

Boot & Bonnet

By Michael Scott

Happy October, QCC!!

Fall is always one of our favorite seasons at QCC, with (hopefully) a break in temperatures, typically clear skies, and the fabulous change of color in the Ohio Valley from the green of Summer to the spectacular shades of red, yellow, and orange. This time of year affords us the opportunities for some leisurely (and not so leisurely) drives to enjoy the Fall colors along with the last vestiges of nice weather. In addition, Fall has always been a huge favorite for me as the cooler temps allow for some great evenings around the fire pit aided by a glass of wine and the comfort of jeans and a sweater to hide the extra pounds that I somehow just didn't shed during the Summer...again.

As I write, I've just gotten home from an afternoon of wandering the hills and back roads of Kentucky on a preview of this year's Fall Spirits Drive to Prodigy Winery in Frankfort. Once again, Ed and Vel have done an absolutely amazing job of finding a perfect combination of country lanes, twisty two-lane (barely) roads, and scenic highway that with the planned spirited pace will keep everyone holding on for the next turn! As we drove today, the leaves were just beginning to turn, so I can only imagine how spectacular the colors will be when we make the drive on October 12th! And don't forget about the award winning wines of Prodigy Vineyards awaiting us at the end of the drive, topped off with an optional dinner at the nearby Cattlemen's Steakhouse! Oh, and lest I forget, Ed also introduced me today to Red State Barbeque, a little hole-in-the-wall kind of place a mile or so off the expressway down in Frankfort. Great down-home food with an eclectic atmosphere that's DEFINITELY worth the drive. Did I mention that I'm thankful for jeans and loose sweater weather?

Fall is also elections season for QCC! As most of you are aware, nominations for 2020 Executive Board officers were opened at the September Motor-In at the Coop. Those nominations will be finalized at the close of the October Motor-In, held at Grammas Pizza (154 E. Main St. in Batavia) on Saturday, October 5th @ 6pm. Positions requiring a run-off will be decided by secret ballot at the November Motor-In held on Saturday, November 2nd @ 4pm at The Barn.

And there's so much more in store for QCC in October! On October 20th, Rob and Carol will be taking us to Moscow, Oh. for our first ever British Heritage Fall picnic! Pack a picnic basket and a blanket or a chair for a leisurely drive, a beautiful view of the Ohio River, friends, Rolls Royces, and plenty of Grey Poupon to go around! And the QCC HALLOWEEN PARTY IS BACK! Once again, Brittany Hoelscher and our besties at Cincinnati MINI are hosting QCC's ghoulish gathering on Saturday, October 26th from 6pm-9pm. Dress your best (or worst) and come join the fun! (watch the QCC website for additional details) And for those of you who just can't get enough of the Dragon's Tail, there's always MINIs Slay the Sleeping Dragon, October 11th-13th! The Dragon may be sleeping, but there will be plenty of fun for MINIs at this off-season event! Contact Charles Mix for registration and timing info.

We'll be starting our Winter maintenance tips in the next couple of months, so as always, your ideas and submissions are always welcome and appreciated. I'm hoping to see you all at the upcoming events! In the meantime...



Join us for our October events

10/5: Monthly Motor Inn

10/10-13: MINI Slay the Dragon

10/12: Fall Spirits Drive

10/28: QCC Halloween Party

11/2: Soups, Chowders, Chilis & Stews



2020 Dues are due!!!!!!!

Motor In @ Gramma's Pizza

154 East Main St.
Batavia, Ohio 45103

October 5th 2019

6:00 pm

We will review past events and talk about events to come.

Final opportunity to nominate 2020 officers . . . the vote is @ the
November Motor In. Fall Spirits Drive

Fall Spirits Drive

October 12, 2019

Join us for an afternoon zipping along the back roads of
Kentucky down through horse country where we will taste
award winning wines at the Prodigy Vineyard. Optional
dinner after the drive at Cattlemen's Steakhouse in
Frankfort.

More details to follow

Event Hosts : Ed & Vel Fenker





QCC/Cincinnati Mini Halloween Party

Saturday October 26, 2019

6:00 - 9:00 pm

To be held @ Cincinnati Mini Dealership show room.
Drinks furnished by Cinti Mini. Decorations by QCC.

We need volunteers to decorate !

Event Host: Cincinnati Mini / QCC



A Gathering of MINIs to enjoy MOTORING THROUGH THE FALL COLORS on and around The Dragon and Fontana Village and Lake Areas.

Come out and spend a colorful weekend with your MINI Friends!

Its going to be a great one!

Here is the link for registration: <http://msreg.com/MSSD2019>

For more info on all that is happening this year, please visit:

<https://www.facebook.com/events/2728982823992629/>





2020 QUEEN CITY COOPERS OFFICERS'

NOMINATIONS UPDATE!!!

Nominations for Queen City Coopers' Executive Board were opened at the September Motor-In. As of 9/24/19, nominations received for 2020 officers are as follows:

For President- Craig Schlesinger, Tom Foster

For Events Coordinator- Alexander Olveda, Rob Rauch(nomination withdrawn by candidate)

For Membership Director- Nancy Cusick

For Treasurer- Ed Fenker

For Swag Coordinator- Mike Obermeyer

Nominations for 2020 QCC officers will close at the end of the October Motor-In held on Saturday, October 5th @ 6pm at Grammas Pizza (154 E. Main St., Batavia, Oh.). Additional nominations can be made at the Motor-In or by contacting a current QCC officer. Positions requiring a run-off will be decided by secret ballot at the November Motor-In held on November 2nd @ 4pm at The Barn.

GOOD LUCK TO ALL!!! And MOTOR ON!!!

Fellow QCC Members

At the September Motor In, officer nominations, I said I would take "Events" for 2020 if no one else wanted it. Since then Alex has expressed interest in the Event position therefore I am withdrawing.

Thank you Alex.

It is good to see new members step forward in the leadership of the club. A change in leadership always brings fresh new ideas that will take QCC beyond where it is currently and new members in leadership positions are a good way to accomplish that. Look around the region and see what other clubs are doing by themselves & jointly - QCC is capable of doing the same. There is so much more than meet & eats; Rallies, hosting Cruise Ins for other British car clubs, Mini Cooper shows @ Cinti Mini, etc. Remember what the Mini culture was all about in the first place, don't let that die. It is more than " Save the Wave ". It takes involvement of each & every member to make a great club.

Good luck to all in 2020 and remember nominations for all positions are open until the October Motor In.

Thank you for many years of support !

QCC 2008- 2019

Rob R.

Fire Museum



Mini Meet East 2020



July 6-10



Location: Owensboro, KY

Host Hotel: Best Western

Registration forms will be available starting September 1, 2019

(619) 504-9160

Al Frost (Trigger)

(270) 222-8572

emiller@daramic.com

WWW.SIRBRIT.com/mini-meet-east-2020



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2019 Membership Roster

Lan Ackley & Barbara Bush
Dale & Sandy Ballinger
Nick Banschbach & Becky Robert
Gaby & Jennifer Batshoun
Robert & Doris Bax
Mark & Linda Bingman
Pat Bradley
Cheryl & Randy Brown
Nancy & John Cusick
James & Erica Dean
TJ & Jim Dixon
Ann Finesman
Ed and Vel Fenker
Kathy & Mark Folino
Tom Foster
Ken & Wanda Frazer
Carol & Andrew Fry
Brittany & Phil Freels
Andrew & Jessica Gear
Sandy & Ron Gregory
Joey Lee Gartrell & Karmyn Lang
Richard Hamm & Trisha Mitel
Corbit Harrison & Darla Bateman
Dave Haggard

Bob & Trudy Hare
Ted & Katie Hunter
Collin Keith & Brittany Holton
Mary & Matt Hopton
James Hutsell & Jean Durkin
Robert & Nancy Ice
Scot Jonas & Jessica Proctor



Jerry & Debbie King
Collin Keith & Brittan Holton
Zac & Anna Koroschetz
Mark & Linda Krum
Paul & Karen Lehn
Jennifer & Chris Lender
Hector & Gina Maldonado
Elizabeth & Randal Merrill

Charles & Marie Mix
Michael Murphy
Brooks & Angela Nieberding
Jacquie Nielsen
Mike & Mary Obermeyer
Alexander & Angela Olveda
Rob & Carol Rauch
Donna Ring & Jean Pabst
Anji Roberts & Nelson Farmer
Tim & Bobbi Ross
Brittany Schlemmer
Craig & Karen Schlesinger
Michael Scott
Brenda & Mark Smith
Todd Smith
David & Sandy Stevenson
Elaina & Jim Stuard
Mike Suhar
DiEldred and Marilyn Storm
Roger & Tammy Swartzendruber
Jan & Matt Swan
Nicole Wallace & Mark Dooley
Kay & Herschel Weintraub
John and Kathy Witt



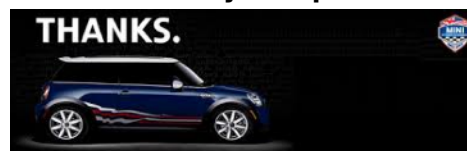
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Wyn Jones

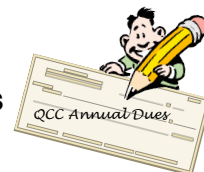
Want to be a Member? Pay your Annual Dues to gain Full Access to ALL the Queen City Coopers has to Offer!



Annual Membership Fees are \$30
Make Checks Payable to:
"Queen City Coopers"



Mail to:
QCC Memberships
Nancy Cusick
5227 Mississippi Dr.
Fairfield, OH 45014





Let's wish Happy Birthday to our October members:

Vel Fenker	6
Randy Merrill	8
Katie Hunter	9
Richard Hamm	10
Dale Ballinger	15
Craig Schlesinger	24
Tom Foster	25



Treasurer's Report:

We have a balance of \$1302. in our account. We can now accept card cards through our Square Purchase System (with a small convenience fee) for merchandise and membership dues.

Ed Fenker

Cincinnati MINI is offering active QCC members with a discount on MINI Parts and Accessories of 15% and 10% off of Labor charges. You will need to present your QCC Membership Card to qualify for the discounts!!!

QCC Merchandise

Did you know that you do not have to wait for an event or meeting to order QCC merchandise? Anything in the catalog can be embroidered with the QCC logo – the possibilities are endless!

You can then send

Mike Obermeyer an email via the QCC website to request the discounted price and place your order. Of course you can always view the catalog in person at a meeting.

There are also car rally signs, QCC decals and jewelry available.

For questions or to place a merchandise order please contact:

Mike Obermeyer



QCC Resources

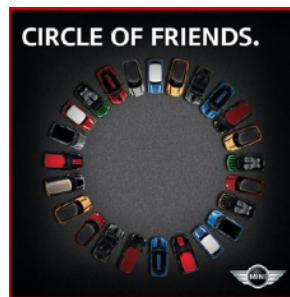
The following vendors have Proven their quality of service to QCC members in the past and have welcomed us with good service, quality work & excellent prices. If you are in need of they type services they provide, please give them a call, identify yourself as a QCC member and see how they can be of service.

Schottmillers Auto Body

11478 Reading Rd
Cincinnati, OH 45241
Phone number(513) 563-2006

Ronnie Price Upholstery & Top Shop

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Fairfield, Ohio 45014
513-368-9462



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Monday 9am - 4pm

Wednesday 9am - 4pm

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Specials for Queen City Coopers



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MEMBERSHIP

MEMBERSHIP PRIVILEGES:

- Club Name Tags
- Full Access, Online Event Registration, & Access to the Links within the Queen City Coopers Website www.queencitycoopers.com
- Voting Rights on all Club Decisions that the Club Officers Deem Necessary for a Vote
- No Participation Fee for any QCC Sponsored Events
- ~~15% OFF CINCINNATI MINI SERVICE & PARTS~~
10% OFF MINI SERVICE & 15% OFF PARTS

Mail Application and Dues to:

- QCC Membership
- Nancy Cusick
- 5227 Mississippi Dr.
- Fairfield, OH 45014-2411

MEMBERSHIP QUALIFICATIONS:

- Own / Lease a MINI
- Valid Driver's License
- Proof of Insurance (Primary Driver)

MEMBERSHIP TERM / DUES:

- January 1st thru December 31st
- \$30.00 Annual Fee
- Renewals Due by December 31st
- Make Checks Payable to:
"Queen City Coopers"

MEMBERSHIP DEFINED:

- Member, and up to one Associate Member

Membership Form

Mail Application and Dues to: QCC Memberships, Nancy Cusick, 5227 Mississippi Dr, Fairfield, OH 45014-2411

Date: _____

Member's Name: _____

Associate Member's Name: _____

Address: _____

City, ST, Zip: _____

Primary Phone: _____

Mobile Phone: _____

Member's Email: _____

Associate Member's Email: _____

Member's Birthday:
(MM/DD/YYYY)

Year is Optional

Associate Member's Birthday:
(MM/DD/YYYY)

Year is Optional

Emergency Contact: _____

Emergency Contact Phone: _____

Should not Be Member or Associate Member

Your Information will be included in our online Member Directory viewable by other Members for communication purposes on our Secure Site unless indicated by a "X" in the box

MINI Model: _____

Year of MINI: _____

Body Color: _____

Roof Color: _____

License Plate #: _____

License Plate State: _____

MINI's Nickname: _____

Purchase
Date of MINI: _____

Was MINI Purchased
at Cincinnati MINI?

Yes or No

Allow Other Members
to Email You
through Website?

Yes or No

How did you hear
about the club?

