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Rendezvous, eh! Canadian trip had a great representation (14?) of Minnesota Triumphs. Amazingly no major breakdowns! Ask Buchens about their "era costume" award...





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As I write this, it is mid-June. The driving season is in full swing. Next month (Tuesday, July 17th to Saturday, July 21st) the Club will be hosting the 2018 VTR National in LaCrosse, Wisconsin, on the banks of the historic Mississippi River. Many club members, headed by Greg Thompson, have been diligently planning all facets of this multiday event. I hope you will have an opportunity to attend all or some of the many activities planned. Check our Club website to view the full schedule of events (http://www.mntriumphs.org/ vtr2018-schedule.shtm).

On June 7th-10th, I had the opportunity to attend the 28th Annual Lake Superior Sports Car Rendezvous in Thunder Bay, Ontario. By my count there were about 11 or 12 members of our Club attending. On June 6th many of the Club members spent the night at the Naniboujou Lodge (<u>http://</u>

www.naniboujou.com/) outside of Grand Maris, Minnesota. Great place to visit if you are ever in that neck of the woods. In Thunder Bay, while attending the Mount McKay Lookout Tour, on Friday, June 8th, the extremely bumpy road to the event caused some discerning loud banging under the rear of my 3A. Jody was sure that the rear end of the car was coming off! We stopped at the historic Chippewa Park at

the base of Mount McKay to see if I could assess the cause. At the Park, Tom La France, a Thunder Bay Club member heard me grousing about the problem to Jody and invited me to drive to his house where he had a lift in his garage. Once the 3A was off the ground, we took off the rear wheels, tightened the rear Lever shocks mounting brackets (didn't seem to be the problem?). We really didn't see anything else under the rear of the car that was loose or broken. We then followed the exhaust to the front of the car. We checked the front mounting exhaust bracket. Yup, it was loose. With 4 hands we were able to pry the exhaust pipe off the X-frame and tighten the front exhaust pipe mounting clamp, which had come loose. Keeping my fingers crossed that this was the problem, I headed back down the road. So far so good!! Never knew a loose exhaust could cause that much noise! THANKS TOM! I would like to give a shout out to the Thunder Bay Sports Car Club. With a club membership of less than 40, they were able to plan and carryout a great event. Thanks! As a side note. All the Triumphs (to my knowledge) who made the 700+ road trip to Thunder Bay, did so in a reliable fashion! The lone exception was Hotfoot Holt's front half shaft giving up the ghost while Patrick was highballing down 35W. Only his helicopter pilot training kept him from disaster.

On June 16th, club member Dale Simpson, planned an Antique Tour in River Falls, Wisconsin. Although it was raining for most of the day, Dale, Dick and Sally Leighninger, and Jody and I had a great time. Yes, we all drove our grocery getters. Great antique stores to go through! The day was topped off at the Belle Vinez Winery. Great food and wine for the merry crew. Thanks Dale for planning this event! Who knew our club had such fair-weather turkey necks, afraid to venture out in the rain and attend this event! See you in LaCrosse! Happy Motoring

Jon/Jack Meier, 1958 TR3A President MN Triumphs



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MINUTES OF THE MINNESOTA TRIUMPHS

Minnesota Triumphs Meeting Minutes June 14th 2018

Threat of rain didn't worry the owners of 14 TR's in the parking lot of Ol' Mexico. It did me, I turned around half way there, and in doing so was a half hour late. I apologize ahead of time for the brevity of the minutes.

Approx 50 people attended the meeting with notice of a couple new members since last month. Unfortunately, they didn't make it to the meeting.

A sign up sheet was passed around, looking for members to sign and help at the various events at this years VTR event that we are hosting. More and more people signed up to help out at the VTR event. We have allot of great members stepping up for the various tasks.

Attending Club officers shared their respective information, which is shared with us in the club newsletter.



The Meetings will be held here: Ol' Mexico Restaurante & Cantina 1754 Lexington Ave North Roseville, MN 55113 Phone: 651-487-2847 Email: info@olmexico.com

Minnesota Triumphs

Tech Specialists

As a service to fellow members, club members with an expertise in a particular model of Triumph have volunteered to act as tech specialists for that model. They don't know everything but they do know a lot. So, if you have a question, give them a call.

TR2/3/3A/3B - John Kallaus (952-891-5266) TR4 - John Myers (507-633-2017) TR4A - Larry Sanderson (507-775-6940) TR250/TR6 - Orrin McGill (763-755-7765) TR7 -Charles Setala (651-490-0489) TR8 - Greg Gelhar (763-424-6434) Spitfire - Bill Gingerich (612-850-4072) GT6 - Pat McFarland (763-427-5612) Renown -Citroën - A. Lindberg (651-292-8585)

VTR REPORT JUNE 2018

And finally we are into the home stretch so we can "Justify" all the hard work that's been put into hosting the 2018 VTR hosted by our club in LaCrosse, WI. Just in case you have not heard it will be from July 17-21! Not much more I can say at this point that has not been said. I'd be remiss if I did not thank all of you members for giving us the opportunity to showcase our club in our own backyard when you said go for it back in October of 2016. Thank all of you who have let our club take the chance to invest our time and monies to put on the best convention we know how to do for the Vintage Triumph Register. I cannot forget our committee who have all spent hours to pull this off. Thank you for your time, hard work, hours of phone calls, making lists, making contacts, printing, sending invoices and reminders. The list is just too large. Thank you!!!

Now all of you new members and all of us old members should help to support your VTR convention committee in some way. I know we all work in some capacity and that puts a bit of a drag on your time for a trip to LaCrosse. This will be that once in a lifetime moment that you should not miss. There are so many little jobs that will be easy and fun for you if you attend just for a day. We all need you. You use this club for technical support and reassurance on how to repair your vintage car. Personally I've been coaxed by some to just fix it and drive it. I've been told not to worry about

will that old '73 TR6 make it to California, or to North Carolina or to Montreal; to Portland, Maine; Princeton, NJ; Hot Springs, AR; Dallas, Texas; Lexington, Ky; Death Valley, CA; and the list goes on. I do say I do feel comfortable driving with a group. Always the group consists of Triumph folks who know way more about Triumphs than I will ever pretend to even try and learn. But there are times when the group splits off to go here and there and we elsewhere too. I've learned to trust my car, take it down the Interstates, drive after dark on the prairie, through the mountains, through large cities in traffic jams or wherever without a group. It's just another adventure. My whole point is to start with this VTR convention that is so close and come with us into the future for this, our next adventure. Hey, there's always your motor club to get you to a safe place just in case.

Get any room, campsite or a spot in the Wal-Mart parking lot. Just meet in downtown by the river. How could one pass up the opportunity to get the VTR experience being so close. You will have the chance to meet all of these folks from all over the country and Great Britain. So much to see and so close to home. Register here: http://mntriumphs.org/ vtr2018.shtm and touch registration.

Your club needs you now to help us put on our best face and foot

forward to present this 2018 Convention that our guests will speak about for years to come. So for now I will not say join VTR. Just join your fellow members for what should prove to be the best VTR ever. And did I mention fun, FUN!

Don't be sorry. The time is nigh!

Larry Sanderson, your MN Triumphs VTR Liaison, 507 269 1500 or myfriendlar@yahoo.com or vtrliaison@mntriumphs.org

La Crosse, WI Or Bust Let's Go For It. Lets see some beautiful country and have a great time at the The Radisson in La Crosse, WI. This should be the best VTR ever.

> Please refer to www.VTR2018.org

Triumph Calendar

MINNESOTA TRIUMPHS SPORTS CAR CLUB 2018 EVENTS CALENDAR Does not include tech sessions (not yet scheduled)

<u>JULY</u>

12-Club meeting

12-14 *Iola Car Swap & Show in Iola, WI

17-21 VTR National, La Crosse, WI 26- Cherokee Park picnic (host: ????)

SEPTEMBER

8-*CAF Hanger Dance 6PM to Midnight (host: Dick Leighninger)

8-*Wheels & Wings in Osceola, WI

13-Club meeting

TBD -Summer Picnic (host: Phil & Sue Ethier)

July tech session, date not yet determined and brand new member, David Schmidt in Inver Grove Hts, 651-457-9195, <u>schmidt_dw@yahoo.com</u>. David has a new heater core to install in his '64 TR4.

22- 9am – 4pm*10,000 Lakes Concours in Excelsior, MN

29 - @ 2:00pm Meisville Mud Hens vs. Lake City Serpents.

29- Cherokee Park picnic (host: ????)

AUGUST xx-Queen Mum Tour?

09-Club meeting

11-*Britfest in Hudson, WI11- New London/New BrightonAntique Car Run

24-25 Fagan Air Museum -Granite Falls, MN

26-*Amery Auto Cross & Speed Run in Amery, WI 21-22*Waumandee Hillclimb in Alma, WI

TBD-Mystery Tour (host needed)

OCTOBER 11-Club meeting

20-Color Tour (host needed)

28-High Tea (host: Gary & Barb Stephenson) 1:00 PM



See Intermarque Monthly at: <u>www.intermarque.org</u>

2018 Multi Marque Calendar

Thanks to our calendar sponsor BROADWAY AUTO TECH!

We're always happy to add new events. Send additions, deletions and corrections to andyrlind@gmail.com

New

June 16, Coulee Classic Rally, Meet at Maiden Rock Village Park on the shores of Lake Pepin in Maiden Rock, Wisconsin. 10:00 AM. Rally will run from 11 to 5, ending at the Stone Barn in Nelson, Wisconsin. Presented by the Stella del Nord Alfa Club. Info: <u>www.meetup.com/Auto-Italia-Minnesota/</u> Ed Solstad 612-822-0569 June 22-24, Back to the '50s. Minnesota State Fairgrounds, St. Paul. Minnesota. All cars (well their bodies at least)

must be older than 1964½. Small block Chevy engines are not strictly required but will be found in probably 5,000 of the attending 9,000 cars. Most with automatic transmissions.

June 23, Spring Into Summer Car Show. BMC in Isanti. 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. 444 West Dual, Isanti, Minnesota. The emphasis is on British cars but all marques are welcome. Relaxed atmosphere, no registration fee, food will be served. www.bmcautos.com/ 651-400-0145

June 24, Intermarque Picnic, Cherokee Park, St. Paul, MN. 1:00PM. Bring a chair and a dish to share. June picnic hosted by the Minnesota Austin-Healey Club, and all intermarque enthusiasts are invited to attend.

June 30, Amery Airport Run, Amery Airport, Amery, Wisconsin. Hosted by the Minnesota Austin-Healey Club. Email: greg.willodson@gmail.com

June 30-July 1, Vintage Sports Car and SCCA race. Brainerd International Raceway. VSCR trackside BBQ Friday evening; all are welcome.

July 7-8, Rallye de Valleye, Formerly known as the Walleye 1000. 1997 and older vehicles. Overnight at Radisson La Crosse with dinner at Piggy's. Info Mark Sabbann velovia@velodevia.com

July 19-22, Weathertech International Challenge with Brian Redman, Road America, Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin. This is the biggest vintage race in this part of the world. Over 400 racers. Feature races this year are CAN-AM, Trans Am and Formula 5000. The Concours d' Elegance in downtown Elkhart Lake on Friday for race cars and Saturday night for street cars is a can't miss event for any enthusiast. Info: roadamerica.com

July 21 Scottish Fair & Highland Games. Eagan Central Park, Eagan, Minnesota. Two shifts for British cars: 8:30 to 12:30, and 11:30 to 5:30. If interested in showing your British car, contact Jim Harris 612-803-5530 or

JHarris@MNScottishFair.org. If you're interested in the event, go to http://www.mnscottishfair.org/

July 22, 10,000 Lakes Concours d'Elegance, Excelsior, Minnesota. Over 150 vehicles (cars, boats, and motorcycles). Not Pebble Beach, but a very nice location and many interesting cars at a much lower entry price (\$20 in advance). Info: 10000lakesconcours.com

July 22 Brits Car Show. Brits Pub, downtown Minneapolis. It is, for British Cars only. At this time, they think that they have room for about 50 cars. Keep the show in mind, & at a future time when things are more firm on the show, we will reach out to the clubs for cars to show.

July 26, uNDER tHE cRAZY mOON at Pazzaluna. Thursday, July 26, 2018 5pm, 360 St. Peter Street, Saint Paul, MN 55102. Italian cars and motorcycles in downtown St. Paul. www.wheelsofitaly.com

July 29, Intermarque Picnic, Cherokee Park, St. Paul, MN. 1:00PM. Bring a chair and a dish to share. July picnic hosted by the Minnesota MG Group, and all intermarque enthusiasts are invited to attend.

August 11, BritFest, Hudson, Wisconsin. Hosted by the Minnesota MG Group. Info: mn-mggroup.org

August 11, New London to New Brighton Antique Car Run, A 120-mile tour between its namesake cities for 1908 and earlier vehicles. The lunch stop in Buffalo is a fun viewing spot. Info: antiquecarrun.org

August 18-19, Classic Motor Works Vintage Race Weekend. Gimli, Manitoba. Show and shine, Track laps, etc. <u>*Gimli*</u> <u>Motorsport Park</u>

August 18, British Car Show. Chanhassan Motorplex

August 25-27, Jack Pine Sprints, Brainerd International Raceway, With Friday vintage BBQ

August 26, Amery Airport Autocross/Speed run, Amery, Wisconsin. Hosted by the Minnesota Austin-Healey Club. Info: mnhealey.com

August 26, Intermarque Picnic, Cherokee Park, St. Paul, MN. 1:00PM. Bring a chair and a dish to share. All intermarque enthusiasts are invited to attend.

September 16, Wheels of Italy, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Calhoun Executive Center, 3033 Excelsior Boulevard, Minneapolis. Italian cars and motorbikes. Gelato and other vendors. More red Ferraris than you can count. Info: wheelsofitaly.com

September 14-16, VSCDA Elkhart Lake Vintage Festival, Road America, Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin. Featured Marques for 2018 are the Austin Healey Sprite and the MG Midget, honoring the Sprite 60th Anniversary. A special Big Bore bash will feature all the big cubic inch ground-pounders from the '60s and '70s. There will also be a display of Jaguar XK cars in the paddock to celebrate the 70th anniversary of the XK120. The fan-friendly paddock is open to spectators for close-up views of amazing racing machines prepared to era specifications all weekend. On Saturday fans can watch a historic road course reenactment tour, which will leave Road America and follow a route almost identical to the street course driven in the early 1950s Info: roadamerica.com

September 21-23, Waumandee Hill Climb, Waumandee, Wisconsin. Hosted by the Minnesota Austin-Healey Club. Info: mnhealey.com

September 30, Intermarque Picnic, Cherokee Park, St. Paul, MN. 1:00PM. Bring a chair and a dish to share. All intermarque enthusiasts are invited to attend

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June 6-9, Rendezvous. Eau Claire, Wisconsin. Hosted by the Minnesota MG Group. Best Western Conference Center. 715-838-9989. For event info: <u>www.mn-mggroup.org</u> or Diane Rindt <u>drindt427@yahoo.com</u> or 715-379-6001

BREAKFAST REMINDER

Breakfasts on Saturday mornings are now held at Elsie's. 729 Marshall Street N.E., Minneapolis, 55413. 8am start.





Minnesota Triumphs beckon you to the VTR NATIONAL 2018 July 17-21, 2018 at the Radisson in La Crosse, WI

On the banks of the historic Mississippi River



Reservations: www.radisson.com/la-crosse/vtr



Relax with friends at the many local establishments

"Take Me to the River"

Carve the roads on the countless coulees in your Triumph



Featuring 50 years of the TR250 Facebook VTR 2018 www.mntriumphs.org

Jill's Spitfire is Looking Good



Rendezvous Thunderbay 2018





Tech Session June 23, 2018





VTR Schedule of Events

TUESDAY July 17th

Activity	Time	Location	Page#
Registration/Information	10am – 6pm	Ballroom	
Craft/Model/Photo	10am – 6pm	Ballroom	
Silent Auction	10am – 6pm	Ballroom	
Vendors Set Up		Wisconsin Room	
Self-Guided tours	On Your Own	Directions at Registration	
Autocross Tech Inspection	10am - 3pm	Next to car wash area	
Car Wash	10am – 6pm	SW corner of Radisson Lot	
Funkhana*	1pm - 5pm	Oktoberfest Parking Lot	
VTR Board Meeting	1pm - 2:30pm	Minnesota Room	
VTR Members Meeting	3pm- 4:30pm	Minnesota Room	
Welcome Reception	6pm - ??	Ballroom Foyer	

WEDNESDAY July 18th

Activity	Time	Location	Page#
Registration/Information	8am – 6pm	Ballroom	
Craft/Model/Photo	8am – 6pm	Ballroom	
Silent Auction	8am – 6pm	Ballroom	17 17
Vendors	9am – 5pm	Wisconsin Room	
Self-Guided tours	On Your Own	Directions at Registration	-01
Car Wash	10am – 6pm	SW corner of Radisson Lot	
Autocross Mandatory Driver Meeting	9am – 9:30am	Winona Truck Training Lot	
Autocross*	9:30am – 4pm	Winona Truck Training Lot	
Trolley tour #1	11am	Front Street – front of hotel	
Trolley tour #2	12:30pm	Front Street – front of hotel	
Tech Session #1	1pm – 2:30pm	Minnesota Room	
Ice Cream Run on your own*	1pm – 7pm	The Sweet Shop	
TR250 Photo	4pm	Radisson Parking Lot	
Wedge Club Meeting	4pm	Minnesota Room	
Dinner on your own	5pm -7pm	See restaurant list for options	24d
Sunset Cocktail Cruise	7:30 – 9:30pm	Boat Landing – boarding at 7:15pm	

Big Thanks to Greg & Carol Thompson for this Schedule

THURSDAY July 19th

Activity	Time	Location	Page#
Breakfast Run*	7am – 10am	Depart from Radisson lot	
Registration/Information	8am – 5pm	Ballroom	
Craft/Model/Photo	8am – 5pm	Ballroom	
Silent Auction	8am – 5pm	Ballroom	
Vendors	9am – 5pm	Wisconsin Room	
Self-Guided tours	On Your Own	Directions at Registration	
TSD Rallye*	9am – 12pm	???	
Car Wash	10am – 6pm	SW corner of Radisson Lot	
Tech Session #2	9am – 10:30am	Minnesota Room	
Fun Rallye*	11am – 3pm	Depart from Radisson Lot	
Tech Session #3	1pm – 2:30pm	Minnesota Room	
Judges School	3pm – 4:30pm	Minnesota Room	
Ice Cream Run on your own*	1pm – 7pm	The Sweet Shop	
Dinner Run	6pm	Sign up at registration	
Moving Events Awards & Cocktail Hour	8pm-	Ballroom	

Friday July 20th

Vendors9am – 3pmSelf-Guided toursOn Your OvCar Wash7am – 8:30	m Ballroom Wisconsin Room wn Directions at Registration
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registration/mormation 2pm - 4pm	Ballroom Foyer as needed
Cocktail Hour 5:30pm – 6	:30pm Ballroom Foyer
Banquet 6:30pm	Ballroom

Saturday July 21 – Parking Lot Goodbyes- Thanks for coming!

Triumph Trader

FOR SALE

For sale: TR4 Moss Motors seat covers from (B) 15224CT to (B) 20876CT, see photo. Never installed, still in original box, asking \$270, half off original cost. Also, Foam Seat Cushion Set, both seats - from englishparts.com, parts #5FK-6311 for TR6 1973-1976; still in original box - asking \$190, again half off original price, and Seat Rail Set, left and right, for TR2-3B, from Moss Motors. part # 801-400 & 801-405, asking \$55 for both, half original price.

If interested or have questions on any of these parts call David Schmidt, 651-457-9195 or email

schmidt_dw@yahoo.com.



Parts

4-TR6 steel wheels-\$50.00 '67 TR4A gas tank, no leaks, removed from racer replaced by a fuel cell - \$45.00 '64 TR4 top bows- make offer '67 Minnesota License plate-\$20.00 '64 TR4 aluminum deck surround, good cond.- \$30.00 '75 TR6 Head, w valves/springs, no rocker assby- \$40.00 3-48 spoke wire wheels, good for spare tire well-Free '62 TR3B Radiator, no crank hole/ no leaks - \$25.00 Steve Shogren, 651-454-2037, steveshogren@yahoo.com

Give away: GT6 transmission tunnel cover, original fiber type. Has a 2" hole in the firewall flange area, but otherwise decent. Hate to just toss it. Dave 612-554-1097

For sale: Early GT6 (mk1) bonnet. Solid but needs work. Has surface rust which I treated, primed & topcoated ~15 yrs ago , but did not fix the dent or ripples. No rustthrough anywhere. Headlight housings included. Chrome trim rings have some scuffs, but otherwise pretty decent. Also running & turnlight housings, support rod and a few hardware bits. \$300 Dave 612-554-1097

Dave Heglund - member

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BREAKFAST REMINDER

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<u>Trader information</u> Members' notices run three months unless you tell the editor to drop them earlier or keep them running longer. Dates in parentheses indicate the first month in which they ran. Nonmember notices are published at a rate of \$5 per month.

About Minnesota Triumphs Car Club

Minnesota Triumphs formed in 1981 when a group of Triumph enthusiasts met for an afternoon of fun and conversation at Fort Snelling Park.

Since then, the club has grown to more than 150 members from throughout the Midwest.

Our activities include:

- Monthly meetings
- Social gatherings
- Tech sessions
- Road rallies
- Regional and national events

We welcome all Triumph enthusiasts, whether you own a concourse-winning showpiece, are restoring a diamond in the rough are searching for just the right addition to your garage or just appreciate the marque.

Together we can locate those hard-to-find parts and assist one another in keeping our vehicles on the road. But most of all, the club offers opportunities to explore some of the best roads

in the region with others who enjoy the Triumph experience.

Membership

Our membership year runs January 1 through December 31.

Annual membership is \$25 (an additional \$1 provides your partner with voting privileges at our annual election of officers). With this membership fee, your newsletter can be seen on-line or you can pick up a hard copy at the monthly meetings.

If you prefer to have your newsletter mailed to you, membership fee is \$35 (plus \$1 for partner's voting privileges).

Join after September 1st and enjoy full membership benefits through the remainder of the current year and the entire next year.

Monthly Meetings

Minnesota Triumphs meets the second Thursday of each month, during 2017 the meetings will be at the: Ol' Mexico Restaurante & Cantina 1754 Lexington Ave North Roseville, MN 55113 Phone: 651-487-2847 Email: info@olmexico.com



Join us at the Chanhassen AutoPlex 2018 Free Car Show Events

LAST Saturday's "Cars & Caves" Charity Car Show April 28, May 26, June 30, July 28, Aug 25, Sept 29 8- NOON - - - GATES OPEN AT 7:30 Classics, Muscle, Antiques, Street Rods, & Exotics WELCOME!

Each month will be operated by members of a different charity ALL donations will go to the charity DONATIONS WILL BE APPRECIATED PARKING AVAILABLE ON-SITE and DESIGNATED OFF-SITE LOTS !!







Additional Shows



NO Reckless Driving - NO Drane Flying -- NO Car Sales NO Smoking - NO Dags - Please "DO NOT TOUCH CARS" NO Skate/Hoverboards - NO Scoaters - Garage Entry by Invite Only

FACEBOOK —Chanhassen AutoPiex TWITTER—ChanAutoPiex WEBSITE- www.ChanhassenAutoPiex



MEMBERSHIP NOTES

Two New Members this Month

Our club roster has grown by two to 120 memberships. New members this month are Bill Weaver, hailing from Eagan, driving a TR7 with a V-8, and from Champlin, Vern Silvernale with a '58 TR3A. Welcome, both, to the club.

I have been busy this month with my car, fabricating an aluminum radiator shroud to replace the heavy cardboard original. I know that one can purchase this for about \$80, but thought it would be fun to try to make one. Basically, all I did was trace the ratty cardboard one onto three pieces of sheet aluminum, top and two sides. Cut them out and screwed the together. There was some bending involved, also. If you would like a more detailed, step-by-step description, send me an email. Here is the result. It cost about \$30 to make two of them.



Membership Form

\$25 for a single membership + emailed newsletter
\$26 for family membership + emailed newsletter
\$36 for a family membership + mailed newsletter
Mail to: Joe DeMuth, 4018 Emerson Ave N, Minneapolis, MN, 55412

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Partner	
Address	
City, State, Zip	
Day Phone	
Evening Phone	
E-mail Address	
Cars	

The Minnesota Triumphs Club is dedicated to the preservation and enjoyment of the Triumph Marque. It was formed in 1981 and is a charter member of the Vintage Triumph Register. Correspondence can be addressed to:

Minnesota Triumphs 4018 Emerson Avemue N Minneapolis, MN 55412

Check our web site at:

www.mntriumphs.org



Membership meetings are on the SECOND THURSDAY of the month (except no meetings in November and December). Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m. and are held at the Ol' Mexico Restaurante & Cantina, 1754 Lexington Ave North, Roseville, MN 55113, Phone: 651-487-2847, Email: info@olmexico.com. Everyone is invited to attend, whether you are a member or not.

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Are you connected to the group? Do you get in on the latest information?

We have an e-mail site you can easily join. It is Minnesota Triumphs Yahoo mail.

Simply send an e-mail to mntriumphsgroup-subscribe@yahoogroups.com

You don't have to ask for anything, they will see your e-mail address and take it from there.





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