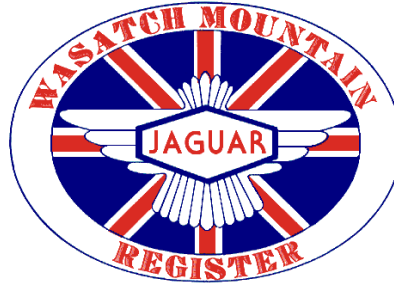


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Newsletter of the  
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December 2021



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## WMJR Christmas Party

### 6pm Tuesday December 7 Red Lobster in Murray UT

Well, the pandemic wiped out plans for our Christmas party in 2020 and left us, well, holding the bag (of gifts).

This year your club is making amends with a renewal of this tradition at the Murray Red Lobster Restaurant.

Folks will be free to order whatever they wish from the menu, along with whatever libations their Inner Elf would like.

Despite the name, the restaurant offers a wide range of entrees including aquatic, terrestrial and herbaceous.

And Your Officers are themselves playing Elves by declaring a \$10 cash dividend per person to offset meal costs payable at check time.

There will be a gift exchange as per previ-

ous years. This year the suggested value has been raised to the munificent level of fifteen dollars (not British pounds).

If you choose to participate please mark your package in accordance with modern pronoun usage: *His / Hers / Theirs*.



It all starts 6pm Tuesday December 7 at the Red Lobster at 298 E. Winchester St., Murray UT.

Thanks to our Activities Committee—Sue, Kay and Liz — for putting this together.

Important: they have asked for a head count for the party by December 5. Please let them know if you are attending, and if so, how many will be in your party (see last page for contact info).



## A Pilgrimage To Where Old Jaguars Go to Die ... And Be Reborn!

Club members who elected to travel back to the Salt Lake Valley over Guardsman Pass from the Midway car show in August will recall my XK140 DHC and I had an embarrassing ride home in a tow truck.

The problem arose from old hoses giving up the ghost in steamy fashion.

Back in the shop I set to work fixing the problem but alas learned the damage done was more than I could deal with.

Of course anything on a Jaguar can be fixed with enough time and money and I decided to invest whatever was needed of both.

So I made arrangements with Walt Osborn at Vintage Jag in Blackfoot ID

to make the engine right.

My contributions besides patience would be (1) removal of the engine, (2) stripping the block and loading it into my truck, (3) delivering it to Blackfoot, and (4) lining up a second mortgage on my home (actually Walt's charges are very reasonable).



also crafted some C-type replicas before that business became trendy and lucrative (see the article in last month's issue).

Anyhow, Walt, now in his late 70s, has moved the business to some property of his in-laws in Blackfoot, Although he no longer

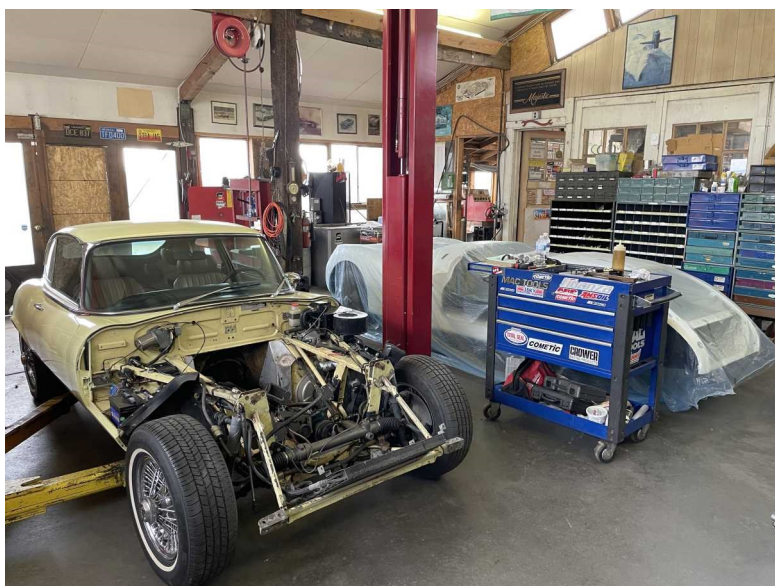
does much wrench spinning himself, the business is alive and prospering with the help of his sons Joe, Rob and Ray and daughter Arlene.

I delivered my engine to Walt on November 19 in an easy day trip with Ken Borg riding shotgun. Here are photos telling the story.



Long time  
WMJR or  
BMCU members  
will no doubt re-  
member Walt  
from the 1970s  
when he ran a  
Jaguar repair  
shop in Murray  
UT specializing  
in engines and  
gearboxes. He

—Gary Lindstrom



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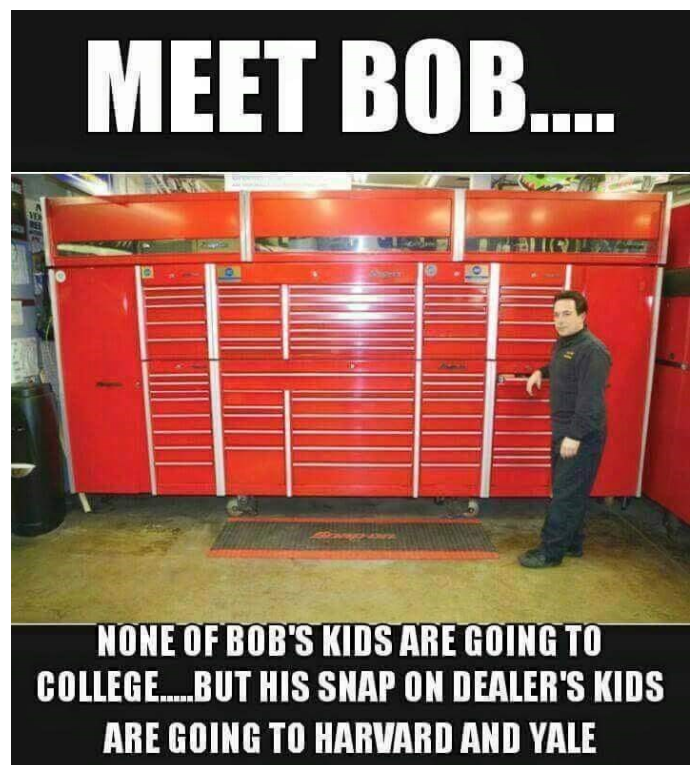
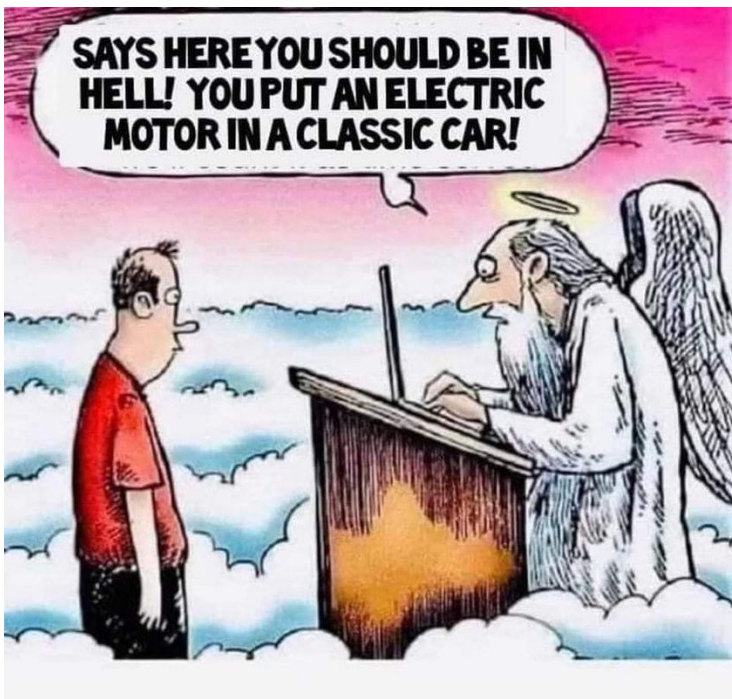
## 2021 Club Calendar

*6pm Tuesday December 7*  
Christmas Party at Red Lobster  
298 E. Winchester St., Murray UT  
See article on [p. 1](#)

### 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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