



Capitol City MG Club

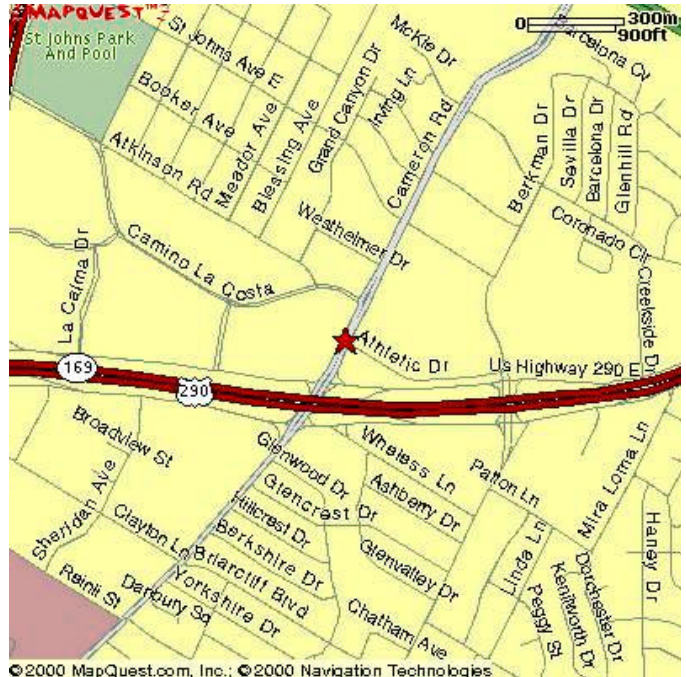


June 2001

.....NIGHT RUN to WALBURG: HOSTED BY TOM LIBERT.....

We will meet on June 23 at 7:00 pm, the corner of Cameron Rd, and Athletic Drive (just North of HWY 290, Just East of I35). We will leave out at 7:30 pm, and we will follow a scenic route up to the historic Walburg Restaurant, in Walburg, on FM 972, approximately 5 miles east of I-35. We should arrive at the restaurant about 8:30 pm, and we will have traditional German food and hear some fine German music. This event was rained out last fall, but we should have good weather this time. This is going to be a fun event, and skipping it would likely incur great cost to your social life. Don't risk it! In event of rain, call me at (512)42-4088 for re-scheduling information.

This is an MG club event, but civilian cars and (urk!) even Triumphs are welcome. However, a Bentley or Morgan would be seen as overkill. (Just kidding, it's a friendly rivalry, and I would love to have or drive any of those cars. Please invite members of other clubs and your friends to come. Since the drive will occur at night, there are several cautions associated with our cars' electrics that I shall offer as advice for the drive:



Starting point: Athletic Drive and Cameron Rd.

- The Lucas motto: "Get home before dark."
- Lucas is the patent holder for the short circuit.
- Lucas - Inventor of the first intermittent wiper.
- Lucas - Inventor of the self-dimming headlamp.
- The three position Lucas switch - Dim, Flicker and Off.
- The Original Anti-Theft Device - Lucas Electrics.
- "I have had a Lucas pacemaker for years and have never had any trou..."

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Did you hear the one about the guy that peeked into a [MG] and asked the owner "How can you tell one switch from another at night, as they all look the same ?" "He replied, it does not matter which one you use, nothing happens !"

Did you know... Lucas lamps do not actually produce light, instead they function by sucking dark.



The famous Lucas PL "Tripod" lamp



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PHOTOS BY HAROLD DUNPHY: SALADO GOF AND DALLAS ABCD



Not British: a BMW Isetta. Note the easy entry/exit, and as we see in the ad above, these cars were built in Britain



This lucky MGB-GT owner laughs at rain... (Is this Hal's car? I think so)



"Well, I'll be gobsmacked, it's rather a lovely Metro, isn't it."
NOTE: MG manufactured most of the parts for the NASH Metropolitan.

June Meeting:
Tuesday the 19th at
Threadgill's restaurant, Riv-
erside and Barton Springs
Road at 7:30 p.m.
Come early to enjoy the
fine food and drink and
company of fellow MG'ers



Coming Events



June - Tuesday, June 19, Monthly Meeting,
Threadgill's Restaurant, Riverside and Barton
Springs Rd. 7:30 pm.



Saturday, June 23, Night run to Walburg, hosted
by Tom Libert. (To depart from Reagan High
School on Athletic Drive) Meet at 7:00 pm, leav-
ing out at 7:30 pm.



Coming in September (23rd?), the Fall GOF in
Kerrville. Brad Lee (CCMGC member extra-
ordinaire) is helping to organize this event.
More details to come.



Morgan 3 wheeler at speed from:
<http://morgan3w.de/index.htm>



Anyone wishing to plan an
event or add it to the cal-
endar, please call the
newsletter editor at 442-4088 or by e-mail: embee@io.com
The club web page is at <http://www.geocities.com/ccmgc>



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their hospitality at our
monthly meetings.*

CCMGC Membership Application

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Cars owned:

MG1 _____

MG2 _____

(attach pages if more space is needed)

Send completed application to address below with \$15 to register. Thank you.



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Drive Smart — Drive Safe
Next Meeting Tuesday, June 19, 7:30 p.m.