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## The Prez Sez:

By the time you read this *Purr*, Pat and I will have returned from the AGM in Vancouver, B.C. Each year the National Club meets to vote on the new issues brought before the organization and to award the trophies for the previous competitions, concours, rallies, and slaloms.

Since we have been attending these meetings as your Senior Club Officer and Delegate, we have become friendly with all the other *Jaguar* Club officers and look forward to enjoying this time with these amiable fellow enthusiasts at this event.

Hopefully by now you have renewed your 2000 membership in *DVJC*. If you are among those who have not yet renewed, I welcome you to do so and appreciate your participation in the our club and each of our monthly events.

The May event is our "Great Race" -- Cloverleaf Style Rally. We head to Millville, NJ to hold this event. *Jaguars* have had a big presence in this event and have come into the winner's circle very often. If you have any questions about this rally event, please call either Ralph at Cloverleaf Auto (610) 364-3800 or me and either of us will be happy to explain the details. Since our rally spans two days this year, we actually get credited for running two separate events according to J.C.N.A. regulations. See the centerfold for the discount application.

It is not too late to run a slalom event -- all we need is a location, a sanction, and a group of contestants! If anyone would be interested in holding this type of event, please contact me ASAP!

Our annual concours is also coming up fast! It will be held Saturday, June 3, and once again we have been reinvited to

## Classified

**For Sale:** 1990 XJS-V12 coupe. BRG with biscuit interior. 43 K miles on "weekend" car. All seals & gaskets replaced. New Pirelli tires. Alpine CD player. Body near flawless & perfect chrome. \$15,900. All service records available. Call Russ at (610) 966-2831

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**For Sale:** XKE Facroty Hardtop, off Series I, may fit others, black with white headliner, window great, chrome great. Can be used as is; for concours, needs respray. John (201) 894-0091 (APR)

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**For Sale:** 1988 XJS 12 cylinder convertible. 170K miles. Triple black. Must sell - Best Offer. Call for details. Ron (215) 327-4848. (DEC)

**For Sale:** 1986 XJ6. 79K miles. Sunroof. Blue with tan interior. Runs good. \$6500. Call Dave at (610) 876-4566. (JAN)

# Calendar of Events

Apr 16	Annual Brunch Buffet Corinthian Yacht Club "Welcome New Members"
May 5,6,7	Cloverleaf Rally, Parade, Dinner
Jun 3	Brandywine Trauma Center
July 2	Autocross - Contact Ralph Steinberg (610) 364-3800 Picnic & Swim Party
TBA	New Hope Auto Auction
Aug	Buckingham Radnor Hunt
Sep	Franklin Mint Show Bryn Mawr Car Show
Oct	Covered Bridge Leaf Tour Museum Gathering, Chinese Buffet Dinner

hold this event at Brandywine Hospital and Trauma Center which is just north of Coatesville, PA just off the Route 30 bypass. I can use all the help I can get that day. We need help putting up and taking down the Club tent, parking at least 60 *Jaguars* in the correct spots, judging, tallying score sheets, selling show entrance tickets, selling raffle tickets, making announcements and just plain having fun!!! The hospital has its annual strawberry festival at this time and it's like a country fair. There is plenty to do for families with children -- from a petting zoo to rides, games and good food. We have always been blessed with good weather for our show at this event. I would like to request the presence of every DVJC member at this prestigious event. You may enter your *Jaguar* for display for the "fun" of it for FREE. The closest *Jaguar* dealer to this event, Phil-Penn Motor Car Co. of Bryn Mawr, plans to provide two new *Jaguars* for display. We will have dash plaques to present to the first 50 *Jaguars* entered in the show. Please give me a call if you are willing to join us that day.

This is the Bi-annual election year for the Club. If you are interested in participating in the seeing how the club is run and would like to help out with the work, you should speak to an officer of director to understand the nomination process. Your help would be appreciated.

Until the Directors Meeting,

*Happy Motoring!*

*Kurt*

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VENDOR ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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## Point of Interest

At the DVJC Board of Directors Meeting on February 5, 2000, it was noted that *Jaguar Journal* has indicated that they will no longer publish Concourse results. Our membership agreed that this is not acceptable. Actually, they think it stinks! We agreed that the Concourse events are the cement that holds the clubs together. Our separate organizations have lots of individual character and culture, but the thing that makes them homogenous is the concourse events. In the absence of a national report of those results, we lose our sense of common purpose - that of promulgating a sense of the joy and esprit de corps in our appreciation of *Jaguar* automobiles.

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## Tip Top Tech Tips

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*Tom*

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ENTRANT: (If entered in The History Channel Great Race, name of driver/navigator, car info & insurance card is all that is required.)

CIRCLE ONE: DRIVER, NAVIGATOR, OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_ TYPE OF WORK & EMPLOYER: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ STREET ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

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RALLY EXPERIENCE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ T-SHIRT SIZE \_\_\_\_\_

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ STREET ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

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