

Rolls-Royce Foundation Announces New Director and Other Updates!

Your Rolls-Royce Foundation has been extremely busy over the last several months, and we have some very big news to share with you! I'm proud to announce that the RRF Board has officially and unanimously voted to make our celebrated and loved head librarian, Sarah Holibaugh, our new Director of Museum and Library Services!

Please help me in congratulating Sarah on her new role and welcoming her as our new Director! You could not ask for a better-qualified and enthusiastic Director than Sarah. Her training as a librarian, her years of PMC education here at the Foundation, and countless hours in the archives make her uniquely suited for the job. Sarah's hard work and dedication to the Foundation over the last six years made this change in our management structure an easy decision for our Board, as her personality and boundless energy have truly elevated our organization to the next level! Those of you that know her already know what I speak of, but if you haven't had a chance to visit the Foundation and meet Sarah, I highly recommend you do so!



Sarah Holibaugh

Since we last touched base with you so much has happened, let's bring you up to speed!

We have had several new donations come into the collection over the last few months! First up, from Mr. Lee Gatto, of San Jose, California, a 1933 Rolls-Royce 20/25 Delivery Van service car. We have affectionately named this car Wickersham, and "Wick", is now the star of the RRF collection! We have taken Wick out to several shows so far and the "J&B Delivery Van" has been a huge hit! We have also accepted a 1948 Rolls-Royce Freestone & Webb



Silver Wraith Limo, a 1970 Rolls-Royce Silver Shadow, and another 1984 Rolls-Royce Silver Spur, previously from the Rajneesh Collection. Our team at the Museum are working to consistently refresh and update our phenomenal collection!

The RRF hit it's mark once again with our back-to-back win as the "Coolest Car Club" at the 2025 Carlisle Import and Performance Nationals! With the help of the RROC HQ Region, we had over 25 Proper Motor Cars registered for this event, and a full tent of guests and enthusiasts! The RRF gathering enjoyed premium food and drink all weekend and we even had a PMC trivia contest! Ask anyone who has attended, and they will tell you this is a wonderful event that you should check out!

Back at the Foundation, we have begun construction on our brand-new Library! Affectionally being nicknamed the "The Layne Library" (after RRF Volunteers and the lead design and construction team, Lan Hake and Wayne MacDonald), the library will feature the largest Rolls-Royce and Bentley book collection in the country. It will consist of a reference and research section, technical library, factory sales literature and sections dedicated to each RROC Region! The "Layne" will also feature a reading area, conference table and fireplace! A Special Thank you to Mr. Doug Seibert who donated hundreds of technical manuals to our Library. We can't wait for this to open later this year!

As we finish up the first half of the year, I am so proud of what we have already accomplished and can't wait to see what the rest of 2025 has in store for us!

Yours in Fine Motoring,
– George Wagman III
Rolls-Royce Foundation Chair



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