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January 2018

BMC Club Meeting Skipjack Dining Restaurant, 401 Louviers Drive, Newark, DE 19711 <u>http://skipjacknewark.com</u> Tuesday, January 2nd – Greet & Eat @ 6:00, Meeting @ 7:00 P.M.

Chair Chatter – Paul Alderman



Happy New Year!

As I sit here thinking of what to write about, I'm reminded of a few of the events last year where a cold drink and shade were important to keep cool. Keeping cool right now is not a problem as my heater tries to

warm up my office. Now's the time to start working on things for the next season. Tires, brakes or suspension, you can even bring your engine over for a rebuild if it needs it. (shameless plug for Alderman Machine)

Your Executive Board will also be working in these next few weeks (after I schedule a meeting) to work on the event schedule and the tasks needed for your club to function for 2018. If you have anything you would like us to discuss, to improve the events for next year send me an email about it, or talk to me about it at our January 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting. See you at Skipjack on the 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Chilling Out (Brrrr) Paul

## Property - Dave Mitchell

With the new year upon us and an eventful previous, this is an exciting time for our Club. Planning, scheduling and preparing for this year's activities and events are foremost on our minds. Thus, having as many members as possible involved in this process is much desired. Much of what we offer and resources needed are outcomes of our monthly meetings. One of my resolutions for 2018 will be to improve my attendance and increase my participation in our varied events and efforts throughout the upcoming year.

I encourage every member to help us with ideas and suggestions at our January meeting. Hope to see you *Dave M*.

## Rally – George Alderman

Nothing to report at this time.

## Autocross – Duke Wilford



No autocross news this month, since we are in the middle of the off season. We continue to be hopeful about offering some 2018 events in New Castle County. Until we can make an announcement, we want to wish everyone a

Happy New Year and best of luck with your winter projects.

Duke "No Snow Tires" Wilford

## BMC Christmas Meeting Report

The 5<sup>th</sup> of December, 2017 meeting was held at Tyler's in Newark, DE. The turnout was 42 members and guests; the Executive Committee had a quorum. The meeting was called to order by Club Chair, Paul Alderman at 7:09 PM. He wished everyone a Merry Christmas and dinner was served.

After dinner, Paul presented the slate of Club Officers for next year:

Club Chair – Paul Alderman

Membership Chair - Anita Stewart

Treasurer - Richard Wortmann

Autocross Chair – Duke Wilford

Secretary - Jim Martin

Drift Chair - Matt Burris/Nuri Heckrotte

Gasline - Jim Irons

Property Chair - Dave Mitchell

Rally Chair - George Alderman

A motion was made and accepted to vote the 2018 slate of officers into office. The vote was unanimous.

2017 Autocross Year End Awards: See attached Championship Standings.

The 2017 Autocross Volunteer of the Year is Mary Ann Wilford.

Adjourned at 8:27 PM. *Jim Martin, Secretary*