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Wasatch Mountain Jaguar Register

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www.WMJR1976.org

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Attention all WMJR Club Members

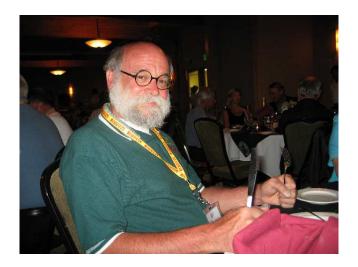
If you haven't paid your 2022 dues now is the time to do so. Please send them to:

Ken Borg, Treasurer, 3581 Hermes Dr. Salt Lake City, UT 84124. Checks should be made out to WMJR.



Our March event should be a fun event for all. We are going to the Classic Cars Int'l Museum 355 W. 700 S. SLC, UT 84101, and then to lunch at The Other Place Restaurant 469 E. 300 S. SLC, UT 84111. We will be meeting at the museum at 11:00 AM, then leaving about 12:30 PM to drive to the restaurant for a 1:00 PM lunch.

As many of you know we have recently lost some members of the WMJR and we would like to pay tribute to each of them.



Gary Lindstrom 1944-2022

The unexpected passing of our friend and mentor, Gary, has created a real void in our club's heart. Gary had been the editor of our newsletter for many years and to many of our members he was the only connection they had to our club. Not only did he excel in his editorial duties, he was an ever present face at all of our activities, as well as those of the BMCU. He was generous to a fault with his time and abilities to assist others in our club with their automotive needs. If you had a problem or concern with your car, whether it was mechanical, electrical or whatever... Gary volunteered his time and effort to assist. He was not just willing to help, but anxious to help and mentor anyone. He was willing to come to your garage, or have you come to his, complete with his lift and other diagnostic devices.

When it came to cars, Gary was a true enthusiast and anglophile. Over the years he had assembled an enviable collection, including an MG TD, Triumph TR-3, Jaguar XK120 OTS, Jaguar XK140 DHC, Aston Martin DB2/4, and an Alvis DHC. He was always looking for that next car to add to his stable.

Gary thrived on driving his cars, and could always be counted on to drive in the BMCU and Jaguar activities. During the months of good weather, he could be found making an early morning impromptu run up Emigration Canyon to make certain everything was in good working order...and it was always a treat to him. We will miss those opportunities.

As a club, we may never completely fill the void that he has left. Thank you Gary, for your friendship, kindness, generosity, and all you have contributed to WMJR over the years. May you RIP.

Ken Borg WMJR Treasurer

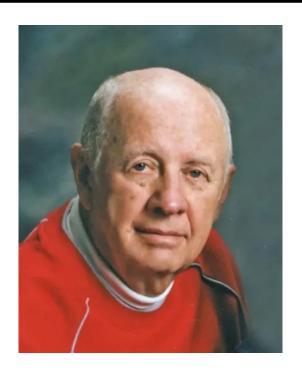
Memories of Gary Lindstrom











Art Pasker 1933 - 2021

We were all sorry to learn of the passing of our friend, Art, on this past Christmas Eve. Apparently he had been fighting a battle with cancer for some time, which we did not know. Art was ever present whenever we had a reason to display our cars, and his beautiful Mark V was always a prize winner. It was so beautiful and distinctive, it always gathered a crowd of onlookers. He enjoyed showing his car and explaining the painstaking process he went through to restore it to its present state. As you know, Art was an architect, and while investigating an abandoned building that was scheduled to be demolished, he found the forlorn Jaguar that had been neglected for many years. Art had the desire and patience to restore the car and we all benefited from his labor. He will be missed at our club activities. The club has expressed our sympathy to Martha, and we are happy that she is continuing the Pasker membership in WMJR.

Ken Borg WMR Treasurer

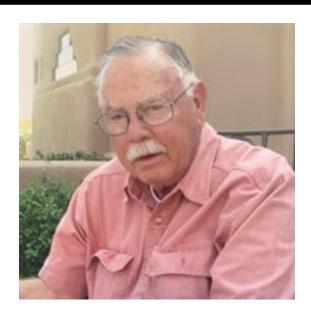
Memories of Art Pasker











Richard "Pat" Albert Patterson 1937 - 2021

Late in 2021, the club received a note from Janet Patterson to let us know that her husband "Pat" had passed away in the Fall of the year. She said he had been ill for some time, and unable to drive his beloved "S Type" Jaguar. She also mentioned how much they appreciated the club for welcoming them as members and enjoyed showing their car in the Park City Concours over the years. We always enjoyed their company at our fall BBQ as well, and will miss them. Our sympathy was extended to Janet upon hearing this sad news.

Ken Borg WMJR Treasurer

Memories of Pat Patterson







James Michael Pennington 1950 - 2021

Mike was new a member of our club, who was not known to many club members. He was a Jaguar purist, having personally just restored the engine of his pride and joy, a 1986 XJS. He also owned a 1996 XJ6 Vanden Plas. Unfortunately we just learned that Mike suffered a fatal heart attack on December 15, 2021. We as club members feel sorry that we didn't have the opportunity to get to know him better.

Ken Borg WMJR Treasurer



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New website and google group wmjr1976.org groups.google.com/g/wmjr1976

With the passing of Gary Lindstrom we have had to create a new website and new google group for our club.

The new website still has all of the past newsletters, and we will continue to put the current newsletter on there monthly. We will also be updating the calendar on there, as we get more information on each event. The website will have the most current information on events.

Unfortunately we were unable to access most of the pictures from 2001 to 2015. If any club member has any of these pictures it would greatly be appreciated if you could forward them to Jackson Jennings at wmjr1976@gmail.com

We asked all members to reverify their email address and then we created a new google group. We have sent an email to all of the members asking if they received the email. We have not heard from some of you, so please check your spam folder to see if you received the email and reply if you did receive it. We will be sending notifications to the new group only beginning March 7, 2022. If you did not receive an email invitation to the new group please email Susan Jennings at suz.jennings@gmail.com.

2022 Club Calendar

March 19th
Automobile Tour & Lunch

April 9th
Antelope Island Drive & Picnic

May

Tour to HAFB Aerospace Museum and lunch at Taste of Britain Restaurant

June 18 British Field Day

July

Rallye with Austin Healey Club or/and Drive to Huntsville for lunch

August 20th Jaguar Club Show in Midway

September 24
Fall color drive and BBQ at Jennings

October 22 Halloween Party at Klekas Home

December Christmas Party w/Gift Exchange

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