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Newsletter of the Wasatch Mountain Jaguar Register



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## Cat Dance Film Festival

March 28, 2026

3pm



After blowing off the dust last year, we've decided to hold the Cat Dance Film Festival again this year. To go along with the club turning 50, the movies for this year's Cat Dance are from 1976. We have three movies on the docket this year. All three have a running length of under two hours each. The three movies are The Gumball Rally, Silver Streak, and St. Ives. Like last year's Cat Dance, this year's will be held at the home of Jim and Hermione Klekas. Everyone is welcome to stay for any and all films they are able to. This year's Cat Dance will be a potluck, so bring a dish to share.



Please RSVP whether you will be attending or not attending to Jackson at [wmjr1976@gmail.com](mailto:wmjr1976@gmail.com) by March 25, 2026.

When RSVPing, please let us know how many will be attending.

Klekas Address

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## WMJR Opening Social



What a great way to start the year off. On February 21st, the club held this year's opening social at Jim's Family Restaurant in Sandy. We had a great mix of familiar and new faces. Once everyone was there, we had everyone go around and introduce themselves and what kind of jaguar they have. While everyone was enjoying the meal, we went over the list of events for the year.

Those in attendance were Jim Klekas, Ray Chambers, Tex and Shelley Stevens, Henry and Chris Morrison, Ben Romanowski, Marvin and Connie May, Mike and Susie Cady, Liz Green, James and Susan Jennings, Jackson Jennings, Kay Jennings, Dil and Dianne Strasser, Mike Allred and his girlfriend Cheryl, Tony VanDerHeyden, Leland and Petra Gray, Jaye and Keith Thompson, Andrew Gray and his girlfriend Sophie, and Doug Anderson.



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## World Events That Happened This Month in 1976

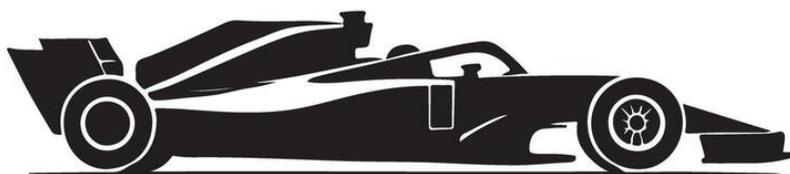


On March 26, 1976, Queen Elizabeth II sent the first Royal email while visiting the Royal Signals and Radar establishment in Malvern, England. The message was the announcement of the new Coral 66 programming language to all users. She sent the message on the ARPANET system using the username HME2. She signed the email Elizabeth R. The queen would go on to use Elizabeth R for all future digital communications.

The event was organized by Peter T. Kirstein, who helped play a role in the creation of the Internet. Queen Elizabeth II was considered to be the first head of state to send an email.



On March 19, 1976, after 16 years of marriage, Princess Margaret and Antony Armstrong-Jones announced their separation, with their divorce being finalized in May of 1978. This was the first divorce since 1540.



For those who are interested, this month is the start of the 2026 Formula 1 Season. The first race of the season is on March 8th in Melbourne, Australia. Those who are interested in watching the race will be at 9 p.m. MST on March 7th. This year brings the biggest regulations changes in F1 history. Hopefully, it will be an exciting season.

Do you like cars? Do you like coffee? If you answered yes to either one of those questions, then you may be interested in Cars and Coffee Utah. They hold a Cars and Coffee event the first Saturday of every month from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at The Shops at South Town Mall. It is on the Southwest side of the building between Texas Roadhouse and Home Goods.

The address is 10450 So. State Street, Sandy, UT 84070

### March Birthdays

Jim Klekas March 3

Susie Cady March 12





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# 2026 Club Events



For Complete information on 2025 club events.  
Visit the calendar page on the club website [www.wmjr.org](http://www.wmjr.org)

February 21	Opening Social
March 28	Cat Dance Film Festival
April	Tech Session
May 30	Drive to Promontory Point
June	British Field Day
July 18	Brunch at Silver From Lodge
August 22	Trapper's Loop Run with the BMCU
September	50th Anniversary Celebration
October 24	WMJR Halloween Party
November 20	2027 Planning Meeting
December 7	WMJR Christmas Party

## Ongoing

*9am—noonish Third Sunday of Each Month Park City Cars and Coffee  
Hugo Coffee 1794 Olympic Parkway, Kimball Junction*

WMJR members have a standing invitation to participate in events  
of the [British Motor Club of Utah](#).



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