

Arkansas Miata Club

Special points of interest:

- 2023 Technical Session—
January 21
- 2023 Polar Bear Run —
February 18

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**ARKANSAS MIATA CLUB ANNUAL HOLIDAY
LUNCHEON
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2022
8:30am
STARBUCKS / HWY 10 (Cantrell Rd.) and SAM
PECK ROAD**

Join us Saturday, DECEMBER 3rd, for our Annual Holiday Party!

Those wishing to take advantage of a Saturday morning drive to the luncheon will meet at the Starbucks on Hwy 10 (Cantrell Road) at Sam Peck Road at 8:30am. We'll have a short drivers' meeting, and leave for lunch at 9:00am.

We'll be meeting at **11:00AM at Cheers in Maumelle (1901 Club Manor Drive, Maumelle), for lunch and some good conversation ordering will be from the menu.**

A gift exchange will be held during the luncheon; participation is voluntary, but if you want to receive a gift, you will need to bring a gift (if a couple attends and both want to receive gifts, then two gifts need to be brought). Gifts should be gender-neutral, and approximately \$ 20 in value.

Look forward to seeing everyone this. Keep these dates open: January 21st for a Tech Session with Two Six Motorsports owner / driver Chris Edens, and February 18th for our Annual Polar Bear Run. Word is that 2023 will also bring back an overnight trip or two

***TECH SESSION OPENS THE 2023 SCHEDULE
SATURDAY, JANUARY 21st***

1:00pm

***SHERWOOD TIRE PROS
8203 AR-107 (JFK BOULEVARD)
SHERWOOD, AR***

Join us for the afternoon, as Chris Edens leads us in learning more about the cars we love to drive !

Rumor has it this year that we might not only hear and see what the differences are between the Miata models (NA, NB, NC, ND), but we'll also see the Edens' race cars and changes being made to reclass one of their cars !

We usually end the session retiring with one of the local watering holes to quench our thirst and feed our bellies, as well as relating our Miata stories ...



***ANNUAL POLAR BEAR DRIVE / MEMBERSHIP MEETING
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18th***

9:00am

***SHELL STATION
CHENAL PARKWAY and HWY 10 (CANTRELL)
LITTLE ROCK***

The annual Polar Bear Run will be held on Saturday, February 18, 2023. We will be meeting at the Shell Service Station at Chenal Parkway and Hwy 10 in West Little Rock. Participants will meet at the station at 8:30am, and be gassed and ready for departure at 9:00am.

Please bring your scarves, wool caps, heavy jackets and mufflers for a jolly romp through the Pulaski, Perry, and Saline County countryside, TOP DOWN !

For those that enjoy a game pf chance while traveling, bring you \$ 5 for trip poker !



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We will end up at one of Benton's fine dining establishments, La Hacienda, for brunch and a membership meeting. For those that would prefer to just attend the meeting, meet us at La Hacienda at 11:30am (17401 Interstate 30 So, Benton, AR 72015 (501) 776-9959)

DUES ARE DUE FOR 2023 !!

It's that time again that our annual \$ 24 dues are due for the coming year. At the coming December Board Meeting, a full calendar of events will be scheduled for 2023; and payment of dues will help us to schedule, plan, and execute these events.

Also, we're discussing that we have tShirts made for one of the early events (maybe even Polar Bear).

We will again be having member name badges made for all paying members, and are planning to have them available for events starting in April.

So membership will get you a club pin, the club window sticker, eMail distribution of the newsletter, and a nice name badge with lanyard so we'll know who everyone is !!

We are no longer able to offer PayPal payments, so dues will have to be paid directly at one of our events, or sent by check to the address on the back page until we find a suitable replacement method and have it installed. The membership form is still available on the website.

We have club sweatshirts available to help keep you warm and cozy ! These are gray, with white club logo, and are available for \$ 10. And if you let us know ahead of the event that you want one, we'll have them available that morning ! We currently have 2 SMALL, 2 MEDIUM, 6 LARGE, 2 XLARGE, and 2 2XL.

We still have lots of pins and stickers left ! If you are a new member, hit me up at the next event you attend as they are free. If you're already a member, you can still get extras at a nominal price.

Club car magnets are also back in stock: 2 for \$20 if you're interested, bring your money and hit up JR Mills at the next event you attend

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"Driving Top Down in the Natural State"

Facebook: For up-to-the-minute events information, member input and other stuff, visit our Facebook page at Arkansas Miata Club Group. You may also consult the newsletter, which is published monthly and uploaded to the Facebook page, as well as the web page.

Change of Address & Member Info: Be sure to keep your contact information and particularly your email address up-to-date; you don't want to miss anything! Submit your email address, snail mail address, new car info and any other contact information changes to the Membership Officer at membership@arkansasmia.com.

New Members: You may register to join our club at www.arkansasmia.com. Print and complete the membership form. You may eMail also to membership@arkansasmia.com. You also can download the printable form, fill it out and mail it together with your check to the club address or bring your completed form and dues at the next club event. Be especially careful in printing your email address to ensure we record it correctly so that you will receive the newsletter and club announcements. Dues are \$ 24.00 per year



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