MIDSTATE MIATA CLUB OF NY "MIATA MEANDERINGS" NEWSLETTER

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President's Letter from Karen McKissock, October 2020





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Well things haven't exactly 'fallen' into place as we hoped this year but we have to agree it's been beautiful weather to do nothing. I wish I had a crystal ball to predict the end of all of this but I don't. However, I have several things to share in this newsletter.

- 1. Holiday Party the response from the quick survey done recently indicated we don't have enough people interested in the party for us to proceed. Therefore, please consider it CANCELLED. We have reserved the first Sunday in December in 2021 (12/6/21) to hold our annual brunch. More details will follow and we are very sorry to be unable to share some holiday spirit with all of you. We look forward to it all year but better safe than sorry.
- 2. As an alternative idea, we're going to set up a Zoom call/meeting on December 5, 2020 in the late afternoon so that those that want to do a holiday toast together can participate live via video. Shouldn't take more than 10 minutes but it's an opportunity to 'get together'. I'll make sure the instructions are clear and easy to join. Until then, don't do too much toasting without me.

- 3. Just a quick reminder that 2021 is a club election year. I'll be sending out the process with reminders of the job descriptions and the election process. Watch for it in early December and please think about joining the leadership team or someone you can nominate for President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. These are the only elected positions.
- 4. Area Rep **HELP WANTED** we need to thank Steve Stewart for many, many years as the Rochester Area Rep and will be sad to see him 'retire' into a private citizen. However, we need a replacement for him. Job duties follow:
 - 1. Section L. Area Representatives Area Representatives shall be responsible for distributing Club communications to the members in their geographic area as well as sharing input from those members as it may occur. Area Reps will also collect member input for attendance to events and contact the Event Coordinator with the final results.
- 5. Winter breakfasts Just floating ideas out there but each area might consider their comfort level with a monthly breakfast in their area to help move the winter along. Of course, it depends on the progress of the Covid.

I think that about covers this month but I truly hope you are all staying safe and that your families are all well. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or issues you might have. Thanks!

Karen McKissock
MMC President

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NOTICE: Deadline for the November newsletter is October 27th, Tuesday. This includes all post event reports, new events, updated upcoming events including, <u>more details for upcoming events including meeting times</u>, and corrections.

Please sent them to <u>John.N.Amon@gmail.com</u>.

REMINDER FOR HOW TO RESPOND TO EVENT ATTENDANCE

To help streamline communications for gathering who is attending our events we will require members to contact the Event Coordinator directly AND copy your Area Representative to help them plan for caravans from your Chapter. You will only need to respond if you are planning to attend, but if you need to cancel last minute you still need to let both parties know so they don't hold up the ride waiting for you. Please pay close attention to the contact info and deadlines.

Event Etiquette

If you have RSVP'd for an event, the event organizer is likely expecting you to attend and will wonder where you are if you fail to show up at the appointed time and place. If you end up not being able to attend, please let the organizer know. Otherwise, the whole group may be unnecessarily delayed waiting for you and it adds undue stress on the poor soul who is running the event. Also, if you contact the organizer on the day of the event, please don't use an email, use a direct phone call.

CLUB LOGO APPAREL

We are about to start the driving season and it is a perfect time to update your wardrobe. If you are jealous of other members you see wearing clothes with the club logo, there is no need. Club apparel can be ordered through Land's End. You go through the club website and follow the "Club Apparel" link, http://www.midstatemiata.net/club apparel. Then select the "Our e-store web link" that will direct you to Lands End. Once you select your item(s), make sure you adjust the thread colors to contrast the item. (Not much point in black thread on a black fleece.) Don't be shy about calling them for help and make sure they know what you want. If you want to save some money and aren't in a hurry, get on their email list to be notified of sales. They periodically offer free logos and/or free shipping.

CHAPTER REPRESENTATIVES

If you have found this newsletter on our Club website or been forwarded it by someone and you are a member, please contact your area representative as your email in the membership database is likely wrong. You should also check your junk email folder as it may have been filed there by mistake. We have four Chapters in the Midstate Miata Club of New York and four hardworking Chapter Representatives. You can contact them anytime with any questions that you have about the Club. Their contact information is always on the last page of the Newsletter. The geographic Chapters, names, phone numbers, and email addresses are listed here also.

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Ithaca Area Representative	Gail Wagner	607-257-7445	gwtr3red@gmail.com

IMPORTANT CLUB WORLD WIDE WEB SITES

Here are a couple websites that you should know about.

Our Club has a website that most of you know about.

http://www.midstatemiata.net/

Our Club also has a Facebook page that most of you do not know about.

https://www.facebook.com/MidState-Miata-Club-of-New-YorkInc-264163837256529/

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We welcome you to the MidState Miata Club of New York! Ordinarily, we would be busy enjoying our Miatas with friends. We would have gone on several drives, enjoyed meals, and even gotten ice cream. This year we have only gotten an ice cream or three. We do not know how this will play out concerning the COVID-19 pandemic, but we are following the situation closely.

I encourage you to try to get out to an ice cream night. We will be following the guidelines, wearing a face mask and practicing social distancing. This will be a little strange. People may not come up to you and welcome you to the Club and talk about your car as much as normal. Please know that this has nothing to do with you and everything to do with the pandemic.

We are asking all the 2020 new members to keep your round red sticker on your ID badge for 2020 and 2021 so we can say "Hi" and "Welcome to the Club" when things get back to normal.

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Please be aware that our driving season will be affected by the COVID-19 virus. Be sure to watch for <u>updates from your Area Representative</u> as each event gets closer.

Stay safe. Save lives.

Before you put the finishing touches on your event consider reviewing the results of the spring 2020 poll. The poll is on our website thanks to Lee Maddy.

http://www.midstatemiata.net/yahoo_site_admin/assets/docs/ Poll_Report_2020_Spring_Numbered.70160006.pdf

You may be able to adjust the way you normally host it to better serve the membership. For example on the third question "What part of the events you have attended did you find LEAST enjoyable?" one person said "Driving too slowly" and another person said "Too high speed". Maybe in your event description, you could say something about the expected driving speed. You could say Spirited Drive or Relaxed Drive or something along those lines. Maybe include the distance to be driven and when rest stops will happen. There is not necessarily a need to change how you run the event but rather just let people know. And people will be happier if they know more about how the event will be run.

SEPTEMBER REPORTS

Sunday, September 13th, Apple Fritter Crawl

Event Coordinator - Lee Maddy & Miriam White, Syracuse Chapter

Rain does not stop diehard Miata fans from completing the Apple Fritter Crawl!

The weather was overcast and the radar showed no rain in the area when four Miatas arrived at the Byrne Dairy in Lafayette. As we drove on Route 20 toward Deer Run, there were some sprinkles but nothing major. The staff at Deer Run were excited to see the Miatas come in for their annual tradition. Hot fresh apple fritters and apple cider donuts were purchased and consumed outside on their porch. The apple trees across the street were straining under the abundance of apples.

Next stop O'Neill's Orchard. As the rain started to fall, the group met under an overhang and tried the thicker darker colored fritters. As we scurry to our cars, it's off to Navarino's Orchard.

Even though the winds increased, and the rain fell harder, apple fritters were purchased and consumed on their porch. Next stop, Beak and Skiff. However, not to the orchard but to the Distillery where it was dry and warm. Under the faithful eye of sheriff deputies, flights of hard cider, an old fashioned and a bloody Mary were welcome drinks out of the pouring rain and wind. A vote was taken and the winner of the favorite fritters was: O'Neill's Orchard. With our tops up and heaters on, another fritter crawl was a success.









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Wednesday, September 16th, Twisty Road Drive NEW EVENT

Event Coordinator - Del Austin, Southern Tier Chapter

Many of us wonder were the Miata summer went. The days are getting shorter, the summer is slipping away. But if you have a road and a destination, and a means to get there plus a Miata in the garage. Well this is the time to turn the TV off, put the book down, and throw the honey to do list in the garbage can.

Here in Binghamton NY we try to get rides in, but sometimes something gets in the way. Well when the Saturday run was canceled, something I was really looking forward to. Lou & Carol Trelease put on great runs, and we here were all looking to get to see old friends, even if they had to wear a mask. Carol had taken a bad fall and broke her wrist.

I called Barbara our area rep. and asked if she wanted a ride that had been in the back of my mind for a while. I was looking at two dates, one Wednesday, and the other Saturday of the same week. The weather was warmer on Wednesday, but both days look as if they would be sunny. After Barbara had sent out a e-mail to the local members, we got our results. Wednesday was the better of the two days and the most people wanting to go. Several said they would go either day, Wednesday it is. At 11:15 we met in Great Bend Pa and at 11:30 six Miata's headed out for a four hour trip. I had a feeling this could be a good Miata run, no highway running all back-country roads, and to my surprise in very good shape. Our destination was Lackawanna State Part north of Scranton Pa. It is a very special place, and the lake and countryside to get there is something to see, and some very curvy roads.

To cut this short, I will be back when the Fall colors are out, and Virginia and our Miata will enjoy the Fall ride. The ride in back of my mind was something very special after the lockup summer. The eleven members and one dog got to drive, eat, and spend some very nice time together. So much so that we will do it all over again. You just have to open the garage door, it's out there. Thanks guys and gal's for a very nice Miata day.





Sunday, September 20th, Canyonball Run around the Pennsylvania Grand Canyon NEW EVENT

Event Coordinator - Karen McKissock, Rochester Chapter

Rob Louden of the ROC City Mini write, "TINA ZWETSCH TOOK THESE ON THE CANYONBALL RUN TODAY...AWESOME TIME...AWESOME PEOPLE...WE COULDN'T ASK FOR BETTER WEATHER...I WANT TO THANK EVERYONE WHO CAME. I HOPE EVERYBODY HAD AN AWESOME TIME...I KNOW I DID...SO...IF YOU MISSED THIS DON'T WORRY, I'M MAKING IT AN ANNUAL DEAL...BUT BE SURE TO HIT GOING AND SHOW UP NEXT YEAR...CAPICHE?"



OCTOBER EVENTS

Sunday, October 4th, Road Rally

Event Coordinator - Ray Mosher, Syracuse Chapter

New Date

The 16th annual Bill Hodge Road Rally will be held on Sunday, Oct 4th. We will meet around noon at the Sleep Inn Motel/Barbagallos Restaurant at 6344 E Molloy Rd, East Syracuse. There is a Speedway gas station next door. We will collect our rally packets and depart at intervals for an afternoon of motoring adventure. We will follow a prescribed course and answer questions about what we see along the roadside. Once we have all returned to the end point, scores will be tallied and the winner announced. Depending upon how long the run takes, lunch should be around 3:00.

Due to the mostly outdoor nature of the post-event celebration, this is a shine only event, but it will be postponed only in the event of a total washout day. A few showers are no big deal (that's why we have tops). Due to the virus, competitor numbers are limited to 12 cars. Masks are required pre and post event. Please contact Ray or Sue Mosher (mosherrskl@yahoo.com) to reserve your spot. Please include your cell number, so we can contact you the day of the event if necessary (our cells are 315 935-6281 and 315 591-2631). We need numbers to assure we have a good showing (but not too good) and that we have rally packets and food for all participants. Note that this event really requires a driver and navigator. The winners get bragging rights and possession of the trophy for a year.

mosherrskL@yahoo.com (the last character is a L, not i) or 315-635-2584 or 315-935-6281

Saturday, October 10th or Sunday 11th, Fall Colors, Country Roads, and Water Falls Event Coordinator – Jerry Willis, Syracuse Chapter

New Event

A drive mostly zooming in Oswego County through winding back woods roads along some lakes and ponds and small family farms. Up to/back from the spectacular 110 ft Salmon Falls Gorge with about a 5 minute walk. Meet 12:30 pm with departure 1:00 pm at the Circle K Convenience Station at corner of RT-31 and South Bay Rd, east of Cicero village. (6406 NY-31, Cicero, N.Y.). About an hour to pitstop, then about 1/2 hour to falls. Plan about 45 minutes or less at the falls, then about 30 minutes to a following pitstop. About a 90 mile round trip and should take about 4 1/2 hours including stops, plus optional ice cream stop at end. (October 10 sunset at 6:29 pm)

o lake 676@hotmail.com or 315-676-3072

NOVEMBER EVENTS

None, but do enjoy Thanksgiving with friends and loved ones in whatever format makes sense at the time. Remember the tough start of the year and remember all those who were ill or we lost. Stay strong. Stay safe.

DECEMBER EVENTS

Sunday, December 6th, Midstate Miata Club on New York Annual Holiday Party Event Coordinator – Mary Lou Reisdorf, Rochester Chapter

Cancelled

Due to concerns with the COVID-10 virus, an informal poll was taken mid-September and most members from all four Chapters indicated that they would not attend this year.

Watch of news of the 2021 Annual Holiday Party, scheduled for December 6th, 2021

TECHNICAL TIPS - 'WENCH WITH A WRENCH'

By Gail Wagner – Midstate Miata Club of NY



WINTER STORAGE TIPS

Hi, Miata Folks,

As I do each fall, it's apropos to print this column again for the Club newbies and as a refresher to us "oldies" as we tuck our Miatas away for their long winter's storage nap.

Below are some tried-and-true pointers I have found invaluable to keep our Miata's in good condition over the long, cold, NY winter and ready for spring reawakening. Warning: Most of you know I am obsessive-compulsive about Miata maintenance. ©

• Change the oil and filter BEFORE storage to remove acids and other waste products that can corrode your motor if you changed it in the spring. I recommend using the OEM Mazda genuine filter or a Mobil One filter with anti-drain back valve in it. (Our Mazda dealer sponsors can give a parts discounts.) Use a good quality motor oil too. I now use Mobil One 100% synthetic. It's your choice to use 100% synthetic oil or real petroleum-based oil but do not mix both together. Use one or the other. (In my opinion, I think the 50/50 blend synthetic on the market is a waste of money.) You can always DIY or buy your own oil and Mazda filter and take it to a trusted mechanic to change for you. (Note: If you wish to switch from petroleum oil to 100% synthetic, just be sure to drain ALL old oil first, then add the 100% synthetic and vice-versa.)

- Wash, wax and thoroughly clean the interior of your car. This includes washing underneath with a hose, especially the wheel wells, to remove dirt. Vacuum inside thoroughly to remove any food crumbs that entice small creatures to picnic on leftover Doritos or the like. Critters can be unbelievably destructive, not to mention their indiscriminate excretory habits. © Consider taking your removable carpets indoors for the winter to prevent becoming musty or mildew-laden. Place a couple of really stinky scented dryer sheets inside the cabin to discourage critters. Important: DO NOT use mothballs; nasty naphthalene fumes are toxic to breathe.
- Check all fluid levels before storage, especially the coolant/antifreeze level. Buy a little hydrometer at an
 auto parts store and check the freeze point or have it checked and coolant flushed/replaced, if necessary,
 before winter. This ain't California, ya' know. Old coolant can corrode the engine, cooling system and heater
 core.
- Fill the gas tank <u>completely</u> to prevent condensation that may contaminate your gasoline and corrode the fuel system. Some, including me, suggest <u>ethanol-free gas.</u> IMPORTANT: <u>add a gasoline stabilizer additive such as "Sta-bil"</u> brand and run the engine to mix it in to prevent the gasoline from becoming "gummy" to prevent clogging injectors from sitting over time.
- Check your tire pressure. Some suggest a slight tire <u>over-inflation</u> may prevent flat spots on your tires if you're not putting the vehicle up on jack stands. (More on jack stands below.)
- Consider placing a sheet of heavy plastic polyethylene sheeting or a large piece of cardboard under the entire vehicle to prevent vapor buildup, plus it's easy to spot any fluid leaks (I hope not!).
- Remove the battery to a warm, dry place (and charge once a month, if possible) OR leave it in the vehicle and consider plugging in a trickle battery charger if you have access to an electrical outlet. Or, merely disconnect the battery terminals and leave the battery in the car which is what I do because my storage space is heated to 40F 24/7. It's a popular myth that the battery will discharge if stored on a concrete floor. It won't, but if you're a non-believer, set it on a piece of wood.
- Wrap the wipers in plastic wrap to prevent the rubber from sticking to the windshield or remove completely and store indoors. I told you I was O-C.
- **Jack Stands**: If you're considering putting your vehicle up on jack stands to prevent flat spots on your tires, don't put the jack stands under the frame as it will stress the rubber bushings in the suspension if the suspension "droops". Try to keep the weight as it is now... that is, put the jack stands under the outer ball joints to approximate it sitting on the ground.
- Release the parking break. If left on, the brake pads may stick to the rotors.
- Exhaust & air intake: Remove the air filter, wrap it in aluminum foil and replace it for critter-nesting defense. Cover the end of the exhaust pipe with aluminum foil to prevent warm, fuzzy critters from nesting and causing havoc. Note: A plastic orange juice bottle top (such as Tropicana) fits snugly over the exhaust tip of NC's. Again, do not use toxic moth balls.
- **IMPORTANT:** leave yourself a little note taped to the steering wheel to remind yourself to move the aluminum foil from the intake air filter and exhaust pipe or the car won't start and you'll be wondering why. Also, note any maintenance issues you might want to address in the spring so you don't forget, i.e., new wipers, fluid replacement, coolant flush, new tires, etc.

- Insurance: You might be tempted to cancel your auto insurance when your vehicle is in storage, that is to cancel completely the Collison insurance and just keep Fire and Theft only. Although that might initially save money, there is a chance that the insurance company will raise your rates due to the gap in coverage when you re-insure which could cost you more in the long run. This can vary based on where you live and who your provider is so contact your insurance company to see what options are available to you. Also, it's a pain in the neck to remove license plates and get new plates or store at DMV each fall and spring with accompanying paperwork, standing in line, etc. I personally keep all insurance coverage 100% while in storage. (I insure with Haggerty it's so inexpensive for great coverage older Miatas.)
- Car Cover: Consider a good, ventilated, <u>breathable</u> car cover to allow water vapor to leave the vehicle surface and to keep dust and dirt off the finish as well as any felines who love to sleep on convertible tops.
- Lock the doors, give 'er a little pat on the fender and say, "See you in April".

Zoom Zoom Safely!

Gail

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Please note these tips are not reviewed or approved by the Mazda Motor Corporation or any other corporation or entity other than the originator. The Midstate Miata Club of NY does not accept any liability for damage or injury as a result of utilizing these tips and pointers. Please use common sense and always remember safety first!

MEMBER INTRODUCTIONS

Would you like to introduce yourself to the other Club members? Are you a new member to the Club or a seasoned member? Both groups are encouraged to submit. You will write a short article describing some of the things that you like to do, and those things may or may not include your Miata. Maybe a great drive or trip you have taken, maybe your favorite hobby. Really anything that interests you! The article would be approximately unto a page in length including a photo our two, maybe with you in your Miata.

If you are interested, please email, text, or call me. Or I may just call you to ask if you could write something. Come on Syracuse, Rochester, and the Southern Tier, you must have someone to tell a story!

Anyone interested in telling a story?

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MIATAS & MIATA ITEMS WANTED & FOR SALE

This is a new section of your newsletter. It will feature Miata items for sale. Most, if not all of them, are also listed on your Club website. If you have a Miata item for sale and would like it to be included in our newsletter please send me the information. John.N.Amon@gmail.com. If you would like the item to be posted on the website please send Lee Maddy the information. mrmiataman@yahoo.com. Include a heading, description, your name and contact information (phone, email, address maybe), maybe the price, and a photo or two.

WANTED

Wish List for Miata Purchase:

- 2007 to 2016 with retractable hard top
- Automatic Transmission
- Cruise Control
- Exterior Color: Do not want black, white, or silver. ALL other exterior colors considered.
- Interior Color: First choice Tan, Second choice Black

Do you have a car that meets these requirements or do you know someone who does? Doug has recently joined our Club and is searching for his Miata!

Contact Doug Tabit

cb400f@frontiernet.net

585-545-8079

FOR SALE

One new, unused, Continental Dry/Wet Extreme Contact Summer Performance Tire 205/ZR16. Paid \$90, sell for \$20. (I changed brands and this was an extra.)

Call Gail 607-227-8877 in Ithaca.



Opinion of John Amon

VOTE!!!

New York State launched an online portal where all registered voters can request an absentee ballot if you are worried about in-person voting due to COVID. There's no need to wait — you can request an absentee ballot for the November 3rd, 2020 election today. Many of us in Monroe County have already received the request automatically in the mail. Our's were sent in a couple days after receiving them. https://absenteeballot.elections.ny.gov/ (Please note that you must already be registered to vote at your current address. If you aren't registered to vote, or need to change your voter registration address, visit elections.ny.gov for more info.)

New Yorkers have **three options** in the way to cast a vote this elections: 1) In addition to voting by absentee ballot, 2) you can **vote early** in-person at your Early Voting polling place from October 24 to November 1 (there are nine days of Early Voting). And of course, 3) you can still vote in-person on Election Day, November 3rd 2020. Whatever option feels safest is up to you — just make sure your voice is heard!

COVID-19

If we are not all safe from COVID-19 then none of us are safe.

New York and some other states have turned around the infection rate by following guidelines. We must continue to follow the state guidelines. Please think about your situation as we move into the fall and winter.

There are at least four factors that you can control which will **increase** the likelihood of you catching and transmitting COVID-19.

- 1. The number of people you are around.
- 2. The length of time you spend with those people.
- 3. The distance between each of those people.
- 4. Being indoors.

There are at least two factors that you can control which will decrease the likelihood of you catching and transmitting COVID-19.

- 1. The personal protection equipment, PPE, that you use. This includes face coverings and washing your hands.
- 2. Being outdoors, more difficult as winter begins.

CENSUS

Have you completed the 2020 Census yet? There are only 12 questions for you to answer and it only takes you a few minutes. You can respond by mail, by phone at 844-330-2020 or online at https://my2020census.gov.

https://2020census.gov/en.html

MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES

Mental health resources are available to any New Yorker who needs them. The ongoing effects of this pandemic are impacting many people's mental health. New Yorkers can call the state's hotline at 1-844-863-9314 to get free emotional support, consultations and referrals to a provider or visit headspace.com/ny for free meditation and mindfulness resources.

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ONTARIO MAZDA 2337 Rochester Rd, Canandaigua, NY 14424 (585) 396-7100 ontariomazda.com	10% discount on Service and Parts to Club members and veterans. Must ask for discount before work is done or when ordering parts.
ROMANO MAZDA 3120 Erie Blvd E, Syracuse, NY 13214 (315) 446-9666 romanomazda.com	Unknown, does anyone know?
STEET-PONTE MAZDA 5074 Commercial Dr, Yorkville, NY 13495 (315) 736-3381 steetpontemazda.com	Unknown, does anyone know?