## 6.3.5. Register notes - SF January 2016

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Happy New Year to all 635 owners!!

We had a great AGM at MG Motor and Christmas meal on the 5<sup>th</sup> December. A great turn out of enthusiastic owners were treated to a review of 2015 and a very informative talk from Andy Kitson, Vice Director of Chassis at SAIC Motor Technical Centre. Apparently the biggest hazard to drivers in the countryside in Thailand are elephants. You learn something new every day!

Once again MG Motor were very generous in hosting us, providing raffle prizes and making us owners extremely welcome. John Woods Motorcare were there with one of their modified MG3 exhausts for us to drool over and were also very generous with raffle prizes. We raised £85 for Prostate Cancer UK on the day!

The formalities of the AGM returned an almost unchanged committee for 2016, with myself continuing as Chairman, Barry Faiers continuing as Treasurer, Mark Cropper continuing as Secretary and Steve Taylor continuing as Technical rep. Matt Kimberley moved to the new post of Registrar and Archivist and we welcomed Sean Round onto the committee as BTCC and Events co-ordinator. We hope to continue to expand and improve services to members in the Register and this year, to make it easier to Register your 6, 3 or 5 and put together and electronic database.

At the end of this year's charity fundraising for Prostate Cancer UK, I am p[lease to report that we have raised £720 as I write this, against our target of £500, with more to come from my sponsored leg wax.....! Huge thanks to all that donated to this very worthwhile charity.

The Chairman's charity for 2016 will be Crohn's and Colitis UK. For more information about this charity, please visit the web page here: <a href="http://www.crohnsandcolitis.org.uk/">http://www.crohnsandcolitis.org.uk/</a>. Our target for the year is £635, so please give what you can to help at our events throughout the year.

We're looking forward to spring time and our first event at Pride of Longbridge in Cofton Park, Longbridge on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> April. Please add your name to the event on the Facebook page so we can organise numbers for parking: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/events/1714394165457615/">www.facebook.com/events/1714394165457615/</a>

