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**Day of Triumph
Sunday July 28, 2019 ~ 10am-2pm
Larz Anderson Museum, Brookline MA**



Hi folks, July 28 is rapidly approaching and that means DOT 2019 will once again bring Triumph cars and motorcycles to the Larz Anderson Auto Museum in Brookline, MA. This year's event T-shirt will have a special design celebrating 50 years of the TR6. We will have NET hats and pint glasses and other regalia for sale. Soon we'll be reaching out to our usual volunteers to help on the day. We very much appreciate all contributions to the raffle table. They don't have to be Triumph related; our attendance is diverse.

We always get some surprise special cars at DOT and we hope this year will be no different with classifications like "Members other British". Most of all, this is the one time of the year where we can get most of the club members and the local Triumph community together at this great location, meet some old friends, make some new friends and have a good time. Now let's hope for great weather and a perfect day for DOT 2019. We look forward to seeing you on July 28th. -- John & Stan

Dennis Sokol Memorial Ice Cream Run: Sat Aug 3, 2019

Ned and Ellen Sparrow have finalized the details for this year's Dennis Sokol Memorial Ice Cream Run. We will meet at 11:30am on Saturday, August 3 at Kimball's, 1543 Lunenburg Road (Rt 70), Lancaster, MA for lunch and socializing. We will kick off the ride at around 1PM, heading to the Kimball's in Jaffrey, NH for ice cream. People are encouraged to wear their best 'topaz' colored clothing in honor of Dennis and his TR6. See our website for a photo of an amazing display of topaz shirts from last year's event.

This is a charity event to raise funds for the American Cancer Society! Ellen will collect donations of cash or checks and forward them to her contact at the ACS's Framingham office. We would like to ask the NET membership to donate even if you cannot attend the ride. Let's see how much money we can raise!! As usual, if the weather is poor, we hope that people will come for the camaraderie and use their daily driver, if need be.

Are Your 2019 Dues Overdue?

One of the most time-consuming tasks for our Membership Secretary is having to send out multiple reminders about membership dues. If you haven't yet paid, and want to remain a club member, please submit your check ASAP. If you can't remember if you paid your 2019 dues, you can use the tool on our website (Members Only > Check Your Membership Status) or email Rick Barnard at membership@newenglandtriumphs.org.

2019 Planning Meeting – March 24, 2019 - Event Report



We had a large turnout for our startup meeting with several new members in attendance.

We revealed the new NET name badges that Rick Barnard, our Membership Secretary, designed. The club will

provide at no charge, one name badge for each current club member and one for his/her significant other. "Current" members are those who have paid their 2019 dues. (See the note above about checking your membership status if you can't remember if you paid your 2019 dues.) Information about ordering a name badge is on the home page of our website.

We populated our driving season calendar. Included below is the list of club events still to come this year, plus some non-club events that many NET members attend. NET events are marked with an asterisk. Details for some events are TBD, and dates may change, especially due to weather, so check the club's online calendar for the most current information and last-minute changes: www.newenglandtriumphs.org/calendar.html

BCNH Show of Dreams 7/27/2019: British Cars of New Hampshire's Annual Show of Dreams. Alvirne Hills House Field, Hudson, NH

***Day of Triumph 7/28/2019:** Our club's annual car show at the Larz Anderson Auto Museum in Brookline, MA. This year we're celebrating the 50th birthday of the TR6.

***Dennis Sokol Memorial Ice Cream Run and Cancer benefit 8/3/2019.** We are honoring the loss of club member and dear friend Dennis Sokol with a tour and ice cream run on the Saturday following his birthday. We will also be collecting donations to the American Cancer Society to raise money for cancer research.

***Drive up Movie Night 8/24/2019:** The club will provide pizza, salad and bottled water. Popcorn will be available. Our projection and audio system are limited so we can't sit in our cars during the movie, so bring a lawn chair and your soda of choice.

***Southern NH, Monadnock Region Tour 9/7/2019:** Southern NH, Monadnock Region, maybe ending with a BBQ in Ashburnham. Details: TBD.

***NET Fall Tour 10/12/2019:** Western MA area tour. Will include the usual fall activities, apples, etc.

British Invasion 9/13/2019 to 9/15-2019: A favorite for many NET members in beautiful Stowe, VT.

***NET Lobster Tour 9/28/2019:** Once again, NET will be reclaiming the roads of coastal Maine in search of the elusive perfect seaside meal.

***NET End-of-Year Party 11/9/2019:** Our annual party will again be held at the Marriott Courtyard in Marlborough, MA. It starts with a cocktail hour with cheese, crackers, and a cash bar, followed by a buffet dinner. There will be a short address by our director, followed by the Yankee Swap gift exchange.

Magnetic Parts Trays on the Cheap!

I make small parts holders from large flexible magnets and lids from tin canisters. Every year I get these flexible magnets in the mail from advertisers. To make the holder just place the tin lid on the magnet and use a marker to trace the outline. Cut the magnet with a scissors to the size of lid and put it in the lid and you are ready to go. I like the magnet tray because you can group the screws or other items together making reassembly easier.



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Membership dues are \$20 per calendar year. They cover expenses such as website hosting, production and mailing of newsletters and special notices, and supplementation of some event costs.

New England Triumphs is an official chapter of:

The Vintage Triumph Register (VTR), dedicated to the history, preservation, and enjoyment of Triumph automobiles. VTR welcomes all Triumph owners. www.vtr.org

The Triumph Register of America (TRA), the only national U.S. organization devoted to the TR2-4A series. TRA was established to aid TR2-4A owners in the preservation, maintenance and enjoyment of their classic cars. www.triumphregister.com

6-Pack, dedicated to the preservation and enjoyment of the TR6 and TR250. www.6-pack.org

Submissions:

All submissions except classifieds should go to the Editor; classifieds should go to the classified department listed above. We encourage our members to submit anything they feel might be of interest to club members. We will do our best to include all contributions within the limits of space, time, interest, and our abilities. If you have supporting photos, please submit them. Send electronic submissions via e-mail to the Editor. If you would like to reproduce anything in this newsletter for another publication, please contact the Editor. We ask only that you credit the author and this newsletter as the source.

New England Triumphs -- Membership Application

A club for those interested in restoring, preserving and driving vintage Triumph cars. Ownership of a Triumph is not required. New England Triumphs is an affiliate of The Vintage Triumph Register, Triumph Register of America and the 6-Pack club.

Visit us online at www.newenglandtriumphs.org and www.facebook.com/NewEnglandTriumphs

- Check One: **New member:** Fill out entire form
 Renewal: Fill in name, email and any **new/changed info only**

Contact Information: Please note: We do not share NET member information with anyone

Name(s): _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Phone 1: _____ Phone 2: _____
 Email: _____

Email and Newsletter Options

Do you want to receive email from NET? If so, select one of the following options:

- Official club communications only
 Official club communications plus member discussions and technical questions

How would you like to receive the newsletter? (Choose one) Paper Copy Electronic Copy *

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If your email address has changed, please update it above. Thanks!

Car Information: New members, please enter your car information. For renewals, list any changes.

Year	Model	Color	Comm #	Tag No. & State

Do you belong to any of the following clubs?

- Vintage Triumph Register (VTR) Triumph Register of America (TRA) 6-Pack

Mail to:

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Annual dues are \$20. Mail your check payable to **New England Triumphs** along with your completed application to this address. This form is available online: newenglandtriumphs.org/membership_form.html You can fill it out online and then print it, or print it and then fill it out by hand.

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