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President's Message

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Let me apologize for the late president's message. We are currently in Portsmouth, New Hampshire, on our way to Nova Scotia. Today is the last day you may hear from me, as after this, I'm not sure about mobile phone service or internet service. I'm hoping both will keep working, no clue currently. We picked up the new camper/motor home on Friday the 27th of May in Lakeview, Ohio. I learned a tough lesson that day. Don't ever pick up a new camper on a Friday, especially a Friday before a long weekend. I drove it back to Columbus, Ohio where we were staying with friends. There was much banging and rattling while driving. I didn't know a vehicle could rattle that much. On Saturday, Pat went to lunch with some high school friends, and I was told to load the camper. I figured that I ought to start the refrigerator to get it cooling before putting food in it. It needs 12v for the controls. Guess what. No 12v to the coach. I spent the next 2 days looking for the 12v. It wasn't getting to the main cutoff switch. I figured it must be something simple. No luck. Looked online for a schematic. Couldn't find anything. Couldn't find a YouTube video, nothing.



Waited for Tuesday morning. Left at 06:30 to take the camper back, barely got there at 09:00 when they opened due to road construction, etc. The guy looked at it, took about a ½ hour and brought it back to the front. He said it was a breaker flipped. I asked where, and he told me that metal box next to the battery. I had looked at that, but it was bolted shut, and I thought, no they wouldn't put anything in there. Silly me, that's where it was. So, then we started in. What about this? And he said give me a minute. Fixed that, and we said what about this, and he fixed that. After about 5 "what about this" he implied that the camper never should have been turned loose. The last one took about another ½ hour.

We then took it back to Columbus, Ohio. Banging and crashing all the way. We proceeded to load it up, filled up the water tank, and left on Wednesday, two days behind schedule. We still have many of the rattles, and I have been communicating with a friend in Albuquerque, who has the same unit. We have some ideas and have fixed some. It's great on a smooth road. Not so much on a road with frost heaves or eroded division strips. We are on our way, though.

Happy travels.

Doug





Zen type thoughts for the day

- 1. Before you criticize someone, you should walk a mile in their shoes. That way, when you criticize them you're a mile away and you have their shoes.**
- 2. If at first you don't succeed, skydiving is not for you.**
- 3. Give a man a fish and he will eat for a day. Teach him how to fish, and he will sit in a boat and drink beer all day.**
- 4. If you lend someone \$20 and never see that person again, it was probably worth it.**
- 5. If you tell the truth, you don't have to remember anything.**
- 6. Some days you are the bug; some days you are the windshield.**
- 7. Don't worry; it only seems kinky the first time.**
- 8. Good judgment comes from bad experience, and a lot of that comes from bad judgment.**
- 9. The quickest way to double your money is to fold it in half and put it back in your pocket.**
- 10. A closed mouth gathers no foot.**
- 11. Duct tape is like the Force. It has a light side and a dark side, and it holds the universe together.**
- 12. There are two theories to arguing with women. Neither one works.**
- 13. Generally speaking, you aren't learning much when your lips are moving.**
- 14. Experience is something you don't get until just after you need it.**
- 15. Never miss a good chance to shut up.**
- 16. We are born naked, wet and hungry, and get slapped on our butt...Then things get worse.**
- 17. Never, under any circumstances, take a sleeping pill and a laxative on the same night.**
- 18. There is a fine line between "hobby" and "mental illness."**
- 19. No matter what happens, somebody will find a way to take it too seriously.**
- 20. There comes a time when you should stop expecting other people to make a big deal about your birthday...around age 11.**
- 21. Everyone seems normal until you get to know them.**
- 22. No one is listening until you fart.**
- 23. Always remember you're unique...Just like everyone else.**
- 24. Never test the depth of the water with both feet.**
- 25. If you think nobody cares if you're alive, try missing a couple of car payments.**

Celebrations

By: Gene



Birthdays

Lou Spradlin June 6th
Gene Myszowski 11th
Steve Bradley 16th
Pat Bullard 21st

Anniversaries

Amazing there are no June Brides!

2022 ABCC Upcoming Club Activities

Do you have an idea for an event? Contact Doug at pbullard@hotmail.com

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Daffynitions

1. ARBITRATOR

A cook that leaves Arby's to work at McDonald's

2. BERNADETTE

The act of torching a mortgage.

3. BURGLARIZE

What a crook sees through

4. AVOIDABLE

What a bullfighter tries to do

5. EYEDROPPER

Clumsy ophthalmologist

6. CONTROL

A short, ugly inmate.

7. COUNTERFEITER

Workers who put together kitchen cabinets

8. ECLIPSE

What an English barber does for a living.

9. LEFT BANK

What the bank robbers did when their bag was full of money.

10. HEROES

What a man in a boat does

11. PARASITES

What you see from the Eiffel Tower

12. PARADOX

Two physicians

13. PHARMACIST

A helper on a farm

14. POLARIZE

What penguins see through

FOR SALE or WANTED

UPCOMING EVENTS

JUNE 11, 2022 London to Brighton Rally. Indiana - <http://www.ibcu.org/london-to-brighton-run.html>

JUNE 12-15, 2022 British V8 Meet. Wytheville, VA- <http://forum.britishv8.org/read.php?10,68995>

JUNE 12, 2022 27th Annual British Motorcar Gathering. Hellertown, PA – www.keystonemg.com

JUNE 19 -23, 2022 MG 2022 Peterborough, ON - www.mg2022.org.

JUNE 16-19, 2022 Indy Speedtour. Indianapolis, IN - www.svra.com/

JUNE 20-24, 2022 TRA National Meet. Gettysburg, PA- <http://triumphregister.com/tra-national-meet/>

JUNE 23-26, 2022 Goodwood Festival of Speed. Chichester, England – www.goodwood.co.uk/

JUNE 23-26, 2022 Mid-Ohio Speedtour. Lexington, OH - www.svra.com/

JUNE 24-26, 2022 Morgan Gator MOG Summer Noggin. Naples, FL -
<http://www.mogsouth.com/calendar/>

JUNE 23-26, 2022 Sahlen's Six Hours of the Glen. Watkins Glen, NY www.imsa.com

JUNE 26,2022 Brits by the Bay. Hydes, MD - <https://www.tracltd.org/>

JULY 1-4, 2022 MOG 50 – Luray VA – www.morgandc.com

JULY 15-24, 2022 Pittsburg Vintage Grand Prix. Pittsburg, PA – www.pvgp.org

JULY 23, 2022 British Cars of New Hampshire 24th Annual Show of Dreams. Hudson, NH - www.bcnh.org

JULY 24, 2022 International Car Show. Pittsburg, PA – <https://www.pvgp.org/>

JULY 29-31, 2022 New Jersey Speedtour. Millville, NJ - www.svra.com

JULY 30, 2022 Annual Caladium Festival Car Show. Lake Placid, FL – www.lpfla.com/

AUGUST 6-7, 2022 SCCA SOLO II (Autocross). Daytona International Speedway, Daytona Beach, FL – <https://autocross.cfrscca.org/>

[August 6, 2022](http://www.britishcardaydayton.com/) 36th British Car Day. Dayton, OH - <http://www.britishcardaydayton.com/>

AUGUST 13-14, 2022 Mount Equinox Hill Climb. Arlington, VT – www.vseca.org

AUGUST 20, 2022 Return of the British. Rugby, TN - <http://www.pbcctn.org/>

AUGUST 29 - Sept. 1, 2022 VTR 2022. Galena, IL - www.vtr2022.org

SEPTEMBER 18-23, 2022 Austin Healey Conclave. Pocono Mountains, PA. –
<http://www.healeyclub.org/>

Note: If you are planning on attending any of these events please check their website for updated Information before you go.



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