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Mazda MX-5 Miata News

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Mazda has unveiled a pair of concepts at the SEMA show currently underway in Las Vegas that are meant to demonstrate two different takes on lightweight, open-top performance. The concepts are based on the 2016 Mazda MX-5 Miata and one of them harkens back to vintage roadsters of the past while the other is a modern, sporty speedster.

The former is the MX-5 Spyder concept, which features a new automated roof from American Sunroof Corporation that comes lined in fabric supplied by Haarz. Other highlights include its specially formulated Mercury Silver paint finish, carbon fiber aero kit, body-colored toneau cover, custom grille and lightweight 17-inch alloy wheels from Yokohama.

The more modern designed concept is the MX-5 Speedster, which as its name suggests is a roofless design where even the windshield has been replaced with a small wind deflector. Its paint finish is called Blue Ether and in the interior is a mix of Alcantara and carbon fiber trim. The wheels are 16-inch units from Rays and there is also an adjustable suspension system on the car.

“The all-new 2016 MX-5 served as a blank canvas for our design team to create some truly one-of-a-kind cars, yet our SEMA concepts remain true to more than 25 years of MX-5 heritage,” said Mazda designer Ken Seward, who oversaw the design of these two concepts. “Both MX-5 Spyder and MX-5 Speedster are uncompromising designs that highlight the core strengths of MX-5.”

SPEEDSTER



ROADSTER





Buckeye Miata Club Christmas Party

Wednesday, December 2, 2015

Cocktails starting at 6 PM

Dinner at 6:45 PM

Location is the same as last year due to the great accommodations and the quality of food.

LaScala Italian Bistro and Restaurant

4199 W. Dublin Granville Road

Dublin, OH 43017

Reservation deadline is November 20th!

Each reservation must include an entrée selection with the name of the guest:

Choices are:

1. Homemade Lasagna
2. Chicken Parmesan served over Fettuccine Alfredo
3. Shrimp Marsala w/Mushroom, Onion, Marsala Wine, Angel Hair Pasta

To make a reservation for the Buckeye Miata Club Christmas Party, please mail a check to:

Dottie Peyton

4743 Oakland Ridge Drive, Powell, OH 43065

740-881-2605 (H) or 614-361-1690 (C)

Amount is \$35.00 per person (Same price as last year)

A check **MADE OUT TO DOTTIE PEYTON** must accompany the reservation

Remember to include an entrée item per reservation!

If you want to be part of the gift exchange, please bring a \$10 wrapped gift.

Congratulations to the 2016 Buckeye Miata Club Officers

<i>President:</i>	Linda Johnson
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Bob Kincer
<i>Secretary:</i>	Pam Billows
<i>Social Chairperson:</i>	Bill Koch
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BMC 2015 Calendar of Events

November

14 th	Sat	Car Talk	Rhodes
26 th	Thur	<i>Thanksgiving</i>	
TBD	DOTM		Billow

December

2 rd	Wed	Christmas Party	Peyton
5 th	Sat	Big 10 Championship Party	Johnson
7 th	Mon	BMC 2016 Planning Meeting	New President
TBD	Sat	Caroling Party	Nieman
25 th	Fri	<i>Christmas Day</i>	

Please Note: Events in italics are for your information
Names in bold are the individuals who are taking the lead in the event!

November DOTM:

Wednesday-NOVEMBER 18th - 6:30pm
Restoration Brew Worx
25 N Sandusky St
Delaware, Ohio

Check them out:
WWW.RESTORATIONBREWWORX.COM

Please RSVP to Pam & Jeff Billow by
Monday November 16th
Pam's cell: 419 341-0088 or
pjnboys@msn.com

Buckeye Miata Club Car Talk and Coffee 2015-16

Winter is coming fast and I know that some of you have put your baby to sleep until spring. Several members have asked if we were going to have BMC Car Talk and Coffee again this year and the answer is yes. It's not the same as driving your Miata.....but we can at least talk about our cars to help get through the cold winter.

We have put together a schedule for six Saturday morning sessions to get together to talk cars. Invite your friends.

What is it?

BMC Car Talk and Coffee is simply a chance to get out of the house on cold winter mornings, have a cup of coffee and breakfast, and talk about our Miata's and cars in general. The gatherings are open to BMC members and their friends. Discussions are very informal and might include topics such as tires, suspensions, air intakes, exhaust systems, detailing etc. We would certainly like to have outside subject matter experts if you know of someone.

When is it?

Saturday mornings starting at 9:00 AM to about 10:30 AM. Come and go as you please.

This years **tentative** schedule is:

November 14 2015
January 9 2016
January 23 2016
February 13, 2016
February 27 2016
March 5 2016

Where is it?

La Chatelaine Bakery 65 W. Bridge St. SR 161 Dublin Ohio (There is plenty of parking in the back. As you enter the front door our meeting area is behind the curtain to your left.)

If you have any questions or suggestions contact Kevin Rhodes 614-406-6069
krhodes555@aol.com

Buckeye Miata Club

Monthly Meeting Minutes

November 05, 2015

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| <p>I. 2016 Miata Demo – Keith Herbert Byers Mazda</p> <p>II. Guests or New Members Introduction -- 45 members present</p> <p>III. New Paid Members Since Last Meeting – Mike or Brenda Fisher – 4 new members</p> <p>IV. After Meeting Dinner Tonight - Chili's</p> <p>V. Treasurer's Report – Kincer – Read and accepted by members – See secure website for details</p> <p>VI. Old Business and Events</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">a. Road Apple Tour (Charm Days) – October 10th – Kahle – 14 cars – beautiful day</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">b. Autocross Awards Banquet – Hocking – Oct 18th – B. Claus – 356 people for banquet – 18 went on drive</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">c. DOTM – Oct 26th – Firehouse Tavern – Sunbury – Gill – 31 people showed up</p> <p>VII. New Business and Upcoming Events</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">a. BMC Car Talk and Coffee – first session Nov 14 more details to follow - Rhodes</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">b. DOTM - Nov 18 – Billow – Restoration Brew Works in Delaware</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">c. Christmas Party – WEDS – December 2 – Peyton – La Scala Rest. In Dublin – see details on sign up sheet</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">d. Big 10 Championship Party – Saturday, Dec 5th – Johnson – more info coming</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">e. BMC 2016 Planning Meeting – Monday, Dec 7th?? – new president</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">f. Salvation Army Bell Ringing – BMC Day Sat December 12 – all times are covered thanks to all volunteers</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">g. Caroling Party – TBD? -Nieman</p> | <p>VIII. 2016 Officer and Committee Chairpersons
Vote – Officer Slate approved by membership</p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="padding-right: 20px;">President</td> <td>Linda Johnson</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Treasurer</td> <td>Bob Kincer</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Secretary</td> <td>Pam Billow</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Competition Director</td> <td>Brian Claus</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Social Director</td> <td>Bill Koch</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Newsletter Editor</td> <td>Chris Riner</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Historian</td> <td>Kate Koch</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Membership Director</td> <td>Mike & Brenda Fisher</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Webmaster</td> <td>Jim Hayter</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Insurance Coordinator</td> <td>Kevin Claus</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Photographer</td> <td>John Ness</td> </tr> </table> <p>IX. Autocross Update - Claus</p> <p>X. Next Meeting Date – Thurs. January 7, 2016</p> <p>XI. Open Discussion</p> <p>XII. 50/50 Drawing -- \$85.00 total --</p> | President | Linda Johnson | Treasurer | Bob Kincer | Secretary | Pam Billow | Competition Director | Brian Claus | Social Director | Bill Koch | Newsletter Editor | Chris Riner | Historian | Kate Koch | Membership Director | Mike & Brenda Fisher | Webmaster | Jim Hayter | Insurance Coordinator | Kevin Claus | Photographer | John Ness |
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Thank you

I just want to take a few minutes to say thank you for letting be your newsletter editor for 2015 and trusting me to go forward for another year.

I always try to find current information that may be of interest to the membership and hopefully, news-worthy!

If any member would like to write an article, or two, write about your rides and/or drives, please feel free to submit them and I would be more than happy to put them in our Newsletter!

Thank you,
Chris

Detailing

Many of you know that I offer paint polishing, interior cleaning, tops, engine bay detailing and more, using the same processes and many of the same products as seen in the demo at Performance Auto Spa.

I've been detailing Miatas for many years and can handle clear coat and single-stage paints as well as repaints. I can bring new life to your car by removing oxidation, eliminating swirls and more.

Now's a great time to schedule a Detail. give me a call anytime - 614-633-7419. If I can't pick up, please leave a message.

Happy Motoring!
- Scott Langley

Miata Services by Scott

- **30K Tune-Up Service (\$325)** new plugs, timing & synth. fluids
- **Basic timing belt Service (\$325)** incl. new Mazda belt & spring
- **60K Full Service (\$675)** incl. 30K service + Std. Timing Belt Service PLUS
- all drivetrain fluids, brake and clutch fluids, filters, gaskets, checks and lubrications called for by Mazda
- Add **Water Pump Replacement** to any timing belt service (\$150) new pump, gaskets and coolant
- **Other mechanical work and Accessory Installation** – call for quote (\$35 per hr.)
- **Detailing by Appt**, call for details - can include:
 - Exterior - Paint polishing, swirl removal, touch-ups, wax and more
 - Interiors – carpets steamed, seats cleaned, leather & vinyl treated and more

I'd be glad to discuss any work you may want or need. If you have questions about what I can provide or just about your Miata in general, I'll be glad to help!

(614) 633-7419

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