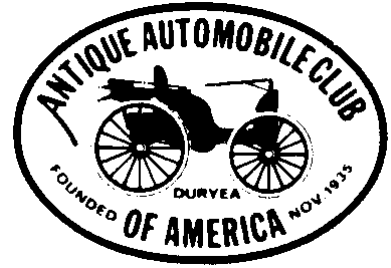




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Ancient City Auto Club
Antique Automobile Club of America
March, 2022

Upcoming event - Poker Run and Lunch



On Friday, May 20, 2022 our club will hold a Poker Run and luncheon that will begin and end at "Otter's On the Water" restaurant located at 173 Shipyard Way Street in St. Augustine. All cars will be parked in a reserved parking area at the front of the restaurant. Club members will have two options to participate, they are:

Option 1. The Poker Run and Luncheon: Arrive by 10:00am. Participants will receive a briefing and a route map. As you drive the route you will be listing the 10 objects you have been asked to identify. It is suggested that you have a partner to write down the 10 objects along the route. After completing the route, which will bring you back to Otter's, park your car in the reserved parking area and come into the restaurant to our reserved luncheon room area. When all of the participants have returned, your answers to the 10 objects will be scored. Should

we have multiple winners with tied scores, a poker card will be drawn to determine the winner (there may be several drawing to determine the winner). The winner will receive a plaque and a free lunch. The Poker Run route is approximately 1 hour and 15 minute ride around St. Augustine.

Option 2. Luncheon Only: For those members who would like to enjoy the Poker Run winner process and lunch, arrive at the restaurant at 11:30am with your antique car and park it in the reserved parking area in the front of the restaurant. Come inside to the reserved luncheon room area and join in on the fun with the other members.

"Otter's On The Water" is going to post our event on their Social Media platforms advising the general public that the Ancient City Auto Club will be enjoying lunch at Otter's and our antique vehicles will be on display in the parking lot from 11:30am to 1:00pm.

To Sign Up: Email Dewey at, ddpnamp@aol.com, by **Monday, May 9th** and let Dewey know which Option you would like to participate in. If you select Option 1, Poker Run & Lunch, provide the driver and partner names. If you select Option 2, lunch only, provide the number in your party.

A.A.C.A Azalea Region Car Show

Palatka car show was held on Saturday, March 5 along the beautiful St. Johns River. The show was sponsored by the Azalea Region of the AACA, and had nearly 100 cars and trucks of all varieties. It is a great setting and the club has always supported the Ancient City Automobile Club.



Bob Kessler, Ray and Hope Emery, and Doug and Marion Hunsworth, Jim Athas and Tony Evangelista participated with their vehicles and Danny Stephens bought everyone lunch. Good time was had by all.

Interesting note, no participation award was given as the minimum of 8 participants was not met.



Model A Ford - Jim Athas



Chev El Camino – Ray and Hope Emery



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Ford Tudor Delux - Doug & Marion
Hunsworth



Chev Corvette – Jeff Dougherty



Cadillac Allante - Bob Kessler



Chev Corvette - Tony Evangelista

St Augustine Cruisers Monthly Cruise Night

The Cruisers monthly car show at the Classic Car Museum had great weather and a large turnout of fascinating specialty cars. Good music, door prizes, and a congenial group of enthusiasts make this a fun family event. Ancient City Automobile Club members joined in with eight drivers attending. Their next event is April 16, 5 PM to 7 PM.



The Batmobile



Joe Greeves Lexus



Jim Salanitri Corvette



Jim Weiss Bentley



Skip Ferguson Pontiac



Jim Athas Ford Model A



James Wrubleski Thunderbird



Steve Wyland Ford Ranger pickup.



Bob Kessler Cadillac

Old Guy's Breakfast

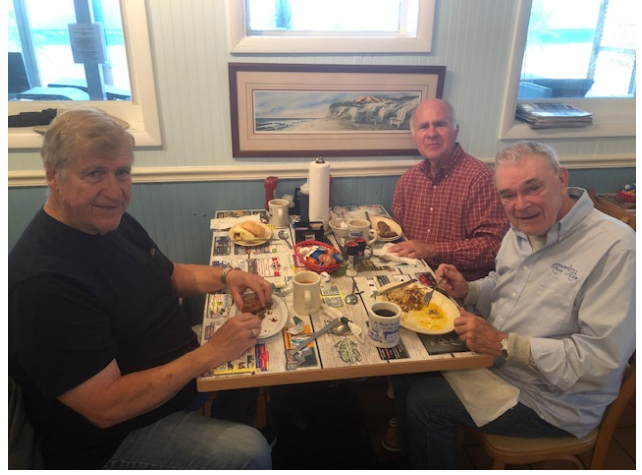
More than a dozen (14) Hardy souls braved the rainy weather for the March Old Guys Breakfast. Although collector cars remained safely in the garage, everyone enjoyed the great breakfasts and camaraderie at the Oasis. Traditionally at this event (after many of the world's problems have been solved) President Dewey



Porter brings out the box, Rob Daly distributes the tickets, and Jim Athas held up the right number, making him this month's lucky winner of a free meal. Club camera guy Joe Greeves documented the get together.

There are several exciting events coming up in the next few weeks. Be sure to read the activities list and sign up for

the De Leon Springs State Park trip April 1, the Rivership cruise April 9, and the club poker run/lunch, rescheduled to May 20.



Cars and Coffee at the Car Museum

The monthly Cars and Coffee event was held on a cool but sunny morning at the Antique Car Museum. Turnout was somewhat limited by conflicting events but attendees still enjoyed the typical comradery and an interesting collection of cars.



Dewey Porter – 93 Buick Century



Bob Kessler – 91 Cadillac Allante



Bill Soman – 54 Corvette



John Battistini - 70 Chev Corvette



John Bagg – 68 Ford Mustang



Jim Weiss - 75 Rolls-Royce



Dennis McDonald - Qvale



Ken Bryan - Corvette



Jim Athas – 1930
Ford Model A



Paul Thompson - 1961 Mercedes 190

Minutes of the Ancient City Auto Club Meetings

Minutes of the member meeting and the board meeting are distributed separately.

Upcoming events:

First Wednesday of every month Captain Cone's Ice Cream 5-6 PM 10% off your purchase if you drive your classic or custom vehicle. They have a great variety. 197 Blackford Way, St Augustine, FL 32086. This is on US#1 South in the shopping center behind Walgreen's.

Cruise Night every Wednesday at Woody's Barbeque in Palm Coast is being held 4 PM to 8 PM on Rt 100 2 miles west of Flagler Beach A1A and right off I-95 at exit 284. For those that like to stay off the highway, Rt 1 south is a great drive to Bunnell, turn left [east] on Rt 100. It's just beyond I-95 on Rt 100.

April 1, Pancake breakfast at De Leon Springs State Park. **Reservations are closed.** If you want to caravan over meet at the shopping center on US 1 So. behind Walgreens turn right on Blackford. *We will depart from there at 9:00 AM* Bob & Beverly Kessler will lead the way. The club enjoyed outings at the Sugar Mill Restaurant where you make your own pancakes on their griddles. In addition to pancakes, there is recreational swimming and trails through a lush subtropical forest that features a massive old-growth bald cypress tree. De Leon Springs State Park 386-985-4212 The Sugar Mill Restaurant is open every day from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on weekdays and 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. on weekends and holidays,

serving until 4 p.m. The cost for the pancake breakfast is very reasonable. Park entry Fees \$6 per vehicle: 2-8 people \$4 per vehicle: one person only, \$4 per motorcycle \$2 per person for pedestrians, bicyclists and extra passengers.

April 2, The 7th Annual San Jose Car & Truck Show at Dupont Station Shopping Center, 8:30 – 11:30 am. Registration is \$25. Further info will be forthcoming late March

April 3, St. Ambrose Church, Elkton, Annual Spring Festival, 12 Noon to 4 pm, parking for collector cars but get there early. Country music by Red River Band. Bring chairs.

April 7, Ancient City Auto Club monthly meeting, 6 pm, Village Inn US 1 N

April 8, Old Guys Breakfast 9 AM *Oasis* on A1A

April 9, **RESERVATIONS ARE CLOSED** ACAC Lunch River Cruise (3 hrs.) on The Barbara Lee sternwheeler, departs from downtown Sanford, FL city dock. *Reservations are required.* The ship boards at 10:30 am and leaves at 11 am sharp. It returns at 2 pm. Those that want to caravan over meet in the shopping center behind Walgreens on US 1 So. It is a 76 mile drive of approximately 1 hour 40 minutes so we will depart promptly at 8:30 AM. Joe Greeves has volunteered to lead the way

April 16 2022, First Coast Car Council Cruisin to the Creek Spring Edition Car Show, to register on line www.carcouncil.org/show-registration

April 16, St. Augustine Cruisers monthly cruise night at the Classic Car Museum 5-7 pm

April 21, Car display at the Brookdale Assisted Living facility 2 pm-4 pm

April 23, Cars & Coffee at Classic Car Museum 8-10 am

May 5, Ancient City Auto Club monthly meeting 6 pm Village Inn US 1 N

May 7, St. Augustine Cruisers Annual Car Show at the Classic Car Museum

May 13, Old Guys Breakfast 9 am at *Oasis* on A1A

May 20, ACAC Poker Run, see details above, on page 1.

Oct 1, 2022, First Coast Car Council Cruisin to the Creek Fall Edition Car Show

Nov 5, 38th Annual Ancient City Auto Club car show at Classic Car Museum 4730
Dixie HWY 8 am - 4 pm, flyer at <http://ancientcity.aaca.com/>

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Note from the editor:

Member articles are welcome. Tell us the story of your car or an outing. Just send the story and pictures to John Bagg, jcmabagg@yahoo.com