



## Deep South Region of AACA Newsletter

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Meetings are held at the Clubhouse on the 4th Thursday of each month. Refreshments begin at 6:00 pm, and the meeting begins at 7:00 pm.

DSR dues are \$20, and AACA dues are \$45.

**Newsletter Deadline on 25th day of each month.**

### DSR Events

#### June

#### 13 - Flag Day Cruise-In

4:00 pm  
DSR Club House  
951 Forrest Hill Dr.  
Mobile, Alabama

#### 20 - Lunch Run

11:00 am  
David's Catfish House  
10810 Hwy 31  
Spanish Fort, Alabama  
10:30 am - Meet on service road by Felix's Fish Camp

#### 25 - Monthly Meeting

6:00 pm  
DSR Club House  
951 Forrest Hill Dr.  
Mobile, Alabama

**See page 3 for more details.**  
**Visit [www.deepsouth.aaca.com](http://www.deepsouth.aaca.com) for info on these and more events happening in our area.**

### AACA Events

#### 2026

**June 11 - Southeastern Fall Nationals**  
Oak Ridge, Tennessee

**June 15 - Sentimental Tour**  
Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania

**July 22 - Central Spring Nationals**  
Green Bay, Wisconsin

**August 5 - Southeastern Divisional Tour**  
Flat Rock, North Carolina

**August 19 - Annual Grand Nationals**  
Allentown, Pennsylvania

**September 9 - Founders Tour (1932-2001)**  
Williamsburg, Virginia

**Visit [www.aaca.org](http://www.aaca.org) for more info**

Dan Jacobsen's 1940 Dodge Business Coupe would have been perfect sitting outside of Callahan's when it opened in 1946. Submit a good, distant photo of your car to be featured.

### Zeno's Corner

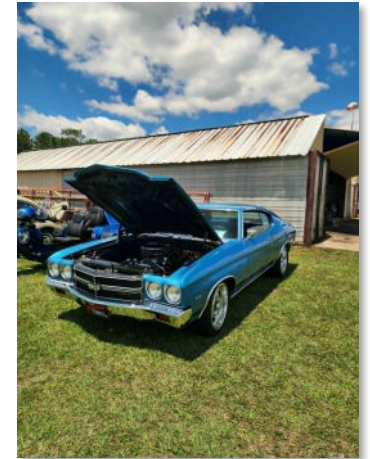
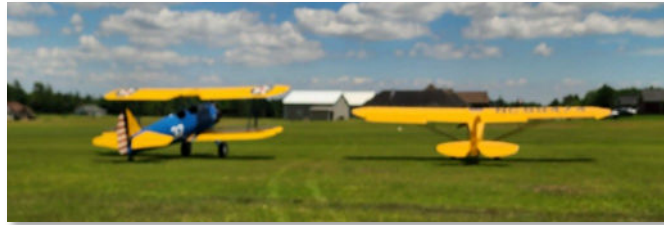
Goodbye spring. Hello summer! We had a very active spring at the club, and we have a lot of events lined up for the summer months. We started at our May meeting with our patriotic red, white, and blue theme. Our ladies did a beautiful job with the decorations, and, as always, our DSR cooks put on a fine meal.

We will have our Flag Day Cruise-In complete with flag retirement ceremony on June 13th, and our nation's 250th birthday on July 4th! I want to thank all of our veterans for protecting the freedoms we enjoy in this great country! We are truly blessed!

Regards, Zeno

## Cruise-In & Fly-In - May 2

May 2nd dawned unexpectedly sunny and warm after days of heavy rain, and the planes and cars and even a motorcycle or two began showing up first thing! The DSR was well represented along with numerous cars from other clubs. As always, participants were treated to a delicious hot breakfast, as well as burgers and hot dogs for lunch. It was a nice break after such a soggy few days.



## Summer Library Kick-Off - May 30

Always a fun event, the Summer Library Kick-Off at the main branch gets bigger and better every year. With tons of activities for the kids inside and the touch-a-truck (or antique car) event outside, this is a great way to introduce kids who have probably never even seen a vintage car to our wonderful hobby.



# Committees



## Sunshine Committee

Do you know a member who could use a little sunshine? If you know someone who is sick, grieving or lonesome, send us an email. Kathy McNamara will send a card to let them know their friends at the DSR are thinking of them. Contact Kathy at [mrhobbs456@aol.com](mailto:mrhobbs456@aol.com).

## Refreshment Committee

If you would like to organize the dinner at our monthly meeting, contact Rheba Chaudron at [blaizez28@att.net](mailto:blaizez28@att.net). Simply pick a date, and let us know what type of food you would like. We will email the club and set up the potluck.



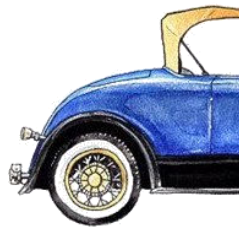
## Membership Committee



Do you know someone who is interested in antique cars? Invite them to a meeting to check out the DSR, a friendly, active antique car community.

## Publicity Committee

Are you good at writing, drawing, painting, or graphic design? Do you like handling social media? The publicity committee needs people with the skills to make our club look great and keep us visible to the public. Contact Deana Landry at 228-669-4041.



# Upcoming Events



**June 13 - Flag Day Cruise-In - 4-6pm.** Bring your lawn chairs for an evening cruise-in under the oaks on the beautiful grounds of the DSR

Clubhouse. Hamburgers & hotdogs will be provided. Bring your tattered American flags, and the members of the Marine Corps League will give them a proper retirement.

**June 20 - Lunch Run to David's Catfish House - 10810 Hwy 31, Spanish Fort, AL.** To caravan, meet on the service road next to Felix's Fish Camp at 10:30 am, or meet us at David's at 11.



**June 25 - DSR Monthly Meeting -** The June meeting will be held at the DSR Club House, 951 Forrest Hill Dr., Mobile AL. 6pm for dinner followed by the meeting at 7.

## SAVE THE DATE!

**July - Karaoke Night at the Clubhouse! Date TBD**

**July 23 - Regular Meeting**

**August 27 - Regular Meeting**

**September 24 - Regular Meeting**

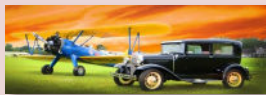
**September 26 - Cruisin' the Coast Packing Party - 8am to noonish.** Coast Coliseum in the Convention Center, 2350 Beach Blvd, Biloxi, Mississippi. Opens at 8am, and there will be snacks and coffee for breakfast.

**October 4-11 - Cruisin' The Coast 30th Anniversary**



**October 17 - Tibbie Trade Day - Tibbie, Alabama**

**October 22 - Regular Meeting**



**October 24 - Wheels & Wings - 10:00 am-3:00 pm.** Cruise-in and picnic on the grounds of the beautiful Roy Wilcox

AirPort. Free admission. Bring your lawn chairs. Address: 417 Hearn Dr. Chatom, Alabama. The aeronautical identifier is 5R1,

**November 19 - Election Meeting & Thanksgiving Dinner**

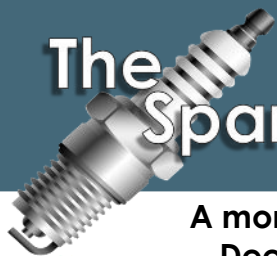
**December - Christmas Party - Date TBD**

## SCHEDULE A PHOTO SHOOT!

New club members may have noticed the fantastic photos on our wall! The DSR is fortunate to have professional photographer, John Bright, who would love to photograph your car. Let him know if you have a location in mind and set the date! He'll print a photo for the wall and one for you, as well!

John Bright (251) 454-6298 or [jhbright915454@gmail.com](mailto:jhbright915454@gmail.com)

# The Sparkplug



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4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

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★ Dinner Provided

★ Flag Retirement  
Ceremony

★ Veterans Welcome

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Saturday, June 13, 2026

Let Us Change Your Rear-end!



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**Toot Robertson**

**12451 Jeff Hamilton Rd.**

**251-510-9426**

**www.thetrikemanllc.com**

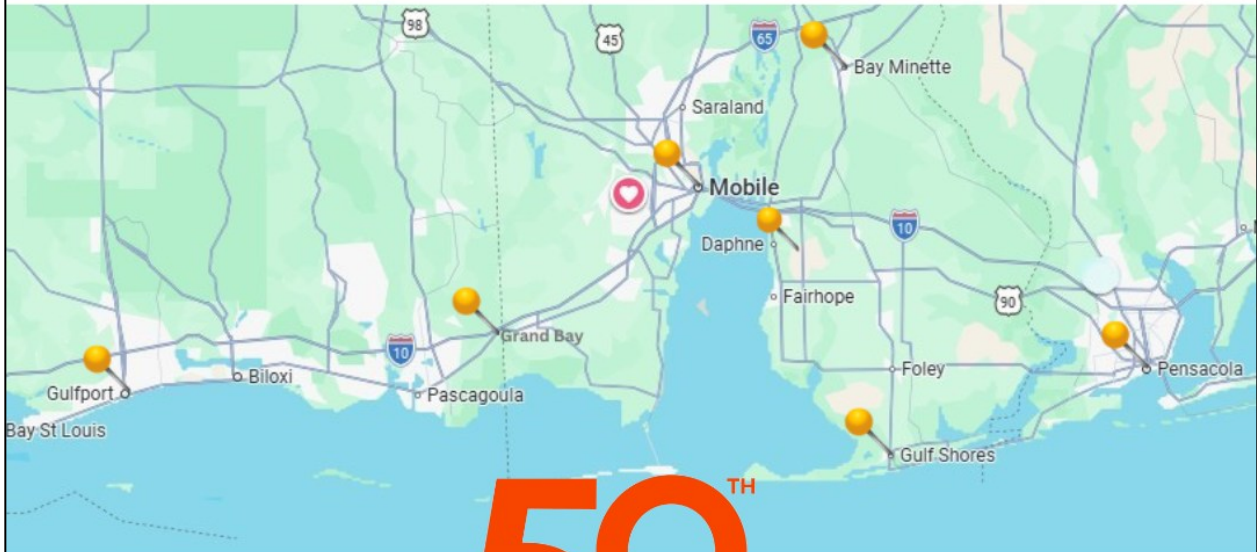
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