises: https://www.stlouiscoachmen.com/car-shows-special-events