



# Jaguar Jargon



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## You Are Cordially Invited to Enjoy A Victorian Tableware Collection

### Sunday – March 31, 2019

Visit Dave Gestler's home to see three extensive collections, with beginnings in the 1960's.

First, a collection of over 5,000 pieces of Early American Pattern Glass, the majority of which was produced during the 1800's in factories located in Pittsburgh's South Side, when it was known as Birmingham. This was Pittsburgh's first major industry, predating the Steel Mills by a century. Pattern Glass was produced in 40, 50 or more forms, or shapes, in one pattern, to meet every need of the Victorian dinner table. Prior to the Civil War, the glass contained lead which made the pieces very heavy. Soda Lime replaced the lead in the 1870's and combined with more detailed iron mold patterns, allowed more intricate patterns. In the 1880's, colored glass was invented, providing another feature to attract the Lady of the House.

The second collection consists of 2,000 pieces of English Transferware, produced in hundreds of Potteries in the midlands of

England during the 1800's, and continuing to a lesser extent, today. First produced in China, the English established their own production, much of it designed with patterns, or designs, aimed at the growing American market.

Three rare pieces on display at Dave's show "Allegheny Views" – scenes of the Allegheny Canal on Pittsburgh's Northside. Unlike Pattern Glass, Transferware comes in every conceivable size of dinner plate, soup dish, platter, bowl and cup and saucer. Come learn why it is called "Transferware".



### Jaguar Related

Last, but not least, is a collection (if three can be called a collection) of classic Jaguars. Dave's very original 1953 XK-120 OTS, may not be on display because it may still be at Jim Boffo's having a redo of the front suspension and installation of disc brakes. With the cars is a large collection of Jaguar models, posters, literature and books.

\*\*\* Meet for Lunch at 12:00 Noon \*\*\*

North Park Lounge Murrysville  
111 Blue Spruce Way, Murrysville, PA 15668

Then a short drive to Dave's home where beverages and desserts will be served.

\*\*\* RSVP to Dave Gestler \*\*\*

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# Jaguar Club of Pittsburgh

## 2019 Events Calendar



<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Sponsor</i>
March 31	Lunch and Tour of Dave Gestler collections	Dave Gestler
April 27	Tech Session	Gary Kincel
June 4	U.S. Steel Plaza Show	Dolly Taskey, Cecile Canales
June 23	Mountain Playhouse Lunch & Show	Scott Drab
August 10	Sewickley Show	Chuck Pipich, Scott Drab, Charlie Roberts
August 24	Jaguars at Jacksons V	Dave & Karen Gamret
September 29	British Cars at Hartwood	Jack Terrick
October	Fall Leaf Tour	Pete & Janet Galinowski
November	2019 Membership Meeting	Rich Aronson
December	Christmas Party	

### Non-JCOP Events for 2019:

March 22-23	JCNA Annual General Meeting, Mahwah, NJ	See <a href="http://jcna.com">jcna.com</a> for details
May 4-5	Greenbrier Concours d'Elegance	
May 11-12	SCCA Majors at Pitt Race	
May 25	Susquehanna Valley Concours d'Elegance	David Hershey 717-846-0642
June 1	Delaware Valley Jaguar Club Concours d'Elegance	Jim Sjoreen 610-989-3860
July 12-13	PVGP racing at Pitt Race	
July 20-21	British Car Day & Racing in Schenley Park PVGP	
August 3	Jaguar Club of Ohio Concours	Dominic Perri 216-644-7066
September 6-8	Watkins Glen Trip	
September	Alleys, Axles & Ales Tour	
October 11-12	Hershey Car Show	
October 26-27	NE Div. Regional Race SCCA at Pitt Race	



## President's Message

R. Pete Galinowski



Hey! The first event went off with a big bang or should I say with a big appetite! Silvioni's was well received by all the Jaguar participants. So check out the Jargon for all the other activities coming up and be sure to check the ones you're interested in then pick another one to try out something different.

The next event is March 31<sup>st</sup> Lunch and Tour of the Dave Gestler Collections. You will start with a Sunday lunch at North Park Lounge Murrysville then on to the Gestler House to view his glass and car collections. Call Dave Gestler at 412-372-8749 to RSVP. "Be there or be square!" (Remember this?)

April 27 is the date for this year's tech session. The tech session will be held at Gary Kincel's garage and this year's theme is auto paints, problems, repairs, polishing, waxing etc.. This promises to be one of the most informative tech sessions and you could gain knowledge of your cars paint. More information will be forthcoming through the rest of the month. Be sure to reserve the April 27<sup>th</sup> date.

June 4<sup>th</sup> has the USS Plaza event which is the best downtown car show in Pittsburgh check the Jargon for more info.

June 23<sup>rd</sup> JCOP teams with several other clubs to attend Green Gables and The Mountain Playhouse in Jennerstown Pa. "The Irish and How They Got That Way" a musical with lunch at the Green Gables Restaurant This is a first come first served with limited seating so early reservation is needed. Check further in the Jargon for more information and application.

Now don't wait, JCOP officers and members worked hard to provide these events for you, take advantage of them. Nothing is more heartening then a good showing of members to the persons taking the time to bring these events for your enjoyment.

As a member I've attended many JCOP events and can honestly say that everyone I attended I've enjoyed. Now did I attend all events, no, I think that only one year I was able to accomplish this, and at the time I was still working. The only way to take advantage of your JCOP membership is to partake of all the club offers.

Thanks Pete!



Vintage Grand Prix 2012



## April 27 Tech Session addresses problems with Paint

**By Gary Kincel**

As the days become longer and you are thinking of taking your “CAT” out of the garage for some long overdue exercise, please join us for a fascinating and informative tech session at Coventry Garage, which is located at 101 Parkway in White Oak, Pa. The session will be sponsored by Richlin Imports, and presented by Brandon Fullen. Brandon has worked on my cars for many years, and never failed to solve even the most difficult problem, (which is mostly what I take him).

On April 27<sup>th</sup>, join us at around 9:30 for coffee and donuts, and to catch up with friends from the Jaguar community that you have not seen during the winter months. Around 10:00 we will begin to discuss paint correction. The discussion will include a review of paint types that have been in use over the years, along with ways to restore existing paint, and when to decide its time for a fresh coat.

In addition, as time permits we will spend some time talking about the maintenance and troubleshooting issues that usually show up when our cars are fired up at the end of winter, including cooling system, battery, and brake problems as well as related preventive maintenance that should be considered in these and other areas.

Come with questions! Brandon, along with some very knowledgeable club members with many years of Jaguar experience, will be available to discuss, and answer your questions.

For those who may not be familiar with Richlin Imports, they are located on Harrison City-Export Road, in Harrison City, Pa. They have been a local landmark for many years and deal in a variety of import auto repairs including many antiques and exotics. For this session, they agreed to come to my garage in White Oak, located at 101 Parkway.

**PLEASE RSVP Gary Kincel by April 14<sup>th</sup> at 412-6382715, or by e-mail at [gkincel64@gmail.com](mailto:gkincel64@gmail.com)**

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PITTSBURGH PRESENTS**

Sunday, June 23, 2019

A Country Drive to Green Gables and the Mountain Playhouse in Jennerstown PA  
Come join us for a leisurely drive through the Laurel Highlands, to the award-winning  
Green Gables Restaurant for lunch and immediately following a matinee at the  
Mountain Playhouse

**“The Irish and How They Got That Way” *musical***



The cost of the show and lunch is  
\$58.00/person.

Due to the popularity of this show, we have a limit of  
40 **front center section** seats for the event. Seats will  
be assigned on a first-come first-serve basis as  
determined by your reservation postmark date.

**Please order early to guarantee your seats  
for this fabulous event!**

Everyone knows about “The Irish.” They’re the people who live life to the fullest – indulging  
lustily in good song and good humor (and sometimes even raising a glass or two). So,  
what’s so great about being Irish? Find out in this moving, uplifting, eye-opening musical  
history lesson full of charm and a bit of blarney. Don’t miss this raucous celebration of all  
things Irish through traditional and contemporary songs and stories as told by the  
Pulitzer Prize-winning author of *Angela’s Ashes*.

**Assemble at Irwin Walmart:**

915 Mills Drive North Huntingdon PA 15642

**Depart Walmart for Driving Tour:**

**Arrive at Green Gables:**

7712 Somerset Pike Jennerstown, PA 15547

**Lunch:**

**The Irish and How They Got That Way:**

**10:30 AM**

**11:00 AM**

**12:45 PM**

**1:00 PM**

**3:00PM**

Driving Tour is 51 miles and will take approximately 1.5 hours  
Enjoy a Lincoln Highway Three Course Luncheon  
At Green Gables Restaurant, which includes:

Iceberg Salad with Italian Dressing  
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CHOICES FOR LUNCH

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- Lunch #2: Hot Roast Beef Sandwich with Mashed Potatoes, Vegetables and Gravy
- Lunch #3: Braised Pork Chop in Gravy with Cheesy Wild Rice and Southern Green Beans

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**Please Return This Form As Soon As Possible to Reserve your Seats**

Country Drive to Green Gables and Mountain Playhouse in Jennerstown PA

Member/Guest Name(s):

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Indicate Your Choice(s) for Lunch

*Number of each lunch: Price all-inclusive*

\_\_\_\_\_ Lunch #1 @ \$27.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Lunch #2 @ \$27.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Lunch #3 @ \$27.00

*Number of Show Tickets*

\_\_\_\_\_ @ \$31.00

Total \$ Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail the completed form and check made payable to the Allegheny RROC to:**

Scott Drab

505 Donatello Drive

Irwin, PA 15642

Any questions please call 412-855-2289

**In the event we do not have any tickets left for purchase, your reservation and check will be promptly returned.**

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### Here's how:

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The embroidery fee is \$5.95 embroidery. Lands' End has free promotions from time to time that waive this fee. Sign up to be on their mailing list. Clothing is available in women's, men's, and children's sizes, regular or tall S, M, L, EL.

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## Coventry Foundation - Preserving Jaguar® History



### By Tom Wright

Recently, George Camp, in photo, received a magnificent donation from Jim Stockton (at left in photo) of his Jaguar MK2, and transported it back to the Coventry Foundation Library/Research Center in Columbia, SC. This great example will become part of the Foundation collection and be available for view, and research at the library. This particular example of the MK2 is a very early one. It is 55<sup>th</sup> MK2 built, and has a 3.4L motor.

These early ones were typically ordered in Japan, and in this case we have not yet determined where it was originally delivered. It is thru the generosity of folks like Jim, that the Foundation has grown rapidly over the past few years in our mission to serve the enthusiast community in North America.

The Coventry Foundation (Foundation) is a not for profit charitable corporation created to perpetuate the heritage of Jaguar® Cars in North America filling a role analogous to that of the Jaguar Daimler Heritage Trust.

The Foundation's mission is to serve the needs of Jaguar® enthusiasts throughout North America on the belief that these wonderful cars should be enjoyed, driven, raced, and shared with the public to encourage the involvement of people of all ages in the appreciation of Jaguars®.

Although relatively new, the Foundation has been making great progress in expanding beyond the scope of Jaguar® Cars and Jaguar Clubs of North America (JCNA). The Foundation is separate from those organizations (as required by USA law for charitable organizations) but it works closely with both pursuant to agreements where their interests and missions overlap.

The Foundation has established a Library in Columbia, South Carolina well stocked with historic and technical books to serve as a resource for historical information related to the restoration and repair of Jaguar® Cars. The Foundation also provides information and copies of out of print documents. These materials are available by appointment to Patrons of the Foundation desiring to research their favorite Jaguar®.

The Foundation has a display area in the British Sports Car Hall of Fame at the Moss Facility in Petersburg, Virginia and is working towards finding a second library/display location on the West Coast. The next major step will be a permanent Museum location where the Foundation's functions can be consolidated and its collections displayed and opened to Jaguar® enthusiasts from around the World.

An endowed scholarship program at Penn Technical College for students in their accredited training program for the restoration of classic cars has been created by the Foundation. Additional scholarships are in the planning stage.

The Foundation's extensive collection of model cars, framed artwork, rare, original, and authentic Jaguar® artifacts, and classic Jaguar® Cars which includes an XK140 FHC, a Mark II Sedan, a Series III E-Type, and an early XJS are displayed at the Library in Columbia, SC and at the hall of Fame in Petersburg, VA.

The founding fathers of the Foundation are Gary Kincel (President) and George Camp (Secretary/Treasurer). Dick Maury, Gary Hagopian, and Tom Krefetz are Founding Board of Directors Members and Tom Wright has performed the legal work. All have filled important positions within JCNA including three who served as JCNA President. Micheal Dale (former Jaguar® Cars North America President) and Bob Tullius (of Group 44 fame) are expert advisors to the Foundation and their knowledge and experience is invaluable.

The Foundation welcomes new Patrons from around the World. Please visit the Foundation's website at [www.coventryfoundation.org](http://www.coventryfoundation.org) and its FaceBook page to learn more. You can become a Patron online. Your donations are necessary to help the Foundation achieve its mission.

# Jaguar Club of Pittsburgh / Jaguar Clubs of North America



## 2019 Renewal / New Member Application



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The JCNA magazine, *Jaguar Journal*, is mailed on a bi-monthly basis.

**2019 JCOP/JCNA dues: \$45.00**

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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(If you do not have an email address, please indicate here) \_\_\_\_\_

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Please list any Jaguars currently owned (not required for membership)

Year	Model	Body Style (OTS, FHC, DHC, Sedan, Coupe, Convertible)
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_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Attach separate page for additional cars

Please make your check payable to the Jaguar Club of Pittsburgh and send to:

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*Upcoming Events:*

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**April 27—Tech Session**

**June 23—Mountain Playhouse Lunch & Show**  
*(make reservations now!)*



**JCOP  
Feb.  
Dinner  
Kicks  
Off New  
Year**



**There's nothing more welcome on a cold winter night than some delicious Italian food and the company of friends.**

**JCOP had both at its February dinner at Silvioni's in the North Hills. Thanks to Pete and Janet Galinowski for organizing this great event!**