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Road Runner

A Monthly Publication for the Members & Friends of the First Coast Miata Club

Mission Impossible: MIATA

Due to scheduling conflicts, solar flares, the winter solstice and a New Year's Eve hangover, there will be no organized FCMC driving event in January.

Instead, your intrepid News Letter Editor is giving every First Coast Miata Club Member a mission, if you choose to accept it.

There are three conditions:

- 1. You need to drive your Miata somewhere this month.
- 2. You need to take a picture of your Miata somewhere.
- 3. You need to email your picture to the Newsletter Editor at cbusch64@aol.com by Sunday, January 28, 2024.

The Newsletter Editor will disavow any knowledge of your participation in this top secret mission if you are caught, arrested or ticketed in the pursuit of this highly risky mission.

You may recruit additional agents to aid you in this mission if you deem it necessary to improve the artistic quality of the "glamour" shot you will take to capture the "moment".

As usual, this newsletter will self-destruct in 5 seconds.

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Green Cove Springs Christmas Parade - Dec 2, 2023













FCMC ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY - DEC 9, 2023

































FCMC EVENTS CALENDAR

January 9 - 6:00 p.m. Monthly Club Meeting at Culhane's Irish Pub:

Our monthly club meeting will be held at Culhane's Irish Pub at 9720 Deer Lake Ct, Jacksonville, FL 32246. Find out what's cooking by joining us for a First Coast Miata Club. The restaurant is located off Southside Blvd. right next to the Tinsletown movie theater. Dinner & Social at 6:00pm. Our meeting will be at 7:00pm. Topics of discussion will include upcoming events. Come early and hang out with fellow club members to get the most out of your evening.

Upcoming/Planned Events:

- February Something wonderful!
- March Another amazing event!
- April Definitely Top Down Driving Weather!

You definitively don't want to miss out on all the fun-filled, action-packed drives we have planned for this year with many more to come!

HAPPY NEW YEAR!! ...and Happy January Birthdays to:

Jim Sparks, Marlene Koehl & Natalyn Lozano

Welcome to Our Newest Members:

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The rear defroster should take care of this.



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The Twelve Days of Miata

On the 12th day of Mazda, my Miata gave to me:

Twelve turns a-twisting
Eleven pipes exhausting
Ten Lanes a Leaping
Nine Ladies Oogling
Eight Mods a Modding
Seven Drifts a Skidding
Six speed transmisson
FIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIVE PISTON RINGS...
Fo-our alloy wheels
Three Drive Belts
Two air horns
And the finger from an S-U-V!

