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2019 Southeastern Fall Nationals



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By following true southern traditions the 2019 Southeastern Fall Nationals was a huge hit. What a whirlwind event the show ended up being! The year and a half of planning came down to 4 days of Nationals fun.

On the night of Wednesday, October 23, the Southeastern Fall Nationals kicked off with Deep South Region members greeting other AACA members from all over. About 50 people gathered together in the lobby of the Renaissance Riverview Plaza Hotel, our host hotel. There were many new faces and lots of familiar ones. We all had a great time getting to know and catching up with many AACA members from all

over the US.

After the meet and greet, a group of us headed to the Hospitality room to put the trophies together. In Henry Ford tradition the group formed an assembly line. Someone took items out of the box, passing them to the person putting the wheels on them then passing them to the person putting the plates on and finally someone putting them back into the big box.

Thursday morning October 24 came early with all the events starting. After a scurry to get things done, Registration and the Silent Auction were set up and opened to the participants. Registration and T-shirt sales happened quickly, and with few hick-ups the



Wednesday's Meet and Greet at the host hotel



Fun times at the Henderson Collection



The Martin Corvette Collection



Ice cream social at GulfQuest Museum

entire time.

The Silent Auction crew made it look like it was so easy. All the baskets with the pink and green color jars for tickets all mixed together made it very inviting. The items were so beautifully displayed in both locations at the host hotel.

During this time the Henderson's were hosting over 150 people at the Henderson Collection for a tour of the museum. They served guests donuts and coffee and allowed people to wonder around looking at a very fine collection of just over 100 antiques. Some are one of a kind and the collection features eleven 1951 Fords.

Just before lunch everybody headed to the Martin Collection. It was quite a trip out into the country to get to Martin Nursery. Lunch was served in one of the barns on the property. Everybody enjoyed hamburgers and cheeseburgers with all the fixings.

The main barn houses a significant collection of Corvettes, twenty eight to be exact. The collection features a 1953 Corvette, one of the first off the line. There were many pace cars and the original truck that started the whole nursery.

"If you serve ice cream they will come" and that is exactly how it happened on Thursday evening at Gulf Quest. The ice cream social included BBQ sandwiches and banana pudding. Everybody had their fill. To top



The registration team at work



Roundtable discussion





Friday nights Halloween costume party



Walt, Martha and Violet in costume



David Ladhier and Debbie Bright with friends



Tom Gibson in his costume that won him first place



Judges breakfast

it off, everyone could tour all five floors of this fantastic maritime museum.

On Friday morning the events kicked off early with the Haunted History Tour of Mobile aboard the trolley with Arthur and his dog. Many people climbed aboard the trolley and learned some of the dark secrets of the city's past.

With typical heavy Mobile rain in the forecast, many last-minute changes needed to be made for show day. Once made, the chore was to acquire more area under the convention center. After several hours of back and forth with the city Darrin Dahlenburg was able to get us two more rows of parking. In the mean time a few tornados touched down in West Mobile.

A team of members of AACA all headed to the parking garage and went over the space deciding on how to lay out the area. While in the parking area the team talked with the security guards about the situation. The guards talked to the higher ups and gained us two more rows of parking. This gave us enough room to move 50 vehicles out of the rain.

All the events of Friday continued as planned. Roundtable discussion had a focus on membership and the new building project. Judging school presented by Dain King and Stan Kulikowski was a must for anyone wanting to judge and for anyone wanting to understand what happens when their car is judged.

Evening brought us a treat with a Halloween costume contest. Some also got a fright due to the short number of dinner seats. The hotel quickly took care of that problem. We all now know what "cocktail seating" is and that it is for the young not the young at heart. There were so many great costumes. As only three could win the judges had a tough time picking.

Saturday morning came very early in Mobile. The window of opportunity to get the vehicles onto the show





President Mel Carson passing out dash plaques in the rain



The 1947 Keller owned by Sally Barnett



Beautiful cars parked in the rain



Andy Switzers 1936 Cord Westchester

field before the downpours started came at 5:30 am. Most of the cars were on the show field before the worst of the rain hit. Mel Carson, President of AACA in his yellow slicker stood in the rain most of the time giving out the dash plaques with Tracy Metclaf by his side handling registration. They only had to sit in a car conveniently parked at the entrance a few times.

Judging started at 11 am sharp. Our team found most of our vehicles out of the rain under the cover of the Convention Center. The rain had stopped when we headed to the waterfront to judge a few more.

The sun came out and so did the people. The Youth Program started at 1 pm and you could see the kids with their blue shirts and red hats looking at cars all over the show field. It was fun to watch as they gave out the "The Kids Think This Is A Cool Car" Awards sponsored by Hagerty's. These are some of the greatest awards because these kids pick from their hearts.

In an unusual move, many car owners were given letters announcing that they had been nominated for a National Award. While some owners moved their cars to the beautiful, now sunny, waterfront for pictures after the



Jeff Herndon's 1970 Jaguar XKE



The rain made for great reflections





Paul Dagenais 1957_ Desota Fireflight



David Reeves car with the Azalea Trail Maids

show field closed, many rushed to put their cars away so they could get ready for the awards banquet.

Social hour was a huge hit with the silent auction in the foyer outside the banquet. When the doors opened the chairs were filled quickly. Those that were looking to get their first trophy were on pins and needles. Kelly Adams emceed the event and started the evening on a light note by telling us the safety instructions of an airplane (as her full time job is a flight attendant).

After dinner Steve Moskowitz presented Arthur Bolton his 50-year pin. It was nice to have one of our DSR members receive such a high honor. The show trophy was presented to the Show Chairman. Then the awards were announced.

Senator Bill Hightower presented the Mayor's trophy and talked about his love for old cars. Sam Barnett was our keynote speaker and talked about how the auto industry shaped the history of Alabama and the space program.

The show was great and even the rain didn't dampen to much of the event. - Charlotte



Bob Vaughn getting his award from the kids



The silent auction



Debbie Bright receiving her First Junior



Sam Barnett speaking about the Keller at the Award banquet



November 21 at 6 pm

Thanksgiving Dinner at the Clubhouse

The Club will be providing the turkey, ham and dressing. Members are encouraged to bring a side dish or dessert. Please email Martha Fuller at waltmern@aol.com with what you plan to bring as soon as you can.



Annual Election of Officers

Remember this is our annual election of officers. Guests are not allowed to be present during the election. This should not stop you from inviting guests to the Thanksgiving Dinner, but please be kind and inform your guests that they will be asked to step into the kitchen during the election.



December 8 at 4 pm Christmas Dinner and Awards Banquet

Our Christmas Dinner and Awards Banquet will be held on December 8 at 4pm at the Renaissance Riverview Plaza Hotel in the Harbor Room. Cocktails will be served before dinner with plenty of time to mingle. Dinner will be served and awards will follow dinner.

The cost is \$10 each for all members, \$35 each for all non-members. Please RSVP to 256-783-2261 for head count and give your money to Martha Fuller or Paul Dagenais at the Thanksgiving Dinner. Those that need to make other arrangements for payment, please let us know.



It's hard to believe that our Club Year is coming to an end. Only a couple more events on the calendar and one more meeting.

We had another great meeting held in October that gave us the last minute chance to talk about the Nationals. Our club had many first time participants with many questions.

The AACA 2019 Southeastern Fall Nationals is in the books. Despite some small problems it was a great show. Rain made for some quick changes for the topless cars and convertibles. With Darrin's connections with the city and the great repore he has with the convention center he was able to obtain four rows of covered area for 50 vehicles.

The group that stepped in at the last minute to take over the show field after unforeseen problems with the Field Marshal and perform the field marshal duties on Show Day did an awesome job! Many of these people were new members and non-members which goes to show you that DSR attracts great people.

We still have a few things happening at "Our Club" for the remainder of this year.

The next meeting will be on November 21 at 6:00 pm. with our Thanksgiving Dinner and our elections. You must be a member in good standing with DSR and AACA in order to vote. This is your chance to vote for who you want to lead our club in the direction you want. This is your club! Write-ins on the ballot are an option if you are not happy with the slate presented by the nominating committee.

Also, we need a head count for the Clubs Annual Christmas Dinner. This year it is at the Renaissance Riverview Plaza Hotel Harbor Room on December 8 at 4 pm. Please pay \$10 per person for members and \$35 per person for non-members to Martha or Paul at the Thanksgiving Dinner. Please help them out by providing your money in an envelop with your name on it so they don't have to remember who gave them money. This will be a good time and a fun way to start the Holiday Season.

Watch your email for some last minute events during the Christmas Season. David Ladnier has some fantastic events in the works.

For the first time as a DSR member I will miss a meeting. Please enjoy the Thanksgiving get together and use your right to vote for the officers you want to lead you for the next year.

See you on the road,

Charlotte



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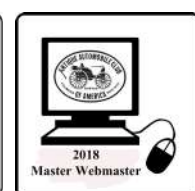
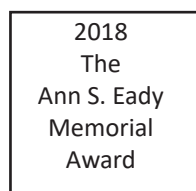
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30+ Road Trip Games That Will Make You Have The Best Trip Ever

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Road trip games are games you play while in the car with others. Road trip games can turn a boring drive into a fun experience that can make you laugh out loud and bring you closer together. The best way to pass the time and ensure a vacation is full of happy memories is to plan out some road trip games ahead of time.

1. Categories. One person picks a category (ex: Britney Spear's songs, NFL teams, flavors of La Croix) and everyone takes turns naming something in that category until someone (the loser) is stumped.

2. Alphabet. Take turns going through the alphabet. Each player must find the next letter either on something in the car (like the stereo screen) or license plates, or road signs.

3. Guess the Song. Turn the radio on or put your Spotify/CD player on shuffle. Whoever can shout out the name of the song first, wins. (Be sure to cover your radio screen if it says the song names as they play).

4. Truth or Car-Contained Dare. A game of truth or dare where all the dares must be something that can be accomplished (safely) in the car.

5. Deep Questions. Find a long list of good questions

to get to know someone and work your way through them. You'll learn a lot about everyone in the car.

6. Going on a Picnic. This is a story memory game where someone says "I'm going on a picnic and I'm going to bring..." and then lists an item. The next person begins I'm going on a picnic and I'm going to bring..." and must list the first person's item before adding their own item. The list grows and grows and the first person to not be able to correctly list all the items is the loser (or out, if you have enough people to play in elimination rounds).

7. I Spy. The road trip classic. One person says "I spy with my little eye.... something" and then vaguely describes something they see, like "I spy something red". The other players take turn asking yes or no questions until they can guess what the item is.

8. Story. One person says a word that begins a story. Take turns adding one word onto the story and see where it ends up!

9. The License Plate Game. Interpret the letters in each license plate you pass. For instance, REG could stand for "Ron eats garbage" and CSB could be "Claire smells bad".

10. Would You Rather. Play an epic game of Would



You Rather. Try to stump the other person with the weirdest or most difficult questions you can come up with (or find online).

11. 6 Degrees of Separation. Pick two people in the world and try to connect them in 6 people or less.

12. Scavenger Hunt. Before you leave prepare a list of common things you'd see along the road: cows, a mileage sign, a motorcycle, a barn, a police car, an RV, etc. You can personalize it if you know the route well. Each person tries to check off as many of the scavenger hunt items as they spot.

13. The License Plate Game. Try to find a license plate from every state. Or, try to find a license plate that begins with each letter of the alphabet. Or, see who can spot a license plate from the farthest away place — whoever calls it first gets the credit!

14. Rhyme. One person picks a word and everyone has to go around saying a word that rhymes with it. The first person to be stumped or to repeat a word loses.

15. Rule. Everyone in the car gets to make one nonsense rule, like "every time we go under a bridge everyone needs to bark like a dog" or "whenever I put my hat on everyone has to touch the roof of the car". Every time a rule is enforced everyone but the last person to catch on gains a point. Whoever has the least points when you get to your destination loses.

16. Celebrity. One person plays the character of a famous person and answers questions as if they were that person. Whoever guesses correctly first wins.

17. Name That Song. One person says a popular song lyric in a completely deadpan voice and the other passengers must guess the song. It's surprisingly difficult to guess something recognizable without the accompanying music.

18. Best Drive I Ever Had. Each time you get in the car, after you get onto a main road whoever is the first person to remember to say "BEST DRIVE I EVER HAD" wins. This is trickier than it seems and turns each car ride into something a little more exciting.

19. The Quiet Game. Everyone sees how long they can be quiet, whoever speaks the first loses. (This is an especially fun game to play with kids when you need a little downtime).

20. The Movie Game. One person says the name of an actor and the next person must name a movie that actor has been in. The next player must name another actor who starred in that same movie. The next player must say another movie that actor was in, and so on.

21. Punch Buggy. Every time you see a Volkswagon

Beetle, the first person to see it gets to punch someone else in the arm.

22. People Watching. Find a vehicle that you can watch for a few minutes traveling on the road near you. Make up a story about the people in the car. What are their names? What do they do for employment? What kind of pets do they have? The sillier and more detailed the story, the better.

23. Never Have I Ever. Everyone holds up 5 fingers and takes turns naming something they haven't done ("Never have I ever mowed a lawn", "Never have I ever been to Wyoming"). Whoever folds all their fingers first loses.

24. Kiss Marry Kill. Take turns listing three people living, dead, or fictional. Everyone has to pick who they would choose to kiss, marry, and kill. Try to stump everyone else in the car.

25. Superlatives. Take turns coming up with real and imagined high school superlatives like "Most likely to succeed" "Most likely to fall in love with a rock star" "Most likely to grow up and become a dolphin trainer" and everyone in the car must point to the person who the title fits most closely.

26. Opportunity Corner. Every time there's a tight turn where you feel your body shifting a little bit shout "Opportunity Corner!" and use it as an excuse to quickly snuggle with the person next to you.

27. Rock Paper Scissors. The perfect car game because no supplies are needed. Up the stakes by placing bets on the winners or keeping score throughout a Rock Paper Scissor tournament.

28. The Compliment Game. Go through the alphabet and use each letter to say a compliment about someone else in the car. For example, "A is for Rachel's asymmetrical haircut" "B is for how beautiful Laura is".

29. Spelling Bee. Have someone play the judge and look up hard to spell words on their phone. The players need to spell the words to win or lose.

30. Harry Potter Spelling Bee. For a fun twist, play Spelling Bee using words from a TV show or book or movie series everyone in the car enjoys. It can be a Game of Thrones spelling bee, a Lord of the Rings spelling bee, or a Grey's Anatomy medical terms spelling bee.

31. Read short stories aloud. Find short funny or interesting stories to read aloud. If you're doing a creepy drive, read something scary.

32. Car Bingo. Come up with a list of vehicle types that everyone will be searching for. The first person to cross every car off their list wins!



The Veterans' Day Parade

When I agreed to drive one of Jim Henderson's cars in the Veteran's parade, I was initially assigned the 1953 MG. I thought that was an odd choice as two people were to ride in it. Others must have thought so too (or the MG wouldn't run), as when I arrived the MG had been switched out for the 1976 El Dorado. That's a major change from washboard to living room couch.

The drivers for the parade were a mix of DSR folks and members of the Optimist's Club. Zeno Chaudron and I were in cars, Zeno driving the 1957 Red Bel Air. Clyde Smith was driving the trolley. David Ladnier drove his 1964 Gallaxie 500. As we were lining up at the museum. Jim Henderson arrived to lend encouragement and enthusiasm and to report that he had to work, thus not being in the parade.

We left the museum around 7:45 heading for the Civic Center. The powers that be wanted us there early as the rest of the parade was to be assembled around the cars. When we got there, the parking lot was relatively empty. It didn't remain so very long. As the morning progressed, cadets and veterans of all persuasions started to engulf us. Lots of big trucks pulling big boats. As those of military backgrounds (and futures) were showing up and getting organized, high school bands as well as the University of South Alabama Marching band showed up. They all started to practice. It got very loud and we were in the middle of it.

To the right of us was the band from BC Rain High School. The band was practicing (loudly) and they had four very pretty dancers all dressed in black leotards. They were practicing their moves while Zeno stood with his back to them. I asked if he was going to watch them and he said no. Just by watching them move, he was afraid he might break a hip.



Bill Atkeison holding the Veteran of the Year Award with his wife Kathy



Bill and his family at the ceremony



David Ladnier, Susan Bergen and Joyce Ladnier ready to start a parade

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David Ladnier, Zeno Chaudron and Paul Dagenais before the parade



The Chase Trolley in the parade

Of note was the locked porta potty to the left of us. After several folks got frustrated (and anxious), someone tried a hammer on the lock. It didn't work. One of the Azalea Trail Maids, to our right, dropped her skirt in front of God and everybody and zipped off, in her pantaloons, to the potty. Her lavender outfit didn't quite fit with the red look on her face when the door wouldn't open. Fortunately, one of her handlers showed up and led her into the Civic Center.

The parade was to start at 10:00. Around 9:45 we started to look for our riders. Several parade officials were having fits that they were not around. Finally, Zeno's rider who was the Patriot of the Year was dropped off by a new Escalade. Then we waited some more and there were more aggravated comments from officials. They couldn't start without the Veteran of the Year who was riding in my car. Finally, out of nowhere, our own Bill Atkeison (Veteran of the Year!!) and wife Kathy appeared. Bill looked great in his uniform and beret (Kathy also looked great).

Bill and Kathy climbed aboard and I went to start the car. It was so loud, I couldn't hear if it started. This car has idiot lights and nothing was showing on the dash. When I realized it was not running, I turned it over and gave it some gas. It roared to life, I put it in gear, we bolted forward and my passengers almost flipped out of the back of the car. But we were off, at a snail's pace. (I felt better



The Model A Shay ready for a parade



David Ladnier's 1964 Ford Galaxie 500



The 2006 Shelby Mustang



This truck was used as the catch truck





The 1937 Cadillac ready for a parade



The 1963 Buick Electra ready for a parade



Mamun Sidiq with the 1957 T-Bird



The 1976 Cadillac Eldorado ready for a parade

about almost dumping my riders when the fellow driving the 1937 Cadillac said he popped the clutch and almost lost his riders too). Perhaps we should tie our riders down or make them sign disclaimers....

As per the parade, it was fairly short. It became obvious that there were more people in the parade than watching the parade. Bill and Kathy shouted out thank you's to other veterans along the route. Thanks were returned. I did feel sorry for the kids who were standing along the route with bags. Obviously, they were expecting throws.

When we reached the small park by the Chamber of Commerce, the Patriot dismounted from Zeno's car and Bill and Kathy were helped out of the El Dorado. Zeno and I continued along the parade route, empty, with many people calling out praise for the Patriot of the Year, Zeno, and the Veteran of the Year, yours truly. Zeno was more gallant than I was, waving back to the people on both sides.

At the end of the parade we were supposed to line up and head to the museum as a group. That didn't happen as Mark Glenn told everyone to just get back. When Zeno tried to start the Chevy, it wouldn't start. No clicks, nothing. He lifted the hood, jiggled some wires he thought were loose. Nothing. He called Mark who gave what seemed to me elaborate instructions. Zeno sighed, told me to get in the car so he could fiddle. Without waiting, I got in, turned the key and away it went. He put the hood down, thinking we were ready to go. Then the gray Cadillac wouldn't turn over. The battery appeared dead as it would click. I did not know this car has an 8 volt system (not 6 or 12) so you can't jump it off. Zeno and I pushed it, the driver popped the clutch and it started. Finally we were all off, down I-10 to the museum. As typically happens, we were just past the I-65 interchange when it started to rain.

Submitted by Paul Dagenais



The 1957 Chevy Bel Air ready for a parade



Rainy Day Cleaning

Rainy days and Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays really get me down....It all started while the weather was bad and I could not get out. I worked on my RCA collection.

I spent three days cleaning my RCA collection, dusting and cleaning! The collection is displayed in a room of its own.

- Ray Harper



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Sweet Home Alabama Tour - Gulf Shores, AL - Oct 17 - 19, 2019

Wet weather does not dampen the spirits of Model A'ers on tour. We had 100 guest registered with 49 Model "A" Fords from 7 states touring. We were glad to have Joe and Teresa Stephens join our tour this year. Their Model A Coupe preformed like a charm. Never doubt the ability of these antiques.

There was a "Welcome Dinner" at the Original Oyster House upon arriving on Wednesday. Thursday morning the group met at 8:30 am for a drivers meeting in the



The group at the Naval Air Museum



shopping center across the street from the hotel. These meetings took place each day before touring just in-case there were changes that need to be announced. Model A's drove together to Pensacola Naval Air Station and returned that afternoon individually or in groups. Trip total 57.0 miles. Dinner on your own.

Friday after our driver meeting everyone traveled to Fairhope Pier for a group picture on the bay. Later everyone was on their own or in groups to shop, eat or just stroll thru downtown. If you have not visited Fairhope this is a must visit town. Everyone loves the drive along





the bay. Trip total 69.0 miles. Dinner on your own again.

Saturday was the longest day of driving. Trip total 86.6 miles. We traveled to Barber Marina for a visit. They have replicas of Stonehenge (aka: Bamahenge) and life size dinosaurs, this is also the home of Lady in the Lake. I must say they house many beautiful boats as well.

Saturday was a real busy day. After leaving the Marina we drove to the Baldwin County Heritage Museum in Elberta, AL. This is a real education on life in this part of the state many years back. I could spend the day there.

By this time everyone was hungry. So off we went to

Wolf Bay Lodge or Lambert's for lunch.

After a rest and lunch we were on the road again, this time to Ft. Morgan.

We enjoyed the day and after a brief rest we were ready for our Farewell Banquet at Gift Horse in Foley. We had a meal fit for a king. Joe & Teresa won door prizes. Beginners luck. See you next year. - Martha Fuller



This carriage was used to convey guests who had crossed Mobile Bay by boat from Battles Wharf, and later the Fairhope Pier, to the Grand Hotel in Point Clear from the 1860's through the 1930's

Cruisin The Coast

Oct. 5-13

Sat., Oct. 5 - We went to Cruise Central and picked up our site signs, stamps, and all supply's. Then we traveled back to D'Iberville to store items.

Sun., Oct 6 - Went to Gulfport Hardy's Ct. for a car display of around 400 cars. After Hardy Ct back to Scarlet Pearl Resort to our room.

Mon., Oct 7 - We worked all day giving out regular packs at Cruise Central.

Tues., Oct 8 - Started getting our site ready for Thursday's opening.

Wed., Oct 9 - Getting our site ready. On Tuesday and Wednesday we set up tents, signs, stage, porta potties and what ever come to hand. To make it clear I have people doing the work.

Thursday, Oct 10 - All set for our site to open and start stamping cards. We did not take a count but some were around 3,000 cars came throw our site.

Fri. Oct. 11th same as Thursday around 3000 cars came threw.

Friday night we got a very hard rain and lost 2 tents and a large tent came down.

Sat., Oct. 12 - Another day and last day for stamping. Every car that has not been stamped by 5pm is out of drawing.

Sun., Oct. 13 - Last day. Sunday is an early day. This year near 9000 cars.

1st things 1st on Sunday. Church with Kyel Johnson member AAECM. Then Gene Oswalt Volunteer of the year Award. I won this award 3 years ago. Drawings (40 drawings of \$500 each) Totaling \$20,000. Then Donation to Make-A-Wish. Make-A-Wish this year around \$30,000. Next the drawing for a Street Rod Truck that was won by man from Biloxi.

We would like to thank Charlotte from the AACA DSR car club for all the help she did. Also thanks to all the other clubs for help.

- Ray and Katherine Harper



Charlotte getting a ticket in D'Iberville



Ray and Katherine Haper busy at work



Nice looking rides



Cheering on the cars



Cruising the Coast volunteer team for Saturday



From Ray's Archives



Bobby Hoover was members of AACA DSR, AAECM, & Model T Club.

News Paper Right Up About The Death Of Bobby Hoover From Slidell, LA.

Bobby & Family Would Drive From Slidell Ever DSR Meeting Along With The Jerry Pages.

Jerry Page was a member of the DSR & Model T Club also. Jerry died 1st and was taken to his resting place in a MODEL T with Bobby riding in front Ran Resch driving.

At the death of Bobby, Dan took him to his resting place.

BY RAY HARPER

Antique-car buff takes final ride

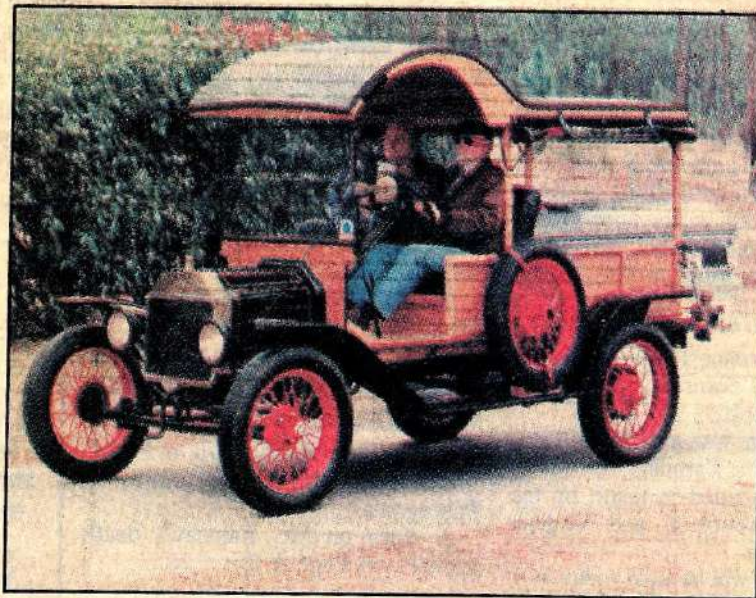
Forgot year about 20 years ago

■ Last summer, Dan Resch of Ocean Springs gave a friend one last ride in a Model T Ford truck. On Wednesday, he repeated the act for another friend.

"I didn't expect to do it again so soon," Resch said as he readied his 1914 Model T for the grand procession along Canal Road to Gulf Pines Memorial Cemetery in Long Beach. Two thin wooden slats protruded from the bed of the handcrafted, red-trimmed truck.

The back of the front seat still bears a deep scratch from Jerry Page's ride last summer.

The black flaps on the side of the car were rolled up and secured with twine so as not to hinder the view. Not his friend's view — it's unhindered now — but the view of family and friends of 53-year-old Robert Hoover Sr. as he rode to the



Dan Resch of Ocean Springs takes the body of Robert Hoover Sr. to Gulf Pines Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Long Beach.

cemetery his way.

"There's no other way he'd have rather went," Hoover's daughter, Elisa Jackson of Slidell, La., said Wednesday. "He's looking down and loving it."

Hoover, an avid antique-car collector

and member of the Antique Auto and Engine Club of Mississippi, had wanted his casket transported to the cemetery in a Model T Ford. He died March 11. Although he lived in Slidell, Hoover had bought cemetery plots in Long Beach.

"The day he rode with me when we took Jerry, he said he wanted to do the same thing," Resch said.

In his black 1926 Model T Ford, John Roberts of Gulfport pulled in slowly behind Resch. Roberts said he felt bound to come out.

"I just wanted to make it, to be a part of the procession," he said. "I knew Bobby for 14 years. He was very active in the club; he never missed an

outing."

After Resch secured the coffin in the back of the Ford, Jackson embraced and kissed it.

Someone whispered, "Have a nice ride."



Minutes from the Thursday, October 17

Meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm by President Charlotte Dahlenburg. Zeno Chaudron gave a prayer and Bill Atkeison led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. A motion was made by Brian Daly and seconded by Leslie Sellers to accept the minutes as written in the previous newsletter. The motion was carried.

Paul Dagenais gave out copies of the club's treasury report and after some discussion a motion was made by Brian Daly to accept the report. John Bright seconded the motion. Motion was approved by membership.

No activities' report was given as Joyce and David Ladnier were in Hawaii.

Bill Atkeison reminded us that the Flags of Glory ceremony was again being held at Mobile Memorial Gardens. You may purchase a flag in honor of a veteran for \$25.00. Their name will be placed on the flag. Proceeds go to support local veterans. The opening ceremony will be Sunday, November 10 at 2 pm. The event will run thru the following Saturday.

Under new business Martha Fuller announced the slate of officer put forth by the nominating committee. They are as follows:

President: Zeno Chaudron
Vice President: Darrin Dahlenburg
Secretary: Joyce Ladnier
Treasurer: Paul Dagenais
Editor: Charlotte Dahlenburg
Activities Chairman: David Ladnier
Member at Large: David Rooney

You must be present to vote (No Absentee Ballots), must live within Mobile County and must be in good standing (dues paid) with the National AACA Club and the Deep South Region. Also no guests to be present at the November meeting vote.

The South Eastern Nationals car show was then the topic of discussion. Martha Fuller reminded everyone to bring their snacks for the hospitality room. Jim Henderson announced that Community Coffee would provide coffee for the hospitality room. Golf carts were discussed and Clyde Smith volunteered to pick up the cars for the club to use Wednesday and Thursday. Charlotte announced that registration would be on the second floor and the hospitality room on the ninth floor. Also, that club members' cars could be on the field by 6 am and a drivers' meeting would be held on the steps of the convention center at 9:30 am. Judging begins at 11am. Drivers need to be present or provide judges with a phone number.

David Rooney asked for cars to be at the Fox 10 Studio at 8:30 am on Monday. A live segment is to be aired with information on the show. In addition, Mobile Alliance will be running a spot on 106.5.

Susan Bergen announced that she had name tags for those who had placed an order.

The meeting was adjourned.

Jim Henderson won the 50/50 drawing which gave him \$30.00 to take home.

Please include this in the November issue of Sparkplug, I wish to take this opportunity to comment on the article about me that appeared in the October issue of the Sparkplug. I had not seen this article until it was sent to me by a nephew a few weeks ago. My guess is that it was written by the US Army home town news division (or whatever it was called back then). It was originally published in a local newspaper in New Jersey in 1964. I did not know that it was going to be put in the Sparkplug, nor did I give permission for it to be so published.

I am concerned because although the article is mostly true, there is one thing that I must correct. I did go to Ft. Bragg for training and the instruction was done by members of the Special Forces, but it was a six week course on being an advisor and participating in the Military Assistance Training Advisor Program in Viet Nam. It was NOT Special Forces training

I did receive the Combat Infantry Badge from Gen. Westmoreland. It was indeed the first award he presented

upon his arrival in country. He was making his initial tour of Advisory Team Headquarters. At the time of the award (early in 1969) I was the Assistant Battalion Advisor to a South Vietnamese Infantry Battalion. During the second half of my tour I was the assistant G5 advisor. The G5 staff section was concerned with "Hearts and Minds" missions. One of my duties was to participate in helicopter and fixed wing loud speaker broadcasts and leaflet drop missions aimed at the Viet Cong.

I returned to Viet Nam in 1968 to serve as the advisor to the district chief of Ben Tran District, Dinh Tuong Province. I also served overseas in Thailand and The Republic of the Philippines. Nancy and I decided to make Mobile our retirement home after an assignment with the ROTC Department at the University of South Alabama.

Herb Thoms

Editors Note: The Sparkplug is not responsible for errors in articles printed in previous newspapers.



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For this year, we have new hats, shirts, hoodies, polos, kid's shirts, light-up USB car chargers and drink koozies that look like stacks of tires.

Visit the AACA store.

Can't find something in the online store? You can always call AACA Headquarters to place your order as well (717-534-1910, M-F 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. eastern time).



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REWIND

WHAT DEEP SOUTH REGION WAS DOING 25 YEARS AGO from the October 1994 Sparkplug

DSR Member Authors Book

Ross Sloan, club member and insurance agent, has written a book titled "The Ross Sloan Life Insurance Buyers Guide" which should be on the shelf between Thanksgiving and Christmas. The final draft will soon be sent to the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C. for copyrighting.

It is a critical expose` of the life insurance industry and is a must for anyone anticipating buying life insurance. What makes this book unique is that it is small and written in easy to understand terms so that most anyone can read it in about 45 minutes to an hour.

The price has not yet been determined but will probably be less than \$5.00 which is very little considering what can be saved by being knowledgeable before

purchasing and insurance policy.

It's Time to Start thinking About Christmas Shopping

If you are like Buddy and me, we long ago ran out of ideas for something to buy each other for Christmas. However, what about club shirts or jackets?

Azalea Monogramming will soon have the DSR patch available for hats and caps or anything else you would like to put one on.

Theodore Pecan Festival

There was a total of 9 antique and classic cars, of which 7 were from DSR, parading for a thin crowd. Once on the school grounds the crowd picked up quickly. With an abundance of craft and food booths plus live music, cake walks and the like, everyone seemed to have a great time. This was the first year that

trophies had been awarded and DSR to 6! On hand to enjoy the day were 1 Crowfus, 2 Lunsfords (with 3 grandchildren), 2 Lyles (with 2 cars), 1 McLaney (Dale), 2 Nettles, 1 Vines and 2 whites. - by Ed Lunsford

THS Homecoming Parade

The Club was invited again this year to assist in the Theodore High School's annual Homecoming Parade held on October 21. This is a short parade and one that is fun to participate in. The Azalea Trail Maids and some dignities as well as students ride in the cars. This year from DSR who helped were Bernie Cammon, Lloyd Crowfus, Bob Hedberg, Scott Henderson filling in for his dad, Jim Henderson, Buddy Paquet, John Reid, Hershel Whigham and Al White.





Refreshments

November 21 Thanksgiving Dinner
December 8 -4 pm Year End Party
January 23
February 27
March 26
April 23

Up Coming Club Events

Monthly Meeting November 21 6 pm
Breakfast at Golden Corral November 24 8:30 am

Birthdays & Anniversary

Susan Bergen	November 25
Charlotte Dahlenburg	November 28
Herb Thoms	December 4
Fred Fambrough	December 6
Betty Lartigue	December 11
Nancy Henderson	December 18

Thoughts Go Out

Also Keep good thoughts for Barbara O'Brien, Buddy & Patt Paquet, Buddy & Anne Givens, Lycyle Crowdus, Donna Wood and Bobby Peterson.



Guess what this is? What does this go to? Email your answer to dsr36608@gmail.com.

*Answer for last month:
1910 Auburn 40*

The By Laws

Every month we will print a section of the by laws. This is so you can review the section and bring up any discussion at our meetings to clarify or petition to change the by laws.

ARTICLE IV - DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Section 5: ACTIVITIES COORDINATOR - The Activities Coordinator shall coordinate all activities in which the Region participates. The Coordinator should be aware any National AACA activities so as to not have conflict with Region activities.

Section 6: EDITOR OF REGIONAL PUBLICATION - The Editor of Regional publication shall cause to be published and distributed to members of the Region, the Regional publication (The Sparkplug) and other publication as may be directed by the Executive Board.

Section 7: MEMBER AT LARGE - (A) The Member At Large shall chair a committee of three (3) members to review the Bylaws of the Deep South Region of the Antique Automobile Club of America annually.
(B) The Member At Large shall serve as the tie breaking vote on the Executive Board.

Notes from the Webmaster

Our website is our first outreach to the community. It tells other car enthusiast who we are. In order to keep it current and up to date please take the time to help. If you have flyers for upcoming car shows, photos of club activities, or photos of your car(s), please send them to me for posting on the club web page. Please send them in jpg format.

- Herb Thoms

Sunshine Committee

Hi, all! I realized that many of you don't know how to contact me in the event that someone is in need of some sunshine. You can contact me on my cell (251) 607-9651 (please leave a message if I don't answer or send a text), or email me: jsellers@southalabama.edu.

Janice Sellers Committee Chairman



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The Gulf Coast Region AACA

will be hosting the 2020 Texas Tour next year in Brenham, Texas. The tour begins Thursday, May 14 and ends with the banquet the evening of Saturday May 16, 2020. Hotel rates at both venues are good every day beginning with check in

Wednesday, May 13 through check out on Sunday May 17, 2020.

The HOST Hotel is the Holiday Inn Express:

2685 Schulte Blvd, Brenham, Texas 77833

979-830-5331

***Ask for Block name 67th Texas Tour (Block code MCS) Rate \$130.99 per night, plus Tax/Fees
Overflow and Pet Friendly:

Motel 6 Brenham (formerly Holiday Inn and Suites)

555 Hwy 290 West, Brenham, Texas 77833

979-836-4590

**Ask for 67th Texas Tour Car Show (No code required) \$90.00 per night, plus Tax/Fees

The Tour packets for Registration will be mailed shortly after the first of the year 2020. If you have

any questions about hotel and/or registration, please contact Sandra Johnston at 2020texastour@att.net.

We look forward to seeing you in 2020!

TOUR CHAIR – Wayne Bartlett 281-447-1476

Co-CHAIR – Jim Johnston 832-693-4008

Registrar—Sandra Johnston 713-542-9481





Let's get social!

By Megan Boyd

Vice President - Social Media

This year at the Annual Meeting, I was appointed to the newly formed role of Vice President of Social Media.

I'm excited about this position - it is truly a great time to be in the AACA!

We are all familiar with the word 'social'- especially when it is connected to any AACA members favorite other words - ice cream! Social media, just like our ice cream socials, is created to do the same thing - get people socializing!

I'm sure by now everyone out there (unless you live under the proverbial rock) has heard of Facebook. Facebook is just one of many forms of social media that exist today. Some of the other popular platforms (at the time of this article - they change so fast!) include Instagram, Snapchat, YouTube, Twitter and LinkedIn. It is likely you are personally on one of them...if not all of them!

The AACA's regions and chapters have a great opportunity to take advantage of this FREE marketing. These are great platforms to share information about your club, your members and their cars plus tech tips and tricks just to name a few things. You can also share or repost information from our national club or other regions and chapters.

Often I hear "I don't know how to use Facebook" or "I don't even have a smart phone"- don't worry that's ok. Asking your younger members to create and maintain the social media for your club is a great way to get them involved. It is second nature to the younger generation and it can be a valuable membership tool for your club.

If your club is looking where to start I suggest creating a Facebook page. Add a few photos of club events, club members or better yet club members with their cars! You can also create Facebook Events to advertise your club meetings and shows. This is also a great way to connect with your local community to make them aware of your club and all of the wonderful things you have going on. Once you have your Facebook page created try adding an Instagram account. Instagram is a platform for sharing pictures. We all love pictures!

I look forward to seeing more clubs and regions getting social - I'll be watching for you on the world wide web! In the meantime if you have questions about social media or need help I'm just an email away. Contact me at aacameg@gmail.com.

Rummage Box articles courtesy of AACA Rummage Box



Find us on Facebook

Be sure to like the Deep South Region of Antique Automobile Club of America's Facebook page.



We have had several Club Members inquiring about who does the Logos on our club shirts. Joyce Young asks that you call before you come. Azalea Monograms & Design.
Leroy Stevens Rd, Mobile
251-661-9361

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Make the check out to DSR and mail it to:
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AACA Library Fall Nationals Wrap-Up

The AACA Library was a happening place to be during this year's Hershey week. Folks from all over the country (and other countries) swung by to do some research. We also received some large collections of automotive history books, manuals and literature. We sold more than \$3,000 in duplicate books throughout the week.

This year's Literature Yard Sale raised a whopping \$14,787 -- a new record! Our volunteers deserve a big thanks because, without them, we wouldn't be able to pull off an event like this. We also had a team of regular volunteers who helped sort, process and price material throughout the year.



Special thanks to this year's Yard Sale sponsors:

J.C. Taylor Insurance, Universal Vintage Tire, Karns Quality Foods

We can't wait to see you all next year, especially since we'll be in the new building.

ACA Library eBay Auctions -- Bulk Lot Madness

The AACA Library will be auctioning off more than 30 major lots of automotive literature, including Jeep, Chevrolet, GMC Trucks and more. These items are duplicates of items already in our permanent collection, with proceeds benefiting the AACA Library. Help us move these items now, so we don't have to move them to the new building!

Listings start on Thursday, October 31 and end on Sunday, November 10.

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Deep South Region AACA

Mobile, Al

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National AACA Membership Number _____
(You must be a member of AACA to join Deep South Region)

New Member Information (Please Print)

Name: _____

Spouse: _____

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Total Enclosed: _____

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date _____ :

MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS

Annual Membership (Includes Spouse/Partner) _____ \$20.00

DSR voting privileges, exhibiting your cars in national meets, enjoying tours hosted by Region Chapters all across the United States, and competition for national annual awards and prizes, and the bi-monthly Antique Automobile Magazine. As a DSR member, other perks include the opportunity to learn more about your antique or classic car(s) from other members; hear interesting guest speakers at special programs; find parts and dealers; socialize with other owners; complimentary subscription to our DSR newsletter The Sparkplug, and the opportunity to feature your vehicle(s) on our Club's website.

Student Membership (Ages 13-25 for students only) _____ \$12.00

Enjoys same privileges as annual membership. Must provide student ID

Junior Membership (Ages up through 12 years old) _____ \$10.00

Member receives quarterly newsletter - Wheels Date of Birth _____ required for juniors

Any child up to 12 years old may join, whether or not parents are members of AACA. Junior members will receive one Membership Card, one Membership Badge, and a Newsletter four times a year, February, May, August, and November. Special activities are encouraged for Juniors at National (and local) Meets. An educational program is planned to acquaint Juniors of AACA history, its structure and mission, and a general overview of vehicles and their workings, plus a basic understanding of the judging system, all at a level they should find interesting and entertaining.

After you have joined AACA, complete the following information and bring it to one of our meetings, or you may mail it with a check for DSR annual dues to our Club Treasurer: Paul Dagenais, 58 South Julia Street, Mobile, Alabama 36604.



Local Car Shows

November

- 23 Fall Celebration Open Car Show. Biloxi, MS Edgewater Mall Hwy 90 Biloxi, MS. Show proceeds to benefit local charities. Top 30 Awards with 5 specialty awards! 100 dash plaques! Bring a nonperishable food item for the Our Mother of Mercy Food Pantry. Registration and parking 8 - 11 a.m. Judging at noon, awards at 3 p.m. Registration is \$25. Judged on 100 point system. Hosted by the MS Coast Mustang Club. For info or vendor space, call Craig at 228-596-3974
- 30 Toys 4 Tots Cruise-In. Biloxi, MS Join Kaotik Kreations Car/Truck Club for a Toys 4 Tots Cruise-In. at KOI Sushi, 2389 Pass Rd, Biloxi, MS 39531 All are Welcome to join. Show car/truck entry is an unwrapped toy/toys for a boy or girl between ages 1-13. We will have complimentary coffee, cocoa, & cookies available. There will be Top 5 Awards given & 1 Sparkles Detail Top Pick (valid for vehicles who donate for their entry). The first 100 donated entries gets a filled goody bag from Sponsor Sparkles Detail!!

December

- 1 Toy Drive for the Children in CASA and DHS Services. Bay St. Louis, MStrain Depot. MS the Misfits Toy Drive for the Children in CASA and DHS Services at the Train Depot in Bay St. Louis. 11am - 2pm. Please come and bring a NEW Unwrapped toy and put a smile on a child's face for Christmas. Info call Bobby 228 493-2033 or Pace 228 344-5858
- 7 North Pole Rod Run. Biloxi, MSEdgewater Mall Hwy 90 Biloxi, MS. 10am - 2pm Dash plaques to first 50 vehicles. Awards to Top Ten Winners. Great Prizes - Music - 50/50. DROP OFF YOUR Donations of New unopened Toys & Non-perishable food items. Collected items will be distributed to Toys For Tots, & Feed my Sheep here on the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

Jan 2020

- 2 The CAR Shop's 4th Annual Car Show for Charity. O Any and all vehicle types are welcomed. We have People's Choice Awards and tons of great door prizes. Burn Out Contest, Wheel Barrow Races, Vendors, Food Truck and much more! This is a family friendly community event. 9am-2pm. The C.A.R. Shop, 7745 Tara Dr, Semmes, Alabama 36575

Feb 2020

- 8 Mobile Bay Cars and Coffee 29000 Bas Pro Dr, Spanish Fort, AL 8-10 am
- 15 Help Find a Cure Car Show, Hank Aaron Stadium
- 29 Car, Truck, and Motorcycle Show, Bass Pro Shops, Spanish Fort, AL., 8am - 4pm.
- 29 Cattleman's Association (Maybe)
- 29 Orange Beach Seafood Festival & Car Show, The Wharf, Orange Beach, AL. For more information, contact Jeanne at

Orange Beach Parks & Recreation at 251-981-1524 or jfitz@orangebeachal.gov.

Mar 2020

- 1 Battle In Bama is The Premiere Hot Rod, Car, Truck, and Bike Show on the Alabama Gulf Coast! The Premiere Pre-Party famously known as Tacos on a Battleship will be hosted on Friday, 05/01/20, on the USS Alabama Battleship. Only the first 300 registered will receive tickets for this EPIC event
- 7 Swampfest Swamp Fest Arts and Crafts Show and Car Show, Satsuma High School, Satsuma, AL. 9-2pm
- 7 the C.A.R. Shop Cruisers
- 13-15 Orange Beach Invasion, The Wharf, Orange Beach, AL. 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM
- 14 Azalea Festival at MGM
- 14 Orange Beach Invasion, The Wharf, Orange Beach, AL. 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM
- 21 Wheels on the Waterfront
- 21 Gulf Coast Mustang and Mega Car Show. Downtown Owa. Saturday 8:00am - 4:00pm. Info at Phone: (251) 923-2111, Email: info@visitowa.com, Website: visitowa.com/explore/events
- 28 Camp Grace
- 28 After Dark Roast 29000 Bas Pro Dr, Spanish Fort, AL 8-10 am
- 28 Lillian United Methodist Church Car Show, Lillian UMC, Lillian, AL., 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM.

Apr 2020

- 4-5 Bo's Extravaganza
- 11 MAMC 2020 Spring Cruise
- 11 2020 Spring Cruise, Hwy 90 Lunch Cruise Mobile, AL. to Biloxi, MS.
- 11 7th Annual Crosspoint Cruisin' for Missions Car, Truck, and Bike Show & Family Fun Day!! Gulfport, MSCrosspoint Church 15046 North Swan Rd. Show starts at 9:30 AM, Awards Presented at 2:00 P.M. 7 classes of trophies and plaques will be awarded; cars, trucks, bikes, Imports, 4x4s and rat rods. Additionally, there will be specialty and sponsor awards earned. There will be fun, food, kid's games and live entertainment available, so bring the whole family. We will have many door prizes, an auction and a raffle... Registration fee will be \$20.00.
- 18 27th Camellia Classic Open Car show, Bellingrath Gardens and Home, Theodore, AL. Info at info@mobilebaymustangclub.org
- 23-25 Bama Coast Cruisin, The Wharf, Orange Beach, AL Calling all car enthusiasts be part of the Best Cruisin' Event on the Alabama Gulf Coast. Visit BamaCoastCruisin.com & download an Entry Form



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Address						
City		State/Province	Zip/Postal Code		Country	
Signature		Email Address		Telephone #		

Sponsor Name & AACA Membership Number or Address (Sponsorship by a current AACA member is OPTIONAL)

Please contact me about joining a local region

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- ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP (Includes Spouse/Partner)** ----- **\$40.00**
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- FOREIGN (NON-USA) MEMBERSHIP** ----- **\$50.00**
 Enjoys the same privileges as annual membership.
- FIRST TIME 1/2 YEAR MEMBERSHIP** ----- **\$20.00**
 FIRST TIME EVER AACA member who joins between June 1st and October 15th. Enjoys the same privileges as annual membership.
- STUDENT MEMBERSHIP (Ages 13-25 – for student ONLY)** ----- **\$12.00**
 Enjoys the same privileges as annual membership. Applicants must include copy of student identification or proof of enrollment.
- JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP (Age up through 12 years old)** ----- **\$10.00**
 Members receive quarterly newsletter - *WHEELS*. Date of Birth _____ required for Juniors.
- U.S. LIFE MEMBERSHIP** ----- **\$700.00**
- FOREIGN (NON-U.S.) LIFE MEMBERSHIP** ----- **\$900.00**
 Life memberships enjoy the same privileges as annual membership. The surviving spouse/partner of a Life Member shall remain a Life Member at no additional cost. A three (3) year payment plan is available. Call us for details.

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Bumper Sticker 4¼" x 3" — Blue with AACA Logo in Gold		\$2.00	
Package of 8 Emblem Window Decals		\$3.00	
AACA Aluminum License Plate Frame		\$14.50	
Merchandise Total			
Membership Total			
Total Amount Due			

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Authorized Signature _____ Rev. 7/17

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1963 Ford Galaxie 500
Convertible 390 CID.
Contact Jim and Michele
Gray at 251-406-1841

Not Actual Car



1929 Hudson Super six.
Dennis Ramey, Perkinston,
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Phone 406 546-5442



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Not Actual Car



1989 Chevy Caprice good
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Western Fall Nationals
Fallbrook, CA
November 6-9, 2019

Registration Deadline: October 11
Show car & Judge registration now open online

The 2019 Western Fall Nationals will be our
second National AACA Show. The Fallbrook
Region separated from the San Diego Region
and became its own region in 1976. At that time,
we hosted our one and only AACA National

**Come see what the Fallbrook Vintage Car Club
has in store for you at the 2019 Western Fall
Nationals, November 6-9!**





National Car Shows

2020

February

- 6-8 - Annual Convention - Philadelphia, PA
- 20 -22 - Winter National - South Florida Region - Miami, FL

April

- 2-5 - Southeastern Spring National - Hornets Nest Region - Charlotte, NC
- 23-25 - Western Spring National - Phoenix & Tucson Regions - Show Low, AZ
- 26-May 1 - AACA Founders Tour - Phoenix & Tucson Regions - Show Low, AZ (vehicles 1936-1995)

May

- 7-9 - Central Spring National - AACA National Headquarters - Auburn, IN
- 13-16 - AACA Eastern Divisional Tour - Eastern Shore Region - Eastern Shore of Maryland

June

- 7-12 - AACA Sentimental Tour - Mountain State Classics Region - Potomac Highlands, VA (vehicles 1928-1958)
- 24-27 - Eastern Spring National - White Water Region - Daniels, WV

July

- 19-24 - Reliability Tour (1915 & earlier vehicles) being organized by Bob Giles & Tom Roberts - Lock Haven/Wellsboro, PA



Cruise Ins

Time	Location	Address	For More Info Contact
Every Thursday	Sonic in Bay Minette	Bay Minette, AL (Feb-Nov)	
1st Saturday	5 Guys Burgers	McGowan Park, Mobile, AL	Jo Jo Johnson 251-367-6643
1st Saturday	Edgewater Mall	Hwy. 90, Biloxi MS	Jimbo 228-596-0664
2nd Friday	Hooters	Daphne, AL (Feb-Nov)	
2nd Friday	Downtown Cruise	Ocean Springs, MS	
2nd Saturday	What-A-Burger 5-8 pm	Cottage Hill & Snow Rd	Jo Jo Johnson 251-367-6643
2nd Saturday	Fairways Indoor Golf	Eastern Shore Mall, Malbis	Eastern Shore Cruisers
3rd Thursday	Sonic	Foley, Hwy. 59 (Mar-Nov)	
3rd Saturday	What-A-Burger 5-8 pm	Airport & Schillingers Rd	Jo Jo Johnson 251-367-6643
3rd Saturday	Beef O' Bradys	Spanish Fort, Hwy. 90	
3rd Saturday	Bay City Grill	5675 Hwy. 43 Satsuma 4-8 pm	
3rd Saturday	Orange Grove Kruiser's	Acadian Pizza on Hwy 49 Gulfport, MS	
4th Saturday	Hot Wheels & Wings Cruise-In	Hooters Hwy. 98 Daphne 3-6 pm	
4th Saturday	10126 Grand Bay Wilmer Rd	10 am - 1 pm	Grand Bay Country Cruiser
4th Saturday	What-A-Burger ThrowBack	2461 Government Bld	
4th Saturday	Stoney's BBQ 5-8 pm	Hwy. 43, Saraland	Northside Cruisers
Last Saturday	Sonic - Hwy 59 South	Robertsdale, AL (Mar-Oct)	251-747-2022



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