



TRIUMPH CLUB OF NORTH FLORIDA

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The hot new TR-4A was the Class D Modified Champion in the only division entered—Pacific Coast.

The Triumph TR-4
Out of 6 Sports Car Club of America Class D Divisions, the TR-4 won three—Midwest, Northeast, Pacific Coast. (Bob Tallius, in 244, became Northeast Champion for the 4th straight year.)

The Triumph Spitfire
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The Triumph TR-3
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	February 26	Tech Session— English Garage 1948 Parental Home Road, Suite 2 -- 3 pm to 5 pm.
	April 1st and 2nd	Road Trip to Mt. Dora. Details on page 6
	May 20	Cookout at the Bra- zil's house.
	<p>Monthly Reminders Pub club meeting February 5, at King's Head Pub, St. Augustine on US 1 about 5 miles north of the city. Look for the Red Double-decker bus. Time: 1:00—4:00 p.m. All Members are invited and encouraged to come.</p>	

President's Corner

January has always been somewhat of a "down" month for mind, spirit and TCNF, but February sees us back to regular monthly events, for which the lower temperatures provide some of the best top down driving.

With that in mind, Gerry Popp has a tour to Mt. Dora scheduled for April 1st / 2nd; perhaps our ladies know that this is a charming little place for the antique and art gallery inclined, while the male and gallery-challenged in our midst will find some great restaurants and Irish..uuhm.."waiting places". Add a drive through Ocala National Forest and how can you not call the hotel listed on page 6 in this issue?

Nobody has yet stepped up to handle one of our favorite events, the annual picnic at Camp Blanding. Just hate to see this occasion fall off the calendar this year; how about TWO couples sharing the preparation? To reiterate what has been said before, we have a very complete dossier on what it takes plus all the directional signs are ready for use.

We are having an Officers Meeting at noon on February 5th at the pub. If there is something you would like us to consider, please send me an E mail.

And finally, who says our interest in small British classics has no fascination for the younger generations? My 9yr old granddaughter just informed me she would be overjoyed if I left "your little red car that you always keep in the garage" to her in my will! Now, that is perceptive forward planning.....and darn good taste.

Graham Thomas

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The Kellys are Moving

The Kellys are moving to Texas. We have purchased a loft in downtown Fort Worth. Houston Place Lofts, to be exact. Web site is www.HoustonPlaceLofts.com. And old historic building that has a history and has been refurbished to contain our new history.

We are sorry to be leaving Palm Coast and all the wonderful people we've learned to love here, but all our children and grandchildren have somehow ended up in the Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex...we are getting tired of driving out at least twice a year for sometimes a month at a time. And we now have 6 grandkids there (two were born last month, which might have prompted our decision.)

Things we will miss: Seaside Music Theater and all the wonderful people who work there, not to mention the often better than Broadway productions. We are so happy to be able to see Beauty and the Beast in the new News Journal Center. We'll try to get hooked up with theater in Fort Worth. The Bass Center is there...but we're looking for regional professional. Any info is appreciated.

The Triumph Club of North Florida. Some of the best and most loved people we've encountered in this state. We've had a great time and hope to keep in touch. We'll be there for this summer's VTR in ...somewhere around Dallas/Fort Worth. I think Las Colinas. We even have a "guest niche" with a queen size sofa bed and some privacy for a loft. There is the Red River Club there, I guess.

The Arts community of Palm Coast. Michele will really miss the winter workshops with Win and Judy, and the art shows. But...Fort Worth has a vibrant arts community and a world class museum complex.

The Coast Guard Auxillary in the "ditch." Arthur's rescue days are in the past, but they are great memories. There are enough lakes in the DFW area that there have to be flotillas to join, and he will do so.

We both thank you all for your friendship and fun. Will let you know the new address as soon as we close in Texas and close in Florida! Come see us! Eat chili!

Michelle Kelly

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With tongue in cheek and apologies to friends of all backgrounds...

Heaven is where the police are British, the cooks are French, the mechanics are German, the lovers are Italian and it's all organized by the Swiss.

Hell is where the Chef's are British, the mechanics are French, the lover's Swiss, the police are German, and it's all organized by the Italians.

Notice this empty space? It's your newsletter, too!! We need contributions

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Overnight Trip to Mt. Dora, Saturday, April 1st

We will gather at 10:30 a.m. in the Beall's Shopping Center, Green Cove Springs at the Junction of Route 16 and U.S. Route 17.

Our chosen hotel is the Hampton Inn at 1-800-426-7866 or www.hamptoninn.com/hi/mountdora. Price with group discount is \$80 per night. Make your reservations ASAP.

On investigation we found the great majority of restaurants, art galleries, antique shops and general ogling shops are open all weekend.

The Ice House Theatre is presenting "Sleuth" and tickets are \$18.50 for adults and \$16.50 for seniors. Bookings can be made in advance via www.icehousetheatre.com. We are of the impression that walk-ups on the night will find all seats sold.

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