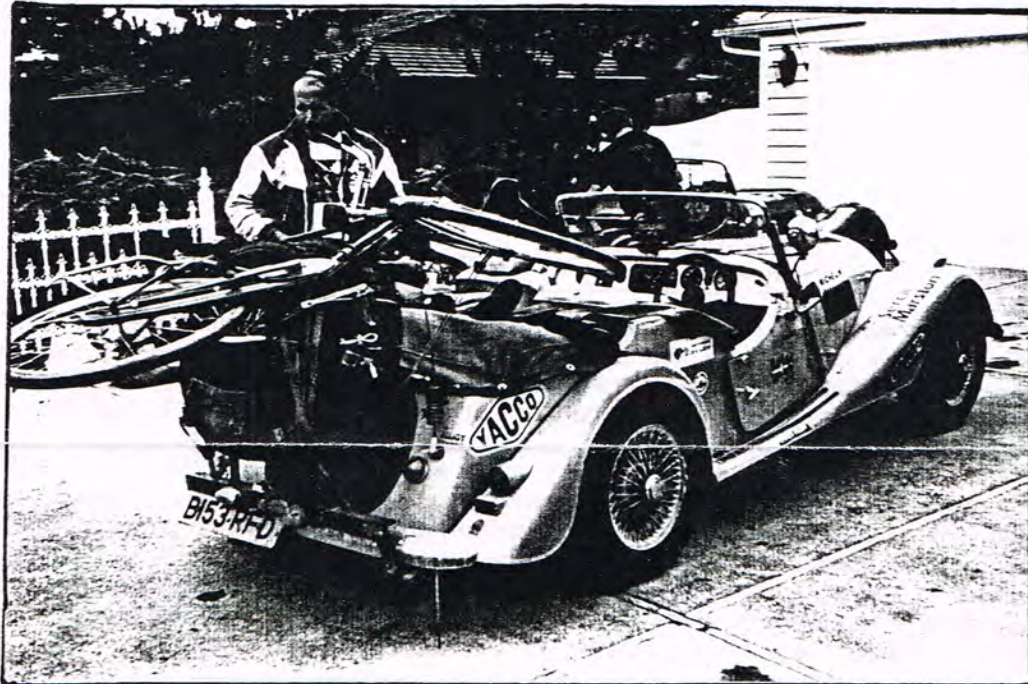


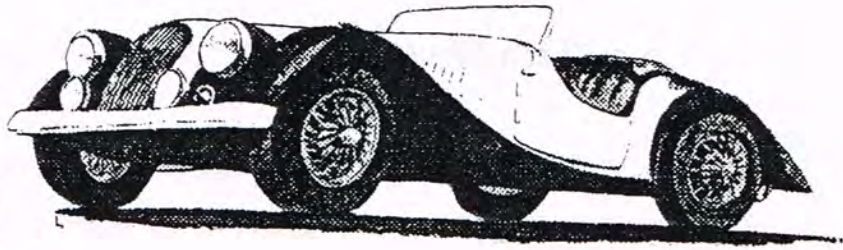
# MORGAN OWNERS GROUP MOMAGAZINE NORTHWEST

August 1994





# THE PREZ SEZ



The summer is rolling right along. My car was not ready for the Arlington Fly-In or the Vintage races at S.I.R., but I did attend the races on Saturday. There were a number of Morgans and a good time was had by all. I would like to thank the Potentate of the North for a ride around the track at lunch time in the back of his 4/4 4-seater - I believe he has done some driving in his time. Thanks to Lee Harman and Joe Ray for organizing these two events.

I did manage to drive my car as far as Bellevue to the All Brit - counting one "for sale" I believe there were twenty five Morgans and their owners in attendance - a very nice showing. Thanks to Daryl Ozuna for organizing this event. The party after the All Brit hosted by Dave and Thea Wellington was a grand affair and a Hearty thanks go out to them for their hospitality. Thanks also to Dick Dow and Craig Runions for bringing their "yachts" for all to enjoy.

The French Mousquetaire group finally arrived, it was fun meeting them and hearing of their exploits. Thanks to Mike Powley, Jonathan Russell, and the Wellingtons for taking care of their arrangements.

The next get together is a picnic that has had just about as many delays as my car being finished - the final revision is for a pot-luck picnic at Bob and Loretta Nelson's place on Camano Island on Saturday the 27th of August. For those coming from the South we plan to meet for coffee at about 10:30 in the parking lot of Godfathers Pizza in Totem Lake - where we used to hold meetings just around the corner from the Lucky Seven Saloon. There is a Latte coffee place a few doors from Godfathers. After coffee we can caravan and take a scenic tour to the Nelson's place and continue with activities. Keep track of your mileage - there will be a prize for the Morgan from the farthest. There will also be a drawing for a large mounted poster of a racing Morgan. This will take the place of the regular Midlanders monthly meeting. The new Red Hook Brewery is now open near the Columbia and St Michelle Wineries - I tried it and there is lots of room and this may be the site of the September Midlanders Noggin.

Hope to see you at the picnic and the Portland All Bnt - till then keep on Moggin

Mike Amos



*more Nonsense, (continued from Mike).....*

Then for me and my daughter a little highlight of actually "going on tour" with the great Mousquetaires up about 200 miles to a very small village called Spencer Bidge on our great Fraser Canyon highway (I think they really liked that part - I did!); evening at the Steelhead Bed & Breakfast where again the Mousquetaires treated Big Al, my daughter & POT to a great meal.

Sunday July 31st was our good-by day as Al had to go to his family further in the interior; my daughter (Marianne) and I had to head home - the "poor" Mousquetaires were left behind for a tough day of river rafting!!!

Oh yes! the trio got their MUSKETEERS candy bars on several occasions!!! ... and many of us are now proud owners of MOUSQUETAIRE TOUR DU MONDE car badges (a great souvenir of the event for us)

Many thanks to the Wellingtons and the Al Morgans for the effort they put into supporting this great Morgan World event.

TOUR DU MUNDANE?

All things from this point on might seem a bit bland compared to the TOUR DU MONDE but they are just as important in our pursuit of great Morgan good times ...

First, the THEROUXS's CULTUS LAKE ADVENTURE - SAT. AUG. 27th ... if you plan on attending please let us know - either call Ron at (604) 522-5885 or the POT at home (604) 738-8685 or voice mail (604) 432-8445 to express your intentions.

A more detailed fax will be sent locally but a brief schedule follows:

10:00 AM	meet at Willowbrook Mall in Cloverdale (Surrey) (corner #10 Hwy % Fraser Hwy - near the White Spot)
11:00 AM	stop at new boutique winery for tour & tasting
NOON	stop for lunch at special place picked by Ron & Yvonne after lunch we will have a back roads drive conducted by Ron
3:00 PM	arrive at Ron & Yvonne's CULTUS LAKE hide-away for a hosted steak barbecue - you bring your own wine/beer etc.

POT IS BANNED AND IT IS NOT BY THE FEDS. EITHER!

Space does not permit the publishing of the long and detailed missive I have prepared for ERIC GLOVER, the outlander Idahoovian, who so disappointed both Nancy Dice and the POT by suggesting we would not be allowed on the next MOUNTAIN HOME TOUR. I mean after all the promotional work Nancy and I have done on this special destination you would think ERIC would be so appreciative ... and he should give us our due - after all most members would have NEVER EVEN HEARD of this exotic destination if we had not worked ever so hard to describe it's attractions beauty etc. ...and now HE ruthlessly grabs the spotlight, and offers the tour to all... Oh shame - oh shame - ERIC GLOVER of the OUTLANDS.

Hope to see all at either Ron & Yvonne's Cultus Lake experience or next at the PORTLAND ALL BRITS - -- and don't forget Whistler Run Sept. 24th as the Powleys may have some good overnight accommodation on tap - stay tuned.

The "OFFICIALLY CROWNED" Potentate of the North...





## *more Outlands Outtakes, continued....*

will be able to attend this event. So Bob (the recent retired government employee) will be traveling with the wind. It sounds as though we will have three or four cars coming your way to enjoy the tour. We all travel with the joy of the wind in our hair, the sun brightly dancing from the Morgan grill and the company of such faithful friends as Bob, the Glovers and Rogers (a non member). Ah what joy to the heart.

I am sure that most of you know that Bob retired this April. He is now discovering that retirement is most exhausting. A job which should be reserved for those more youthful with energy and stamina. Unfortunately some age is required for the majority of those that can qualify for this assignment. But, to put it in terms we can understand, it is as follows:

Man is like an automobile. As he gets older, the differential starts slipping and the u-joints get worn, causing the drive shaft to go bad. The transmission won't go into....

oh, I'll finish this later. All this is to say please put this ole member in bad standing to "active" status. Check enclosed.

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### **Midlands Centre Aug. 27 Picnic Directions, from Bob Nelson.....**

Take I-5 north past Everett to Exit 208 (Arlington-Silvana). Go west on Hwy 530 also known as Pioneer Hwy. Follow this through Silvana. Faye's Country Cafe is a good place for a country breakfast, if you are coming through early.

After you leave Silvana, you will cross a bridge & river, watch for Norman Road to your left and turn on it. You now are going to wander through the country side and under a train trestle and past many farms. The river will be on your left. You will come to a bridge, but turn to your right just before it onto an unmarked road. The sign will say #116 Cattle Pass.

You are on a very twisty little road and appear to be back tracking, stop for the RR tracks. Go to the wooden bridge, stop and keep left. Go past the fair grounds and stop at Hwy 532. Turn left, you are passing through Stanwood, then over the bridge to Camano Island. You are on our main road which is busy on Saturday.

Exit at the first "Y" to the right, by the Chamber Booth. There will be a cemetery on your right, and you will be on North Camano Drive. Continue past the "Store by the Sea". You are in a 35 MPH zone. Watch for the 50 MPH zone, you are very close to our turn off.

If you are somewhat adventurous, turn in at the Morgan Sign on a gravel road. Follow it until it turns hard to the left. Here you will go right, up through the fence. Go straight through the trees up hill, there will be an orchard on your left. Follow right up past our garage and park in the yard. You made it! (Cancel this route if it is wet!)

Otherwise, continue on North Camano Drive to James Way & go left up hill to Island View. Go left, follow Island View all the way to the end and left into our driveway, **it's picnic time!** Phone 881-2054 if you have problems.



*"Un Per Tots, Tots Per Un", from Grimand (Dave Wellington).....*

A successful potluck requires the cooperation of all its participants, as expressed in the Three Musketeers motto: "un per tots, tots per un" (one for all, all for one). Thea and I want to extend our thanks to all club members who helped make the Morgan Potluck such a special event again this year. The tasty dishes which were contributed were much appreciated. We are especially indebted to skippers Craig Runions and Dick Dow for again sharing their handsome vintage yachts with us. The impeccably restored Matthews and Chris Craft really added a touch of class to the party.

We were disappointed that the French Mousquetaires didn't arrive from SeaTac airport until after 9PM. However, those who stayed late were able to welcome the world travelers who were presented with MOGNW badges and pins, ABFM posters and special Al Morgan caps. It was anticipated that our beloved Potentate, Mike Powley, might be initiated into the exclusive ranks of the Mousquetaire Club by 'walking the plank' into the briny depths of the canal. This momentous event never took place. however, probably because the mighty Pot was wielding a 5-foot sabre and threatened to decapitate anyone who came within a Morgan's length of him. Having braved the wilderness of Siberia, survived the wastelands of China and endured the hot sands of the Gobi desert, the three Frenchmen confided that the Potentate presented a far greater danger than anything they have yet encountered on their journey! The following day, in a feeble effort to get back in their good graces, the Pot gave each of the Frenchmen a 3 Musketeers chocolate bar. It had little if any effect however and I fear that it may be a very cold day in Corsica before Pot Powley is invited to become a true Mousquetaire.

Since the Morgans were 4 days late in arriving from Yokohama, Japan to Tacoma, Washington the Mousquetaires were able to spend some extra time with us. Jean-Louis Clavere (d'Artagnan), Jean Ribot (Athos), and Gerard Rossignol (the camera and videoman) were delightful guests. In addition to Morganeering, the three have many talents. Clavere is a surfer, Ribot collects Aston Martins and Harley Davidsons, and Rossignol explores caves. All three are musicians and in love with American jazz. When not traveling the world, Clavere and Ribot practice medicine while Rossignol dives with Jacques Cousteau and is a ski instructor. The Mousquetaires were an entertaining trio and we thoroughly enjoyed getting to know them.

When we finally waved good-bye, they were in the 5PM I-5 gridlock heading north in their trusty Morgan steeds, named "Elliot" after Clavere's scotty dog and "Kalliste" after Ribot's beautiful island of Corsica. If the French Morganists can survive the Great Potentate of the North, I'm sure they will have no problem crossing the United States. We wish them 'Bonne Chance', a safe journey and look forward to reading about their triumphant arrival in Malvern in September.

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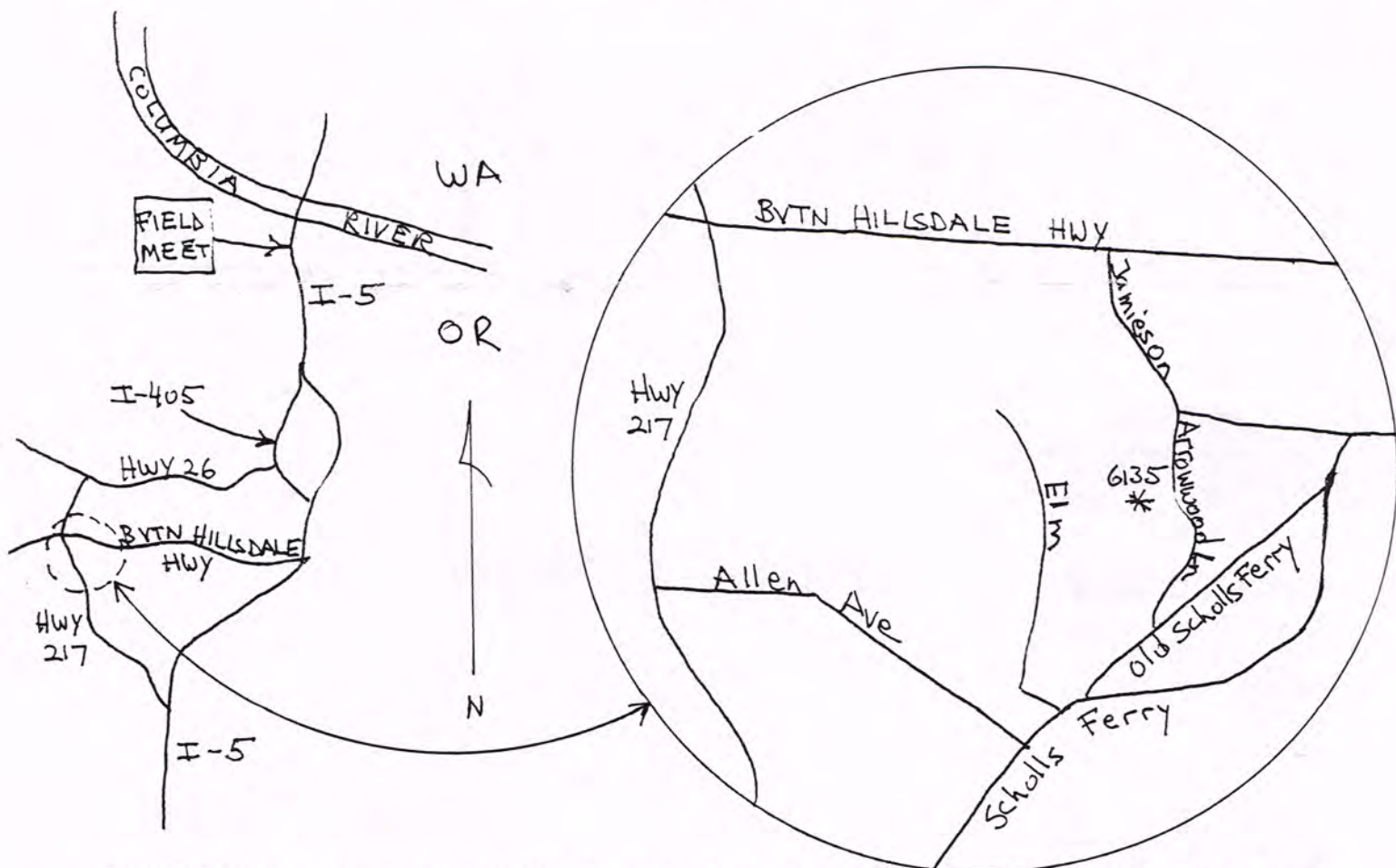
ACCOMMODATIONS AND ENTRY FORMS: See July MOGAZINE

BREAKFAST: ELMER'S PANCAKE at DELTA PARK, 8:00 am in the lounge.

LUNCH: Club will furnish only soft drinks at the Field Meet.  
Please bring your own lunch or purchase on the grounds.

AFTER MEET PARTY AND POTLUCK:

At the home of Mike and Bitsy Miles, 6135 SW Arrowwood, Ln. Festivities will start between 5:30 pm and 6:00 pm, with hot food at about 7:00 pm. Club will furnish main course with salad, bread, soft drinks and a small keg of Portland Brewing's MacTarnahan's Scottish Ale. Please bring finger food or dessert and any drinks you wish beyond the above.



DIRECTIONS: From Field Meet take I-5 south, branch to I-405 to Hwy 26 west to Hwy 217 south. Take Allen Avenue east from Hwy 217. Turn left at Scholls Ferry Road. Take second left (at bend of road) and go north on Old Scholls Ferry Road. Left on Arrowwood Lane. House is # 6135 just past the white mansion.