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It's time to dust off the microcars...







pack up the family...









& head off to the GOULD's for the 21st Annual Classic Event.









This is no "Park & Polish" type of car show on some hot asphalt parking lot! This is a true "European Style Driving Event", with all scheduled stops and activities taking place on lush green shaded lawns! So fill your fuel tank before you arrive!

#### Drive your microcar if you can,







or if it won't run, trailer it to the event.







If you don't have a trailer, get it here any way you can.









If you don't have a microcar, we'll give you one...





a paper one, that is!

#### Fire & Damage/Loss Prevention



Each show car MUST have a fire extinguisher. We will have them available for sale.



Please drive your microcars carefully, especially if you are providing rides to our guests under the seats and asses program (G-SAAP). All participating microcars must be insured.

## Schedule of Events

Friday, July 8 6:00 - 11:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 9 Morning 8:00 - 10:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

We will set out for our scenic MicroTour to Wachusett Mountain. This is a beautiful, twisty, sixty mile (120 mile round trip) journey on really beautiful country roads with gorgeous scenery. We will head to the Barber's Crossing Restaurant for lunch (separate checks). In the afternoon, there are several interesting stops on the way back to the Gould's, which may include a winery tour (depending on our schedule) and a stop at the Gould's Matchbox Motors Microcar Museum storage facility to view all of the unfinished projects, rusted hulks, and microcars which did not make the cut to participate in the Classic Event!

Wine, cheese and hors d'oeuvres arrival reception (MICRObrews too)! Out-of-town guests

arrive and registration begins. Unload, polish, and repair cars, meet new friends and get reacquainted with old friends. We'll provide the wine, cheese, hors d'oeuvres and MICRObrews. We'll party into the night! Bring your microcar videos or CDs.

Pastries and coffee will be served at the Gould's to sustain us for the first leg of our long

to get to the Gould's for 9:00 a.m. We will depart promptly at 10:00 a.m.

distance Microtour. If you would like a more elaborate breakfast, please do so early enough

Late afternoon 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.



We found Nemo!

Everyone parades back to the Gould's for the famous "Eclectic Barbecue". Participants are asked to bring unusual foods to share (see food details below). Previous years have included everything from enchiladas to tuna sashimi. This is a favorite part of the weekend activities as the only thing that this group enjoys more than the cars, is the food! *Bring interesting, creative menu items.* 

We suggest the following menu contributions by last name!

A-E (bring Salads or Sides) F-U (bring Entrees or Main Dishes) V-Z (bring Desserts)

We strongly encourage all guests to bring an unusual, preferably ethnic, menu dish to share, as the diversity of this barbecue really enhances the social and dining aspects of this event.

If you absolutely cannot bring an unusual menu item to share, you are required to contribute an additional \$10.00 per adult, which we will use to purchase unusual menu items for your contribution. Please understand that this additional fee is not intended to increase our income, but rather to persuade you to bring a dish instead, so that we can enhance the dining

Evening 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

At about 7:00 p.m., we will embark on a 7 mile scenic cruise to J.P. Licks Ice Cream in Newton Centre where we create quite a stir. Our little cars parade in and distract the whole area as a fresh group of spectators are fascinated by this collection of absurd little Bubblecars.

experience! Your menu items can be heated or cooked here.

9:00 p.m. until Police intervention



Then, back to the Gould's where serious margaritas, general merriment and irresponsible behavior wind down the day's activities, as people confess about their addictions to the world of microcars, and the stories of their personal acquisitions. The margaritas tend to remove inhibitions and enhance the stories through extreme exaggeration. Poetic license and creativity are encouraged.

Sunday, July 10 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. Pastries and coffee will be served at the Gould's prior to our departure for the public exhibit at the country's oldest automobile museum. If you would like a more elaborate breakfast, please do so early enough to get to the Gould's for 10:00 a.m. We will depart promptly at 11:00 a.m.

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Early evening 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Evening 8:00 p.m. until Exhaustion The next MICROtour departs at 11:00 a.m. for a four mile parade to the beautiful grounds of the Larz Anderson Museum of Transportation where the cars will be arranged "on the lawn" for spectators to admire. Microcar owners will offer rides to the gawking spectators. There will be people's choice awards in several categories, so you can seduce the voting public with your ride.

We will parade to a local outdoor cafe with authentic Mexican (not Tex-Mex) food for our departure dinner (separate checks).

We return to the Gould's to wind down, dunk our tired dogs into huge buckets of ICE COLD water ("Poor Man's Hot-Tub"), and relax with more Margaritas and Microbrews.



"Monique or Tiana Gould will be available to push broken cars..."



"Tiana & Monique can wash your microcar"





"or Charles can push your car home with his Flxible Clipper bus!"

"or Nancy can tune you up..."

## Gould's Certified Roadside Assistance Program (G-CRAP)

At least two chase vehicles with flatbed trailers will be available on all tours, parades and drives to retrieve disabled Microcars (to handle even the most embarrassing road complications). We have this down to a science, and can usually accomplish retrieval missions within twenty minutes. Many times we can even get your car going again in time for the next activity; so you don't have to miss anything!

## Gould's Seats & Asses Program (G-SAAP)

If you show up with an ass and no microcar, we will assign you to an empty seat in a microcar, so that everyone gets to ride in microcars for all tours and activities!

## Gould's Sales of Particularly Eclectic Novelty Devices (G-SPEND)

For those of you who love to shop, we will have a wide assortment of really cool, interesting, microcar related items for sale, including T-shirts & mugs featuring Wendy Costa's amazing microcar designs, toys, model cars, decorative items, and novelties.

#### **Accommodations**



Book your room online at:

#### www.bubbledrome.com/reservations

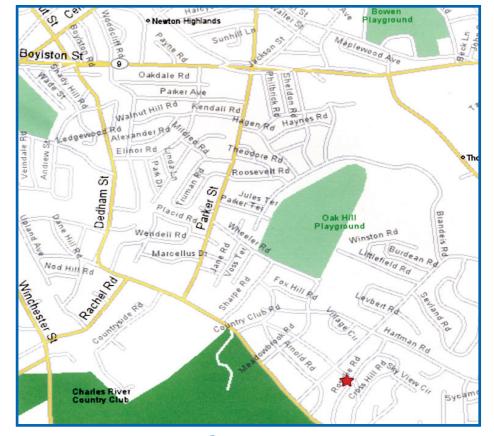
The Sheraton Needham has just been completely renovated and is located less than two miles from Goulds". We are thrilled to return to the renovated Sheraton this year and we have negotiated a special rate of \$125.00 per night for two queen beds or a single king size bed! (Their regular rate is \$199.00) The hotel has also agreed to waive the \$9.00 per night parking fee for our Microcar Classic Event guests. You are also welcome to leave your microcars parked overnight at the Gould's residence.

You must request the special Microcar Classic Event rate, and you must book by June 16, 2016 to get this special rate.





Micro accommodations also available.



## Directions

- Take the Massachusetts Turnpike (I-90) East to Exit 14 for Route 128 (I-95) South. (sign says "South Shore/Cape Cod Route 95 South, Route 128 South").
- Take Route 128 (I-95) South to Exit 20A for Route 9 East (sign says "Brookline/Boston").
- Follow Route 9 East straight through first traffic light, and past Dunkin Donuts and Monroe Muffler & Brake.
- Go straight through second traffic light (blinking light), and look for next overpass.
- Exit BEFORE the overpass onto PARKER street. Note: There is only a single small sign for this exit in the middle of the median strip. The sign says "Newton Center/West Roxbury Next Right". If you go under the overpass, you have just missed the exit.
- At the end of the exit ramp, turn right onto PARKER STREET. (South)
- Drive to the end of PARKER ST. (about 1 mile).
- At this intersection (PARKER ST. & DEDHAM ST.), turn left onto DEDHAM ST.
- Take the second left onto COUNTRY CLUB RD. Pass through three cross streets.
- The Gould's home is the last house on the right before the fourth cross street on the corner of COUNTRY CLUB RD. & ROSALIE RD. The house is a brick Tudor with green trim.
   THE ADDRESS IS 163 COUNTRY CLUB ROAD, NEWTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02459

#### WATCH FOR BUBBLECARS!!!!

## MICROSCOPE REGISTRATION

Photocopy and mail completed registration to:

Charles & Nancy Gould 163 Country Club Road, Newton, MA 02459 (617) 965-4848

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Registration # Please Do Not Write In This Block	Travel to Event  How many miles traveled?  From what city?  Drive or  Trailer your micro/mini-car?  No car this time  Home phone:
Street:	Work phone:
City/State/Zip:	Cell phone:
☐ new address	Email address:
Guests in your Party  1) 2) 3) 4)	Are you currently a member of the Vintage Microcar Club?  ☐ yes ☐ no
Cars you will bring to event  Make Model Year Color Condition  1)  2)  3)	Other Micro/Mini Cars you own Make Model Year Color Condition  1) 2) 3)
Registration Donation  A donation of \$120.00 per person (\$100.00 if received by June 15th) is requested for registration for this event Thank you.  Registration donation includes Museum of Transportation admission, Friday night wine/cheese reception, Saturday night barbecue, and all other aspects of this 3 day event.  Additional donations are graciously accepted and appreciated to help defray the cost of the event.	Registration Payment Details  persons @ \$120.00 (\$100.00 if received before 6/15/16)  I will bring the following dish to share:  Or I have added \$10.00 per person for food contribution  Official 2016 Microcar Classic T-Shirts @ 20.00  Official 2016 Microcar Classic Mugs @ 14.00  Prior Years Offical Microcar Classic T-Shirts @ 15.00  Additional Contribution  Total Due:
Liability Waiver and Release In consideration of the right and privilege to enter and participate in this event, I agree, on behalf of myself and my guests, to assume full responsibility for any and all risk of bodily injury, death or property damage which may occur as a result of my participation in this event, and to release and indemnify Charles & Nancy Gould for any injuries, damages, or loss resulting from my participation in this event, or the participation of my guests.  Signature:	How did you hear about this event?  Attended past Microcar Classic Event in  Vintage Microcar Magazine  Minutia Magazine  www.Bubbledrome.com Web Site  Other Web Site www  Direct Mail Microcar Classic Invitation Brochure  Friend (Who)?  Other (What)?

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