

British Car Club of Southwest Florida (BCCSWF)  
Minutes of Meeting-April 12, 2016

The April meeting of the BCCSWF was held at the usual location of Famous Dave's in Fort Myers, Florida with 38 members attending. President Cecil Carter called the meeting to order five minutes before 7:00 upon the approval of Kenny Taylor. As usual for each meeting, members with birthdays during the month were treated to ice cream and a rousing rendition of Happy Birthday. Congratulations to Steve Ruppert, Glenn Vrooman and Janet Iagnemmo.

The Treasurer's report was presented by Lauren Welch. Summary of the treasurer's report:

Starting balance: \$2281.03  
Income: \$269.00 (Members' Dues-Membership stands at 96)  
Expenditures: \$289.50 (Picnic fees)  
Ending balance: \$2260.53

Activities coordinator Gary Dworkin provided updates on two soon-to-happen club events. More details will be forthcoming for the Breakfast Run to the Alva Diner along with the Memorial Presentation at the Arcadia Cemetery for British airmen killing during training exercises in World War II. The dates which will also be posted on the BCCSWF webpage: [www.bccswf.com](http://www.bccswf.com)

Gary Dworkin also mentioned the success of the club picnic held in March. Gerry Odenbach announced the room has been contracted at the Hilton Garden Inn for the December Holiday Party.

Lionel Hill described his trip to the Winter Park Car Show in his 1962 MGA with impromptu tech sessions on the side of the road. The show was marred by constant rain and only 80 of the 118 registered cars showed up. Through all that and a round trip of 358 miles, Lionel felt it was worth it as his car took first in class.

John Welch told the group that the Wheels Across the Pond show was awesome with music provided by the Rolling Stones and Beatles (not the actual groups). Jeremy and Rosemary Taylor also attended the show.

Bob Hanczar spoke about his 1978 MGB for sale that is in excellent condition with no major engine repairs. He bought it 30 years ago for his wife and now it is time to part ways with it. He is asking \$4700 for the vehicle.

Gerry Odenbach won the 50-50 raffle of \$55 which could be considered his salary for organizing the Holiday Party.